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LOOK -- OUT For Windfalls!

A Harvest for the People of
Owosso and vicinity.

SOMETHING HAS DROPPED

Right in the midst of this community, in the shape of Big
Bargains in New and Seasonable Goods.

WHOLE FAMILIES

Unite in the opinion that

BARGAINS

Are now being offered in my immense stock of

Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' and Gents' Fur-
nishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, &c.

I have made arrangements this season to give bargain seekers
a regular

Surprise Party

And now invite an inspection of my elegant New Goods and
Low Prices.

GEO. R. BLACK, Owosso.

Look! -- Look!

D. R. SALISBURY

IS SELLING

Women's Kangaroo Kid Shoes for \$2.50

Dongola Kid Shoes for \$3.00 and \$3.50

La Gondola Kid Shoes for \$4 and \$5

Men's solid Calf Shoes wanted for \$2.75

Cor. Opera Block,

Owosso, Mich.

BIG DRIVE ON WALL PAPERS AT LORING'S.

Six Thousand Three Hundred Rolls of Side Wall Paper will be closed out
at the following prices:

Brown Blanks 7 1/2 to 10 cents per roll; White Blanks, 11 1/2 to 14 cents per
roll; Satins, 16 to 22 1/2 cents per roll; Micas, 22 1/2 to 25 cents per roll; Gold
Bronze, 25 to 42 1/2 cents per roll.

(This is no old stock that has accumulated for years, but new, fresh goods
for 1885.) Also a large line of Ceiling Papers, Borders, Extensions, Corn-
ers, Center Pieces, and Ceiling Decorations constantly on hand.

Call and see my Black (Ebony) Window Pole with Brass Trimmings com-
plete, for 75 cents, put up in any part of the city without extra charge.

Owosso, June 16, 1885. GEO. W. LORING.

B. & B.

We are handling only the very best grades of Teas and Coffees
for the prices. Please bear this in mind when comparing our
prices with those of others. Teas and Coffees can be bought at
almost any price. But low prices must bring you inferior goods
that would be expensive to buy at any price. Our goods are
first-class, and fully worth the prices quoted.

We respectfully solicit a share of your patronage; we
feel no hesitancy in doing so, for we are confident of our ability
to please you as to quality and price.

Respectfully Yours,

Bigelow & Bigelow, Main St.

OWOSSO.

Local and Miscellaneous.

—Hot weather—mercury in the nine-

ties.
—A thunder shower last night brought
some relief, but it is still hot.

—Mrs. Jane S. Cooper, of Bennington,
who has been on a visiting tour in this
and county, returned home on Monday
day.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bishmer, and
Master Chas. and Miss Grace Highber-
ger, who have been visiting friends in
this vicinity, left yesterday to return to
their home at Irwin, Penn.

In Memoriam—Johanna Carmody.

Died, in the town of Rush, Sunday,
July 12, 1885, Johanna, wife of Cornelius
Carmody, and only daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Patrick Bourke, of Rush, aged 23
years. As noted in THE PRESS two
weeks ago, she was buried from the
Catholic Church, Owosso, on Monday,
the 13th.

The deceased was ill only four weeks;
she had always been strong and healthy,
was a very industrious woman, a kind
and loving wife and mother, devoted to
her family and always at home except
when necessarily called away. She was
a good neighbor and greatly beloved by
all who knew her. She was born, reared,
married, and died in the town of Rush.
She leaves a good husband and six chil-
dren—four sons and two daughters—all
so father and mother and four brothers
to mourn the loss of one who was always
kind to them. A BROTHER.

From Henderson.

HENDERSON, July 27, 1885.

As I was looking over the columns of
THE PRESS and saw the sketches and
booming of Owosso and West Owosso, I
thought it would be well to send you a
little news from Henderson. Although
business is generally dull and drooping,
yet the indoor business is booming, with
the grocery and dry goods stores, of
which we have two; one hardware store
where you can get everything in that line
from a fish hook up to a ship anchor;
one drug and confectionery store which
has had two changes of proprietors in less
than one month, and each one declared
booming trade; and the old time dealer,
C. W. Hale, is behind the counters as
usual ready to meet the call of the pub-
lic for drugs; two doctors doing their
work as called upon; two blacksmith
shops; one wagon shop; one harness
shop turning out nice and new harnesses;
one hotel; one guest mill rolling the
flour and feed in ample order; also one
Board of Trade which has one sitting
each day to work up the prices of grain
and produce for the interest of the
farmers.

