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The Summer of 1889 finds us still in the swim. With our large purchase of a Bankrupt Stock at 70 cents on the dollar we are better prepared than ever to

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We have an endless variety, from the cheapest wool plushes to the finest Tapestries in all the latest shades. Never before were they so cheap, so beautiful or so durable as now. In short if you do not see what you want, ask, for we have got it. Goods Delivered and Freight Paid. UNDERTAKING A SPECIALTY. Prices shall be as Low as the Lowest. Thanking our many customers for their liberal trade, we are Respectfully,

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I, the undersigned, having bought the stock and interest of F. M. Garlick in the "Little Grist Mill," near Main street bridge, will be ready at all times to receive the patronage of all who will favor me with their custom. Good Work and Fair Dealing, and as Cheap as the Cheapest. Also Free Delivery within the city limits.

27 tf C. A. VANDERHOOF.

Local and Miscellaneous.

Napoleon [illegible] spring [illegible]

Mrs. Dr. Eight [illegible] has a position on the house staff of the Women's Hospital in Chicago, and she will remove [illegible] Ann Arbor soon.

Account of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roesk, of Bennington, will be printed next week.

—The Manzer family and Miss Lucie Ward of Laingsburg will return home from Bay View this week.

—The premium list of the Northeastern Fair to be held at Union City, Saginaw, Sept. 22, to 27, is received.

—Prof. A. J. Cook, in the July bulletin of the Agricultural College, experiment station, treats of the enemies of the wheat aphis: The wheat louse parasite, Lady bird beetles, and two kinds of flies.

Died, at Turnwater, Washington Territory, June 27th, Lewis W. Warren, aged eighty seven years, formerly a resident of Owosso township.

The examination of Kelly and Hilton at Lansing continues to confirm them as the McKellops gold swindlers. It appears that Kelley represented that they had discovered a gold mine, and McKellops was to come in as a partner. The examination is to finish to-morrow.

HARVEST PARTY.—There will be a Harvest Party at the Henderson Rink, on Friday evening, Aug. 16th, J. Berner, Manager. Committee: C. H. Allen, Henderson; S. Henderson, Oakley; Ed Cady, Owosso. Floor managers: J. K. Allen, W. H. Cady. Good music; bill $1.00, including supper.

Death of Jeannette Wilcox.

Miss Jeanette Wilcox, of Corunna, for many years deputy Register of Deeds, of this county, died last Thursday, from an operation for cancer. The Independent says:

Prof. O. Betts, of the Michigan University, came here to perform an operation on Miss Jeanette Wilcox yesterday morning. The operation was performed and the patient was apparently recovering when she suddenly began to sink and died in a few moments. Deceased was 46 years of age and a most estimable and popular lady.

—Lule Warrenton who gave character readings at the Opera House Wednesday night, is a lady of good talent and well trained in general points; her pronunciation is noticeably correct and her manner remarkably pleasing. Her dress was graceful, of the Jenness-Miller order, and very becoming, giving her quite a classical appearance. She labored under some embarrassments which probably interfered with a full development of her power; besides, her program contained too many heavy pieces for a summer audience. The policy of young artists taking up old and ugly characters may be questioned. Young characters please best, and as a general thing it is well to leave the older parts until age demands them, keeping to the youthful as long as they can.

Among the attractions of the coming State Fair will be a splendid exhibition, by the Northern Pacific Railroad, of the products and minerals along the line of that great through route. The people of Michigan will thus have a rare opportunity of comparing the products of Michigan with those of Minnesota, Dakota, Montana, Washington and Oregon. And we believe that it will result favorably to our own State which has sent tens of thousands of people to those distant states.

Don't kill the toad, the ugly toad, that hops around your door. Each meal the ugly toad doth eat a hundred bugs or more; he sits around with aspect meek until the fly has neared, then shoots he forth his little tongue like lightning double geared. And then doth wink and when he's wunk, he shuts his ugly mug, and patiently doth wait until there comes another bug.

The Boat Raised Itself.

Speaking of remarkable incidents, I can tell you one that I have seen equaled, although it occurred more than half a century ago. The steamboat Charleston was on a trip from Louisville to St. Louis with a big cargo of salt in barrels. When just below Grand Tower, on the Mississippi, she came in contact with a sudden obstruction. While they were preparing to put her afloat again, after being at the bottom of the river a day and a night, she popped up with surprising suddenness with her deck to the top of the water. The salt in the barrels stored on her melted when it came in contact with the water, and the buoyancy of the barrels raised the boat to the surface.—*St. Louis Globe Democrat.*

A Jackson County, Georgia, horse can take off his own saddle and bridle, open his stable door and feed himself.

[illegible] Thursday, [illegible]

The President [illegible] Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Dr. Albert C. Stanard [illegible] for membership, [illegible] recommendation of the committee [illegible] as [illegible]

[illegible] paper read for [illegible]

Dr. D. C. Holley [illegible] read a paper on the new remedies prepared from the coal oil series, viz., Acetanilide or Antifebrin. He mentioned the chemical composition of these in turn, their physiological action so far as known, how best to administer them and particularly the cases in which either of them is indicated. He gave the Academy an account of his own observation in using them, and his deductions drawn from personal experience.

This paper provoked quite an animated discussion which took various turns, according to the reading and prejudices of the speaker. Some preferred to have the virtues of such new remedies tested in hospitals, some objected to such large doses as Dr. Holley recommended, and others had not used them at all, were afraid of their depressing effect on the circulation. The following physicians took part in the discussion, Drs. Osborn, Hume, Phipper, Perkins, Parkill, Stanard, etc.

On motion, Dr. Stanard was appointed to prepare a paper for the next regular meeting, which takes place Sept. 5th.

On motion the Academy adjourned.

K.

The Bay View S. S. Convention.

The State S. S. Convention at Bay View opening July 24, program of which was given in THE PRESS, was held in the new Normal S. S. building, called Normal Hall or Hitchcock Hall, a gift from Mr. Hitchcock, of Detroit. The fine program prepared by Mr. M. H. Reynolds was well carried out. There was a good interest, and many S. S. workers were present, giving most excellent attention throughout.

A very interesting feature was the chart work of Mrs. M. M. Weeks, of Laingsburg, "The Two Paths, or Life's Choosings," an illustrated lecture. It brought many honors to her, and her chart was examined by hundreds of people, who pronounced it wonderful; other States are seeking to bring it within their borders.

N. E. Bennington.

Miss Flo. Greenman of Owosso, and her friend, Miss Hill of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Frank Greenman.

Mr. Cooley Thomas and family are camping at Pine Lake.

Miss Edith Lewis of Byron is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. E. J. Cook is entertaining her niece, Miss Benjamin of Bay City.

The M. R. Farmers' Club will hold a picnic at Carruther's grove, Newberg, Aug. 31. A grand time is anticipated.

Mrs. Wm. Loomis and Mrs. L. Bugbee are entertaining friends from abroad.

Miss Morna Odell of Owosso is visiting old friends in this locality.

The shrill whistle of the thresher is again heard in our midst. The yield of wheat is much below the anticipations, and the quality very inferior.

We cease to wonder at the smile that illuminates the faces of Lavan and Willis Robling when we see them in their new carriage. V.

Byron Items.

BYRON, Aug. 3, 1889.

Most of the citizens of Byron and vicinity assembled at the Baptist Church, Sunday morning, to listen to the Rev. E. E. Dresser, of Cheboygan Falls, Wis., a son-in-law of Rev. S. A. Cole. His sermonizing and oratory were highly spoken of by all.

The plate glass is being set in the Comstock stores; wood work and walls are completed in extra style and finish.

The citizens of Byron met on Tuesday evening to make arrangements for the Reunion of the 10th, 14th and 22d Regiments of Mich. Infantry, to be held in Byron, August 27.

The murder of the Murray family at Argentine still remains a mystery, young Crosby having been discharged for want of sufficient evidence to convict.

Miss Myrtia Cyphers is visiting her many friends in Byron, and will return to her home in Veroma, Huron Co., after a period of two weeks. SCRIBE.

The Fish Commissioners of Michigan, at the coming State Fair, will make a complete exhibit of their work, from the incubation of the egg to fish fit to grace the table of an epicure. This industry is of the first importance to the farmer, which by an actual study of the process, will be incited to aid in the work, which in a few years will make our lakes and rivers abound with sport that will call thousands of visitors from other states to make their homes in Michigan for a portion of the year.

Spokane Falls, Washington Territory, was swept by a $14,000,000 fire Monday; 25 blocks were reduced to ashes.

The strike in Connelsville, Pa., coke region makes 12,000 men idle.

[illegible] LATEST

[illegible] proposed $[illegible] that the [illegible] over [illegible] Y. [illegible]

[illegible] W. Foss [illegible] Saturday [illegible] The dervish [illegible]

By an explosion [illegible] mine near Ishpeming [illegible] and two boys were [illegible]

The Australasian [illegible] Ohio, shows 16,728 [illegible] the six international [illegible]

At Toronto, Ont., To-day Michael J. Fenton received forty lashes for an assault on a little girl at St. Thomas.

Department commanders of the Grand Army from the eight states nearest to Wisconsin met at Chicago Tuesday and agreed to indorse the announced determination to discourage general attendance at the Milwaukee encampment. The fact that the railways have refused to make satisfactory rates for comrades furnishes the reason for this action. As every one interested in the encampment admits, this decision practically destroys the reunion feature of the gathering at Milwaukee.

The body of John L. Sullivan is in the hands of Mississippi officers. The champion slugger was taken before Judge O'Brien of New York and admitted his identity as the person called for in the writ of extradition. He said he was willing to go south and take his medicine. He fought, he said, not because he wanted to, but he would have been branded as a poltroon had he backed out. He was sorry he had transgressed any law, but would not attempt to sneak away to avoid punishment. He was turned over to Dep. Sheriff Childs and started for Mississippi.

The Schooner Black Diamond captured by the American cutter Rush, arrived at Victoria, B. C., Sunday. A seaman named John Hakansson was put aboard as prize crew and ordered to take the vessel to Sitka. When out of sight of the Rush the captain headed for Victoria. Hakansson says he was well treated by the schooner's crew. He made an official report to Vice Consul Marvin, who wired the facts to Consul Stevens in San Francisco. Great satisfaction is felt at Victoria over the Black Diamond's escape. It is thought it will bring about a speedy settlement of the matter.

