









## THE OWOSSO PRESS.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1904.

## AMERICANA.

## MARKS' NUGGET.

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There is not a Germanist during these forty years, who has not been through the Germanist. He was a German, who was born in 1818, and died in 1880. He was a German, who was born in 1818, and died in 1880.

Among the French, the labors of Boucher de la Riviere and Faribault were easily eclipsed by the collection formed by Ternaux-Compans. This embraced about twelve hundred entries, all of a date before 1700—an extent which, as Mr. Brevoort thinks, had not before been reached by any gathering of the older books. This was in 1836, and the catalogue which described the collection, scarcely supplied though it was with the notes of its learned possessor, has not yet ceased to be of great use to the student. It has been said that Ternaux formed the collection for the purpose of selling it. At all events, he took precautions to preserve the record of his bibliographical zeal, for his books, with his monogram and crest, impressed on their covers, are among the much-prized nuggets of many an American library.

During those same forty years, there were three Americans, working in this field, upon whom collectors have been taught to look back with great regard, and two of them, David B. Warden and Thomas Aspinwall, were respectively consuls of the United States for many years at Paris and London. These gentlemen were collectors at a time when prices of rare books were very much lower than now, and when the foundations of Americana which have since become famous, Warden was essentially a speculator in books. The first collection which he formed embraced twelve hundred volumes, and was described, in 1820, in his Bibliotheca Americana-Spectationalis, the collection itself being three years later, bought for \$5,000 by Mr. Samuel A. Eliot, the father of President Eliot, to be given to the library of Harvard College. At a later day, he sold a still larger collection, which he had used while working on the American portion of the Art de Venir des Dates, to the State Library at Albany. Colonel Aspinwall, whose figure in Boston streets was a very familiar one at a later period of his life, and whose empty sleeve recalled the battles on the Canadian border in the war of 1812, was a collector of great activity and elegant taste. The catalogue of his collection, which he printed in 1833, was not an extensive one, embracing only seven hundred and seventy-one entries, but he had been fortunate in the opportunities of acquiring a large part of the choicest early books. The mischances of a fire in 1863 deprived us of still possessing more than a small number of the rarest titles. The library had been sold to Mr. S. L. M. Barlow, of New York, and some of the most valuable volumes had been separated from the rest, when a conflagration overtook the bulk of the collection.

Our third American of this period deserves the name of being a collector, done most to create, foster, and direct the interest in Americana at the formative stage of the passion. This was Oliver Rich, a Boston man, who, like his contemporaries already named, derived advantages from being put in the way of a collector's opportunities when he was sent, in 1815, as consul to Valencia, in Spain, and while later he lived at Madrid. The political unrest of Spain at that time favored this vigilant gleaner, and treasures came easily to him for small sums, which in time became almost priceless. Intelligent and kind as he was, Rich welcomed everybody to his home who sympathized with him in his bibliographical quest. Alexander H. Everett, at that time the American minister to Spain, became his intimate friend. Washington Irving found the bibliophile's generosity ever ready to lay books before him that had been excluded from his search. He was the bibliographical mentor of Ticknor, Prescott, and Bancroft. In 1827, when Rich left Spain, his collection was offered to Congress through Edward Everett, but the transaction was not completed, and the owner, in 1828, settled himself in London as a bookseller, with this admirable collection in stock. Here he was given to be a collector as well as purveyor to a growing class of American book-lovers, who were making the history of the western world the subject of their attention. Conspicuous among them were Colonel Aspinwall, Peter Force, James Lenox, and John Carter Brown.

## SWEETBRIER SOLVES A PROBLEM.

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## BIG BONANZA TEA

## Duff &amp; Banister's

## Very Strong, Delicious Flavor

## PRICE PUT WAY DOWN.

## WE HAVE 40 CHESTS

## And we WANT and MUST have a big trade on it.

## Price WAY DOWN DOWN.

## 35 Cents a Pound. --

## -- 3 Pounds for \$1.00.

## Call for BIG BONANZA.

## Duff &amp; Banister, Main St., Owosso.

## COAL! -- -- COAL!

## E. M. BROOKS

## And get prices on COAL before purchasing. All coal is weighed; no measuring or guess work; will screen coal if wanted. Prices Guaranteed.

