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HOLLAND CITY NEWS.

VOL. XII.—NO. 48.

HOLLAND, MICH., SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1884.

WHOLE NO. 617.

The Holland City News.

A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER.

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY AT

HOLLAND, - - MICHIGAN.

OFFICE: No. 22 EIGHTH STREET.

WILLIAM H. ROGERS.

Editor and Publisher.

Terms of Subscription:

\$1.50 per year if paid in advance; \$1.75 if paid at three months, and \$2.00 if paid at six months.

108 PRINTING Promptly and Neatly Executed.

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5 "	17 00	25 00	40 00
6 "	25 00	40 00	65 00

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Rail Roads.

Chicago & West Michigan Railway.

Taking Effect, Sunday, Dec. 16, 1883.

From Holland to Chicago.				From Chicago to Holland.			
N ^o .	Day	Exp.	Mail.	N ^o .	Day	Exp.	Mail.
1000	p. m.	1 35	10 45	2 50	p. m.	10 05	4 50
10 30	11 05	East Saginaw	2 45	4 28			
10 40	11 30	New Richmond	2 55	9 42	4 18		
11 30	2 30	12 10	Gd. Junction	1 55	9 08	3 30	
11 55	2 45	12 30	Bangor	1 37	8 50	3 10	
1 25	3 27	3 00	Benton Harbor	12 40	7 50	1 55	
1 50	3 37	2 10	St. Joseph	12 30	7 45	1 50	
3 15	4 30	3 30	New Buffalo	11 30	7 08	12 45	
7 30	7 40	6 50	Chicago	8 55	4 30	9 55	
a. m.	p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	

GRAND RAPIDS BRANCH.

From Holland to Grand Rapids.				From Grand Rapids to Holland.			
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	a. m.
10 05	3 00	10 30	3 30	10 30	1 30	9 40	
3 12	5 13	Zeeland	10 30	9 40			
3 32	5 35	Hudsonville	10 02	9 15			
3 43	5 50	Grandville	9 50	8 55			
10 45	4 00	6 10	Grand Rapids	9 35	12 50	48 35	
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	

From Holland to Muskegon.				From Muskegon to Holland.			
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.
3 00	10 30	7 55	10 30	1 25	3 00	9 40	
3 25	10 50	5 55	West Olive	2 35			
3 35	11 00	6 10	Bushkill				
4 00	11 20	6 35	Grand Haven	12 35	2 05	8 50	
4 05	11 25	6 40	Ferrysburg	12 28	2 00	8 40	
4 45	12 05	7 15	Muskegon	12 05	1 25	18 00	
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.		p. m.	p. m.	p. m.	

From Holland to Allegan.				From Allegan to Holland.			
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.	a. m.
3 00	9 30	Holland	10 30	1 35			
3 35	9 55	Fillmore	10 10	1 05			
3 55	9 15	Hamilton	10 02	12 50			
3 58	9 50	Dunning	9 50	12 15			
4 15	10 30	Allegan	9 25	11 35			
p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.			

* Mixed trains.
† Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday. All trains run by Detroit time.

Mixed Trains leave Holland, going north, at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Grand Rapids at 10:15 a. m., and at 10:05 p. m., arriving at Muskegon at 12:10 a. m.; also mixed trains leave Holland, going south, at 5:50 a. m. and 8:55 a. m.

Business Directory.

Attorneys.

HOWARD, M. D., Claim Agent, Attorney and Notary Public; River street.

Commission Merchant.

BEACH, W. H., Commission Merchant, and dealer in Grain, Flour and Produce. Highest market price paid for wheat. Office in Brick store cor Eighth & Fish streets, Holland, Mich. 17

Drugs and Medicines.

DOESBURG, J. O., Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Paints and Oils, Brushes, &c. Physicians' prescriptions carefully put up. Eighth St.

MEENGS, D. R., Drug Store. Fine Drugs, Medicines, Fancy Goods, Toilet Articles and Perfumery. River street.

VAN PUTTEN, Wm., Dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c.; Proprietor of Dr. W. Van Den Broek's Family Medicines; River St.

WALSH HEBER, Druggist & Pharmacist; a full stock of goods appertaining to the business.

Furniture.

MEYER, BROUWER & CO., Dealers in all kinds of Furniture, Curtains, Wall Paper, Carpets, Coffins, Picture Frames, &c.; River st.