The Chippewa commission at Red Lake, Minn., secured the signatures of a large number in excess of that required. At White Earth the signing was almost unanimous. Thus far the Indians have ceded between three and four million acres, containing the most valuable of the timber in the Northwest. The commissioners also secured for the lumbermen the free use of all the streams running through the diminished reservations. Some of the negotiations have been long and tedious, but universal satisfaction to the Indians have been the result. The commission is on its way to the Pillagers on the Luck Lake reservation.

Near Kansas City Sunday two road agents held up the passengers on a through sleeper of the Wabash western express. They secured about $175 in money and [illegible] watches. When they started to leave the coach they met the conductor, who pluckily attacked them. He had no weapon, but he carried his lantern in his hand and with that he dealt one of the men a vicious blow on the head, smashing the lantern's glass and extinguishing the light. Simultaneously with the assault the other robber fired a shot at him from his revolver. The aim was bad and the bullet missed its mark. The first robber had by this time recovered himself and he took a shot at the conductor. His aim was no more precise than his partner's. The robbers then with one more parting shot swung off from the steps of the car. As they did so the conductor hurled his lantern after them.

Canadians are in a perfect furor of excitement over the report of the capture of the British sealer Black Diamond by the United States revenue cutter Richard Rush in Behring Sea. July 11 the Rush overtook the Black Diamond and ordered her to heave to. The captain of the Black Diamond refused to do this. Thereupon the commander of the Rush ordered a shotted gun fired across the bows of the schooner, which caused the schooner to heave to. Capt. Sheppard and Lieut. Tattle boarded the English craft and asked for her papers. The officers of the Black Diamond offered no armed resistance, but refused to deliver the ship's papers. Capt. Sheppard at once broke open the cabin and forced the hinges of the strong box and the captain's chest thereby securing the papers. A search of the vessel disclosed 103 seal skins which had just been taken in Behring Sea. Commander Captain Sheppard placed a non-commissioned officer from the Rush in charge of the Black Diamond and ordered the vessel to be taken to Sitka to await further instructions.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST [illegible] 1889

A [illegible] GENERAL [illegible]

[illegible] remedies [illegible]

The Great Storm of July 27

[illegible] ravages of [illegible] Jerry" in this [illegible] nal, in addition to the [illegible] Mr. Dear's barns by lightning [illegible] lowing:

The high winds of Tuesday night [illegible] the wind was the great [illegible] calculable damage to standing timber, oats, fruit, etc. Mr. Hiram Thompson reports his sugar beets almost totally ruined. Oats were blown down and the heads badly cut by the rain. Apples were also blown down in large quantities. The corn was also badly blown down and in many places twisted off. Potatoes were also badly damaged. Many barns were blown down, among them those belonging to Mr. John Brown, of Vernon, and Mr. Clay, of Owosso. The same is true of hay, oats, etc., is reported. At New Lyme the storm took a southeasterly course, the path of the storm being from the Cedar House to New Lyme, corresponding almost with Saturday night at about sunset the wind began to blow from the west. This was the fiercest of rain storms, accompanied by terrific lightning and thunder. It was truly terrific in its fierceness and destruction, which will be felt for years to come. Three barns were blown down three miles east of town, three silos were blown down, and a great deal of timber, also what grain was out was laid flat. While the passenger train was at Brent station one of the poles was blown over the train on the track. There were also some trees that fell on the track which had to be cleared away. It is said to have been the worst storm that ever visited this section and its repetition is not to be desired.

Rev. Mr. Matran's Work in Saginaw.

Saginaw Courier: Rev. B. F. Matran, rector of St. John's Church, who has done much in the way of church improvement since coming to this city, is now making some improvements to Calvary Memorial Church, corner of Lincoln avenue and Sixth street, in the first ward, which will add to its appearance and usefulness. The building is being extended 20 feet more and two transepts are being added, making the ground plan of the church cruciform. This gives 100 additional sittings, and chancel accommodations for a vested choir of 30 voices. Adjoining the north transept a choir hall 25 feet square will be built.

When Mr. Matran came to this city six years ago, he found 15 members of the Episcopal Church residents of the first ward. Now there are 130 members, and the membership is increasing so rapidly as to render the above improvements to Calvary Church imperative. Calvary Church was built through the efforts of Mr. Matran five years ago, as a memorial to a former parishioner, Madame Le Brun, of Owosso, well known to many people of this city. It was a mission of St. John's Church, but last spring was erected into an independent parish. It is still served by the clergy of St. John's Church, but Mr. Matran hopes to see it soon able to maintain a rector of its own.

During Mr. Matran's residence in this city he has accomplished much good for his parish. Many, through his untiring efforts the old frame building which did service as a house of worship for St. John's congregation, has been replaced by a handsome brick edifice, a new guild house and elegant rectory erected, and now the improvements to Calvary Church, work on which has just commenced, have been added to the list of good work performed. There does not appear to be much left in the way of improvement of church property to be accomplish, but if there is anything to be done he may be trusted to do it.

Fifty years ago Emory Allen of Haverland, then five or six years old, went to school for the first time and to take down some of the big boys caught him and put some cherry pits in his ear. He went home crying, and his parents supposed they removed all the stones. Mr. Allen has been troubled with the earache ever since, and on Tuesday he went to Dr. Boyd, of Hartland, to have his ear examined, when to his surprise the doctor removed a cherry pit which had been in the internal ear ever fifty years.—[Milford Times, 27th ult.

F. M. Black, of Pembroke, Dakota, let his 12 year old son, Bertie, driving two yoke of oxen attached to a marker, unload a stone. The father went away for a short time and on his return the boy was found crushed under half a ton of stone. How the accident happened no one knows, but the oxen were found standing [illegible]

The only appointment that people got under [illegible] tion was disappointment.

DOES PROTECTION PAY THE FARMER?

[illegible]

[illegible] protection [illegible] year. [illegible] market [illegible] year in the Chicago [illegible] last after President [illegible] message on [illegible] By [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] protective tariff [illegible] foreign trade.

Farmers have doubtless noticed a decline in the price of wheat from the same cause. When our ports were closed against the trade of the world England went to India for her wheat and to Australia for her wool. With the latter free she manufactured it into cloth and took away our trade with the South American states and China and Japan. Thus we have the spectacle of a little island about as large as the single state of Michigan, with 35,000,000 people, competing with us, a nation of 60,000,000 of people, with millions of acres of land situated under every favorable circumstance and condition, so far as natural resources are concerned. Seeing what England has been able to accomplish since she threw off that relic of barbarism and tyranny, protective tariff, in 1846, what might be accomplished by us in foreign trade were our ports opened to the commerce of the world?

OWOSSO, AUG. 1, 1889.

How a Convict is Searched.

From George Kennan's article in the *Century* we quote the following:

"You have no idea, Mr. Kennan," said Captain Nikolin, "how unscrupulous they are, and how much criminal skill they show in concealing forbidden things and in smuggling letters into and out of prison. Suppose that you were going to search a political convict as thoroughly as possible, how would you do it?"

I replied that I would strip him naked and make a careful examination of his clothing.

"Is that all you would do?" he inquired with a surprised air.

I said that no other course of procedure suggested itself to me just at that moment.

"Would you look in his ears?"

"No," I answered, "I should not think of looking in his ears."

"Would you search his mouth?"

Again I replied in the negative.

"Would you look in a hollow tooth?"

I somewhat declared that such a place as looking in a hollow tooth for a letter would never, under any circumstances, have occurred to me.

"Well," he said triumphantly, "I have taken tissue paper with writing upon it out of a prisoner's ear, out of a [illegible] and once I found a [illegible] concealed under [illegible] was in a convict's hollow tooth." [illegible] he exclaimed, [illegible] are very sly, but [illegible]

Names of English Men-of-War.

[illegible] foreign [illegible] many [illegible] in old [illegible] with [illegible] was [illegible] time [illegible] song [illegible] and [illegible] Lord.

He gravely [illegible] was [illegible] well [illegible]

THE STORY OF A SONG

[illegible] His Wife Wearily Waited Where [illegible]

[illegible] Mustering Blues in Georgia, [illegible]

[illegible] Lowe was once a [illegible] Fifth ave. [illegible] wounded men were [illegible] and one of the [illegible] was by Gen. Carr, and [illegible] located to a soldier in the Second New York Volunteers, of which Carr was Colonel, at the outset. In a battle a piece of an exploded shell struck the man on the head and gave him what would ordinarily have proved a fatal wound. He lay insensible among the dead for several hours, nobody supposing that he was alive. Those who went to him found gripped in one hand a small portion of a letter from his wife. In this she spoke of a furlough which had been granted to him, and which he was going to use for a visit to his home, his health being poor. She wrote affectionately of their wedlock, reminding him of a willow tree under which they had done some of their courtship, and told him that the day for his arrival she would meet him there. In the hurry and confusion he was left lying with this paper in his grasp. Night fell upon the battlefield with the dead unburied and the living busy with the defense of themselves and care for the wounded. In the morning the bodies of the slain were hastily buried in a trench. It was supposed our soldier was among them, but he was not.

During the night he revived and wandered away. Word was sent to his home that he was dead, and this was regarded as beyond doubt, but as a matter of fact he wandered off to a distant hospital, remained there unidentified, his wounds healed, and was discharged utterly without memory of the past. It happened that he retained the merest scrap of his wife's letter, for without name or place on it. This he retained, and with a vague knowledge that it was from his wife, who was waiting for him somewhere, he wandered here and there over the country for four years. Then there came to him a shadowy recollection of his home. He took his tramp to the spot where he was to meet and promised to meet dear. It was the willow tree close to his old home, and there he actually found her. The shock of joy and recognition nearly if not quite cured him of his malady.

Gen. Carr told the story touchingly and it made a pathetic impression upon his hearers. One of them was a musician, and turning to him Gen. Sheridan said, "You ought to make verses out of that."

"It should have music, too," Gen. Sherman suggested. "It ought to make a splendid song."

The musician promised to undertake the job, and to get a friend to compose an air, with the proviso that the three Generals mentioned should go together to hear it sung. The words that resulted were as follows:

WHILE THE WILLOW MAKES A SHADE.

[illegible] after the last gleam of sun,
[illegible] stamped plain,
[illegible] was waiting, when carnage was [illegible]
To throw a pall over the slain.
[illegible] death,
With a [illegible]
Laughing and [illegible] and gasping for breath,
For a [illegible] had [illegible]
A [illegible] spot,
And [illegible]
"I will wait," his wife in the letter said,
"While the willow makes a shade."

