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Local and Miscellaneous.

—Mercury up to 90° in the shade, last Thursday. Friday a cool breeze came along.

"Chaff" gives the portrait of the Episcopal Bishop Harris as that of the handsomest man in Michigan.

—What a revelation it would be, if it could be known how many so-called incendiary fires in reality result from some smoker's pipe or cigar. Especially is this liable to be the cause in barns and unoccupied houses which tramps seek for shelter.

MICHIGAN KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.—At the annual conclave of the Knights Templar of this state, at Detroit, last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Grand Commander—Geo. W. Chandler, Lansing.
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Grand Generalissimo—Jesse E. Saxton, Detroit.
Grand Captain General—Eugene Robinson, Detroit.
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Grand Standard Bearer—John R. Burnett, Muskegon.
Grand Sword Bearer—W. S. Lawrence, Kalamazoo.
Grand Warden—Thos. H. Williams, Jackson.
Grand Sentinel—Alex McGregor, Detroit.

BRAINARD'S MUSICAL WORLD for May contains excellent musical reading matter, editorial articles, and the following music: Story of the Nightingale, song by J. L. Molloy; Billee Taylor, potpourrie; Shall Our Parting be Forever? song and chorus by Edward Holst; Algonac Waltz. This valuable musical magazine is published by S. Brainard's Sons, Cleveland, O. Price $1·50 a year; 15 cents single copy.

HARPER'S BAZAR.—We always take pleasure in speaking in praise of Harper's Bazar. It gives weekly a good amount of excellent reading matter, news and literary, also fashions and illustrations for ladies' garments, of all kinds, household decoration, etc., and every alternate week a pattern sheet, is given from which ladies can cut patterns, full size. To ladies who wish to do their own sewing, the Bazar is a valuable periodical.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for June—the beginning of the Sixty-third Volume—is a brilliant Number. It is not more attractive from the artist's point of view than it is impressive in a literary sense: having contributions from the best writers in every one of the many fields covered by its contents. Samuel Adams gives the first of his series on the White Mountains beautifully illustrated. Wm. Winter has a sketch of Edwin Booth, with portrait; there is a story by Saxe Holm, a new poem by Will Carleton, and a multitude of other attractions. The editorial departments are well sustained.

A HANDSOME PAPER.—The Illustrated Scientific News for May is overflowing with handsome engravings and interesting and instructive matter. Among the various subjects illustrated is a superb specimen of cut glass ware; an article on asphaltum and its use in streets and pavements; a new and ingenious hand-car, shown in operation; a new steel steamer for use in shallow rivers; the new Jobert telescope. Every number contains thirty-two pages full of engravings of novelties in science and the useful arts. To be had of all news dealers, or by mail of the publishers, MUNN & Co., 37 Park Row, New York, at $1.50 per annum; single copies 15 cents.

At Wilkesbarre (Pa.) the other afternoon, in the entertainment following the regular performance of Barnum's circus, Lizzie Devane, the young woman who is thrown from a high catapult through the air to a large stretch of netting some distance away, met with a terrible, perhaps fatal, accident. The trap was sprung before she was ready, and after revolving two or three times in the air, she struck the netting wrong, and brought her chin in sharp contact with her knee. She was taken from the net insensible, and it was discovered that her spine was affected, and that all control of the lower limbs was gone.

Dr. Stephen H. Tyng, jr., who lately resigned the rectorship of the church of the Holy Trinity, New York, has accepted a proposal from an insurance company in that city to supervise the operations of the company in Europe, with headquarters at Paris. In April Dr. Tyng had published an exhaustive article on life insurance, which insurance companies considered the best presentation of their side of the case ever printed. One company had 100,000 copies made for circulation. Dr. Tyng has his own life insured for $50,000.

If there was no wisdom in the world, no one would suspect himself of folly.

PARENTS who allow their children to grow up with scrofulous humors bursting from every pore are guilty of a great wrong. Think of them pointed out as branded with a loathsome disease, and you will readily procure them the Cuticura Remedies.

CHAS. EAYRE HINKLE, Jersey City Heights, N. J., writes: "My son, a lad of 12 years, was completely cured of a terrible case of Eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. From his head to his feet was one mass of scabs."

The war with Peru has cost Chili $69,000,000 and 7,000 men.

Women Never Think!
If the crabbed old bachelor who uttered this sentiment could but witness the intense thought, deep study and thorough investigation of woman in determining the best medicines to keep their families well, and would note their sagacity and wisdom in selecting Hop Bitters as the best, and demonstrating it by keeping their families in perpetual health, at a mere nominal expense, he would be forced to acknowledge that such sentiments are baseless and false. 38

Forty-five Mormon Missionaries are on their way to Wales to make converts.

After Eight Long Years.
C. C. Jacobs, 78 Folsom Street, Buffalo, writes that for eight long years he had tried every known remedy to cure him of piles, also had been treated by physicians without success; when he was ultimately cured by Thomas' Eclectric Oil. 37

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A Fifty Years' Retrospect.

[It will be remembered that Mr. Howes, in a Maryland letter last February wrote: "I shall soon have run my race of fifty years, at the completion of which event, I shall write a letter to THE PRESS giving a brief sketch of a few things that I have noticed through life. I hope THE PRESS will grant me, an old correspondent, one or two columns to sum up on before I begin my race of another half century; holding me responsible for all I say." The letter was written in due time, but from various immediate demands upon our space its publication has been deferred, until the present.]

ST. MARGARETS, Md., Feb. 21, 1881.

EDITORS PRESS:

I offer a few thoughts to-night on this my fiftieth birthday; and it is not without feelings of regret as well as with feelings of pleasure that I look back to childhood. It is with regret when I see how little I have done individually, but with pleasure when I consider what the world in the meantime has accomplished. The result of the research and investigation of great minds for the past fifty years has no comparison in any former age. So great has been the research and so wonderful the results for the last fifty years, that the profoundest minds can scarcely realize the shortness of the time.

But why all this mental labor? Why does a Newton become so absorbed in his studies that at times he forgets the common courtesies of life? Why, simply because man has a desire to learn what relation the finite bears to the infinite. The question may be asked here, has man made any real progress in this direction within the last half century? Two answers will be given. The liberalist will say, yes, most decidedly, while the adherent to the old school of theology will say no, with as much decision. The latter will claim that the question was fully settled long centuries ago, while the former will contend that our knowledge of the relationship between the finite and infinite is yet in its infancy, and that the triumphant march that is bringing us continually into closer communion with the God of the universe, is measured by the success that the finite mind meets with in gaining knowledge of the eternal laws of matter.

Every race has had its gods and every age its creeds: and every god of every age has reflected to its worshipers the moral and spiritual image of the finite beings who created it. But, in time, the progressive philosophy and scientific research of every people have passed the boundaries of its ancient deities and cried aloud for a new god having attributes of a higher order than those given to the god of their ancestors.

We may now ask, are the above remarks applicable to the present age of the world? Let us take a brief review of the last half century, confining ourselves to the English speaking people, and we shall find that a greater change in religious teachings has been wrought within that time than was ever accomplished before in a like period since the first dawn of history. We must bear in mind that fifty years ago, a substantial intelligence pervaded nearly every nook and corner of the English speaking world, and that the creeds that then existed had been formed by, and were the highest conceptions of the most polished minds of God and our duty to him as a christian people; and that these creeds had been riveted upon our intelligence by the masterly hands of those august bodies of spiritual teachers who had assembled from time to time at Westminster and other places to bestow upon the masses their great spiritual gifts. At the beginning of the period of which I speak, the orthodox churches were resting in comparative quiet. There seemed to be no enemy of sufficient power to disturb them. They threw their daggers that had been burnished by the liquids from the infernal regions, at the unrepentant, and in many cases spared not even the new born infant. Our language failed to supply them with words adequate to depict the misery and torments of the damned; and the imagination of the artist was taxed to its utmost capacity in bringing out fantastic figures to represent what words had failed to picture to the mind.

True, the Universalist church had taken hold of some communities to quite an extent, but those who held to that persuasion were looked upon with suspicion and condemned by the orthodox churches for their universal charity to mankind. But while the teachings of the Universalist church were beautiful and more god-like than many others, and had an influence that will never die, it was not to increase greatly in numbers; for as the late Dr. Chapin said a short time before his death, the orthodox churches had come so near to it, that there was but little for the Universalist church to do.

The Unitarian church fifty years ago had made but little impression on the world; its teachings were known to but few, and accepted by still fewer. But its exalted influence has advanced step by step, to the present time, and now it spreads abroad to every quarter of the English speaking world, and numbers within its circle an immense body of the most learned and intelligent of both hemispheres. Onward: is the motto of the church; it is destined to embrace humanity.

England still has her Spurgeon who is hammering on the old anvil, and he will hammer so long as he has strength, with a power that seems to defy a change. But even Spurgeon has modified in later years some of his early utterances. Yet his line of battle will remain essentially the same to the end, and he will be known to coming generations as the last great champion of the old school of theology.

The United States has her Beecher who wielded a mighty influence in his earlier days, and seemed to shake to its foundation the orthodox fabrication. He modified by his earlier teachings the American mind, more than has been in the power of any other preacher to do, but his day of influence has passed, and he expresses himself in such language now that it is hard for any one except Beecher, to tell what Beecher believes.