Among the presidential postmasters ap-
pointed Tuesday were Miss J. Finlen, at
Streator, Ill.; John L. Handley, at Fairfield,
Ill.; S. Barry Reddough, at Urbana, Ill.;
Clinton Rosetto, at De Kalb, Ill.; and George
P. Sanford, at Lansing, Mich. H. O. Bill-
ing, of Alton, Ill., has been appointed chief
of the pre-emptive division of the land of-
fice. Edward J. Dawne, of Oregon, Barton
Atkins, of New York, and M. D. Bull, of
Alaska, were appointed respectively United
States judge, United States marshal, and
United States attorney for the district of
Alaska.

At the cabinet meeting Tuesday the sub-
ject of ordering all cattlemen out of the
Indian territory was considered. It is probable
that an agreement will be reached to do this
and that a proclamation will shortly be is-
sued by the president to carry it into effect.
The leases (so-called) held by the cattlemen
from Indians will not be recognized by the
government. Secretary Teller, under whom
the system of grazing on Indian lands
reached its fullest development, never per-
mitted the use of the word lease in any of
his official correspondence on the subject.
He always insisted that what the cattlemen
held was merely a "license," and this he did
not interfere with so long as the Indians did
not make trouble, but he never recognized
any of these agreements.

FOREIGN.

Four Arctic expeditions will leave Ger-
many next winter.

There is a short crop of winter wheat in
the southern provinces of Russia and the
prospects for spring wheat are poor through-
out the empire.

The Lauderate peacocks case has been
decided by the British house of lords in
favor of Major Lauderate, the American
claimant.

The French settlements in Dahomey are
reported to have been raided by the King's
forces. One thousand prisoners were taken,
whom his majesty and his followers will eat
at their leisure.

The ravages of cholera in Spain continue
to be appalling. The epidemic is increas-
ing in the provinces of Madrid, Saragossa,
Segovia, and Murcia, and has extended to
Huesca and Caceres.

An attack by the Somalians upon the
Kassala was repulsed, the assailants losing
3,000 men killed and wounded. The garri-
son afterward captured the rebel camp with
2,000 oxen and sheep and 700 rifles.

It is announced that the Russian govern-
ment has made fresh proposals to England
respecting the Afghan frontier. Meanwhile
it has been decided to add fifty torpedo
boats to the Russian fleet in the Black sea.

A Rare Chance For Some One.

The business, property and good will
of the Union Mattress Co. is for sale.
A good paying Manufacturing busi-
ness. Established since June, 1879.
For further particulars, Address H.
R. TOOLLEY, Proprietor, Owosso, Mich.

The meanest and most disagreeable

uncle is a carb-uncle.

Engelberg's Gossip

Engelberg, July 27, 1885.

It is all well and good to talk about
climate here, but how many of the months
winter and three months late in the
fall, but I tell you that the last few
days have been a summer, and no more
talk of winter. I am not at all sure of it,
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THE OWOSSO PRESS.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 1908.

The State House, Detroit, Mich., July 22.—The Michigan State House today was the scene of a busy day. The Senate passed a bill to amend the act relating to the election of judges, and the House passed a bill to amend the act relating to the election of judges.

The first issue of the Michigan State Democrat, the new Democratic paper, was started in Detroit by Morris F. Wood, late of the Republican, is received. Its aim is to advocate and disseminate Democratic principles, and it is well filled with editorial and news articles. Published at Detroit, Mich., \$3.00 a year.

Special from Detroit, July 22.—J. M. Ashby, President of the General Managers of the Toledo and Ann Arbor North Michigan railroad, and Mr. Anderson are here today, and the citizens are much excited over the prospects of an extension being built to this place. A meeting was held this afternoon to boost the project, and another will be held to-morrow.

From the Corvina Independent, July 22.—

Mayor Tod Kincaid has been confined to his bed since last Sunday with a serious spinal difficulty, but is now somewhat improved.

Mr. A. Nichols is still confined to his bed, was reported not quite so well yesterday. His condition is considered serious.

A. R. McBride, Esq., suffered a serious hemorrhage of the lungs a few days ago, and has been confined to his bed this week.

From the Corvina Journal, July 22.—Judge A. A. Harper and wife returned to this city from their western tour on Saturday.

A few more ram-bled to death a man by the name of Harvey, resident of Hazelton, on Tuesday last week.