On the day and the hour when the soldier fell
He found distant wife's letter fast.
She stood at the tryst tree, nor feared he was [illegible]
But his time for coming passed.
He lived, but to wander far and long,
In his head a ceaseless pain,
A sense of quiet and of going wrong—
Half thoughts of a wounded brain.
He knew that he sought a home and mate
By her call that his love echoed—
No name and no place only, "I will wait
Where the willow makes a shade."
Though his mind was blurred and memory dead,
These words from his heart could not fade:
"I will wait," his wife in the letter said,
"While the willow makes a shade."

When the willow was drooping its leaves of tears,
Sat a woman as at a grave,
Despairing had followed the hoping of years,
But this hour to trust she gave
A veteran came tramping along the lane,
And he walked as in a daze.
An instant—then in a flesh he was sane,
And joy was his only craze
"My wife!" he cried, with a quick embrace,
And with kisses of love deaved.
"You have waited here," he said, "at the place
Where the willow makes a shade."
Though his mind was blurred, and memory dead,
Those words from his heart could not fade,
"I will wait," his wife in the letter said,
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Gen. Sheridan died before these verses were into music arranged. Gen. Carr underwent a severe surgical operation recently for the removal of a cancer, and is still confined to his hotel room. It was in his apartment that half a dozen friends, including Gen. Sherman, assembled to hear the song. The singer was a professional vocalist, who gave effective expression to the story of the tramp veteran, and it was a sight to see the two Generals listening rapt to the melodious strains of the war story which one of them had told. [illegible] *New York Tribune* [illegible] *Times* [illegible] *City Star*.

A young Frenchman, living at Bordeaux, advertised that he would sail for the United States in July and commit suicide at Niagara Falls on the 1st day of August.

The Quiet Man in the Corner.

[illegible] Dress [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] Brave, and Hector [illegible] was [illegible] of his [illegible] was [illegible] take off in [illegible] the only other [illegible] a big [illegible] countryman, and a [illegible] in a great coat. [illegible] consciousness of unknown per[illegible] said he was congratulating himself on not being the [illegible] bundled up in the [illegible] at the same time conscious that the pretty girl was begging the rough countryman not to smoke, as it made her ill. The fellow replied with a savage oath that he had paid his fare and would smoke when he [illegible] pleased. Mr. Clay said he was just trying to screw his courage up to the point of remonstrating with the country giant, when the limp little figure undoubled itself like magic, and, with a quick movement, reached down its collar, brought a knife that in the excitement of the moment looked a yard long, and with another catlike movement seized the fellow by the throat. "Throw that pipe out of the window or by G—I'll—" A comprehensive sweep of the murderous looking blade finished the sentence and sent the pipe shattering on the ground. In another minute the knife had again disappeared down the capacious collar and the limp figure had resumed its former vertebrateless condition, "but the rest of the journey," said Mr. Clay, "I spent in wishing I was the little man in the great coat, who was none other than Rowie, with his famous knife."

Women as Physicians.

"One of the most absurd arguments used against a girl who wishes to become a physician," said a blue-eyed, fair-haired medical student in petticoats the other day, "is that the disagreeable sights and experiences of the dissecting-room, if they do not altogether overpower her fortitude, will coarsen her feelings and destroy her delicacy. Bah, I say, to such mawkish sentimentality. No one thinks it hardens a girl to nurse a sick person, and yet I tell you that in ministering to the sick, and to the dying, and the dead in the capacity of a nurse I have seen sights as ghastly and performed far more disgusting and exhausting labor than I would have been called on to do if I had been the physician; and all the time I knew nothing of that keen interest in the scientific part of the work which I now have, that so absorbs my attention and thoughts that what is revolting to others is by me almost unnoticed."—*New York Tribune.*

Of all the evil spirits abroad at this hour in the world, insincerity is the most dangerous.—Froude.

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THE OWOSSO [illegible]

J. H. CHAMPION & [illegible]

Wednesday Augu[illegible]

[illegible] was [illegible] of the Princess Louise of Wales [illegible] provide her with a lovely [illegible] of Fife. A very [illegible] be [illegible] weaver, by [illegible] the years income on a piece [illegible] her property & property, amounting to [illegible] Besides this she [illegible] her trousseau.

Calvin S. Brice reports that he has received a certain crop report of the Lake Erie & Western Road [illegible] in the center of the corn belt in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. The reports are the most favorable we have had as to condition and prospects of the corn crop. As everybody knows, other crops, especially that of oats, have been enormous. A very large portion, fully one-third, of the old crop remains to be brought out by the roads.

Advices from Pittsburg Monday report that the coke strikers are weakening already, and the strike promises to be a failure. The men at the Youngstown, Moorwood and Standard Works, numbering about 1,000, went back Monday, and the operators say that before the first of next week the works will all be in operation again. The break has [illegible] the strikers somewhat, but [illegible]

[illegible] was [illegible] for Supt. [illegible] wages of [illegible] factories [illegible] And the [illegible] Hence the [illegible] reflection [illegible]

A Free [illegible]

[illegible] intrigue [illegible] Sale [illegible]

[illegible] WONDERFUL PAINTING

[illegible] WONDERFUL MUSIC FOR THE MULTITUDES

[illegible] Great Religious Picture of "The Night of the Nativity" Coming to Detroit — A Grand International Band Convention. Western Music and Musical Education Past and Present.

The religious and art world are stirred all over the coming exhibition of Elsen's great religious painting of "The Night of the Nativity," which has been secured for the art gallery of the Detroit International Exposition, to be held September 11th-27th. This large and important picture is the greatest work of an American artist in recent years, not only on account of its high merit as a work of art, but also because of its wonderful religious feeling and influence. The canvas is large, the figures life size, and its perspective gives a strange impression of immensity to the desert and the sky, in which the miraculous Star of Bethlehem is the central point. The picture represents the shepherds around their watchfire in the desert watching and discussing with holy awe

THE STAR THAT HERALDS THE BIRTH OF CHRIST.

This star glows with a strange radiance above the western horizon, its mystic light mingling with the paler gleam of the oriental night and the ruddy blaze of the watchfire. All about the fire, and fading gradually into the outer darkness, lie the slumbering flocks in picturesque groups. In the right center of the canvas is the principal group, of three shepherds—one old, two young—who are discussing the celestial wonder, upon which all attention is turned, with manifest awe. They lean against a bank as they talk, in life-like attitudes. On the bank lies a young shepherd, who is sheltering a feeble lamb in his mantle, evidently listening to the sage of the party, but too tired and awed to join in the talk. On the left of the picture is another group of shepherds who are considering the mysterious star with rapt wonder. The artist has given to the atmosphere of the oriental night, with its peculiar light and shade, and to the attitudes and countenances of the shepherds, a subtile solemnity that grows upon the spectator till the whole strange scene fixes itself in the memory like the vision of a holy dream.

Lovers of musical art are also anticipating

A STRANGE SEPTEMBER FEAST

during the great Detroit International Exposition. The managers have engaged Cappa's famous band of the rich and fashionable Seventh Regiment of New York City to give a series of grand concerts, daily and nightly during the fair. This band is considered the finest military band in America. Besides this band, Cappa is under contract to bring with him forty of the most famous soloists upon different instruments to be found upon this continent. Most of these will be heard for the first time in the west, though a few are familiar through the great concerts of such organizations as those of Gilmore and Thomas. But this is not all. A

GRAND INTERNATIONAL BAND CONVENTION

is planned, in which the crack bands of the United States and Canada will compete for fame and cash, and the whole will conclude by a combined monster concert, in which all the bands will join, led by Cappa's and the forty stars.

This reminds us that western musical education is a young tree of recent growth. Before the War for the Union there was very little popular musical education. The village band used to consist of some old veteran who could play the drum that he had carried when a youth in the wars of the Republic, flanked by an equally ancient fifer or two, and the way these old fellows would

RATTLE AND SHRILL THE SOUL OF PATRIOTISM

into the village youth on the Fourth of July was a caution to public enemies. If there was not so much skill, there was a vim and earnestness in the old time music that spoke of Bunker Hill, New Orleans and the Halls of the Montezumas so plainly that every schoolboy understood and felt it. After these the old fashioned "singing school" completed the musical educational facilities of the people, except in a few favored cities and towns.

The people in those days used to sing the famous minstrel melodies of Foster and Christie's minstrels, including such as "Swanee River," "Old Kentucky Home," "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," "Old Dog Tray," and others whose simple pathos has never been excelled by the familiar airs of any country. There were also other old time favorities that everybody murdered by

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE EXECUTION.

They came the War for the Union, and patriotism found voice in music. Military bands were formed all over the country. Composers, fired by the enthusiasm of battle and victory, poured over the nation a rich flood of melody. "Kingdom Coming," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching," "Rally Round the Flag," "John Brown's Body," "Dixie," and that spirit rousing march that still keeps its hold upon the popular ear, "Marching Through Georgia," were born of that stirring period.

After the war nearly

EVERY CITY AND VILLAGE HAD ITS MILITARY BAND

or bands. Music had been given an immense impulse. Musical education became popular everywhere. Music stores were opened in all cities, and the sale of musical instruments grew rapidly. Music is now taught in the public schools throughout most of the west, and the German method is everywhere adopted. The lighter forms of opera have become popular. The piano is found in almost every well-to-do home, and there are

FEW YOUNG PEOPLE WITHOUT A MUSICAL TRAINING

far in advance of anything enjoyed by their parents. Still

THE POPULAR TASTE FOR BAND MUSIC

predominates with the multitude. The country is full of war veterans, who love to hear the familiar sounds of blaring brass that inspired them when the long blue lines charged through the battle smoke to victory or death, or cheered their weary feet to fresh endeavor after a long march. And there are few of any class whose nerves are not thrilled and pulses stirred by the sounds of war and triumph, life and action, that are the peculiar quality of the music of brass bands, with "sonorous metal blowing martial airs."

Hence when one hundred thousand listeners from the United States and Canada are congregated on the Detroit Exposition grounds to hearken to the strains of

A HUNDRED FINE BANDS COMBINED

together, and all playing the glorious airs of "Marching Through Georgia," "Dixie," and "God Save the Queen," led by Cappa's forty splendid stars, the form of enthusiasm they will surely evoke will be a sight to see and remember for years, and the grand volume of the music will be a wonder to hear! The large cash prizes of $500 to the first, $300 to the second, and $200 to the third, with the association medals and the championships to the winners, each in its own territory, cannot fail to draw many bands.