While many of us have supposed that religious teachings have been more liberalized of late years in the United States than elsewhere, we have fallen into an error; for a greater advance in this respect has been made in a country where we least looked for it. If any people have stuck close to, and contended for, what we call orthodoxy, the Scotch Presbyterians have done it until lately. But a book of sermons, written and preached by Scotch Presbyterian divines, has recently been published in London, which shows that the Scotch Presbyterians have drifted farther from their ancient moorings than have any other class in christendom. These sermons are the productions of a score of learned Scotch Presbyterian divines, who hold high positions in the first institutions of learning in Scotland. The book is dedicated to Dean Stanley, a fact which implies that he is in sympathy with this modern kind of preaching.

These Scotch divines do away, with the old infallible Bible, and look on the scriptures in a rational manner. They deny that God created the world out of nothing and declare that the human family sprung from a man, Adam. In short, they deny the account of creation as given in Genesis, and embrace theories of the scientists of to-day. They do not believe this is a place of probation, where the soul goes on trial to be judged at the end of our lives as to its future destiny, for never-ending bliss, or to be doomed at that time to eternal misery.

But I will let one of these Scotch divines speak for himself. The Very Rev. John Caird, D. D., Principal of the University of Glasgow says: "For the heavens we seek we need not fly away on the wings of imagination to some unknown region of celestial enjoyment where we shall summer high in bliss, heedless of mankind; where, lost in seraphic contemplation, steeped in voluptuous spiritual enjoyment, we shall forget or be unaffected by the good or evil of the world we have left. The materials of our heaven, the elements of that glorious future in which we hope some day to share, are present here, within us and around us, in our very hands and in our mouths. The Divine and Eternal are ever near us. God does not dwell in some far off point of space; He is not more present anywhere else than on this earth of ours. Nor could local transition or physical transformation bring him nearer. God is here above, beneath, around us, and the only change that is needed to bring us to the beautific vision of his presence is the quickening and clarifying of human souls. Purify and ennoble these, let pure light fill the minds and pure love the hearts of men, and heaven would be here. * * * Be the change which death brings what it may; he who has spent his life in trying to make this world better, can never be unprepared for another."

The editor of this book of sermons says this kind of preaching increasingly prevails among the Scotch clergy, and he evidently believes that the new light that has dawned upon the church of Scotland, will ever increase in brightness and beauty until its radiance unites and mingles with the glorious lights that are already shining in every land where the English language is spoken.

When I look back to childhood and listen again in imagination to some of the wretched sayings that fell from the lips of the pulpit orators of that day, I have a feeling of pity for the clouded souls that uttered them, and trust that they have escaped the dominions of that hideous demon whom they delighted to portray to the sinner.

And in conclusion I must say, a feeling of prayerful gratitude rises from my heart to-night to the one, true and only God for having been allowed to live thus far in an age in which the love of the human heart has been quickened into new life in which error has, more than in any other like period, fallen before the power of truth, in which science has done so much to uproot superstition, and to break down the barriers that the dogmas of the church so long raised to obstruct and resist the research and investigation which have done so much to disrobe our minds of mystery, and to clothe them with an effulgence of eternal truths.

WILLIAM HOWES.

Dressing For A Photograph.

Says an experienced photographer: "Few persons know how to dress for a picture. The best material for ladies to wear when about to sit for a photograph are such as will fold or drape nicely. Lavender, lilac, sky blue, purple and French blue take very light and are worse for a picture than pure white. Corn color and salmon are better. China pink, rose pink, magenta, crimson, pea green, buff, plum color, dark purple, pure yellow, Mazarine blue, navy blue, fawn color, quaker color, dove color, ashes of roses and stone color show a pretty light gray in the photograph. Scarlet, claret, garnet, sea green, light orange, leather color, light Bismarck and slate color take still darker and are excellent colors to photograph. Cherry, wine color, light apple green, Metternich green, dark apple green, bottle green, dark orange, golden and red brown show nearly the same agreeable color in the picture. A black silk always looks well and it takes well if not bedecked with ribbons and laces that will take white. Dark Bismarck and snuff brown usually take blacker than a black silk or satin and are not easy to drape. A silk, because it has more gloss and reflects more light, usually takes lighter than a woolen dress. Ladies with dark or brown hair should avoid contrasts in their costumes, as light substances photograph more quickly than dark, and ladies with light hair should dress in something lighter than those whose hair is dark or brown. Few ladies understand how to arrange their hair so as to harmonize with the form of the head but blindly follow the fashion, be the neck long or short, or the face narrow or broad. A broad face appears more so if the hair is arranged low over the forehead or is parted at the side, and a long neck becomes stork-like when the hair is built up high, while a few curls would make a most agreeable change in the effect. Powdered hair gives good effect, and powder should be bestowed upon freckles."

The Heat and Sunstrokes.

Last Thursday was noted for hot weather all over the country. In New York there were several cases of sunstroke. Thermometer 86°. During a review of the first brigade at Prospect park parade ground, the great heat affected the men terribly. They began falling upon the ground, while general consternation pervaded the ranks and the parade had to be abandoned. Every thing possible was done for those prostrated. With the exception of two men sent to the hospital, all the sufferers were able to be removed home.

At South Amboy, N. J., there were two cases of prostration. At Clifton dock James Walling died. At Red Bank there was one case of prostration.

Dispatches from all sections of Canada indicate that this was the warmest day in May on record, the thermometer ranging from 75 to 94 in the shade.

At Cincinnati the mercury rose to 90 degrees at 3 in the afternoon. This was the hottest 12th of May for many years.

Matters in Ireland.

DUBLIN, May 12.—The state of things throughout Ireland does not improve. At Cork to-day A. M. Hepperman, member of the land league of that city, and four others, were arrested under the coercion act by order of the lord lieutenant, and conveyed to jail, where they are strictly confined, and permitted to see no one. The offenses committed are not specified. Their friends say they have done no more than to urge forward the work of the land league. The opinion is becoming general that the powers conferred by the coercion act are being used for the gratification of personal animosity, and that tradesmen get up accusations against rivals for the purpose of crushing them in business. Arrests are without warrant, on the mere authority of the lord lieutenant. No one can be held responsible for them. This means that persecution will be more and more resorted to.

Some excitement is attending the election at Knaresboro to-day. The village is full of people. The antagonism between the factions is keen. One of the mobs is now pelting Arthur O'Connor, home rule member for Queen's county, with rotten eggs. He is taking it in good humor, but his partisans are preparing to resent it.

The Chicago Tribune has discovered a star route on the Mississippi river between St. Louis and St. Paul on which $29,000 a year was paid, with Gen. Brady's knowledge, for carrying an empty mail bag with no letters in it, back and forth by steamboat.

Life Saving—A Man Who Has Saved a Life For Nearly Every Year of His Existence.

From the Cincinnati Times.

There arrived in this city from New York a few days since a pale-faced, delicate-looking young man apparently not more than twenty-two or twenty-three years of age. He is a young man with a history, and with an experience such as few men of even greater years have. His name is Daniel C. Coleman, well known in New York as that of one of the most efficient life savers in that city, and as former captain of the North River Corps. Upon his breast he wears a number of medals, given him in honor of his heroism in saving lives of drowning people in that city and vicinity. For eight years past Daniel Coleman has studied the art of life-saving in the waters of New York harbor and bathing resorts in that vicinity, and he has succeeded in saving the lives of no less than twenty-one people. Latterly, however, his health has not been good in the rugged climate of New York, and he has come to Cincinnati to make his home, in the hope that this may prove a more congenial clime to him.

A Times-Star reporter had yesterday the pleasure of a conversation with Mr. Coleman regarding his experiences and observations in the strange profession which he has been following.

"How did you come to enter into this sort of occupation, Mr. Coleman?" asked the reporter. "Did you have a natural liking for it?"

"Well, perhaps partly that and partly surrounding circumstances. You see I used to work at my trade of liquor compounding during the day, and never cared much for standing on the corners or loafing 'round town of evenings, as some young fellows do. A company of people wanted some men to patrol along North River and look out for drowning people and other things of that kind, and I thought it better to be earning a few dollars during evening hours than to be standing on the corners, and so took it. Then, after I had followed that pretty successfully for a while, they offered me a place at Rockaway to look after the bathers, and I went there. I saved about fifteen lives at Rockaway and six in North River. There's a sight of 'em gets in need of assistance at these bathing places. You see they generally go and drink pretty freely just before they go into the water in the supposition that it will prevent them from catching cold, and when they strike the salt water it seems to partially paralyze them."

"You must have had some strange experiences in this work."

"Yes, some of 'em have been a little odd and some not exactly pleasant. You see, when a person is drowning he isn't very particular how he grabs hold of you. He grabs at anything, in fact, and you have to be very careful or he'll take you down with him. I'm not very strong, as you see, and not very heavy, and when a big 200-pounder gets hold of one who only weighs 138, he is liable to get away with him. Why, I remember one fellow who took me down with him three times, and would have drowned me and himself too, if help hadn't come."

"What do you do in a case of that sort?"

"Well, we have to watch our chance to get 'em in a way that they can't get hold of us, or, failing in that, handle 'em pretty roughly, to keep 'em from getting hold of us. Sometimes it even becomes necessary to knock them over, and render them insensible, until we can get them out. It's pretty rough, but it's better than letting 'em drown, and perhaps being drowned with them."

"Yet you must have some pleasant recollections of some of the experiences. People must be, of course, very grateful for your risking your life for them."

"Sometimes, yes; but not nearly so often as you would suppose. Here is a badge that some gentlemen gave me for saving the life of a young lady at Rockaway, in 1877; and here is another, given for a similar service. I got, several times, small sums of money—once as high as thirty dollars."