General Dealers.

VAN PUTTEN G. & SONS, General Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hats and Caps, Flour, Provisions, &c.; River street.

Hotels.

CITY HOTEL, Williams Bros., Proprietors. The only first-class Hotel in the city. Is located in the business center of the town, and has one of the largest and best sample rooms in the State. Free bus in connection with the Hotel. Holland, Mich. 10-17

PHOENIX HOTEL, Jas. Ryder, proprietor. Located near the Chl. & W. Mich. R'y depot, has good facilities for the traveling public, and its table is unsurpassed. Free Hack for accommodation of guests. Holland, Mich.

SCOTT'S HOTEL, W. J. Scott, proprietor. This hotel is located on the cor. of Ninth and Fish streets. Terms, \$1.35 per day. Good accommodations can always be relied on. Holland, Mich. 8-17

Livery and Sale Stables.

BOONE H., Livery and Sale Stable. Office on Barn on Market street. Everything first-class.

HAVERKATE, G. J., Livery and Boarding stable. Fine rigs and good horses can always be relied on. On Fish street, near Scott's Hotel. 33-17

NIBBELINK, J. H., Livery and Sale Stable; Ninth street, near Market.

Meat Market.

VAN DER HAAR, H., Dealer in Fresh, Salt, and Smoked Meats and Vegetables; paper and twine; 8th street.

Manufactories, Mills, Shops, &c.

PAULS, VAN PUTTEN & CO., Proprietors of Plumber Mills; (Steam Saw and Flour Mills) near foot of 8th street.

VAN RAALTE, B., dealer in Farm Implements and Machinery, cor. River and Ninth street.

WILMS, P. H., Manufacturer of Wooden, and Iron and Wood combination Pumps. Cor. 10th and River streets.

Notary Publics.

STEGENGA, A. P., Justice of the Peace, and Notary Public. Conveyancing done at short notice. Office Zeeland, Michigan. 9-17

Physicians.

BEST, R. B., Physician and Surgeon, can be found in his office, cor. River and Eighth streets in Vanderveen's Block.

KREMERS, Jt., Physician and Surgeon. Residence on Twelfth street, cor. of Market street. Office at the drug store of Kremers & Bangor. Office hours from 11 a. m. to 12 m., and from 5 to 6 p. m. 50-17

SCHIPBOERST, L., Physician and Surgeon; office at the drug store of Schepers & Schipboerst; is prepared at all times, day or night, to attend to "calls."

YATES, O. E., Physician and Surgeon. Office at residence at the corner of River and Eleventh streets, formerly occupied by the late Dr. B. Ledebor. 43-17

MANTING, A. G., Physician and Surgeon; office at Graafschap Village, Allegan county, Mich. Office hours from 12 to 2 p. m. 26-17

Photographer.

HIGGINS, B. P., the leading Photographer, Gallery opposite this office.

Watches and Jewelry.

BREYMAN, OTTO Watchmaker, Jeweler, and dealer in Fancy Goods; Corner of Market and Eighth Street.

WYKHUYSEN, H., dealer in Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Spectacles, cor. Ninth and Cedar streets, Holland Mich. 24-17

Societies.

I. O. of O. F.

Holland City Lodge, No. 192, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, holds its regular meetings at Odd Fellows Hall, Holland, Mich., on Tuesday Evening of each week. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. THOS. McMASTERS, N. G. WILLIAM BAUMGARTEL, R. S.

F. & A. M.

A Regular Communication of UNITY LODGE, No. 191, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall, Holland, Mich., at 7 o'clock sharp, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 9, Feb. 6, March 5, April 9, May 7, June 4, July 2, Aug. 6, Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Oct. 29, Nov. 26, Dec. 31. St. John's days June 24, and Dec. 27. R. B. BEST, W. M. D. L. BOYD, Sec'y.

Our Markets.

Produce, &c.

(Corrected every Friday by E. J. Harrington.)
Apples, @ bushel.....\$ 75 @ 1 00
Beans, @ bushel.....1 50 @ 1 75
Butter, lb.....19 @ 20
Eggs, @ dozen.....2 @ 25
Flour, @ bushel.....2 @ 25
Honey, @ bushel.....13 @ 15
Onions, @ bushel.....1 @ 1 00
Potatoes, @ bushel.....35 @ 40

Grain, Feed, &c.