Emperor William, of Germany, reached Portsmouth in his yacht Hohenzollern Friday morning. He was welcomed by the Prince of Wales, who went to meet him in the royal yacht Osborne. Great crowds of people lined the shore, and the vessels in the harbor fired salutes.

The Rev. E. F. Flemon, the colored minister wanted in South Carolina for murder, was taken from Pittsburg Friday, Gov. Beaver consenting to his return upon an assurance from Gov. Richardson that the fugitive would have a fair trial and be protected from personal violence.

The city of Spokane Falls, Washington, was burned to the ground by the fire which started Sunday night. The details are hard to obtain. The telegraph office was burned and no direct communication can be had. Later information says that forty business blocks have fallen prey to the flames.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Tichenor was taken suddenly ill in his office in the Treasury Department Friday morning and had to be removed to his home for treatment. He has been in bad health for a long time and has worked a great deal harder than his friends think he should have done.

Four thousand coke-workers of the Connellsville, Pa., district have gone on a strike. This makes about one-third of the ovens in the Connellsville region idle. The strikers are confident and claim that the movement will be general in a few days. The operators, however, say that the strike will not spread much further.

A canvass of the State of Texas shows that the reports of the corn, cotton, and wheat crops have been underestimated. Wheat and oats are now up to the average. The prospects for 2,000,000 bales of cotton are good if the weather holds for a fortnight longer. At even the low prices received last year the cotton crop is worth $84,000,000.

Explorers in Mexico are said to have discovered in the forests relics of a [illegible]

News was received from Gunnison, Col., Friday that the Ute Indians had left their reservations and were intimidating ranchmen and slaughtering game. A war of extermination is threatened if they do not cease their depredations.

Lewis Purdum, while painting the suspension bridge at Cincinnati, Ohio, Friday, fell into the river, a distance of sixty-five feet, striking the water feet first, and then swam ashore. He received a slight nervous shock, but was not seriously injured.

E. & A. H. Batchellor, extensive boot and shoe dealers at Boston, failed Tuesday for about $1,250,000, the nominal assets being placed at the same figures. McKean & Appleton, shoe manufacturers at Salem, Mass., also failed, their liabilities being about $74,000.

Judge Preston granted a temporary injunction to "Cerneau" Masons, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, against the Masonic Grand Lodge of that State restraining the latter from putting into execution laws recently passed by that body against the Cerneau Rite.

Chicago is up and doing in her attempt to capture the World's fair in 1892. An enthusiastic meeting of citizens was held Thursday, pertinent resolutions were adopted and the work of soliciting funds will soon begin by a committee appointed for that purpose.

Hay Fever and Rose Cold

Are attended by an inflamed condition of the lining membrane of the nostrils, tear-ducts and throat, affecting the lungs. An acrid mucus is secreted, the discharge is accompanied with a burning sensation. There are severe spasms of sneezing, frequent attacks of headache, watery and inflamed eyes. Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy that can be depended upon. 50 cents at druggists or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York. 50-51

Great 1-4 Off Sale!

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20.00	Sells for	15.00
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6.00	"	4.50
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3.00	"	2.25
2.00	"	1.50
1.50	"	1.13
1.25	"	.94
1.00	"	.75

And so on, all goods mentioned above, suffering the same fate.

The reason for this is easily given. The damp, cold weather we have had this season had a very depressing effect on the sale of this class of goods, and now at the commencement of the dull season we find we have an overstock which **MUST GO.** We therefore propose to make the usual dull period a lively one for us at least, and move these goods to *your profit* it at a sacrifice to ourselves. Remember this and be sure before purchasing to call and examine the goods included in this **Great 1-4 Off Sale.**

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Chase's Barley Malt Whisky is free from all trace of Verdigris or other impurity. Being rich and nutritious it builds up the feeble and the consumptive. Sold by J. F. Wildermuth, Owosso. 48-51

A Cincinnati saloon keeper the other day paid a dollar for a sealed envelope containing directions that would enable him to sell more beer. When he opened it, he found on a small card the words "Don't sell so much froth."

The Mather Glove Cleaner is for Sale only at Bagg's Drug Store; is odorless and works like a charm. 50-1*

CITY MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY Aug. 7, 1889.

WHEAT—72a75c
BUTTER—10a11c
DRESSED HOGS—$5 50
EGGS—11c
ONIONS—10a15c per bu
LARD—7c
HONEY—12c
FLOUR—Patent Roller $6 00; Roller, $5 25
Standard $4 00
MEAL—Finebolted, per 100lbs, $1.50
CORN MEAL—$1 10
FEED—per 100 lbs, $1 10
TALLOW—3c ? nts
HAY—$8
HIDES—Green, ?a4c, dry, 6a8c
CORN—Shelled, 40c
BEANS—$1.00 a 1.50
POTATOES—25c
DRIED APPLES—3c
BARLEY—$1.00a$1.25 per 100 lbs
OATS—25a2[illegible]c
Clover Seed $4.50a4 50
APPLES—$1 per bbl
WOOL—Washed 27 a 32c

GENERAL MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT—Lower: Aug., 76¾@77c; Sept., 76⅞@77⅛c; Dec., 78⅜@78⅝c.
CORN—Lower Aug., 35⅝@35⅞c; Sept. 35⅝@35⅞c May, 37½@37⅝c.
OATS—Lower: 20⅞@20⅝c Aug.; 20⅝@20⅝c Sept.; 24⅝@24⅞c May.
PROVISIONS—Mess Pork lower: Aug., $10.45@10.47½; Sept., $10.47½@10.50; Jan., $9.65@9.75. Lard—Lower: August, $6.00@6.15; Sept., $6.10@6.22½; Jan., $5.90@5.95.
CATTLE—Quotations range from $4.30@4.45 for good to choice cattle, $3.90@4.20 good shipping steers, $1.00@3.50 common to fair steers.
HOGS—Sales ranged from $4.40@4.55 for light, $4.20@4.35 for heavy packing.
SHEEP—Quotations range at $3.50@3.90 for Western, $4.25@4.90 for natives, and $4.75@6.00 for lambs.
WOOL—Quotations as follows:

Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and Eastern Iowa.	
Coarse, tub	25a28c
Medium, tub	27a30c
Fine, unwashed	18a22c
Medium, unwashed	24a27c
Coarse, washed	27a30c
Nebraska, Dakota, Minnesota, Kansas and Western Iowa.	
Fine, unwashed	16a20c
Medium, unwashed	21a24c
Coarse, unwashed	20a22c

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

Money on call easy at 2½@3 ⅌ cent, closed offered at 2½ per cent.
Sterling exchange dull but steady at 485¾ for 60-day bills and 487¼ for demand.
Government Bonds—Closing quotations: 4's, coupon, 128½; 4½s, coupon, 108⅝.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

WHEAT—Closing prices: No. 2 red 85½@85½c Aug.; 84½@84⅝c Sept.
CORN—Market closed for No. 2 Aug., 43⅝@43¾c; Sept., 43⅝@43¾c.
OATS—Market closed for Mixed western 26@29; White 24@40½c.

BUFFALO.

WHEAT—No. 1 hard old closed at $1.20.
CORN—No. 2 40⅝c.

MILWAUKEE.

WHEAT—Cash, 77c; Sept, 78c.
CORN—No. 2, 37c.
OATS—No. 2 White, 28c.
RYE—No. 1, 43½c.

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT—Cash, 74⅝c; Aug., 75½c.
CORN—Cash, 35¼c; Aug., 35½c.
OATS—Cash, 21½c; Aug., 20½c.
PROVISIONS—Pork $11.25. Lard $6 80.

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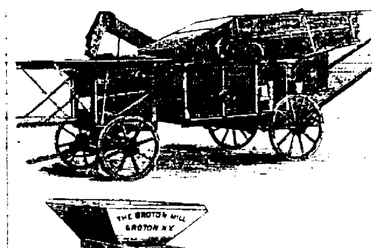

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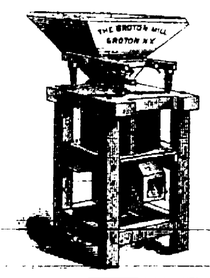

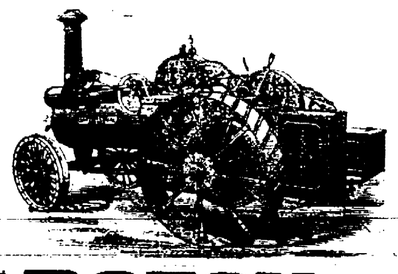

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—Prof. J. A. LeBarge [illegible] Trixie Company [illegible] appeared and [illegible] Action on the stage [illegible] on the mand[illegible] and xylophone have won the favor of the public. [illegible] Opera House [illegible] show [illegible] precious and [illegible]

The spacious grounds of Mrs. A. Gould were lovely last Friday evening, illuminated with Chinese lanterns and two locomotive headlights, for the Y. M. C. A. lawn social. There were hammocks suspended from the trees on which young people were swinging, and tables were interspersed throughout the grounds where guests were being served with refreshments. It was a busy scene, with the waiters during hither and thither among the tables. There were probably [illegible] persons present. The receipts were over $[illegible] net profit to the Y. M. C. A. fund, $[illegible].

The County Teachers' Institute has about [illegible] attendance. The greatest interest is manifested in the instruction which is pronounced immensely profitable to teachers. Next week Prof. Griffith's writing lessons and instruction in Technical Grammar and Physiology will commence and continue during the term.

S. P. Farkill and C. S. Fessenger are having a grand time across the water. They landed at Queenstown, July 29, proceeded at once to Cork, where they were welcomed by the chimes of the "bells of Shandon;" they visited the ruins of Barney Castle and kissed the blarney stone; went thence to Killarney. Their route thenceforth was to be, Dublin, Belfast, Glasgow, Edinboro and south to London.

—Mr. J. J. Davis has purchased several hundred tickets for the Labadie-Rowell performance at the Opera House, Aug. 21, and will give one with every sale of $2.00 worth of goods. Now is your chance to get a ticket free.

—The talk is now of calling a special election, as seen by Council proceedings, for the purpose of voting on the question of raising an amount not to exceed $15,000 for extending the water mains.