"Thirty dollars. Is that the value your average New Yorker sets on his own life?"

"Well," laughed the young man, "they don't seem to be as grateful as one would expect. They don't, for a fact. Now, for instance, I remember a case of a couple of ladies whom I saved, and next day I called at the place where they were stopping to ask how they were getting along, and, instead of being grateful, as might have been expected, they ordered me out of doors. Another time I saved a man's life in New York. He was lying drunk at the river's edge with $200 or $300 in his pocket and a gold watch and some checks. He was insensible and freezing to death. It would have been the easiest thing in the world to have taken the money and watch from his pockets and with a single push rolled him into the river. We got him to a place near by, thawed him out, and afterwards took him to the station house. The next day he was fined in the Police Court for drunkenness. That night as we went on duty we had to pass his residence. As we went by his wife came out with a revolver in her hand and was going to shoot us.

"For saving her husband's life, eh?"

"Well," he laughed, "I don't know whether she was so averse to having his life saved, but she didn't like it because his name was in the papers. But we couldn't help that; it would have been in the papers as frozen or drowned had it not been for us. There was an account of it in the Cincinnati Star at that time," and he drew a Star of January, 1879, from his pocket and exhibited the account of it with evident pride. "There is the story about our saving him," he said.

"That was an unusual case, though, probably" remarked the reporter.

"Well, I have known of worse ones, he said. "For instance, one day down at Rockaway—you see I have been at Rockaway every summer for the past five years—I saved a 200-pound fellow from drowning, and what do you think when I tell you that he turned around and gave me a regular beating as soon as he got his clothes on. He was away out in the water by the outside rope when the under tow took him down. When I got to him his feet were sticking out of the water with his head down and hanging to the rope, partly unconscious and unable to save himself. He was just in that unpleasant condition that I spoke about a little while ago that he would have grabbed at anything and was a most dangerous subject to handle. I had to hit him a pretty hard rap before I could get him out. After I got him out and pumped the water out of him he came to, and when they were dressing him he looked in the glass and saw the mark on his face. He wanted to know who did it, and when they explained to him he came right down on the beach where I was and began to beat me. Just then the boss came along and a crowd of people gathered around; when they found out the facts they set on that fellow and the beating they gave him was a caution, I tell you."

"Not very encouraging to you, was it, in saving big men's lives?"

"Not so very," he said. "There was another case that I remember that was quite amusing. I was talking one day to an old gentleman and his son down on the beach. They said to me, as a great many others do, 'Folks must be very grateful to you for saving their lives, ain't they?' I said, sometimes they are. 'Well,' said the old gentleman, 'I should think that anybody who wasn't grateful for saving his life or that of his family, wouldn't hardly be fit to live. You ought to get well paid from such people.' 'Yes,' said the young man man speaking up, 'I think so too. Why, I would give you my last dollar if you were to save my life or that of any of my folks.' While they were talking, I had noticed an old lady pretty well out in the water who acted a little queer and just then she made a sudden move and went out of sight. As I suspected, she was in a fair way to drown; she had got entangled in the ropes and in a minute or two longer would have been beyond assistance. I got her loose and out to where the water was shallow, and then getting some help, had her carried up on the beach. While they were carrying her up I noticed the old man and his son came running up, looking very pale and excited. After they had carried her out and brought her to with brandy and salt and other appliances I went back to my work on the beach. Pretty soon, who should come up but the young man who was just saying when I left him that he would give his last dollar to any one who saved the life of any of his relatives."

"Do you know," he said, "that was my mother you saved? I am very much obliged to you," and he put his hand in his pocket and drawing out a half dollar offered it to me. I was a little surprised, but I kept my countenance as best I could, and told him he had better keep his money as I did not care about it."

Stanley Matthews Confirmed by One Majority.

The Senate, in executive session, last Wednesday was occupied in a debate on the nomination of ex-Senator Stanley Matthews to be an associate justice of the supreme court, which was reported from the judiciary committee adversely. Messrs. Edmunds and Bayard made speeches against the confirmation of Mathews, both taking the ground that he was not a fit man to go on the supreme bench. They spoke of the exalted position of a supreme judge, and claimed that only men of spotless reputations should be so elevated. They referred to the past acts of Matthews which, they said, showed him to be more of a politician than a statesman or jurist. Mr. Ingalls spoke in behalf of Matthews, claiming a high order of talent and integrity for him. In the long public life of any man who has been so prominent, mistakes must naturally have been made. Mr. Edgerton spoke briefly against Matthews, insisting that he is a stranger to the circuit to which he would as supreme judge be assigned, and that the people of that circuit want a judge who belongs to it and is familiar with its bench and bar. The arguments advanced against the confirmation of Mr. Matthews, were in substance that his opinions are subject to the control of corporations, and especially his well-known views concerning the constitutionality of the Pacific railroad funding act are such as to threaten a reversal of the last supreme court decisions on these and similar questions.

At the end of the discussion, Thursday, a vote was taken on the question of confirmation, which resulted yeas 24, nays 23, so the nomination was confirmed. The affirmative and negative totals were about equally divided between the two political parties. The Washington correspondent of the Detroit Free Press characterizes the confirmation of Matthews a disgraceful piece of lobby work. It says:

The contest over Matthews's nomination has been for months characterized by phases utterly discreditable. The story can be summed up by saying that his nomination has been lobbied through the Senate. Matthews himself engaged in this lobby work. It is difficult to estimate what influences have been most potent. Matthews's chief outside workers have been Gov. Foster and Washington McLean, who were probably actuated by strong personal friendship. Various social influences were brought to bear, and for a few days past rumors of railroad lobby work have been thick. Senator Plumb, of Kansas, to-day received the following dispatch from Jay Gould: "Can you conscientiously vote for the confirmation of Stanley Matthews?" Other railroad men sent similar dispatches and letters to Senators.

The New York Herald Attacks the President.

The N. Y. Herald publishes a five column attack on President Garfield, which is generally looked upon as inspired by Conkling. Its true inwardness may be inferred by its large head-lines as follows: The Wriggler—Inside history of the last presidential campaign—Garfield's "pledges"—Unexampled promising, dickering and backsliding—Help me, Cassius, or I sink"—Grant and Conkling come to the rescue—Shameful bargains—The cabinet seven times filled on pledges—Conkling at Mentor—The first report of a memorable talk—Treasurship or nothing—Blaine, Mahone, Robertson—"Will Garfield destroy the party?"

It was reported that the President would reply to the attack, but it is stated he will take no notice of the publication.

The Northern Pacific railroad scheme includes a main of 2,400 miles from Duluth, on Lake Superior, to Tacome, on Puget Sound, and two hundred miles of branches. There are fourteen hundred miles yet to be constructed, but the central gap to be filled, in order to form a continuous line from Duluth to Walla, is only about 820 miles. Of the $40,000,000 of bonds which are expected to produce sufficient funds to complete the work, $20,000,000 have recently been sold. The company has a land grant of some $45,000,000 acres, and the preferred stock, of which the amount outstanding is about $42,000,000, is receivable for lands east of the Missouri River.

A horse seized a little girl with its teeth at Dayton Ill., carried her several blocks and then trampled her to death.

A shipwrecked sailor, Antonio Pato, has arrived in New York. From his story it appears that the French war-ship La Marine was wrecked off the African coast early in March, and only the captain and two or three men were saved.

Azilla Poynett, of Alburgh, Vt., with a young child, is a town charge. The taxpayers are not anxious to support a bastard, and their comments led its mother

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 18th 1881.

Both houses of the Legislature adjourned Friday noon until Monday evening. These long adjournments are setting the people to wondering whether their Representatives in the Legislature will air their 4th of July patriotism at the State Capitol or at home.

Senators Conkling and Platt Resign!

The great excitement of the day is the resignation of U. S. Senators Conkling and Platt. Monday morning the Senate was struck with consternation by the announcement that the New York Senators had transmitted their resignation to the Governor of their State. The New York Assembly is in session, and Conkling probably expects it will re-elect them to be their own successors, thus endorsing Conkling's fight against Robertson, but doubts are expressed as to the probability of such action. It is now expected that Robertson will be confirmed, and the Senate adjourn this week.

The President expresses satisfaction at the situation. The Democrats now have a majority in the Senate, but it is stated they do not propose to take advantage of it.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Legislature adjourned Friday noon until Monday evening, not a very promising outlook for an early closing of the session. Monday evening the Senate convened with a quorum present, but there was no quorum of the House present, and pending a call far the arrest of members absent without leave, the House adjourned.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE DEFEATED, RECONSIDERED AND LAID UPON THE TABLE.

As stated last week, the joint resolution to amend the Constitution and give the ballot to women, was made the special order for Wednesday forenoon of last week. Speeches were made in favor of the resolution by Representatives Blood, Martin, Bennett, Robertson, Harford, La Du and others. Representative Bloom and Ball made speeches opposing the resolution. A vote on the final passage of the resolution resulted in its defeat, yeas 54, nays 34—not two-thirds as required by the Constitution. Our Representatives Dewey and Cooper voted yea. On motion of Mr. Blood the resolution was reconsidered and laid upon the table. He expects to bring it up again.

PROHIBITION AND LIQUOR TAX.

Wednesday afternoon had for a special order the joint resolution for a prohibitory amendment, and the liquor tax law. The resolution was first considered, and without debate or proposed amendment was put upon its passage and lost, not two thirds of the whole house voting in the affirmative. Representatives Dewey and Cooper voted in the affirmative.