Harvesting has begun. The crops are looking splendid and the farmers between here and Saginaw are happy.

By the way, remember that with exposure to the sun, the body is weakened, and the system is deranged. There are many cases of illness which are due to the sun. The sun is a powerful agent, and its rays are very strong. It is a good idea to keep the body cool, and to avoid the sun when it is very hot. The sun is a powerful agent, and its rays are very strong. It is a good idea to keep the body cool, and to avoid the sun when it is very hot.

There is no certain means aside from a chemical examination, by which a poisonous cheese can be distinguished from a wholesome one. The most reliable ready method is probably that proposed by Dr. Vaughan a year ago and it is as follows:—Press a small strip of blue litmus paper (which can be obtained at any drug store) against a freshly cut surface of the cheese; if the paper is reddened instantly and intensely the cheese may be regarded with suspicion. When treated in this way any green cheese will redden the litmus paper, but ordinarily the reddening will be produced slowly and will be slight. If the piece of cheese be dry, a small bit should be rubbed up with an equal volume of water, and the paper should then be dipped in the water. Dr. Vaughan does not regard the above test as free from error, but as the most reliable ready means now known. Every groceryman should apply this test to each piece of cheese which he cuts. The depth of the reddening of the paper may be compared with that of a poisonous cheese which is known to be wholesome.

S. O. J. in the Country Gentleman, says that tomatoes will produce much finer fruit if the side shoots are nipped out as soon as they appear, until the middle branch is covered with fruit. Then cut off the ends of the branches, after enough fruit is formed to ripen well. This method keeps the vines trimmed, and much finer and larger tomatoes are grown. In cool climates, it is a good plan to put a ring of stones the size of your fist around each plant, three or four inches from the stem, to retain the heat and moisture of the ground. Tie each plant to a stake, or hill up the plants like corn and potatoes, and let the vines run down the sides.

G. M. Blackstock, of Lafayette, Ind., writes to the Indiana Farmer that he has been trying ammonia on his potato vines, as a remedy for the Colorado beetle. He used it in a portion of his field which was largely infested with the larvae, and Paris green on the rest. He found the ammonia as effective as the Paris green, and thought the vines from which more luxuriantly under the treatment. He used three table-spoonsful of ammonia to a gallon of water, applied with a sprayer. Of course, as the ammonia evaporates so quickly, it must do its work at once, but seems death to the young bugs wherever it touches them.

Inventor Edison's Wealth.

How much is Edison worth? I do not know. But he is what most people would call a rich man, even in these modern days. He has a regular annual income from the Western Union Telegraph Company of \$20,000 in royalties on old patents. He is the principal stockholder in five manufacturing companies that bear his name, with an aggregate of \$800,000 capital, and all of them paying him dividends every six months. He has put \$80,000 in cash into the Downtown Electrical Illuminating Company, which has earned a dividend, notwithstanding the large expenditures such experiments required. Since the death of Mrs. Edison he has moved with the three children into a flat on Eighteenth street, near Broadway, where the inquisitive could probably ascertain that he pays his rent with scrupulous regularity. In fact, Edison has a very practical side, and probably receives an income of from \$75,000 to \$100,000. —N. Y. World.

The key to a good situation is a whisky.

Tyrotoxicosis—Cheese Poisoning.

The State Board of Health, after the usual session, adjourned today. The board has been very busy, and has passed many resolutions. The board has also been very busy, and has passed many resolutions. The board has also been very busy, and has passed many resolutions.

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prolonged dryness of the throat. This is the worst of the disease, and is the one which is most likely to lead to death. The disease is caused by a poison which is found in cheese. The poison is called tyrotoxin, and it is a very powerful poison. It is a good idea to avoid cheese, and to avoid the use of cheese in food.

The New Drain Law.