—The drug firm of M. L. Bagg & Co was dissolved Aug. 1st, Mr. E. A. Todd retiring. The ever popular Mr. Johnson continues as clerk, assisted by Mr. John Henderson, a practical pharmacist. Dr. Bagg has an elegant, well supplied store.

—J. F. Mabin, county member of the State Board of Corrections and Charities, has placed ten children from the State Public School at Coldwater, with families within three months. There are 131 children in the Coldwater school.

—Last Saturday Mr. J. H. Deal sold his restaurant business to a gentleman from Gaines, who took immediate possession. Mr. Deal will devote his time to his bakery business on Exchange Street.

—Mrs. Laurance Hamblin writes from Steuben Co., N. Y., that it rains nearly every day there. We, in Shiawassee county, would like a portion of that superfluous aqua sent along here.

—Mrs. Cephas Stewart left on Monday to take a season of visiting with friends in the old farm neighborhood in Bennington and at Morrice.

—Mr. E. W. Williams, of Winona, Minn., spent Sunday with his father, J. C. Williams, in this city.

—Miss Anna Milligan, a former Owosso teacher, has been a guest of Mrs. A. Gould, for a few days, and is now at Mt. Clemens baths.

—Miss Taylor, of Marquette, formerly a teacher in the Owosso school, is the guest of Mrs. Albert Todd.

—Mrs. Dr. Perkins is enjoying prairie life with her friend in Dakota. She will be home next month.

—Mr. Moses Mix, of Laingsburg, was in town a few days ago. Old friends are always glad to see him.

Mrs. James P. Ferguson has gone to Lockport, N. Y., her old home, for a visit of a few weeks.

—Mrs. E. A. Todd has returned from a two weeks' visit in Flint and Saginaw.

—Mrs. Mary D. Brainard, of Lawrence, Kansas, is visiting at her cousin's J. F. Mabin's.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. Perry of California who have been visiting at Dr. Peterson's, left yesterday for the east.

—An 11¼ lb. boy at Will Zimmerman's Tuesday morning.

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—Mrs. Edith [illegible]

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—Three weeks from next Monday the fall term of the Owosso Schools opens.

—Harry Williams is camping with the Osborn and Hume party at Long Lake.

—The infant son of Mr. Herman Fries died last night, of cholera infantum.

—The Ladies' Library removes this week to its former rooms over Osburn & Sons' store.

City Treasurer F. E. Kohler and wife left yesterday for Long Lake, for a short vacation.

—Mr. G. H. Hicks will lead the Y. M. C. A. meeting to-night. Subject—"Two Kinds of Possession."

—Mrs. D. B. Parker, who has been spending several months at Dr. Peterson's has gone east.

—Mr. Barnet, a beginner in the ministry, will speak at the Disciples church Sunday morning, Aug. 11.

—W. J. Gladwin, returned missionary from India, will give a free lecture at the M. E. Church this evening.

—E. A. Todd jr. starts soon for Oklahoma, prospecting. He spent last night at his father's in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Wesener, of East Saginaw, are spending the week in this city at the Wesener residence.

—Mrs. B. F. Taylor left on Monday for Denver, Colorado, to visit her son Edward E. Taylor. She will be absent one month.

—The Bryan family are having a grand time at Long Lake. P. J. divides his time between Owosso and the camping party.

—Mrs. Theo. Laubengayer left this (Wednesday) morning for a few weeks visit with friends in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

—Mr. Harry G. Ripley and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Fitzhugh, of the Labadie-Rowell Comedy Co., have already arrived in the city.

—Dr. Walter Ward and wife of Laingsburg are ruralizing at Long Lake, and "Q." has the whole medical business on his hands.

—THE PRESS is indebted to Loring & Son for a large picture, 36x22 inches in size, illustrating the horrible scenes of the Johnstown flood, copies of which they have for sale.

—Mrs. M. Driscoll of Corunna has ordered from Mr. Rollin Pond's marble works, this city, a fine Keyes family monument, to be placed in the Catholic cemetery at Corunna.

—C. C. Duff has removed the fence from the front of his residence, and has trimmed the hedge on Washington street, and is doing other things to beautify his handsome lawn.

—Dudley Taylor, Will Robbins, Bun. Robertson, Harley White (the quartette club), Dana Seeley, James & Bert Copas, are camping at Long Lake. Will Parker will join them next week.

—Mrs. R. A. Belford has returned from her summer trip to Boston and other eastern places. She brings latest shapes in hats and bonnets for the millinery store of S. B. Ewer & Co.

—The Second National Bank is now doing business in full blast in the fine new quarters, Sharpstene block. The appointments and fixtures are all of the latest order for elegance and security.

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Foreign—Mrs. Maggie Clark.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST

Small and Late

When Dorothy [illegible] the floor
No matter how [illegible] gave me more
Our table was [illegible] leaves were [illegible]
Our guests, a [illegible] [illegible]
She poured [illegible] just a sip
And [illegible] the [illegible] have
So added, [illegible] a wife
For though she [illegible] charge [illegible]
She asked [illegible] the girl [illegible]
She [illegible] take [illegible]
She say [illegible] charge [illegible]
[illegible] scene
[illegible] girl [illegible]
[illegible] Whitney [illegible]
[illegible] Dorothy [illegible]
[illegible] Dorothy [illegible]
[illegible] Dorothy [illegible]
We have with us [illegible] expect to carry away.
We [illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] right [illegible] put the cups away
[illegible] Papa, she said;
[illegible] I can't tell, and I don't [illegible]
—Tudor Jenks, in St. Nicholas.

Are They the Lost Tribes of Israel?

When Stanley Africanus was in this country several years ago he gave it as his firm opinion that there is a white or light-colored people somewhere in the heart of Africa, and he entertained the preposterous notion that they might possibly be the lost tribes of Israel. He said that he had found traditions of such a people among the natives of the regions through which he had traveled, and who believed that they were yet in existence. Livingstone himself entertained some fancies about the matter, which he had gatnered during his wanderings, but he died without throwing any light upon it. We shall doubtless soon learn whether Stanley has found any during his last few years. Over a hundred years ago Swedenborg, the seer of Heaven and Hell, told of the existence of a civilized people in the unexplored parts of Africa, the spirits of some of whom he conversed with in the other world. The fact that he spoke of these people as "Gentiles" might seem to preclude the idea of their being Jews, but the term Gentiles was used by him to describe men born out of the Christian Church. It would be hard to believe that the lost tribes of Israel are in equatorial Africa, or, if there, that none of their members have ever traveled away from it in the course of ages. But we will wait for news by Stanley.—*New York Sun.*

Too Salt for Cannibals.

The Maoris, like every other race in their part of the world, indulged freely in cannibalism in the olden times, although they long ago abandoned the habit. The reason for this practice is found in the fact—which maintains, also, throughout most of the islands of Oceanica—that their country, until the arrival of Europeans introduced pigs, cattle, and other domestic animals, possessed no mammals whatever and thus made meat, except that of the human subject, impossible to attain. The Maoris never ate their friends unless they were hungry, and strictly regaled themselves upon the enemies who had been slain or captured in battle. When the whites came among them they cooked some individuals as an experiment, but very generally abandoned the practice as finding their flesh too salt—the result, no doubt, of the use of this condiment in most forms of civilized food, the taste of which the Maori could not stand. Most of their white captives, therefore, were kept as slaves, and were readily given up to any one who would exchange an old musket or a dozen cartridges for them. Money they did not care for, not knowing its use, and regarded sovereigns useful only to be pierced and hung in the ears, being quite willing also to exchange these for shillings, as being a little larger and regarded as more becoming.

Mr. Societe (who has just been presented to a bevy of young ladies) —Pardon me, but with so many names I am quite at sea regarding yours. She—but you are not far wrong, I am Miss Atwater.

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Local and Otherwise.

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For the Magazine for August

[illegible] Harper's Magazine [illegible] of comforting [illegible] variety [illegible] taste of warm weather readers. The Kremlin and [illegible] the Kremlin [illegible] the centre around which are grouped the great [illegible] of Russia and description [illegible] Fifty Years Photography, [illegible] the story of the [illegible] struggle [illegible] victory and traces the evolution of modern photography from the earlier processes; and Religious Movement in Germany, by Dean Luckenberger, are among the [illegible] articles while there is a good variety of stories, sonnets, poems, editorial writings by George William Curtis, William Dean Howells and Charles Dudley Warner literary notes and reviews, and the usual Monthly Record of current events.

Scribner's Magazine for August

Scribner's Magazine for August, true to the season, contains sparkling out door papers, one on the game of lawn tennis, sure to attract the attention of all interested in this popular game; it treats of the game from an entirely new point of view, using instantaneous photographs of the Sears Brothers and Pettit, three noted players, as the basis of a more accurate analysis of the principal strokes than has heretofore been given. Robert Grant, an expert sportsman, writes on Tarpon Fishing in Florida; there is an illustrated article on Electricity in Lightning; Memories; Tennyson's First Flight, with a frontispiece portrait of the poet; How to Feed a Railway, by Benjamin Norton; and other entertaining articles complete the number.

The Domestic Monthly for August.

The Domestic Monthly for August is an excellent number in every department. While the Domestic is primarily a fashion magazine, it still believes that a magazine for women should be filled with a varied miscellany of sketch and story, and helpful household hints. Every month it has illustrated articles, stories, poems, etc., by the best authors, and departments of "Knitting and Crochet," "Fancy Work," working designs and patterns in embroideries, newest fashionable needle-work, and illustrations of pretty decorative ideas are given. Every number contains over 125 illustrations. And all this is sold for $1.50 a year. Besides, every subscriber receives coupons good for $1.00 worth of paper patterns free. Published at 853 Broadway, New York; subscriptions taken by all news dealers.

The Price of Life and Health.

Danger is made to surround everything nowadays. The germ theory has peopled space, air, water and food with micro-organisms that threaten death or disease on every hand. If a person were weighed down with a sense of these dangers, as he might well be if he gave full heed to the warnings of physicians, he might well exclaim, "Oh! me miserable! whither shall I fly?" And he could hardly fly to a place where the microscopic germs of death would not be present with some warning physician.

We go to bed and behold! there is death in the pillow. A medical journal bids us take note of the fact that disease and death lurk in the very pillows and bolsters on which we lay our heads. Whether this is so or not, the moral that is drawn from it is good, and that is, "Bedding ought to be opened periodically, so that its contents may be beaten with sticks." In France bed cleansing is followed as a regular trade.