Farr's Liquor Tax bill was rather warmly debated, and amended so as to make the retail tax on distilled liquors $300; on brewed and malt liquors $200, in which form the bill passed by a vote of 62 to 30.

The Senate passed Senator Edsall's Anti-Treating bill.

The Senate passed the Howell bill—for the purchase of Judge Howell's compilation of the state laws, over the Governor's veto, by 23 to 7. The veto was tabled in the House, 53 to 42.

In the Senate the bill for extra compensation for Register of Deeds of Shiawassee county was lost, reconsidered and tabled.

The Governor has approved the act to amending the charter of the city of Owosso.

Many remonstrances are received against the bill to take the property of the Roman Catholic church from the hands of the Bishops and vest it in lay trustees. The bill has been recommitted to the Judiciary committee.

Death of John N. Ingersoll.

Hon. John N. Ingersoll proprietor of the Shiawassee Journal, died at his home in Corunna, Friday morning, May 13, aged 64 years. His death was not unexpected; he has been in failing health for two or three years, and latterly has been incapacitated, both mentally and physically, from active participation in business. Partial blindness was added to his infirmities. For several months he has been gradually sinking; last Saturday morning he became much worse and never rallied again. An autopsy revealed softening of the brain as his disease.

Mr. Ingersoll was born May 4, 1817, in Westchester county, N. Y. When he was two years of age his father moved to New York city and was accidentally drowned a few months after in the East River; soon after his mother died, and he was left an orphan at the age of 11 years. He was adopted by and lived with an uncle in Connecticut until he was 13 years old, when he went to New York to learn the printer's trade and worked nearly a year with Horace Greeley with whom he retained terms of friendship so long as Mr. Greeley lived. In 1834 when only 17 years old, he married Miss Harriet M. Robinson. In 1837, on the personal advice of Horace Greeley, he went west, came to Detroit and worked a year as compositor on the Free Press. The next year he was foreman in the Advertiser office, and began writing for that paper. In 1839 he became editor of the Mt. Clemens Statesman. In 1842 he published the St. Clair Banner, which he continued till 1846. Then he started the Lake Superior News, the first upper peninsula paper. He had been a clerk in the legislature, and in 1848 was secretary of the senate. In 1849 he was elected representative from Chippewa county in the unorganized territory of Lake Superior. Subsequently he was editor of the Detroit Daily Bulletin, and the Hesperian (a monthly magazine published in the interests of the Odd Fellows); manager of the Detroit Daily Times; part editor and publisher of the Rochester (N. Y.) Daily Tribune, and in 1858 returned to Michigan and purchased the Owosso American of Dr. Barnes, which he conducted until 1862, when he removed his office to Corunna, and changed the name of the paper to the Shiawassee American, of which he remained sole proprietor until he took into partnership Mr. Geo. W. Owen, about one year ago. This partnership lasted about six months, when Mr. Ingersoll sold out his interest to Mr. Owen and started the Shiawassee Journal, which has now reached number 52 of the first volume, when death closed his career.

Mr. Ingersoll was elected State Senator in 1869, and in 1880 Representative in the Legislature. He held local offices in Owosso and Corunna, was Mayor and Postmaster at the latter place. He was for many years a prominent Mason, and had held many of the highest offices in the order in this State. He was married four times, and leaves a widow and four children by his last marriage, and a married daughter by his first wife, who married Mr. Frank Ball, of Detroit. The children by his last marriage are Mrs. Dr. Ballard, of Detroit, Mrs. Dr. Ballard, of Detroit, Mrs. Dr. Ballard, of Detroit, and Mrs. Dr. Ballard, of Detroit. The deceased was a man of great energy of character, and a man of great ability. He was a man of great ability. He was a man of great ability. He was

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

TRAINS LEAVE OWOSSO AS FOLLOWS:

Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee R. R.

GOING EAST.
Mail, 2:15 p. m., for Detroit. Evening Express 7:55 p. m., for Detroit. Detroit Express 9:32 a. m., for Detroit.

GOING WEST.
Morning Express, 10:35 a. m., for Grand Rapids. Mail, 2:15 p. m., for Grand Haven. Night Express 2:36 a. m., for Grand Haven. Grand Rapids Express 8:05 p. m., for Grand Rapids. Mixed 6:30 a. m.

Jackson Lansing & Saginaw R. R.

TRAINS LEAVE OWOSSO AS FOLLOWS:

GOING NORTH.
Mail, 9:55 a. m. Saginaw and Bay City Express, 7:20 p. m. Way Freight, 3:00 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.
Jackson Express, 8:55 a. m. Chicago Express and Mail, 7:20 p. m. Way Freight, 9:35 a. m.

☞BURT WICKING'S HACK LINE conveys passengers and baggage to and from trains and private houses.

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OWOSSO POSTOFFICE.

Daily Mails arrive and close until further notice as follows:

EAST VIA D. G. H. & M. R. R.
Close—1:45 P. M. ..... Arrive—2:45 P. M
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Close—1 45 P. M. ..... Arrive—2:45 P. M
Close—9 50 A. M. ..... Arrive—8 00 P. M

NORTH VIA J. L. & S. R. R.
Close—9 50 A. M. ..... Arrive—9:30 A. M
Close—7 00 P. M. ..... Arrive—8 00 P. M

SOUTH.
Close—8:50 A. M. ..... Arrive—10:45 A. M
Close—7:00 P. M. ..... Arrive—8:00 P. M

L. A. HAMBLIN, Postmaster.

WEATHER RECORD.

For the week ending Wednesday, May 18, 1881

THURSDAY MORNING	91°
FRIDAY	88°
SATURDAY	81°
SUNDAY	62°
MONDAY	75°
TUESDAY	78°
WEDNESDAY MORNING	42°

CITY AND COUNTY

—Look out for C. J. Stuart's advertisement of new hardware, next week.

—Andrus shows up a wonderful wire gauze, non-explosive oil stove, in to-day's advertisement. Investigate it.

—We receive with pleasure the Bay City Morning Call, a daily paper, over which J. Fred Lewis, of the Saginawain, presides as editor.

—Mrs. Chas. E. Rigley has been sick with inflammation of the lungs since Tuesday last, but we are pleased to state is now recovering.

—Jerome E. Turner, late teller in a Howell bank, is home for the season. He will read law in the office of his father, Hon. J. W. Turner.

—Mr. Albert Gute, of Troy, O., formerly of this city, has favored us with a sample of the "Ohio idea" on wheat. Some of the stalks are over three feet long.

—We have in type a memorial article on the death of the wife of the Rev. Mr. Ellis, of Morrice, but, much to our regret, are obliged to defer it till next week.

—The Rev. Mr. Matrau has just received a unanimous call to the rectorship of St. Jude's church, Monroe City, Mo. He has not given them his decision as yet.

"Attention!" Say Lawrence & Bannister to-day. If there is anything good to eat, which comes in their line, not quoted, you will find it there, "allee samee."

—Excursion round trip tickets for sale at the Junction, to Denver and Pueblo, Colorado. Tickets are made good till October 31, to go one route and return by another.

—The Evening News states that the Muskegon Sentinel, A. B. Wood's paper, has suspended, which we are sorry to hear. We had supposed Mr. Wood was prospering at Muskegon.

—Quarterly meeting services at the M. E. Church next Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday the services will commence at 3 o'clock P. M., and on Sunday at half past two; Rev. George Taylor, of Lansing, will be present.

—The fine Corliss engine in the new Estey manufactory was started up last Saturday. It has a chime of three whistles, and when they get to working harmoniously, won't it be delightful to listen to the "chime of the whistles?"

—Among the bands entered for the great State Band Tournament at Lansing, June 8 and 9, is the Owosso City Band, 19 men. George H. Grahame, of this city, is put down for a baritone solo, and Miss Helen Duff (10 years old,) for a cornet solo.

—Mrs. E. W. Woodard, of White Oak, Ingham county, is still very ill at the residence of her brother in this city, Mr. J. Manning. Her family physician, Dr. Brown of Stockbridge, was called to her last week. He gives no encouragement of her recovery.

—In last week's PRESS Circuit Court proceedings mention was made that B. F. Taylor, Esq., of this city, was admitted to the bar as an attorney. Mr. Taylor might have been admitted years ago, so far as knowledge of law is concerned. He has been Justice of the Peace in this city for the past ten years, and is well versed in the intricacies of law.

—The first ice cream social of the M. E. Church society, will be held next Saturday evening at Dr. Peterson's store, (under his office,) on Exchange street. Don't forget the time and place.

COMMITTEE.

OPEN AIR CONCERT.—The Owosso City Band will give their first open air concert of the season, Friday night, May 20, near the post-office.

PROGRAMME.

1.—Fest Reveille.—E. Castle.
2.—Potpourri from Lasia Miller—Verdi.
3.—Dedier March—Joh Sohan.
4.—Juibelklange March.
5.—Overture—Rossini.
6.—Geburstags Reveille.
7.—Erinesung March.

Where is that Band Stand?

—The great rain, hail and thunder storm of last Saturday did much damage in various parts of the State. In Detroit two unfinished buildings were blown down. At Bay City there was a destructive cyclone. In this city, a vacant house on Exchange street, south of the old fair ground, was struck by lightning and some of the siding torn off.

Advertised Letters.

Letters advertised at the Owosso P. O. for the week ending May 14, 1881:

[illegible] Dunn, Henry Purnell, Mrs. T. Cool, [illegible] H. Partridge, Joseph Lepon, Francis [illegible]

Gentlemen—Frank J. Tracy, Miss Kitty [illegible]

[illegible] Jackwood, [illegible]

L. A. HAMBLIN, P. M.

Estey's Saw Mill Destroyed by Fire.