## For Lime, Cement, Calcine Plaster and Hair, go to E. M. Brooks, West Owosso.

## For Feed, Bran, Meal, Corn, Oats, Roller Process Flour, go to E. M. Brooks, West Owosso.

## Highest Market Price paid for all kinds of Farm Products.

## General Dealer in Groceries, Provisions, &amp;c.

## Store, Elevator and Warehouse, West Owosso, Mich. 3000, 821f

## A GREAT DISCOVERY.

## Apparently Harmless Symptoms Prove to be a Mine of Danger.

## Some Scientific Facts Which Are Arousing the Community.

## The True Source of Head Diseases and Apoplexy Made Public.

## A Terrible Danger That Can Be Readily Avoided.

## There is no fact more certain than that sudden deaths are not caused by heart disease, apo. exy, or paralysis, but by other intimacies of which death is only the final stage. And physicians and scientists all agree that rheumatism in some of its many forms is the cause which has stood in the background so long and caused so much misery. Any man, woman or child, troubled with the slightest muscular pain, or rheumatism, or a dan ger from which instant escape is imperative. A man, well known in this community, awoke one morning with a feeling of pain in his muscles. He took a cold bath, thinking the reaction would drive the pain from his system. It did drive it from his limbs, but he was dead. This is only one of many similar cases. They all show the necessity of driving rheumatism, which is a blood disease, out of the blood and for this purpose the blood-purifying has been equalled. Holland's Rheumatic Syrup, Mr. C. D. Benson of Jackson, Mich., who was paralyzed on one side was completely cured by its use. He says he would have been in his grave to day if he had not fortunately learned of and taken this great remedy. Should any one who reads these lines be afflicted with a slight degree by any rheumatic trouble, we would earnestly warn them against a delay which may prove fatal.

## An Invitation to the Queen's Ball.

## You can not be a lady without a ball. You can not be a lady without a ball. You can not be a lady without a ball.

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## When a nurse has been eaten by a grizzly the Western people speak of him as being admitted to the bar.

## She is called a grass widow, my son, because she is in the heyday of her happiness.



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J. H. CHAMBERLAIN &amp; Co., Proprietors.

OWOSSO,  
Wednesday, May 12, 1898.

It is a well known fact that the people of Owosso are very patriotic and love to see their country prosper. Judge Wilson, who has been in the Court for the last several years, is a very good man and has done much for the people of Owosso.

Gov. Sargent, who has been in the State for the last several years, is a very good man and has done much for the people of the State. He has been very kind to the people of Owosso and has done much for them.

Michigan, the State of the West, will be a very good place for the people of Owosso to live. It is a very good place for them to live and they will be very happy there.

The people of Owosso are very patriotic and love to see their country prosper. They will be very happy to see their country prosper and they will be very happy to see their country prosper.

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LOWEST  
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YOU CAN'T MISS US.  
MURRAY & TERBUSH, THE LIVE CLOTHIERS,  
Corner Main and Washington Streets, OWOSSO.

## We Have Got Them

It is with pleasure that I announce to the public my facilities for business in the

We have got the best and largest line of Sheet Hardware in Shiawassee County

WE HAVE GOT

The best line of PAINTS made

WE HAVE GOT

The best and lightest running LAWN MOWER in existence. Will put it on a lawn in competition with any Lawn Mower made.

WE HAVE GOT

A GASOLINE STOVE you want to see before you buy, and you will buy no other.

WE HAVE GOT

Everything complete in the hardware line, and BOTTOM PRICES on everything.

Come and see for yourselves.

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Main Street, Owosso.

## NEW STORE AT THE OLD STAND,

It having all the modern improvements and conveniences I am also pleased to state that I am prepared with a

Much Larger and Better Stock

OF  
FURNITURE

Than ever before—all new and well selected goods. I have also added an

ELEGANT WHITE HEARSE

And other facilities to my Undertaking Department, and under the supervision of G. F. NORTH, Funeral Director, I hope to give entire satisfaction to all my patrons, old and new. Buying goods in large quantities for cash enables me to give LOWEST PRICES.

I WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

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HENRY WOODARD, Wash'n Street, Owosso.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE  
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Hides, Pelts,  
Tallow and Fur  
AT THE  
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G. C. DUFF'S  
Cash Boomerang, No. 1.  
2 lbs. Sugar Corn, 15c  
Canned Corn, 5c  
Canned Beans, 2 qts. 25c  
Beans, 10c

Chicago, N. Y. and other  
New Orleans, N. Y. and other  
Hampden, N. Y. and other  
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Everything children and adults  
I am agent for Upson's  
French Soda, which I want  
to sell all others as a soft  
water both in price and quality.

## A CARD.

Having a large stock of  
spectacles and Eye Glasses of W. F.  
Giles, I am now prepared to offer  
you unparalelled inducements in  
this line.

Gold, Shell, Celluloid, Silver, Steel  
and Rubber Goods.

Having had fifteen years experience  
in fitting and fitting eyes, I am pre-  
pared to give you a perfect fit and satis-  
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Also a full and complete line of  
Rogers Bros Silver Ware.

Headquarters for Crockery, Fine  
China and Glass Ware, Hanging  
Lamps, Table and Pocket Cutlery,  
Notions, &c.

A full line of GROCERIES  
at BOTTOM PRICES.