Then again, the hiring of clothes is dangerous. In cities it has become an every-day matter to hire wearing apparel, particularly dress suits, and these suits are worn by men of all sorts, of all associations, and possibly by men who have some infectious disease. If the wearer has not such a disease, the clothing may be worn in a place or among people where disease germs will be taken away in the meshes of the cloth. Costumes for masquerades and theatricals are worse yet, for they are more especially worn by the lowest as well as by the highest, by the vicious and depraved as well as by the decent and respectable; and these costumes are rarely or never washed and are used until they are worn out.

Books, too, are dangerous. Rub the finger over a clean sheet, says the *American Analyst*, and a thin streak of dirt, perspiration and skin cells is the result. Once reading a volume through leaves a minute deposit on every page touched, from title page to finish. Sick people leave germs of their diseases. By degrees the hollows fill up, the oil of the skin tinges the pages and the book becomes dirty. Under the microscope this detritus is nitrogenous, loose, moist and decaying. One germ introduced into it will breed and produce millions of bacteria and these will live for unlimited time in the rich soil that has been gathered from a hundred hands. It is a soil for the germs of scarlet fever, small-pox and various blood diseases. Cleanliness is not only next to godliness, but it is next to health, and though the germ scare may be overdone, yet it will produce good results in the hands of intelligent people. *Good Housekeeping.*

Anxious Parent—Judging from what I hear, my son has been contracting some bad habits in college. Precise Professor—Oh, no, he has only been expanding—as he had when he came here.

SUPERSTITIOUS MEXICANS.

Scourging Each Other With the Terrible Cactus Cane. A Good Friday Event.

Anyone who has ever been on a cattle ranch in Texas or New Mexico has seen many illustrations of the profound fear and religious faith of the Mexican cowboys, said C. P. Horton, proprietor of the Loupas cattle ranch in New Mexico to a New York *Sun* correspondent. "The laceration of flesh with thorny cactus in time of danger or trouble, as a penance for their sins, is a common act among them, and many is the herd of cattle that has suffered enormous loss through Mexicans in charge of them attaching more importance to their barbarous atonement for past wickedness than they did to the cattle in their custody. I once knew a herd of 3,500 cattle to be stampeded in a thunder-storm because the Mexicans who were trailing them were afraid of thunder and lightning and threw themselves from their horses, stripped themselves and lashed their naked bodies with cactus as a propitiation of the elements, while the herd rushed wildly away in all directions and hundreds were lost.

"It is not an uncommon thing for Mexican cowboys to stop on the trail to punish themselves for their sins. Frequently their cries while giving themselves the thorny flagellation cause a disastrous stampede of the cattle they have been intrusted with. I have many a time seen these Mexicans walk barefooted for rods over patches of cactus spikes, while a companion followed and lashed their naked backs with the same thorny plant—the formidable cane cactus. Once I was in a town in northern Mexico and witnessed an astonishing exhibition.

"I had a friend down there who was looking after the interests of a mining company, and as I had been asked to go into the concern I went down to look the ground over. I arrived in the place on Friday just a year ago last Good Friday.

"'You're just in time,' exclaimed my friend when we met. 'They're going to give this community its annual sin-cleaning by lashing a greaser till you can't tell him from a side of dressed beef, and we'll go and see 'em do it.'

"He then explained to me that on every Good Friday at least one Mexican in the parish had to submit to public flagellation with cane cactus, as a penance not only for his sins for the year past, but for those of the community in general. I accompanied my friend to see how an official flagellation was conducted.

"We went first to the church, which was an ancient one. In the altar stood a young Mexican stripped to the waist. The priest was saying prayers over him and all the people were kneeling and telling their beads.

"'That's a chap they call Bad Lopez,' whispered my friend. 'He has evidently beaten the record for wickedness this year, and will get the tickler.'

The ceremonies of the church were soon over. Then Bad Lopez took up a heavy cross that lay near the altar, threw it across his shoulder and followed the priest out of the church. The cross was made of timber eight inches square. It was not less than eight feet long, with cross arms in proportion. Lopez bent under its weight. The people in the church followed Lopez. I didn't see the priest after we left the church. The procession marched nearly half a mile, and the Mexican couldn't have carried that heavy cross another rod. But the destination was reached. A cross had been raised on the spot and around this Lopez walked once and laid his cross on the ground. The crowd surrounded the standing cross. Two stout Mexicans stepped forward. Each had in his hand a stalk of cane cactus. A stalk of cane cactus is about four feet long. A man can just nicely reach around its butt and get a firm hold of it. The stalk tapers to a point, and has numerous branches, four or five inches long. Stalk and branches are covered with thousands of needle-like thorns. These are an inch long, and as poisonous as a bee-stinger. Every wound made by one of these spikes is bound to swell, and fester, and itch worse than nettles.

"It was with one of these encouraging weapons that each of Lopez' scourgers was armed. They were apparently anxious to purify the parish without delay, for they did not hesitate a moment when they stepped from the crowd, but started right in to thrashing the young Mexican's bare back as if they were simply rattling out a floor of grain. Around and around the cross Lopez marched, his flagellators at his heels, and wielding their frightful weapons with vigor and regularity, while the spectators chanted a wierd and discordant hymn. At the first blow of the cactus the Mexican's back was lacerated as if it had been cut by lances, and the blood ran down in streams. A visible tremor shook his frame, and he drew himself down convulsively under the pain of the first blow, but not a sound escaped his lips. The poison spikes were pounded into his flesh as long as there were any branches to the cactus stalk. By the time the terrible scourgers were worn out there was not a spot of whole skin of untorn flesh from the Mexican's shoulders to his waist. Scores of the thorns had broken off in the flesh, and protruded from the lacerated mass like porcupine quills.

As soon as the merciless beating was over Lopez was marched back again to the church. At the church door a smooth bar of wood was passed over his mangled back from the shoulders down, to remove such of the spikes and adhering sections of the cactus as would come off with scraping. Those with other bits of cactus that the spectators had picked up around the cross, were thrown on the ground in front of the church door, and over these Lopez walked in his bare feet, to and fro several times. Then the sacrifice was over. The Mexican had atoned for a whole parish's sins and his friends took him home. I don't know whether he ever got well or not, but I was told that it was a common thing for the victims of these flagellations to be six months recovering from the effect of the punishment and they seldom ever did entirely recover.

An Incredible Story

A gentleman who has recently returned from quite a long trip through the land of the Aztecs has been giving some interesting details of his experiences to his friends. Among other things, he said that when he was in the City of Mexico he was shown through some ancient buildings, convents and jails that were erected by the Spaniards several centuries ago. In the wall of one of these ancient edifices he saw a small opening, so he naturally inquired of his Mexican guide what purpose it served. He was told that it was one of those buildings in which criminals were walled up alive. "But what was the use of the hole in the wall?" he asked. "Well, senor," replied the guide, "as long as the prisoner lived his food was handed to him on a plate, and he handed back the empty plate through the hole, but when the prisoner handed back the plate with the food on, it untouched, then the jailer knew that he was dead already, and didn't give him any more."—*Texas Siftings.*

Mr. Slick (innocently)—I never went home drunk in the whole course of my life. Mr. Coldwater (congratulatory)—Ah, that's good. I'm glad to hear it, and I hope you never will. Mr. Slick—Well, I won't unless the patrol-wagon is off duty some night and a strange cab driver gets onto me.—*Washington Critic.*

Proud father—Goin' ter start 'r church and Sunday-school, are yer? Well, I've got two mighty good boys wot'll do for yer Bible class. They never told a lie in their lives—here they come now. Boys, where did you git that fowl? The good boys—Stole it. Proud father—See, parson! Er lie couldn't live in them boys' mouths.—*Munsey's Weekly.*

The editor's friend—Don't be so down-hearted, old man. She's not the only woman in the world. "There's just as good fish in the sea," you know. The editor—It is not so much the simple fact that she rejected me that hurts so much as the way in which she did it. She returned my letters along with a "declined with thanks" card that I once sent her on receipt of a poem she had sent to the office before we were acquainted.—*Terre Haute Express.*

They were in the conservatory at an evening party, and there, amid the perfume of the roses and posies, he had fervently declared his passion. "Mr. Sampson," she responded, with womanly tenderness, "my heart has been wholly yours for months, and now," she went on, shyly taking his arm, "you may take me in to supper; I heard it announced when you first began those words of love which have so blissfully changed all the colors of my life."—*Harper's Bazar.*

Playwright to manager—My judgment is that this play will go. Nine men are killed in the first act, there are three elopements in the second, and in the third the heroine wears a costume that would do credit to a Hottentot on a hot midsummer day. Manager (cynically)—All old, sir; all old. Playwright (triumphantly)—exactly what I said. So in the fourth act I made the hero propose exactly as men propose in real life. Nothing like it on any stage.—*Philadelphia Inquirer.*

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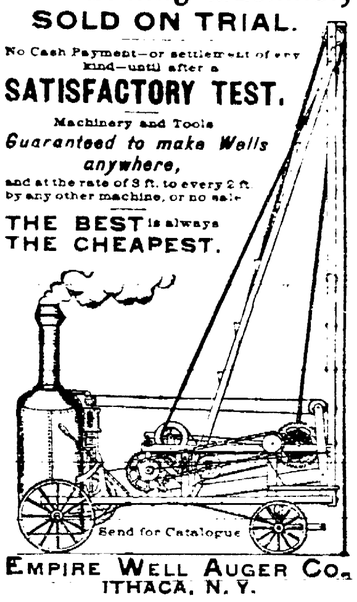

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Mackinac Exp	7:42 p. m	Chicago Exp	7:42 p. m
Owosso Ar.	12:45	Owosso Ar.	4:30 p. m.

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ONE OF LINCOLN'S STORIES

That Proved a Damper to a Certain Reverend Aspirant [illegible]

Speaking of Conn. Harris's [illegible] Lincoln, albeit an exceedingly patient and magnanimous [illegible] emphatic [illegible] a Washington correspondent of the New York *Tribune*. His negations were as frequently expressed in [illegible] as his affirmations were [illegible].