Last Friday morning, about 6 o'clock, the saw mill of the Estey Manufacturing Company in this city, near their large factories, and close by the D., G. H. & M. road, was destroyed by fire. A few minutes after smoke was seen issuing from the mill, the flames burst out, and before aid could be rendered by the fire department, the mill was past saving. There was an immense amount of lumber between the mill and factories, and in the near vicinity were wheat elevators of C. S. Williams and Arthur McHardy, besides, several loaded cars were on the railroad track exposed to the fire. The cars were removed, but not until six were badly charred. By the exertions of the fire department—and the blessed fact that no wind was stirring—all of this surrounding property was preserved from destruction.

The machinery of the mill was ruined except the boiler, which was somewhat damaged. The mill will be rebuilt, and Mr. Estey thinks it will be in running order again in about 30 days. The loss is about $5,000; insurance $1,500.

The origin of the fire is not known. It is thought it may have taken from sparks from a railroad engine, and some think tramps may have set it on fire. Fire had not been started in the engine, and the engineer saw the smoke bursting from the mill when he was going to his work, while he was yet some distance from it. It is said the fire was all put out the previous night. Had it not been for the leakage of the boiler the Silsby would have commenced in time to save considerable of the machinery; as it was, the engine fire had to be rekindled after the Silsby reached the river.

Aside from the loss of the mill, the fire is a bad set back to the company in work, as they had on hand a great amount which was promised and is deferred; but with good grit they go to work and with characteristic enterprise will be soon be in working order again.

BUGGY COLLISION.—Thursday evening as George P. Jenkins was driving up Washington street, accompanied by Miss Ada Crippen, his buggy came in collision with the buggy of E. A. Todd Jr., with such tremendous force that the crash was heard a great distance. Jenkins's horse reared, broke loose from the the buggy and dashed off up the street. The buggy was wrecked. Mr. Jenkins and Miss Crippen were thrown to the ground. The former was somewhat bruised; Miss Crippen was supposed at first to be very seriously injured. She was carried into Laubengayer's drug store where she lay for some time insensible. After considerable delay in finding a physician Dr. Smith came, and later Dr. McCormick. The former pronounced no injury beyond the shock; by the use of stimulents consciousness was restored, she was taken home and is recovering.

Mr. Todd's horse stopped immediately as the collision occurred, but he, himself, was thrown over the dashboard by the sudden check, though not injured. The young lady with him very composedly jumped out, all safe. There was another buggy alongside of Todd's as they came down street, and it was when these two met Jenkins's that the collision occurred. The two slackened their pace, almost halted, at the Exchange street crossing, to allow the people coming from the post-office to cross and the collision occurred almost instantaneously after they crossed, in front of Loring's store. Whatever speed their horses had must have been gotten up between these points.

The affair has caused great excitement on the subject of fast and reckless driving on the streets. Everybody declares the thing ought to be stopped, but it remains to be seen whether anything beyond a temporary scare will be the result.

COUNTY AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.—The Executive Board of Shiawassee County Agricultural Association will meet in the Common Council Room in the City of Owosso, on the first Monday, 6th day, of June next, for the purpose of revising the rules and premium list and appointing Viewing Committees, Superintendents, &c., for the next annual fair. Members of the Association, and others interested, are invited to meet with the Board, to assist in the revision &c.

Owosso, May 18, 1881.
td N. BALDWIN, Secretary.

The Wilkenson Trial—The Jury Disagree.

The Wilkensons Plead Guilty to Manslaughter and are Sentenced to State Prison.

The trial of Henry Wilkenson and wife on charge of murder, in causing the death of their adopted boy, Charles Clark, by cruelty, terminated in a disagreement of the jury. Subsequently the defendants plead guilty of manslaughter and were sentenced, Wilkenson to two years and his wife to one year at hard labor in the State prison. A comprehensive account of the trial was given in last week's PRESS, as far as it had then progressed. There is not much to add as regards the testimony.

In addition to points made by the testimony of the people's witnesses as printed in THE PRESS last week, an attempt was made to show that the boy Clark was a good boy, or at the worst was not a bad boy especially in reference to his possession of tobacco and a pipe, putting on the stand for that purpose, a school boy named Nye, as a witness who swore that he gave the tobacco and pipe to Charles Clark in school during the day preceding the night of the maltreatment.

The defense introduced six witnesses but made very little showing beyond what was shown by the people's witnesses relative to the treatment of the boy, all of which was based on statements made by the accused. As rebutting the schoolboy Nye, the school teacher was put on the stand, and he swore that the boy Clark had not been in school for nine days previous to the night of January 28, and he had his records of the school in court to verify his testimony. The defense also as an excuse for Wilkenson's running away to escape arrest, produced testimony to show a bitter feeling in the neighborhood against the Wilkensons, exhibited in threats to lynch them, culminating in the burning of their house.

The jury retired at 5 p. m. Wednesday and were out until 2 o'clock Thursday a. m. They failed to agree, standing eight for conviction and four for acquittal. We understand that they started out eight for acquittal and four for conviction. Friday afternoon the Wilkensons, probably convinced that another trial would result in conviction, with the prospect of several months' incarceration in jail before the trial would take place, came into court and plead guilty of manslaughter; whereupon Judge Turner sentenced them as before stated. It was at their attorney Miner advised them to this course. It is stated that after the trial Mrs. Wilkenson informed Mr. Miner that Wilkenson gave the boy a severe beating after he returned home from Mr. Knight's barn that evening, but that the bruises on the boy's back where mortification set in was done while the boy was at school here, Mrs. Wilkenson [illegible]

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West Owosso Items.

The Junction House is being newly painted.

Mr. Fred. Neuman, who went to Germany a year ago, returned last week.

J. H. Brooks's new brick store is up one story.

E. V. Smith is improving his residence on State street.

Mr. Ab. Chipman is building a neat dwelling house on his place west of the J., L. & S. railroad.

Mr. J. M. Brokaw, of Hudson, has purchased the Brooks farm two miles west of here.

H. Axford has just completed a very fine ice box in his meat market.

A very convenient arrangement: That U. S. mail box on the south-west corner of the Junction House.

Mr. Geo. Thomas has erected another house on State street. This makes the third house he has built on that street.

Mr. D. Sweeney, formerly of this city, but who resides now at Jackson, was married yesterday morning at the Catholic church, to Miss Mary O'Brien, of this city.

Dr. E. S. Leanord, of Ovid, has started a drug store in the building formerly occupied by J. H. Robbins, east of the New York House.

James Butler while loading railroad lumber in West Bay City, broke his arm, and is stopping at his old home here until he recovers from the injury, when he will return to Bay City and resume his duties.

The road immediately across the west side of the railroad crossing, which has been in such a terrible condition has been repaired, and the people utter a prayer of thankfulness whenever they have occasion to drive over it.

J. W. A. Cooper has purchased the residence formerly owned by Mr. Detwiler. Mr. Cooper lately removed here from England, and is a partner of J. H. Robbins in the furniture business.

Mr. C. C. Cooper, for the past six years agent of the M. C. R. R. Co. in this city, has resigned on account of his health and will soon leave for California. He expects to travel in the west three or four months. His successor has not yet been appointed.

Mr. Parmerly, of the firm of Sheldon & Parmerly, has severed his connection with the firm and gone to Point St. Ignace, where he will engage in business. Mr. Sheldon will continue the mill business here. He has now a saw-mill in connection with his heading factory, also a large quantity of logs on hand which are being rapidly converted into lumber and shipped to eastern points.

DICK.

—Prof. Graves closed his winter's work in Owosso last Friday evening. The afternoon was devoted to a review of his pupils in vocal culture, the interest of which was greatly increased by the kind criticism of Mr. Chandler of Kalamazoo, a teacher in the same work.

In the evening a quiet entertainment was given in the parlor of Mrs. A. Todd, to which a few guests were invited. The program was a choice one and in most cases tolerably rendered. Particular mention should be made of the selections from "The Creation" given by Miss Baker of Lansing, whose sweet contralto voice and unassuming manner quite won her audience. Mrs. M. Osborn rendered a celebrated waltz song by "Mazurette," in a pleasing manner, taking Eb above high C with a clear voice and apparent ease. The ladies propose to continue the work so well begun, and arrangements are being made to form a class to be under the guidance of Mr. Graves, including both ladies and gentlemen.

SHOOTING MATCH.—Corunna Journal, May 12:

Last Saturday F. Betts of Corunna and C. Cooper and Mr. Stone of Owosso, members of the Owosso Gun Club, had a shooting match in this city—a trial in shooting birds and breaking glass balls. Out of 36 birds sent from the trap, each shooting at 12, Mr. Cooper brought down 9 and Messrs. Betts and Stone 8 each. And of 44 balls thrown from the trap for each trial Mr. Cooper broke 34 and Mr. Betts 30.

LIBRARY AT MORRICE.—Our Bennington correspondent "S." writes that Mrs. M. A. Edgarton has ordered Section A. of Harper's Public Library, to open a circulating library at Morrice. It will be remembered that the community agreed to sustain Mrs. Edgarton if she would purchase the books, and the library ought to prove a success to her enterprise as well as a benefit to Morrice and vicinity. German books will also be kept. This puts Harper's Library in the south part of the county all along the line of the railroad.