The Detroit Evening News in its latest correspondence, had this to say of the new drain law:—The drain law of 1885 is without doubt a great improvement over its predecessors. The radical changes are needed in the law have been for years the prevailing sentiment of the farmers of Michigan as well as the officials who administered the law and the rural contractors who did the work. A glaring defect in the law of 1885, which is superseded by the present law, was the accidental omission of the machinery for public sale of lands returned delinquent for drain taxes. This defect was caused by the repeal of the old general tax law in the special session of 1882, which contained the machinery upon which the old drain law relied and to which it referred for such enforcement. The general tax law enacted at that time did not cover in its general provisions the enforcement of this lien for the collection of such taxes. The result was that all unpaid drain taxes for the years 1882-3-4, after being returned to the county treasurer's office were virtually pigeon-holed. At the legislature of 1885 a bill to remedy this and other defects passed the house, but was smothered in the senate committee room. Another feature of the drain law of 1881, which was very detrimental to the legality of drain construction, was the appointment of a special drain commissioner in cases where more than one township is interested. A recent decision by the supreme court, in which it was held that no official appointment by one township has jurisdiction in another township, fully exemplifies this defect, which, in its previous workings, has been a fruitful source of contention in the rural communities. It requires ability and experience to plan and construct a good drain, and the selection of a special officer to superintend the making of only one drain was not likely to result in good work that would stand the test of the courts. Another important change in the law is that it provides for a jury whenever called for, by any party whose lands are proposed to be drained for right of way, as the constitution seems to intimate this personal right. The new law also provides for a system in which the taxes for the construction of a drain can be paid in two yearly installments, if so determined by the drain commissioner at the time of letting the contract. Another provision is that all drain taxes proposed to be levied on any land shall be returned to the board of supervisors, who shall order the taxes to be spread in the same way as other township, school and highway taxes. The jurisdiction of township commissioners is limited to such drains as are constructed wholly within their township, and where all the lands to be assessed therefore are also situated in the township. The county commissioner has concurrent jurisdiction with the township commissioner over such drains, and exclusive jurisdiction over all other drains extending over more than one township. Drains traversing more than one county come under the jurisdiction of the county commissioners of the county affected, and provision for this is made in a separate chapter. The county system is mandatory. All accounts of township commissioners are audited by the township board, and county commissioners by the board of supervisors. State lands must pay their proportion of taxes, not to exceed a certain rate fixed by the law, and the proportionate share shall represent the interest of the state.

After the commissioner shall make his assessment on the lands benefited by the drain, parties dissatisfied with his action have a right to appeal to the township board, which will act as a board of appeal. A thorough system of keeping the drain records by both the township and county commissioners is made by the law. All drain taxes follow the land like all other taxes and are returned delinquent on the same return and in the same manner as state and county taxes.

These are the most prominent provisions by which the present law is expected to prove superior to all its predecessors.

Gen. Grant's Family.

Gen. Grant's family is one of peculiar interest, the more so since the "Grant boys" have become known to almost every newspaper reader since the great tidal wave swept over them, and because of Mrs. Grant's emphatic "no" to the proposition of Vm. H. Vanderbilt, which was intended to remit her husband's debt. Mrs. Grant's family is one of peculiar interest, the more so since the "Grant boys" have become known to almost every newspaper reader since the great tidal wave swept over them, and because of Mrs. Grant's emphatic "no" to the proposition of Vm. H. Vanderbilt, which was intended to remit her husband's debt.

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On his return he resigned his commission. He became Vice President of the Texas Narrow Gauge road, and subsequently settled down in New York as a member of the firm of Grant & Ward. Cyrus S. Grant, Jr., is a Harvard graduate, and has been married five years to ex-Senator Chas. E. Smith's daughter, receiving with her as a dowry an elegant home and \$100,000 in money, all of which has been swallowed up in the expense of this famous family. Mrs. Grant is a lady of great refinement, having been educated at Packer Institute, Brooklyn, and in Heidelberg, Germany. She is an invalid.

Jesse R. Grant, the youngest of the General's sons, is 24 years old, a graduate of Cornell, and the son-in-law of Col. Chapman, the California bonanza king. Jesse is of a mechanical turn, has patented a number of inventions, and is interested in an electric light company in New York City. They reside on East 53rd street, New York, with Mrs. Gen. Grant.—Evening News.

The Grant Trust Fund.

It is said that the trustees of the Morgan estate desire to be freed from the responsibility attaching to them in connection with the \$250,000 trust fund for Gen. Grant. When the funds were invested in the Wabash bonds, Gov. Morgan gave a personal guarantee for the payment of the principal and interest. One of the promoters of the fund said: "It is true that all of the amount raised for Gen. Grant, \$250,000, is invested in Wabash first mortgage bonds. I do not care to say what proportion of this amount was so invested. If the trustees of the Morgan estate desire to turn over the amount of money for which Gov. Morgan made himself responsible, and also these bonds, the fact will be made known in a short time."