Cash paid for Eggs.  
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GEORGE COLT will insure  
against Fire, Tornadoes and Wind  
Storms, on City and Farm Property, in  
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Office at E. R. Hutchins' Law Office Wash-  
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Hats and Caps,  
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Fancy Goods, Notions and Ladies' Furnishings.

The best assortment of Material for FANCY WORK ever  
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New Spring and Summer  
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NEW TRIMMINGS,  
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ALL FRESH, HANDSOME AND CHEAP.

Great Bargains in Summer Silks at 45c worth 65c.  
Black Silks & Rhadames, full line, 75c, and upwards  
Now is the time to buy a Silk. Fine Black Dress  
Goods a Specialty, Henrietta, Melrose, Drap d'Almas,  
and Fancy Weave.

Ladies' Wraps, Shawls, Laces, Ribbons, Embroideries, full  
line of Hosiery and Gloves, Cotton, Lisle and Silk. Curtains  
of all kinds. Lots of Staple and Fancy Goods, all at Low  
Prices.

Parasols, just received, large stock, Latest Styles, just  
look at them.

CARPETS.—Our room is full. A large and elegant line  
of various qualities, Choicest Patterns, and Lowest Prices.

CLOTHING.—Our assortment gets larger as our trade  
increases. The Largest, the Best Stock in the country, at  
Lower Prices than can be had elsewhere. New Hats,  
Underwear, Shirts and Half Hose, Gent's wear.

It pays to trade with us.

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## THE BIG STRIKE THIS WEEK AT

The FAMOUS

IS IN THE

Straw Hat Dep't.

WE HAVE THE

LARGEST STOCK

WE EVER CARRIED.

Our price for Ladies' Black Canton Straw Hats, 25c.  
Our price for Girls' Sailor Hats is only 33c.  
Our price for Boys' Sailor Hats is one shilling.  
Our price for Men's India Panamas is a nickle.  
Our price for Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats  
is 1-3 cheaper than elsewhere.

In FLOWERS we can sell you

ROSES FOR 25c A DOZEN.

WREATHS at 1-2 PRICE.

IN RIBBONS

We have all the desirable shades. We are also head-  
quarters for

Express Wagons, Hammocks and Bird Cages.

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT

THE FAMOUS,

SIGN OF THE BLUE FRONT.

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## COMMUNITY from ANNOYANCE



## The President on the Labor Troubles

The President ascribes the relative satisfaction of each class to the relative freedom of labor and control by the grasping and unscrupulous exactions of employers and the alleged discriminations in favor of capital as an object of governmental attention. It must be conceded that labor is more or not always careful to avoid causes and unjustifiable disturbance. While the power of the federal government to remedy existing evils is limited by constitutional restrictions, the President thinks that something may be done. I think the proper theory on which to proceed is that of voluntary arbitration. Got he suggests that instead of arbitrators chosen in the heat of conflicting claims, and after each dispute shall arise there be created a commission of labor consisting of three members, who shall be eligible for re-election. The charges among other duties with the consideration and settlement, when possible, of all controversies between labor and capital. A commission thus organized would have the advantage of being a stable body, and its members, as the trained in experience, would constantly improve in their ability to deal intelligently with questions which might be referred to them. If it were not for the reason for temporary service as a cause of dispute arises, experience and familiarity with much that is involved in the question will be lacking, extraneous partisanship and bias will be the qualifications sought on either side, and frequent complaints of unfairness will be inevitable.