HO! FOR COLORADO.—Vernon Herald, May 13:

On Monday evening of next week Mr. Arthur Garrison, Superintendent of the San Miguel Gold and Silver Mining Company will start for Colorado, where he will locate for the summer and will at once begin to work the San Miguel Gold and Silver Mines. The following named gentlemen from Vernon will accompany him to the mines: George Garrison, Warren M. Holmes, F. C. Brown, W. O. Morrice; Daniel Bush, of Corunna, Thomas Campan, of Detroit, J. J. Green, of Pontiac will accompany the party. They will take the cars at Owosso for Chicago and from there they will go to Kansas city and thence on to Pueblo, where teams will be bought for the party with which to finish the long journey. As soon as the party starts Messrs. Fraser & Chalmer of Chicago, will ship to some convenient point near the mines the machinery which has already been purchased by the Company to be used in operating the mines. The following named gentlemen will also start for Colorado next Monday evening with the Garrison party: Mr. Henry Vanakin and Mr. Marvin Reed, of Vernon, and James Wheeler, John Bennett, Fred. Betts and Charles Watson all of Corunna. They are going out to look Colorado over for themselves.

The Bennington Concert.

The concert advertised for Bennington May 11th, resulted in a house filled very uncomfortably and some were unable to gain admission. The reason for such an interest was partly from a desire to hear the voices from abroad and partly to note the result of Prof. Graves's rigid training. Special mention should be made of a solo by Mr. Crandall, from Lansing, entitled "The Freshening Breeze." He sustained his good reputation and our anticipations were fully realized. Miss Baker's "Selections from the Oratorio of Creation" was well rendered, doing far better the second than the first night, the excessive heat of the first evening rendering it difficult to sing. If she continues a faithful student we predict for her success. Miss Brown did well in "Daughter of Error," also Miss Berridge. We were pleased with a duet as sung by Misses Baker and Berridge. Lansing can well be proud of these singers and we hope to see them again.

Of Mr. Chandler we think the comic role decidedly his forte. "Poor Thomas" Maltese brought the house down, also his "Lazy Club." Miss Peck of Owosso gave us a pleasing song and we hope she may favor us again. Of the singers at home, mention should be made of the excellent manner in which they all acquitted themselves. It was evident to all that severe training is gradually improving our singing.

And your correspondent would ask just here what is more pleasing in church or in parlor, than good singing, and how often in our churches do we see some notes sung quite painfully distorted? We hope to see the Professor in our midst again.

S.

☞The largest and assortment is Out last and Hose yet at McBAIN'S.

—The friends of our former townsman, Mr. J. L. E. Kelly, son-in-law of Dr. Barnes, will be interested in the following marriage item, which we take from a San Jose, Cal., paper.

On Wednesday evening, May 4, at the Congregational Church, at eight o'clock, the ceremony which united Mr. Robert E. Aylesworth and Miss Cora Kelly in holy bonds of matrimony, was performed by Rev. Martin Post. The Church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. In front of the pulpit, suspended from the ceiling, was a large horseshoe composed of white rose buds and entwined with smilax. From the center of the horseshoe depended a wedding-bell formed of white blossoms, all the windows of the Church were twined with ivy and the chandeliers decorated with smilax and white roses and callas. The bridal party entered the Church to the music of the wedding march at eight P. M. precisely, the bride upon her father's arm, Mr. Aylesworth with the bride's mother. At the altar Mr. and Mrs. Kelly stood with the young couple while they pronounced their vows. They were married by the Episcopal service, the bride uttering her responses in clear, vibrant tones.

The paper further mentions a reception at the residence of Mr. Kelly, and elegant bridal presents. The future residence of the bride will be at San Rafael.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.—At the annual meeting of the Fire Department held in the Council Room, Wednesday evening, May 11, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Chief—Henry Woodard.
First Assistant—Randall Campbell.
Second Assistant—Hugh Douglass.
Secretary—Warren Woodard.
Treasurer—Moses Keyte.

A resolution was adopted requesting the Council to authorize the payment of one dollar to each member of the Fire Department, (present and working,) for every time the department is called out for fire or practice, and two dollars each to the engineer, fireman and pipemen.

—At an annual meeting of the Defiance Hose Co., No. 1, May 14, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year

Foreman—Frank Decker.
1st Ass't Foreman—L. Crowe.
2d Ass't.—D. Blair.
Sec. and Treas.—Geo. H. Bedford.
Pipemen—D. Dwight, H. Frain, S. Martin.

A body of some three hundred men went from near Coopersville to Grand Haven, to lynch Voskamp, the murderer of Mr. Lyman Cady, but they were met at the jail with extensive means of defense, by order of the Governor, who had been notified of the proceedings, and the would-be lynchers concluded to turn around and go home.

COMMON COUNCIL.

COMMON COUNCIL ROOM,
Owosso, May 16, 1881.

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Owosso.

The Mayor being absent Ald. Wells was appointed temporary Chairman.

Present—The Clerk, and Ald. Hershey, Friseske, Nelan, Jones, Axford and Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Ald. Nelan presented the following petition:

That Main street be sprinkled from the race east to Washington street, from May 1, 1881, to Oct. 15, 1881.

On motion of Ald. Smith the prayer of the petitioners was granted.

Also a petition for sprinkling Exchange street, which was laid on the table.

Ald. Jones presented the following petition from the Fire Department:

That the Common Council be requested to authorize the payment of one dollar to each member of the Fire Department when called out for fire or practice, and that the assistant engineer, the fireman and the pipemen receive two dollars; which was referred to committee on Fire Department.

Ald. Smith presented the account of Geo. Colt which was referred to committee on Claims and Accounts.

The City Attorney reported back the bond of J. A. Armstrong, ($20,000) which not being of sufficient amount, on motion of Ald. Nelan was referred to the parties making it to be changed to $30,000.

The committee on Claims and Accounts reported back the account of James Robinson, and recommended that it be allowed and an order drawn for the same. Ayes 6, Nays 0.

The committee reported back the petition for sprinkling Washington street, and recommended that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, which was adopted.

The committee on Grading and Sidewalks reported back the petition of D. F. Blair and others, for the construction of a sidewalk on the north side of Main street, commencing at the east corner of Mrs. Mix's lot running to east corner of Dewey street, and recommended that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, which was adopted.

The committee on Printing asked for further time, which was granted.

Ald. Smith moved that the petition for closing barber shops on Sunday be taken from the table, and that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, which was adopted.

Ald. Nelan presented the following resolution, which was adopted. Ayes 6, Nays 0.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the city of Owosso, that the Committee on Ways and Means be and they are hereby instructed to advertise for bids for the sprinkling of Washington and Main streets, from May 1st to Oct. 1st, 1881, and that the committee have power to let the job for said sprinkling.

Ald. Smith moved that the council proceed to elect a constable for the First District, which motion was carried.

William A. Foote having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared elected.

Ald. Nelan read the ordinances providing for the sprinkling of Washington and Main streets, for the first and second time by their title, and on motion they were referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Ald. Smith moved the report of the Fire Department be referred to committee on Fire Department, which motion was carried.

Ald. Nelan presented the following resolution, which was referred to committee on Ways and Means.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the city of Owosso, that the sum of seven and one-half cents be levied and assessed (for highway purposes for the year 1881), on each and every one hundred dollars of the taxable, real and personal property as appears on the assessment roll of the first, second, third and fourth wards of said city, for said year of 1881.

Ald. Smith moved that the committee on Grading and Sidewalks be instructed to cause Dewey and Chipman streets to be surveyed, which motion was carried.

On motion of Ald. Jones the Council adjourned.

E. A. TODD, JR., City Clerk.

The Circuit Court.

The People vs. James I. Willoughby, bigamy; on Friday pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the House of Correction at Ionia for six months.

Omar D. Scribner vs. Isaac Ellsworth, appeal; continued.

Franklin Wellington vs. John Murphy, trespass on the case, verdict for plaintiff $75.

The court then adjourned till Monday June 6.

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WILDERMUTH.—In this city, May 1st, 1881, LILLIE, infant daughter of Helen and J. Fred Wildermuth, aged ten weeks.

Hid beneath the daisies' bloom
Are Lillie's dreamy eyes,
But far above her lonely tomb,
Her home is in the skies.
She was our darling and our pride,
The joy of every heart,
Was like a sunbeam at our side,
That did with her depart.
Sweetly slumber, angel Lillie,
We will not disturb thy rest,
Dreamy eyes are closed forever,
Also is with the blest.

DRESSMAKING.

Mrs. L. A. Stone, having taken rooms opposite the Baptist Church, is now ready to do Cutting, Fitting and Dressmaking in all styles.

Owosso, May. 4, 1881.

Decoration Day—Monday, May 30.

Appropriate arrangements having been made for the observance of the day, it is earnestly desired that all who cherish the memory of our fallen heroes will be present with their floral offerings and join in the procession.

Flowers, boquets, etc., will be received at the City Hall, from 10 A. M. till 3 P. M. At 3 P. M. the procession will form at the City Hall, under the direction of Lieut. E. L. Brewer, Officer of the Day, and move to the cemetery where the following exercises will take place:

Music—Band. Prayer—Rev. L. B. Pratt. Music—Quartette. Address—S. F. Smith, Esq. Music—Band. Poem—Stanley Parkill. Music—Quartette. Decoration of Graves and dirge by the band.

It will be esteemed a favor if those having conveyances will come prepared to carry as many persons as possible to the cemetery.

The Blue-Sox base-ball club of this city, held a meeting on Thursday, May 12, when the following officers were elected: Captain, Mort Gates; Secretary and Treasurer, Fred Gould.