Cut The Grass at Night.

It is very much better to cut grass in the afternoon, says the New England Farmer, than in the morning when wet with dew. Cut it so late in the afternoon that it will not have dried, and all crumpled, and the dew of the following night will not injure it in the least. We have aimed to cut all the grass afternoons, after the team has finished hauling in the cured hay. It is cool then, and one may run the machine until well into the evening, if the work is driving, and the surface of the field is smooth and free from obstructions that would endanger the machine. The next morning, after the dew is dried up, set the molder going, and keep it busy until noon. In the afternoon the hay will be dry enough to go into the barn, and there has been no expense in cooking and opening out the cocks again in the morning, as by the old and still quite common way. When grass is cut with a heavy dew on it, it takes the best part of the first day to get the dew dried off, and it becomes necessary to bunch it up at night, or leave it in the winnow for another day's afternoon cutting. The risk from bad weather is reduced about one-half, and the labor and cost of curing quite materially. It never injures grass to get wet after being cut if it has not become much wilted. The heavier the crop the greater will be the gain from cutting in the afternoon. From two to four hours of hot sunshine upon grass free from dew, is amply sufficient for making it into the best of hay if it is kept stirred during the time with a good tedder. If the crop is very light, the tedder may be dispensed with.

At Andersonville prison cemetery a rose bush was planted years ago at the head of a grave, and all efforts to exterminate it prove of no avail. It has sprung again from the old roots, and a single red rose bloomed on the sprouts. Another curious thing is a cistern at the keeper's lodge, that fills with water in some mysterious way that all investigations fail to account for.

The real heart-tickle—love.—London Funny Folks.

Dressmaking.

I have moved my Sewing Rooms to the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. Broad, over Osburn & Sons' store and am now ready to cut, fit and make garments in the latest styles for everybody. Patterns cut on short notice. Mrs. L. A. Stone.

LADIES.

By having received instruction at the best Art School for Dressmaking in Detroit, I am prepared to do the finest work in the latest styles. I will keep posted with all the leading styles of the day. Will sew by the day, or work at my home, and will try to please all who will give me a call. Please call and examine work. Miss Nettie Bowman, No. 121 Comstock Street east, Owosso, Mich.

REMOVAL.

I have removed to rooms over the post office and door, and shall be glad to see all my old customers and as many new ones as may wish to come. I shall be prepared with plenty of reliable help, and work will be done with neatness and dispatch, second to none in the city. Call and see. Prices reasonable. xxiizgtf MRS. S. E. TUCKER.

MRS. A. D. GILBERT, DRESSMAKER.

Is first-class in every respect. Her fitting is perfect; her draping fresh and novel; her fashion plates are the latest, and she gets her work up with a grace and style equalled by few. Place of business, Adams street, first door north of Oliver.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—My place on Elizabeth Street. Price \$800. House and barn nearly new, now vacant. Mrs. G. BUTTERFIELD.

FOR SALE.

At a bargain, a convenient frame house on corner lot, fruit and shade, well and cistern. Enquire at The Press office. 47sept1st

FOR SALE—A new house and half an acre of land. Good cellar under the house. Enquire at the Press office, or on the premises, south of the Eatery factory, of L. S. CHUMPH. July 22, 1908.

FOR SALE.

An excellent location for business, on Washington Street, first door south of National Hotel premises, two story building, store 40 feet deep, room for family on second floor, 9 rooms in all. Enquire on the premises. Owosso, July 22, 1908. MRS. N. A. WELCHER.

FOR SALE.

Vacant lots in blocks 6, 2 and 3 S. E. Barnes addition to Owosso, at bargain, those desiring to buy, now is your time. Enquire of MRS. J. L. M. COWAN, OWSO, Mich. 44st

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A new house on Mulberry Street. Would take vacant lots in part pay. 43tf J. C. DINGMAN.

FOR SALE.

At a bargain and on reasonable terms, long time if wanted, for very desirable house and lot corner Main and Cedar Streets, West Owosso, 45st

FOR SALE.

Forty-five acres of choice farming land for sale cheap. Also my farm of 87 acres. Three miles south of the city of Owosso. Terms to suit the purchaser. W. B. PARKER, Feb. 25, 1908.

For Sale.