A large and [illegible] continued the senator, [illegible] persistently importuned Mr. Lincoln to give the rank of brigadier general [illegible] to the army, [illegible] recommend [illegible] and ecclesiastic [illegible]. Upon the last appearance of the delegation Pres. Lincoln, finding it impossible to convince them of the absurdity of creating the rank referred to, took another tack and inquired with apparent anxiety as to the qualifications of their particular candidate. The deputation enlarged considerably upon his well known piety and ardent devotion to the cause of religion, painting in the most glowing colors this 'Boanerges of the great and glowing west,' as they graphically described him. Now, the fact of the matter was that President Lincoln had heard some rather alarming accounts concerning the reverend gentleman, whose amusements and accomplishments were somewhat secular in their character; indeed, he had been assured that this worthy representative of the church militant had not, on several occasions, disdained the frequent potation in the beer saloons of his native town.

"Well," remarked the president, in reply to their eulogiums, "I have heard statements made about the reverend candidate whom you are urging upon me which recall a little incident that happened the other day. I was walking along a street here in Washington which was not much frequented. It had been raining, and there was a good deal of mud near the curbstones, and three or four boys were carrying the unenticing mixture on pieces of board and in old tin pans to a bigger boy on the sidewalk, who was laying off the mud by means of a wooden dauber which he had made, in a sort of regular plan of figure, comprising squares, parallelograms, angles and circles of various sizes. They were all working like beavers and didn't notice my arrival until I was standing right over them, but finally their work seemed to be complete and they all stood round admiring it. "Well, my little man," I finally inquired, "what have you been making here?" The dirty little urchin looked at me for a moment, with an expression of withering scorn upon his grimy face, and then cried out: "Why, doncher see, or are you a blind man, anyway? See here," he continued, pointing to the different figures with his mud-dauber, "this is a church; why, here's the windows, here's the steeple, here's the organ, here's the pews, here's the people, and here's the pulpit, too," he finally concluded.

"But where in the world's the parson, my little man?" I ventured to inquire. The boy looked at me for a second with inexpressible contempt, and then replied, with a bitter emphasis impossible to describe: "Why he's the ornery, snivelin' cuss that's snoopin' 'round a-tryin' to marry my mother; there ain't mean enough mud in the whole blamed street to make him!"

"That deputation," pursued the senator, "filed out, one by one, from Lincoln's presence in a silence that could be felt."

Distribution of Seed.

Mr. Darwin found that the small portions of earth attaching to the feet of migrating birds contained seed. Nine grains of earth on the leg of a woodcock contained a seed of the toad rush. From six and a half ounces of earth rolled into a ball and adhering to the leg of a wounded partridge he raised eighty-two separate plants of five species. Migrating birds often frequent the edges of ponds ere their departure, and in six and three-quarter ounces of such mud he raised under glass 537 plants. Seeds furnished with crowns, books, or prickles readily stick to the plumage of birds, which all such birds, and especially such wanderers as the albatross, might carry long distances. Apply these facts to the case of the Azores. Mr. Wallace found that the most of the plants of the Azorean flora are well adapted to be carried by the methods just suggested—forty-five of the 439 flowering plants belonging to genera that have either pappus or winged seeds, sixty-five to such as have minute seeds, thirty to those with fleshy fruits which are greedily eaten by birds, some have hispid seeds, and eighty-four are glumaceous plants well suited to conveyance by winds and currents. The only trees and shrubs of this isolated group are bearers of small berries, such as the Portugal laurel, Barustinus, and elder, while those with heavy berries, which could not be conveyed by the means suggested, oaks, chestnuts, hazels, apple, beeches, alders, firs, are absent, common as they are in Europe. The character of the flora is that of the southwestern peninsula of Europe, and if we assume that one-half of its species is indigenous, the other introduced by European settlers, there is still a rich and varied flora which Mr. Wallace thinks has been recently carried over nine hundred miles of ocean by no means just indicated. There is probably no better example of [illegible] that offered by the Azores, and it is believed that the phenomena [illegible] are still in progress, and that [illegible] do not form the limit of the distance to which this same ocean carriage of plants extends. [illegible]

"Tis easier to build two chimneys than to keep one in fuel," as Poor Richard says.

Brisk talkers are usually slow thinkers.

WASHINGTON NEWS

[illegible]

The civil service examinations [illegible] was suspended upon these [illegible] New York [illegible] changes in [illegible] examinations will [illegible].

The Monocacy under repairs on the Asiatic station will [illegible] the navy yards [illegible] navy regulations [illegible] advertised and it was found [illegible] with very great repairs [illegible] many years of service.

The attorney general has appointed James L. Caldwell of Nebraska assistant United States attorney for the state, to prosecute for Nebraska the suit against the Union Pacific and Western Pacific companies authorized by congress. The suit is for the purpose of compelling the Union Pacific to operate its telegraph lines.

The report of the assistant secretary of the treasury will, it is said, decide that Canadian cars crossing over into the United States laden with merchandise for this country and returning empty shall be exempt from duty but cars crossing from Canada empty and returning filled must pay duty, as they are then engaged in international commerce.

The treasury department has decided an interesting question in regard to the classification of so called garnetted wool waste. The case was appealed from New York by the decision of the collector there, the duty on this wool waste being made 30 cents whereas it was claimed that the duty ought only to be 10 cents. The decision of the collector was sustained.

Dr. Dorchester, superintendent of Indian schools, has returned from a two months tour of inspection among the Indian schools in the west. At the Chilocco school, in Indian territory, the Indian boys, with the assistance of two white farmers, are cultivating 225 acres of corn, 90 acres of wheat, 20 acres of potatoes, beside smaller acreages of other crops. In some of the schools visited Dr. Dorchester said that the instructors and others in authority were inefficient.

Attorney General Miller has just given an important opinion in the case of a naval cadet who tendered his resignation, which was duly accepted. The resignation was subsequently regarded as withdrawn and the cadet was sent back to the academy. The Attorney General is of the opinion that the consent of the Secretary of the Navy to the withdrawal of the resignation had no legal effect whatever. On the acceptance of the resignation the cadet ceased to be in the service.

The request of citizens of Alaska for the detail of a detachment of troops for the protection of life and property in that Territory has been favorably received by the Secretary of War, who has recommended to the President that the request be complied with. One or two of the companies of the Fourteenth Infantry from Vancouver Barracks will probably be assigned to this duty. They will be relieved every year or two. In anticipation of the request being complied with the Quartermaster's Department is considering the advisability of providing a special kind of clothing suitable to the climate.

MERCY FOR PAYMASTER SMITH

Secretary Tracy remitted the sentence in the case of Paymaster Smith, recently tried in New York city by a naval court-martial on a charge of having left his ship without permission. The court sentenced him to six months' suspension from duty on furlough pay, but in view of the fact that they did not consider him responsible recommended him to mercy. He will be released from arrest at once.

REDEMPTION OF [illegible]

Treasurer Hyatt has issued new regulations regarding the redemption of currency as follows: If three-fifths of a note is presented the face value will be given. If less than three-fifths and more than two-fifths is presented, half the face value will be given. Also full face value will be given on less than three-fifths of a note on affidavits stating that the missing portions were destroyed, and explaining the cause and manner of the loss.

DECREASE IN IMMIGRATION

During June 46,059 immigrants came to this country, against 98,475 in June, 1888. There has been a considerable decrease in immigration to the United States during the year, the number arriving being 438,614, against 539,515 during the preceding fiscal year—a decrease of 100,901. This decrease was mainly in arrivals from the following countries: From Great Britain and Ireland, a decrease of 27,607, from Italy, 26,229, from Norway and Sweden, 24,296, from Austria-Hungary, 11,637, and from Germany, 30,133.

CHINESE CAN PASS THROUGH

The attorney-general has given the opinion that there is no legal objection to the transit through United States territory of the Chinamen recently arrived at New Orleans from Cuba en route to China via San Francisco. Secretary Hoke Smith decides that the exclusion act does not prohibit the landing in the United States of the Chinese who enlisted as servants on the United States naval vessels recently at Samoa and whose services will terminate upon the arrival of the vessels at San Francisco. The solicitor considers that as these men form part of the working outfit of the vessels they are exempted from the operations of the exclusion act.

CONTRACT LABOR DECISION

The secretary of the treasury has decided an interesting question arising under the alien contract labor law. It seems that Irvin & Sellers of Kingston, who have a branch house in New York, recently sent over a book keeper to the home office to take the place of a [illegible] employed in the New York office. The solicitor of the treasury decided that the book-keeper did not clearly come in this country under the contract labor law. His ruling would be a palpable violation of law. The secretary concurred in the opinion and instructed the collector of New York to compel the book-keeper to return to England.

THE YELLOW FEVER [illegible]

Speaking of the yellow fever outbreaks this year, Surgeon General Hamilton said to the present time he had not received an intimation of any such outbreak. The yellow fever quarantine officers of the marine hospital service were under instructions to be on the lookout for the appearance of the disease. The first case at Jacksonville was reported [illegible] there was but [illegible] Jacksonville than [illegible] in consequence of the fact that yellow fever had [illegible] been brought in.

LAW'S DELAYS

In a Colorado case pending in special session before a local land office in Ohio, Secretary Noble has directed that the sheets filed by counsel be taken from the records and returned to them because of scurrilous and intemperate language [illegible] against each other contained therein.

An Expert [illegible]

[illegible]

It is [illegible] has a doctor to [illegible] cents.

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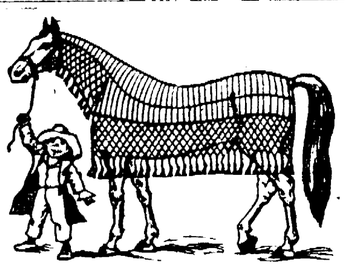

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N. F. B[illegible] 4, 5 and [illegible] $4[illegible]

Isabel B[illegible] Mary F. Harper, n w¼ of s w¼ sec [illegible] $[illegible]

DARWIN

Darwin Sanders to Norris W. Newell n w¼ of s w¼ sec 25, $1,400.

FAIRFIELD

H. E. Wilt to K. H. Williams, w½ of w½ of s e¼, and s w¼ of n e¼, and s e¼ of n w¼ sec 10, $2800.

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C. H. Frain to W. H. Rowley, part lot 2, block 1, Weeks' 1st add, $150.

B. W. Dennis to Isaac Toland, lot 3, block 22, $1000.

Damel Lebar to A. J. Lebar, n 65 feet lot 2, block 19, $500.