The following men were picked out as a first nine:

Catcher—MORT GATES.
Pitcher—CHARLES STONE.
Short Stop—WALTER MUMBY.
1st Base—CHARLES HUTCHINS.
2d Base—L. B. PLATT.
3d Base—DAN. MURPHY.
Left Field—FRANK HOUSE.
Center Field—FRED GOULD.
Right Field—FRED WILCOX.
Substitutes—FRANK SMITH and CHARLES BEEBE.

The Blue-Sox would like to hear from every club in Shiawassee and Clinton counties.

—The corner stone of the new church to be erected by St. Paul's parish, at Corunna, will be laid at 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon of this week, by Bishop Harris. In the evening the Bishop will administer the rite of Confirmation.

NOTICE.

Owosso, May 17, 1881.

We hereby give notice to the tax-payers of the city of Owosso, that we, the Supervisors of the first and second Districts will meet at the City Clerk's Office on Saturday, the 21st, for the purpose of revising the Tax Rolls of the city of Owosso.

T. J. HORSMAN,
C. A. BALDWIN.

Proposals to Sprinkle Washington and Main Streets.

The undersigned, committee of Ways and Means of the Common Council, will receive proposals until *Saturday, May 21, at 12 o'clock, M.*, to sprinkle Main and Washington streets, in accordance with Ordinance presented May 16, 1881. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Owosso, May 16, 1881.

T. NELAN,
E. V. SMITH,
J. F. WILDERMUTH
Committee.

For Sale.

Brick House and Four Acres of Land on Oliver Street East, in the city of Owosso. Terms easy. Inquire of L. VANDUSEN, Owosso, or D. ALMENDINGER.

Owosso, May 10, 1881 tf

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported Expressly for THE PRESS.]

CORUNNA.

John T. Crane and wife to Helen M. Wood, 4 rods from w end of lots 1 and 2, block 6, Cary's add. $215.

Sanford D. Wiley and wife to Adam H. Rupert lots 3, 4, and e part of lot 5, block 8, $650.

HAZELTON.

John Dunn to John Egan, e ½ w ½, ne ¼ sec. 35, $1070.

Orson W. Tock and wife to Frank E. and Ellen M. Dutcher, ne ¼ ne¼ sec 8. $798.13.

Rollin E. Kelsey to James R. Kirby s pt of w pt of nw frl. ¼, sec. 30,53 acres. $862.

NEW HAVEN.

Alonzo Royer and wife to Peter N. Cook, 26 acres from sec. 3. $550

OWOSSO CITY.

Emily Green to Levi Clark, 2 acres on sec. 18, Caledonia, $400.

A. Crawford and wife to John U Miler, s 2 acres out lot 5, A. Crawford's add. $250

VERNON VILLAGE.

Malvina Benjamin to Albert L. Chandler, lots 9 and 10 block 7 Van Akins' 1st add. $550.

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He sees when their footsteps falter, when
their hearts grow weak and faint;
He marks when their strength is failing,
and listens to each complaint;
He bids them rest for a season, for the path-
way has grown too steep;
And, folded in fair, green pastures,
He giveth His loved ones sleep.

Like weary and worn out children, that sigh
for the daylight's close,
He knows that they oft are longing for home
and its sweet repose;
So he calls them in from their labors, ere the
shadows around them creep,
And silently watching o'er them,
He giveth His loved ones sleep.

He giveth it, oh, so gently! as a mother
will hush to rest
The babe that she softly pillows so tenderly
on her breast;
Forgotten are now the trials and sorrows
that made them weep,
For with many a soothing promise
He giveth His loved ones sleep.

He giveth it! Friends the dearest can never
this boon bestow;
But He touches the drooping eyelids, and
placid the features grow!
Their foes may gather about them, and
storms may round them sweep,
But, guarding them safe from danger,
He giveth His loved ones sleep.

All dread of the distant future, all fears
that oppress to-day,
Like mists that oppress the sunlight, have
noiselessly passed away.
No call nor clamor can rouse them from
slumbers so pure and deep,
For only His voice can reach them
Who giveth His loved ones sleep.

Weep not that their toils are over; weep not
that their race is run;
God grant we may rest as calmly when our
work, like theirs, is done!
Till then we would yield with gladness our
treasures to Him to keep,
And rejoice in the sweet assurance
He giveth His loved ones sleep.

BLIGHT ON FRUIT TREES.

A correspondent of the *N. E. Farmer* gives his experience in dealing with blight upon fruit trees and wormy fruit:

"First, whitewash the trees with a strong wash of quicklime, just as the buds begin to start in the spring. The wash can be applied with an old broom. Next during the last days of May, plough four furrows in the center between the rows of trees both ways, so as to leave a square plot of ground around each tree. Then throw straw in piles of about one hundred pounds to each tree; spread it thin under each tree to within three feet of the trunk. Let the straw remain thus spread about ten or twelve days and all manner of insects will hide under it. Some evening take one tree at a time, set fire to the straw, and be careful not to have it so thick as to burn or scald the limbs of the trees. All insects that can be will be attracted by the fire, and a general destruction of them will take place. Repeat this two or three years, and the orchards will be free from blight and the fruit sound and good."

THE BOYS THAT GO TO HEAVEN.—It was in Lewistown, Me. The teacher had grown eloquent in picturing to his little pupils the beauties of heaven, and he finally asked: "What kind of boys go to heaven?" A lively little four year-old boy with kicking boots, flourished his fist. "Well, you may answer," said the teacher. "Dead ones," the little fellow shouted at the extent of his lungs.

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Wealth of the United States.

We stand near the head of the list—third on the list of all the western nations. The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland heads the list with a capital valuation of $[illegible],000,000,000, then comes France with $[illegible],700,000,000; the United States with $82,000,000,000,; Germany with $22,000,000,000,; Russia with $15,000,000,000; and the Low Countries with $11,000,000,000, of capital collectively. These are the valuations made by those countries of their entire resources. What is the average annual income per inhabitant in various countries? We come to the front in this comparison. The average annual income in the United Kingdom is $165; in the United States, $165 also; in the Low Countries, $130; in France, $125; in the British Colonies, $90; in Germany, and also in Scandinavia, $85. In this reckoning Russia, with her ninety millions of people, is out of sight as yet; she will not be very long. On the score of annual accumulation our case is even better, relatively far better. The annual accumulation of wealth in Germany is $200,000,000; it is $325,000,000 in the United Kingdom; 375,000,000, in France, and in the United States it is $825,000,000! Our increase of national wealth since 1850, says a good English authority, would be enough to purchase "the whole German empire, with its farms, cities, banks, shipping, manufactures, etc." The annual accumulation has been $825,000,000, and therefore each decade adds more to the wealth of the United States than the capital value of Italy or Spain. Every day that the sun rises upon the American people it sees an addition of $2,300,000 to the republic.—[T. M. Coan in Harper's Magazine.

The N. Y. Evening Post says it is only necessary to use pulverized borax freely wherever roaches live, in order to get rid of them. Throw it into cracks, scatter it on shelves under their paper covers, and in drawers and others haunts of the roaches, and within a week, it will puzzle an entomologist to discover even the fossil remains of a roach anywhere in the house. Nothing could be more cleanly kept than this alkaline compound, which is held in disgust only by roaches, red ants, and other like creatures, whose disapproval is a compliment to it.

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Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Osborn & Bro's, Owosso. ks

The deepest running stream that is known is the Niagara River just under the suspension bridge, where it is seven hundred feet deep by actual measurement.

"I Don't Want that Stuff,"

Is what a lady of Boston said to her husband when he brought home some medicine to cure her of sick head ache and neuralgia which had made her miserable for fourteen years. At first attack thereafter it was administered to her with such good results that she continued its use until cured, and made so enthusiastic in its praise that she induced twenty-two of the best families in her circle to adopt it as their regular family medicine. That "stuff" is Hop Bitters. 38

The estate, in Guilford, Connecticut, belonging to the Rev. W. H. Murray, of Adirondack fame, is shortly to be sold for tax claims.

MESSRS. WHITE & BURDICK, Druggists Ithaca, N. Y.—My daughter and myself, great sufferers from Catarrh, have been cured by Ely's Cream Balm. My sense of smell restored and health greatly improved. C. M. Stanley, Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Ithaca, N. Y. Sept. 6, 1880. 38

Mrs. Garfield has imported from Philadelphia an $1,800 cook for the White House.

A CURE AT LAST.—Specifics without number for the cure of Catarrh have been extensively advertised, and doubtless there is some virtue in all, but the evidence is overwhelming that Ely's Cream Balm goes more directly than any other to the seat of the disease, and though it is a comparatively new discovery, it has resulted in more cures within the range of our observation than all the others put together—Wilkesbarre Pa., *Union Leader*, Dec. 19, 1879. 38

Bonanzan Mackey bought Meissonier's picture of "La Halle," at a Paris auction, for $25,000

Trouble Saved.

It is a remarkable fact that Thomas' Eclectric Oil is as good for internal as external use. For disease of the lungs and throat, and for rheumatism, neuralgia, crick in the back, wounds, and sores, it is the best known remedy, and much trouble is saved by having it always on hand. 37

Man's lot: 'Twixt women and wine man's lot is to smart; the wine makes his head ache and women his heart.—[*Old Rhyme.*

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped. Neglect frequently results in an **Incurable Lung Disease or Consumption. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES** are certain to give relief in **Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases.** For thirty years the Troches have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. They are not new or untried, but having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Public speakers and Singers use them to clear and strengthen the Voice. Sold at twenty-five cents a box everywhere. 9nov81*

A few Florida farmers who have planted arrow-root make as much as $1,000 on an acre.