Improved and unimproved Farming Land, adjacent to railroad, title good. In township of Brant, Brady, Chapin, Marion, Fremont and Albia, Baginaw County, Iowa and Hamilton, Gratiot County, Michigan, and in Shawnee County, Iowa. Choice of 7,000 acres. Terms of sale to suit purchasers. Enquire of xxiizgtf M. OSBURN, Owosso, Mich.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A House and two lots in the city of Owosso, Michigan. A new house, two stories high, also of upright 16x24 feet, also of wing 12x20 feet. All finished inside, with a woodshed attached to the rear. This house has seven good sized rooms with two closets, good well of water in kitchen, and a good dry cellar, plastered inside. The two lots are covered with 25 different kinds of fruit, all bearing, among which are the following: 6 different kinds of strawberries, 4 different kinds of grapes, 8 different kinds of raspberries, 2 kinds of gooseberries and 8 kinds of currants. On the back of the lot is a fine poultry house with hen, parrot, etc. Also flower garden upon said lot. This is for sale very cheap. Enquire for further particulars of W. J. TURNER, at Owosso, Mich. Other houses and lots for sale cheap. Enquire at same place as above. 45st

Farm for Sale.

In Owosso township, known as the J. H. McCall farm, 24 miles north-west of Owosso city, 132 acres, about 130 acres improved, two good dwelling houses, two barns and hay barns, hay

Farm for Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his farm one mile south and 3/4 mile east of Bennington Station, on section 16, in the township of Bennington, comprising 210 acres, on which there is 50 acres of improvements—a house and barn, windmill on pump, two orchards, one young, peach and apple, and 27 acres of wheat on the ground. Terms, etc., call on or address J. F. RATHBUN, Bennington Station, Bennington, Mich. 25st

FOR SALE.—The Decker property

on Exchange street; building large enough to accommodate two different kinds of business, and everything convenient for living purposes. For particulars enquire of Frank R. Decker Press office.

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We have the following real estate still for sale on easy terms: 2 acres only on Hickory Street, fine building lots 3 ten acre lots and one 8 acre lot, 1/2 mile north of city. Desirable for pasture or homes. Good gardening land. 15 acres with buildings and orchard on same road. The whole 40 acres would be sold together if desired. We also offer a few city lots located on a good new sidewalk, at a large reduction. Call and examine plot before purchasing. Good farm terms for sale cheap in exchange for lumber or other property. R. D. & P. S. CHAFFORD, Owosso, Mich.

G. R. LYON,

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Mount McGregor, N. Y., July 23.—A few minutes before 8 o'clock Dr. Douglas, Shady, and Sands stood on the porch of the cottage where the general was lying. The general was lying on a bed in the cottage. He was surrounded by his family and friends. The general was in a state of unconsciousness. He was breathing his last. The general's death was a great loss to the Nation and to the world.

On the opposite side from his mother and directly before her stood Jesse Grant and U. S. Grant, Jr., and near the corner of the cot on the same side as Jesse, and near to each, was Mr. E. Dawson, the general's stenographer and confidential secretary.

At the foot of the bed, and gazing directly down into the general's face, was Mrs. Col. Fred Grant, Mrs. U. S. Grant, Jr., and Mrs. Jesse Grant, while somewhat removed from the family circle, Henry, the nurse, and Harrison Tyrell, the general's body-servant, were respectively watching the closing life of the patient, their master, Dr. Newman had repaired to the hotel to breakfast, and was not present. The general's little grandchildren, U. S. Grant, Jr., and Nellie, were sleeping in the nursery room above, otherwise the entire family and household gathered at the bedside of the dying man.

The members of the group had been summoned to a moment sooner than was usual. The doctors noted on entering the room and proceeding to the bedside, that already a purplish tinge, which is one of nature's signals of final dissolution, had settled beneath the finger-nails. The hand that Dr. Douglas lifted was fast growing colder than it had been through the night. The pulse had fluttered beyond the point where the physicians could distinguish it from the pulse-beats in his own finger-tips. The respiration was very rapid and was a fore-runner of

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Memorial Service at Opera Hall.

A meeting of Quackenbush Post of this city, last Monday, for the purpose of taking memorial action upon the death of one of its members, was held upon the premises of the Opera Hall.

Memorial services will be held at Opera Hall, on Sunday, August 2, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, under the auspices of the Quackenbush Post No. 285, G. A. R., and will be addressed by Hon. Jerome W. Turner and others. Music will be furnished by the K. T. Band and Duff's choir. Quackenbush Post will assemble at their hall at 1:30 o'clock and march to Opera Hall, in a body. The Woman's Relief Corps and the public generally are invited to attend. Geo. W. OWEN, Of Committee of Arrangements.