OVID

J. G. Mabbett to Lucy L. Briggs, lot 10, block 6, Mabbett's add, $125.

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Isabella Ketchum to Ovanda Townsend, ¼ acre part out lot 17, J. H. Kelley's add, $700.

Ovanda Townsend to Isabella Ketchum part out lot 19, J. H. Kelley's add, $400.

HAZELTON.

Martha Little to Thomas W. Fowler, s 45 acres of s e¼ sec 19, $1,3[illegible]

HENDERSON.

H. H. Henderson to W. H. M[illegible] lots 2 and 3, block 8, $75.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses granted since our last report:

NO.	NAME & RESIDENCE.	AGE
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	Laura Mack, Owosso Township	56
500	George E. Redfield, Vernon	27
	Grace Hopkins, Vernon	16
501	William Hopkins, Lansing	23
	Mirt Richards, Owosso	17
502	David G. Hanford, Morrice	21
	Alice Ferris, Morrice	19
503	William R. Wilson, Durand	31
	Francis M. Ellsworth, Durand	32

Treasurer Coleman, of Warren county, Ohio, is said to be a defaulter to the extent of $63,000. It is said that there are also other charges against Mr. Coleman, the nature of which have not been made known.

Bloody flux has appeared at Warsaw, Ill., in an epidemic form, the victims being mostly children, and 180 cases are now reported. The disease is also reported at Hamilton, Canton, and other places.

At Otsego, N. Y., last week, Mrs. John Porter gave birth to a child which weighed but thirty ounces. It is barely ten inches long, measuring but three inches across the shoulders, and is perfectly healthy.

A fire started by sportsmen a week ago in No-Name Canyon, Colorado, has spread, and now covers an era of ten miles square, the entire face of the Grizzly and No-Name Mountains being one mass of fire.

Prince Bismarck's maneuvers to bring about a meeting of the three emperors have been foiled by the sullen reticence of the czar, who has not acknowledged the communications informing him of the proposed interview.

[illegible] own people are a[illegible] permanent dwellings until [illegible] shall have been cleaned of the [illegible] there.

Ex-Secretary W. C. Whitney denies emphatically that he is a candidate for the democratic presidential [illegible] in 1892.

Brown-Sequard's elixir of [illegible] been tried, it is declared, with success upon Noah Clark, a war veteran of Indianapolis.

The Society of the Army of the Tennessee has decided to hold its twenty-second annual meeting at Cincinnati in September.

Col. Ed A. Parrott has purchased the controling interest in the Dayton (Ohio) *Evening Herald*, and will assume editorial charge.

Colonel W. B. Fordney, for many years the intimate personal friend of the late Simon Cameron, died at Lancaster, Pa., aged 83 years.

A cyclone struck Ellis Corners in Ulster County, N. Y., Tuesday destroying a large amount of property and injuring a number of persons.

John L. Sullivan was arrested in New York Wednesday night for participating in the fight with Kilrain and locked up at police headquarters.

In a fight between Dutch troops and natives at Acneen, Sumatra, recently nineteen Dutchmen were killed and twenty-two wounded.

The National Bureau of Engraving, an extensive lithographic establishment at Philadelphia, is to be sold to satisfy the demands of creditors.

Fire at Ripley, Ohio, Friday morning destroyed every manufactory in that city and several dwellings besides. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

An earthquake in the western portion of the Island of Kiousiou, Japan, destroyed the town Kumumato, and a great number of people perished.

Stewart Newell has brought suit against the Reading Railroad company for possession of $20,000,000 worth of coal lands to which he claims the title.

Negotiations have been completed for the sale of all the breweries in Omaha to a European syndicate for $1,500,000. The purchasers are said to be the Rothschilds.

At Syracuse, N. Y. recently Mrs. Mary Calihon, who was thought to be dead, surprised her friends by turning over in her coffin. It is thought she will recover.

At a reception tendered Mur at Halstead at Cincinnati Saturday evening that gentleman practically declared himself a candidate for the United States senate.

Total revenue collections in the Peoria (Ill.) district for the month of July amounted to $1,748,965.90; total tax-paid gallons, 1,985,797, and total packages exported, 425.

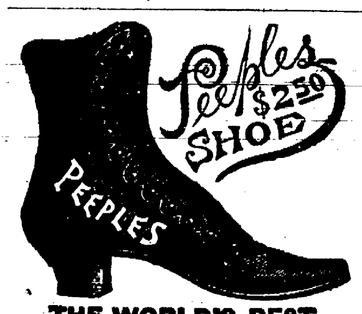
The senate committee on irrigation while at Huron Dak. declared that there is a wealth of water to be had by irrigation in South Dakota and advises the farmers to bore for it.

Ex-Senator Rollins, of New Hampshire, died at the Appleton House, Isle of Shoals, Wednesday from the effects of a shock sustained Saturday last. Deceased was 64 years old.

Horace A. Taylor, United States Railroad Commissioner, has forwarded his resignation as Senator from the Tenth District to Governor Hoard, of Wisconsin, to take effect immediately.

Edgar Brown, the Wichita (Kan.) merchant, in his latest statements contradicts his former stories, and the authorities are looking for a woman who is thought to be connected with the case.

The senate committee on Alaska has reached California and says that Sitka is a dead town and that the Indians are very immoral. It does not believe that Alaska can support a dense population.



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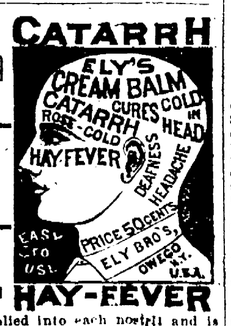

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WHEELER DRAIN LETTING

AUG. 15, 1889.

Notice is hereby given, That I, G. T. Mason, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Shiawassee, State of Michigan, will on **Thursday, the 15th day of August, A. D., 1889,** at the outlet of the drain and the farm of G. R. Lyon, in the city of Corunna, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known as the "Wheeler Drain," located and established in the City of Corunna, and Township of Caledonia, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point situated 6.58 chains N and 54.40 chs w of the w¼ post of sec 21 in T 7 N of R 4 E. From thence running S 73 deg E 5.38 chs, thence S 81½ deg E 2.36 chs; thence S 42½ deg E 1.78 chs; thence S 75¾ deg E 4.27 chs; thence N 67¼ deg E 2.17 chs; thence N 42½ deg E 2.72 chs; thence S 85 deg E 4.27 chs; thence S 72¼ deg e 6.27 chs; thence S 87½ deg E 3.05 chs; thence S 47¼ deg E 8 chs; thence S 66 deg E 4.13 chs; thence N 50 deg E 6.78 chs; thence N 73 deg E 4.39 chs; thence S 87¼ deg e 2.08 chs; thence n 55 deg e 3.82 chs; thence n 33¼ deg E 1.88 chs to E and W ¼ line of sec 21; thence N 18 deg E 9.04 chs; thence N 24 deg E 79 links; thence N 75½ deg E 2.35 chs; thence N 87¾ deg E 7.01 chs; thence S 66½ deg E 1.67 chs; thence S 80 deg E 1.32 chs; thence N 86 deg E 1.10 chs; thence S 82 deg E 4.25 chs; thence N 71 deg E 20.80 chs; thence N 52¾ deg E 7.85 chs; thence N 61¾ deg E 1.32 chs; thence N 15 deg W 3.52 chs; thence N 36¼ deg W 7.01 chs; thence N 26 deg W 3.20 chs; thence N 41 deg E 2.29 chs; thence N 76½ deg E 11.31 chs; thence N 47 deg E 6.20 chs; thence N 42 deg E 1.31 chs; thence N 21 deg E 66 links; thence N 49 deg E 7.09 chs; thence N 20½ deg E 5.74 chs; thence N 11 deg E 3.14 chs; thence N 39½ deg E 11.12 chs; thence N 80½ deg E 5.58 chs; thence N 61½ deg E 4.06 chs; thence N 36½ deg E 3.68 chs; thence N 57 deg E 2.20 chs; thence N 38 deg E 16.04 chs; thence N 55 deg E 2.95 chs to a point situated 18 feet E of the N and S quarter line of section 15 of said township, thence N 36.92 chs to a point situated S 52 deg E 35 links from the north quarter post of section No. 15.

Said drain is to be three feet wide on the bottom from stake O to stake 110, a distance of 875 rods, and 5½ feet, and the balance of said drain is to be two feet wide on the bottom. Said drain is to have a slope of one foot on each side to each foot rise. The length of said drain is 1,014 rods and 8 feet. The land to be taken for said drain is a strip 10 feet deep and 15 feet wide on each side of the above described line.

Surveyed March 13th, 1889.

FERA MASON, Surveyor.

Said job will be let by sections or divisions. The section at the outlet of the Drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum to be fixed by me. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of letting. I shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Notice is further hereby given, That at the time and place of said letting I will read the per cent subject to correction, and at ten o'clock a. m. of the following day Aug 16th, 1889, at the County Treasurer's Office, in the city of Corunna, the assessment of benefits made by me, will be subject to review.

Dated this 30th day of July, A. D. 1889.

G. T. MASON,
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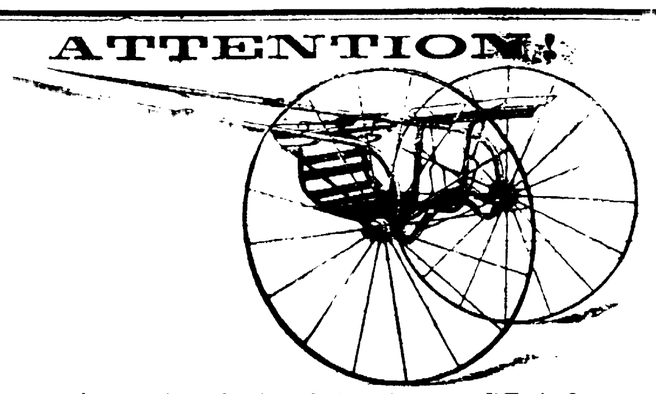

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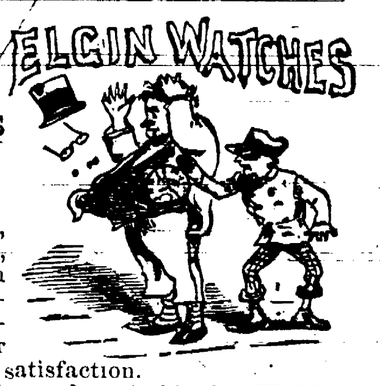

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