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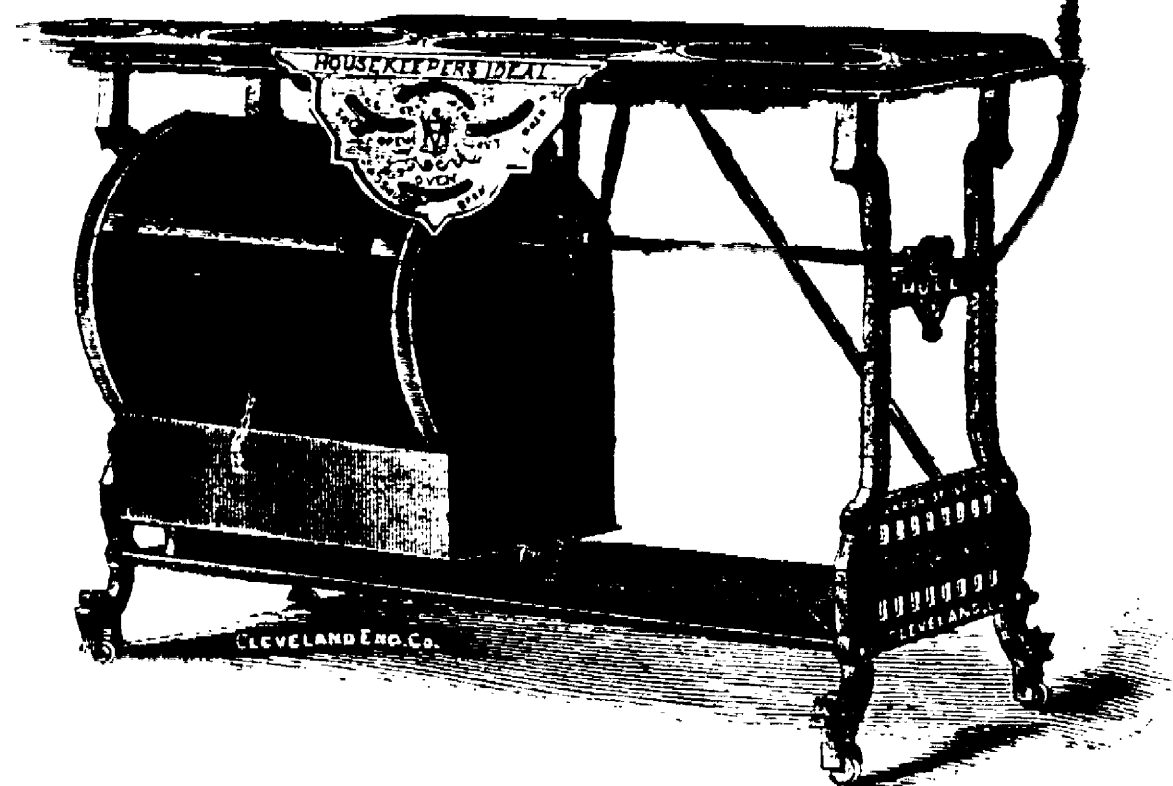
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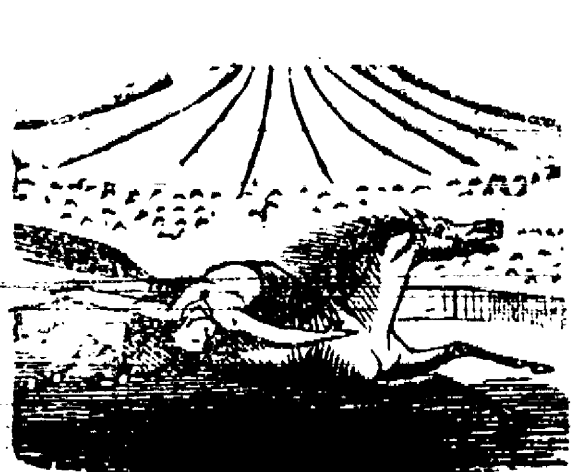
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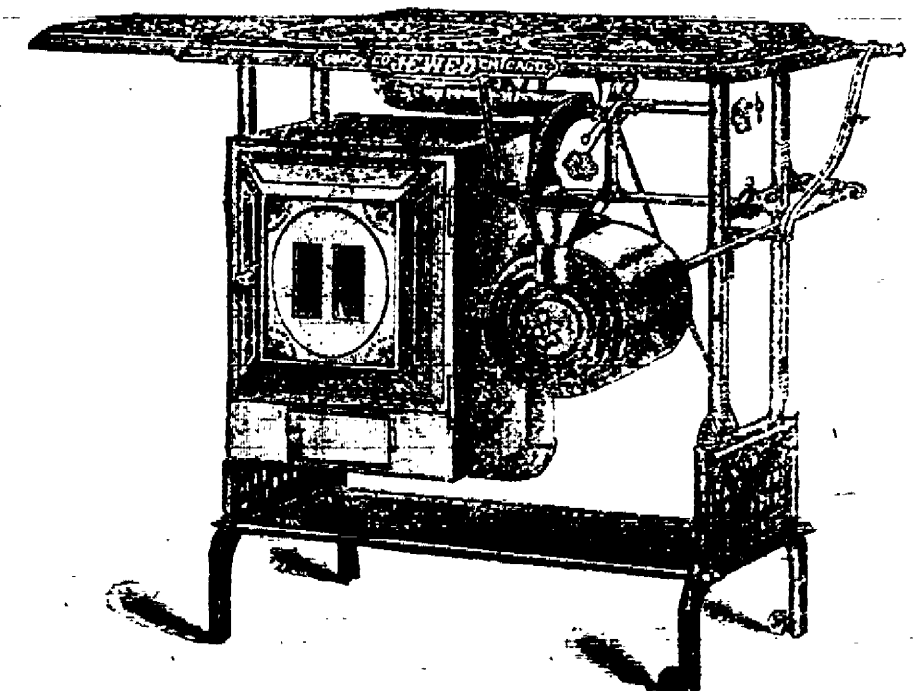
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