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"We know the value of malt, hops, calisaya and iron compounding "Malt Bitters."

"Our lady customers highly praise them."

"Physicians prescribe them in this town."

"The largest bottle and best medicine."

"Best blood purifier on our shelves."

"Our best people take 'Malt Bitters.'"

"Sure cure for chills and liver diseases."

A. O. U. W.

The Ancient Order of United Workmen has been in existence here, three years, and has cost its members (on a two thousand dollar policy) an average of eight dollars and a half a year, in assessments. Owosso Lodge No. 48, has initiated over one hundred members, and still the applications come in every week. Those desiring life insurance can find no organization or company, at once so cheap, safe and reliable.

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"As made by the Revisers of Great Britain and America. HALF THE PRICE OF CORRESPONDING ENGLISH EDITION. Large type, fine paper, side-stitched paper, elegant binding. A separate "COMPREHENSIVE HISTORY OF THE BIBLE and its Translations," including a FULL ACCOUNT OF THE NEW REVISION; given to subscribers. Best chance for agents ever offered. Send stamp for particulars at once.

The HENRY BILL PUBLISHING Co., Norwich, Conn. 34-39

Local and Otherwise.

—Big thunder and hail storm Saturday afternoon.

—Gardening and house cleaning are making good advance.

The Tuscola County Advertiser, published at Caro, is now edited by Mrs. L. Chapin, widow of the former proprietor, H. G. Chapin, who was found dead a short time since at Lapeer.

A Hive of Bees.

Burdock Blood Bitters bring back health, when the body is badly disordered by impure blood. Biliousness, indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia and other bad disorders cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1., trial size 10 cents. 37

EXPOSITION OF 1876. Wandering through the United States section of this wonderful Exhibition, hyper-ornamented and over-displayed as the most of it is, I came upon an elegant glass case, whose modesty was more conspicuous from its neighbors' finery, surmounted by the motto *Dignis Præmia*, and displaying, in neat packages, the medical preparations of the house of Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass.

I was aware of the world-wide reputation of this eminent firm, for the character and quality of their goods, and remember well their agents in London, Messrs. Newberry, in St. Paul Churchyard. Having a leisure hour, I determined to examine the contents of this case, myself, and I was surprised to see the delicate perfection to which they had brought their household remedies. I was chagrined at the reflection that, while we have at home the most skillful and pre-eminently the best physicians in the world, these Yankee doctors distance us so far in the line of popular medicines for family use. They have the sharpness to take advantage of the high scientific discoveries among us, and make pills and potions as palatable as they are salutary. I was told by a leading druggist in Philadelphia, that Dr. AYER'S manufactory was the largest in America, giving employment to hundreds. I must go to Lowell and see it, on my way home.—Correspondence of the London (Eng.) Telegraph.

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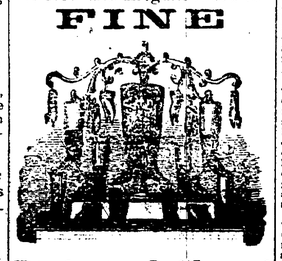

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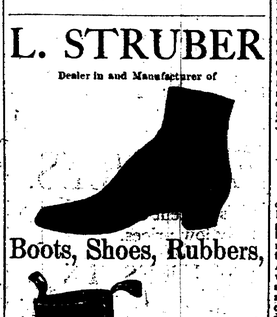

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TAYLOR WOOLFENDEN & Co.

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Legal.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of *fieri facias* issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Shiawassee, in favor of Isaac L. Peck, against the goods and chattels, and real estate of Samuel Fish, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the twenty-ninth day of April last, levy upon, and take all the right, title and interest of the said Samuel Fish, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say, Lot number four, (4), of block number thirty-seven, (37) of the city of Corunna, county of Shiawassee, and State of Michigan, All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Corunna, in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county of Shiawassee), on the *Twenty-seventh (27th) day of June,* next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this eleventh day of May, A. D., 1881.

S. F. SMITH, Att'y. CLARK D. SMITH, Sheriff.

36-42 By JOHN D. EVANS, Under Sheriff.

GUARDIAN SALE.

In the matter of the Estate of Lydia, Essu, Frederic, Joseph and John Carpenter, minors:

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a license to me granted by the Probate Court for the County of Saginaw, Michigan, on April 11, 1881, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder and subject to all claims now existing against said land, the interest of said minors (being undivided five-ninths parts) in the following real estate, viz: Lot 6, in block 7, according to the recorded plat of A. L. Williams's addition to the village of Owosso, Shiawassee County, Mich., such sale to take place on the premises in Owosso, Shiawassee Co., on the *4th day of June,* 1881, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day. C. M. CARPENTER,

33-40 Guardian.

GUARDIAN SALE.

State of Michigan, } ss.
County of Shiawassee. }

In the matter of the Estate of Minnie Ely and Myrta Ely, Minors.—NOTICE is hereby given, that, by virtue of a license to me granted by the Probate Court in and for said County of Shiawassee in the State of Michigan, on the 6th day of April A. D., 1881, I will sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of B. F. Grant's store in the village of Morrice, in said County of Shiawassee and State aforesaid, on *Thursday, the 26th day of May, A. D. 1881,* at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all the right, title and interest of said minors, it being 2-7th int-rest of the estate of, the west half (½) of the east half (½) of the north-east quarter (¼) of section thirteen (13) in town five (5) north of range two (2) east, all in the Township of Perry, County of Shiawassee and State of Michigan.

Dated, Corunna, April 6, 1881

32-38 WILLIAM B. WELLS, Guardian.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the second day of March, in the year A. D. 1880, executed by Charles Wartenburg and Mary Wartenburg, his wife, to Burkhart Strahle, of Owosso, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Shiawassee, in Liber 17 of mortgages, on pages 248, 249, and 250, on the 30th day of March, in the year, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock A. M.

And, Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, is the sum of one hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty-five cents of principal and interest, (and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage,) and the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage is the sum of four hundred and forty-six dollars; and no suit having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Corunna, in said County of Shiawassee, on the *11th day of July, next, at 10 o'clock* in the forenoon of that day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the City of Owosso, in the County of Shiawassee and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: A piece of land four rods square, commencing at a point on the west line of Shiawassee street, six rods south of the south line of the Detroit and Milwaukee Rail Road, (right of way,) and running thence south four rods; thence westerly, and parallel to the said line of the Detroit and Milwaukee Rail-Road, four rods; thence north parallel to the west line of said Shiawassee street four rods; thence easterly four rods to the place of beginning—being a part of the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-four, in town seven north, of range two east—Also the following described land situated in said City of Owosso, and on the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-four, in town seven north, of range two east, beginning at a point on the south line of the Detroit and Milwaukee Rail-Road grounds, and at the north-west corner of the land heretofore sold and deeded by A. L. and B. O. Williams to Frederick DeBeaux, and running thence south, on the west line of the lot deeded to said DeBeaux, (and also a piece of land heretofore deeded by A. L. and B. O. Williams to Charles Wartenburg,) ten rods; thence west four rods, parallel to the south line of said Rail-Road; thence north, and parallel to the first described line, ten rods to the south line of said Rail-Road; thence easterly, and along the south line of the said Detroit and Milwaukee Rail-Road, four rods to the place of beginning; the piece of land hereinconveyed being four rods wide east and west, and ten rods long north and south, and containing one-fourth of an acre, and lying south of the Detroit and Milwaukee Rail-Road, and west of Shiawassee street,—the east line, as above described, being four rods west of the west line of said Shiawassee street.

Dated April 23, 1881. BURKHART STRAHLE,

S. F. SMITH, Mortgagee.

Attorney. 32-44

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by William J. Lewis and Jane Lewis his wife, of Owosso, Michigan, to Jane Owens of the same city and State, bearing date the sixth day of March, A. D. 1874, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Shiawassee on the 10th day of March A. D. 1874, in Liber Q, of mortgages on page 491, on which mortgage there is now claimed to be due the sum of one thousand one hundred and seven dollars and ninety-three cents, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof; now therefore notice is hereby given that on *Saturday the 4th day of July A. D. 1881,* at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Corunna, (that being the place where the circuit court for said county is held,) by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, to satisfy the amount due between with interest and costs and expense, and also an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars as provided in said mortgage should any steps be taken to foreclose the same. The following is the description of the premises as given in said mortgage; all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the city of Owosso, county of Shiawassee, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Lots three, (3), four, (4), and thirty, (30), as laid down on the recorded plat of Keathis Barnes addition to the city of Owosso. JANE OWENS,

Owosso, April 4, 1881. Mortgagee.

JEROME W. TURNER,

31-49 Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Owosso, Feb. 5, 1879. C. W. MATHEWS.

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I will sell, or exchange for will or improved land, the following property:

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Bennington, Feb. 7, 1881.

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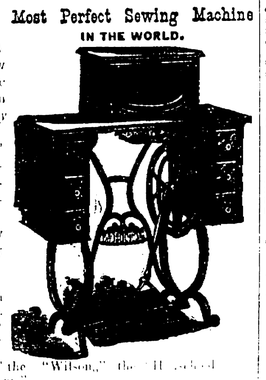

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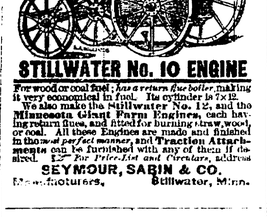

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Time Table—July 25, 1880

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