LIBERAL LECTURES.—Tents are pitched on the corner of Ball and Oliver streets for free liberal lectures by ex Rev. C. B. Reynolds, of Rochester, N. Y., commencing this evening and closing August 14th. The topics announced are, "Secularism, Christianity and the Bible." The bills also announce that Mr. Arthur Tilney, late of London, England, will give choice selections from the repertoire of new and choice sentimental and humorous songs at each lecture. Admission free, no collections.

A Warning to Parents.

The M. C. R. Company have been annoyed for a number of years by boys catching on freight and passenger trains and riding between the depot and the Junction, and the wonder is, that some of them have not been killed. They have been forbidden time after time to keep off the trains, but it has done no good. Agent Fred M. Briggs received notice from the railroad authorities the other day, notifying him to have any boy arrested found catching on trains. Mr. Briggs wrote a letter to Mayor Nelson, informing him of the railroad company's determination in the matter, and Mr. Nelson immediately gave the matter his attention, and states that the boys will be closely watched, and the first one caught, will be punished to full extent of the law.

—G. L. Osborn, formerly of the firm of Osborn Bros., druggists and book-sellers, of Owosso, has accepted the agency for Shiawassee county, for the sale of Gen. Grant's book—Personal Memoirs—and has begun the work of canvassing. He will try to see every family in the county. The work is sold only on subscription; blanks are left at Dr. Osborn's drug store and subscriptions will be taken there.

A SINGULAR CASE.—Monday evening as Mr. and Mrs. E. Salisbury were riding out to Mr. Loren Hopkins's, Mrs. Salisbury felt a sudden, acute pain in one limb, above the knee. On arriving at Mr. Hopkins's she was unable to get out of the buggy and her husband went into the house and transacted the business on which they went. They then returned to town, and on arriving at the residence of their son, Mr. D. R. Salisbury, she was carried into the house, and examination of her limb showed a protrusion much inflamed. Dr. Hume was called and on opening the swelling drew out a needle, blackened as if it had been in the body some time. But when or how it got there is the mystery.

SUICIDE AT MORRICE.—A roving man named Miller who had tarried at Morrice some time and been employed at different employments there, last night shot himself, suicided by shooting himself yesterday afternoon in his room in the hotel. He had just been discharged as watchman on account of his dissipation, and he became despondent. He procured a revolver by going to the house of Mr. Shoats where he had had employment, and reported to Mrs. Shoats that her husband sent him after his revolver. Justice P. H. Smith held an inquest.

—Dr. Walter E. Ward, of Laingburg, goes next week to Grand Rapids, where he will enter into practice with Dr. Grisgold, a leading physician and citizen. "Dr. Walter" has shown excellent skill and judgment during his practice with his father, and has become very popular with the people. He is a young man of sterling character, and hosts of friends bid him "God speed" in the enlarged field of practice upon which he enters. The Press adds its benison.

Personals from the Morrice Star, July 23:

A party consisting of B. F. Grant and wife, Henry Gordon and wife, A. W. Rann and Seneca Gale, started this morning for Higgins Lake, for a couple of weeks' recreation, boating, fishing and recuperating generally. They will be followed on Monday by Isaac Gale and wife, and Mrs. A. W. Rann.

L. D. Goss, wife and Miss Nellie, Mrs. A. B. Clark and daughter, Miss Lois, Mrs. Dr. Halsted and child, Mrs. Peter Smith and Miss Agnes Morris, leave this evening for Bay View, where they will occupy one of the cottages for a few weeks, attend the camp meeting, and enjoy the delightful atmosphere and scenery of that healthful region. A. B. Clark will follow them on Monday.

Albert Waters and Wm. Stevens returned from California last evening whither they went about a year and a half ago.

—Probate order, estate of George Keyte, in this paper.

West Owosso Items.

Mr. R. D. Briggs, of West Branch, has been visiting his son, Fred M. Briggs, agent at the M. C. depot, for a few days. The K. T. Band gave our people a rich treat in music one night last week.

Adam Ketchum, of Saginaw, is shipping to Owosso over the T. A. A. & N. M. R. R., from St. Louis and vicinity, a large amount of basswood lumber. "Ab" Clemmens, of the M. C. freight office, spent Sunday with his parents at Bay City. The boys at the office were very much surprised to see "Ab" walk into the office, Monday, with a new "ice cream duster," and wearing a fine pair of \$200 shoes.

The T. A. A. & N. M. R. R. are doing a fine passenger business.

Mrs. John Wolverton, who has been very sick for the past eight weeks, is slowly improving.

H. C. Case is building an addition to his house on Lansing street.

Nineteen trunks belonging to "drummers" were unloaded from the passenger train from the north on the M. C. R. R. last Monday.

Mr. Fred M. Briggs, freight agent at the M. C. depot, came to Owosso last March, from West Branch, and has worked faithfully for the interests of the company he represents, since he came to this city. "Fred" has many warm friends in Owosso.

The people residing on River street are rejoicing over the fact that the street is being graded. The city has built a bridge across Comstock creek, and the street will be graded from Shiawassee street, west to Cedar street.

L. C. Cheney is erecting a new house corner of River and Cedar streets.

L. E. Woodward is erecting a store house, 32x80 in connection with his cabinet factory.

Pullman, Dingess & Co's Tent Show.

Next week Wednesday, August 5, the Pullman, Dingess & Co's tent show will exhibit at Owosso. This exhibition is very highly commended by papers in numerous localities, but we prefer to quote reliable testimony near home. The Detroit Free Press of last Monday says:

The tent show known as Pullman, Dingess & Co's Great London Sensation is now on exhibition at the Tenth street grounds, and will remain until Wednesday night. It is not a humbug show, the good things of which are all on paper. On the contrary it slipped into town modestly, got up a clean parade yesterday morning and gave performances in the afternoon and evening. The maximum price is twenty-five cents and it is worth twice the money. One's head is not set whirling by any three-ringed monstrosity, and if we miss the old familiar pad and barbed equestrian acts, we are directed to other features of a performance that is wholly unobjectionable.

The company of tumblers includes Jackies do a thrilling and novel act in the way of a backward dive from a great height, alighting on the hands, and following that up with a series of lightning somersaults. Miss Somebody shows skill and daring on the flying trapeze, and illustrates her phenomenal strength of jaw by hanging suspended several minutes with only her teeth for support.

The Free Press also speaks highly of the slack wire walking, the trick horses, and other features of the show, and says cleanliness, neatness and modesty prevail, and that the performance is, in every respect, all that the managers claim for it. The Detroit Post also speaks very highly of the performance and character of the show. See advertisement in this paper.

—William F. Hannaford, Esq., President of the Traverse County Agricultural and Industrial Society, has just sent the premium list of the annual Fair to his old friend, D. W. Shatts, who has permitted The Press to look it over. The pamphlet contains 68 pages, giving the names of the officers, the rules of the society and the usual premium lists, together with the names and business of 34 dealers in Traverse City, thus making the book a means of general advertising as well as of information concerning this Fair which is to be held October 6, 7, 8 and 9. The pamphlet is nicely printed by the Traverse City Eagle Steam Printing Co.

The Saginaw Valley strike is all quiet. Several mills have started up, but there is no definite settlement of matters. It is thought the strike is drawing to a close. A car load of provisions was sent from Detroit to the strikers yesterday.

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Ad. Titcomb moved that the City Marshal be instructed to procure conveyances to carry the members of the council Wednesday next, the day of the coming of the Soldiers' Home Commissioners, which motion was adopted, ayes 5, nays 0.

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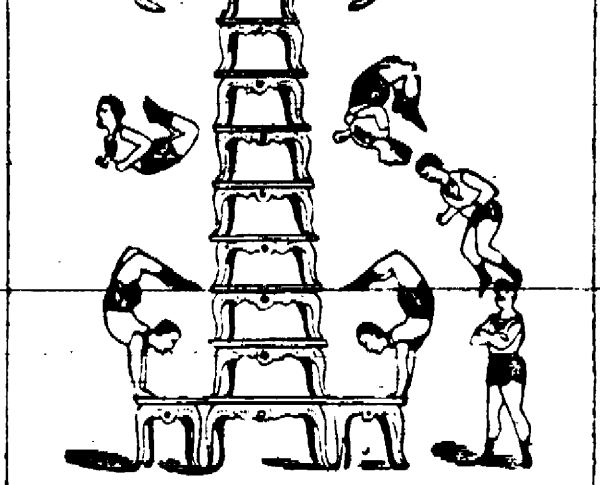
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