(Corrected every Friday by W. H. Beach.)
Buckwheat, @ bushel.....85 @
Barley, @ 100 lb.....1 00 @ 1 10
Barley, @ 100 lb.....5 00 @ 5 10
Clover seed, @ 100 lb.....1 25 @
Corn, shelled @ bushel.....35 @
Flour, @ bushel.....2 25 @
Fine Corn Meal @ 100 lb.....2 00 @
Feed, @ ton.....24 30 @
Hay, @ 100 lb.....1 25 @
Hay, @ ton.....8 00 @ 9 00
Middling, @ 100 lb.....1 20 @
Oats, @ bushel.....35 @
Pearl Barley, @ 100 lb.....6 00 @
Rye, @ bushel.....35 @
Timothy Seed, @ bushel.....1 50 @
Wheat, white @ bushel.....1 00 @
Red Fultz, " ".....1 00 @
Ladeneer Red, @ bushel.....1 05 @

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts. 50 cts. and \$1. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

CATARH CURED, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price, 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

FOR LAME BACK, Side or Chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures consumption. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. Sold by D. R. Meengs.

A NEW lot of fresh crackers just received. Try them. Also crackers in 3 pound boxes we are making a specialty of. Don't fail to call at
CITY BAKERY.

WANTED.

A steady young man about 14 or 15 years of age with some knowledge of Latin to learn the Drug business. A splendid opportunity for one who wants to learn. Address, HENRY VENNEMA, 45-17 MARINETTE, Wis.

New Advertisements.

WM. BAUMGARTEL,
Freight and Ticket Agent
Chicago and West Mich.
RAILWAY

Sells tickets to all principal points in the United States and Canada. Money can be saved by purchasing tickets of me. Through Bills of Lading issued and rates given for freights to all points. Call and see me before making your journey or shipments.
WM. BAUMGARTEL,
Agent Chicago and West Michigan Railway.
HOLLAND, Mich., Nov. 28, 1883. 42-17

ATTENTION
Farmers and
Woodsmen.

We will buy all the Stave and Heading Bolts you can make and deliver the year round, viz:

Oak Stave Bolts, 30 inches long.
White Ash Stave Bolts, 30 inches long.
Elm Stave Bolts, 33 inches long.
Black Ash Stave Bolts, 33 inches long.
Black Ash Heading Bolts 38 inches long.
Basswood Heading Bolts, 38 inches long.
Pine Heading Bolts, 20 inches long.

For making contracts or further information apply to Fixter's Stave Factory. ED. VER SCHURE, Supt. or to G. Van Putten & Sons' store.

H. WYKHUYSEN,
—dealer in—
Gold and Silver Watches!

Solid Gold and Plated Chains.
Ladies' and Gents' Lockets,
Silverware, Platedware,
Jewelry and Clocks.

I also keep on hand a full line of

SPECTACLES!
My stock of
—SILVERWARE—
is unsurpassed in this city.

Particular attention is called to the fact that all my goods are first-class and are sold at low prices.

Come in and see my Stock. Watches and Clocks repaired on short notice.

NINTH STREET, OPPOSITE FIRST CHURCH.

H. WYKHUYSEN.

HOLLAND, Mich., Oct. 24, 1883. 34-1

Common Council.

HOLLAND, Mich., Jan. 1, 1884.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council the following members were present, viz: Aldermen Williams, Beukema, Werkman and the Clerk.

There not being a quorum present adjourned to Wednesday, 7:30, p. m., January 2nd, 1884.

GEO. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

HOLLAND, Mich., January 2nd, 1884.

The Common Council met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Mayor.

Members present: Mayor Beach, Aldermen Ter Vree, Beukema, Kramer, Werkman, Boyd and the Clerk.

Minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved.

Ald. Williams here appeared and took is seat.

PETITIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

The following petition was presented, to wit:

GENTLEMEN:—In behalf of Mrs. M. Hoogesteger I would petition your Hon. Body to remit the tax on lots 5 and 10, Block C, West Addition.

Respectfully yours.

I. CAPRON.

—Referred to the Supervisor.

Star Hook & Ladder Co. petitioned that the members of the Company be paid their salaries for the year 1883, amount \$56.00.—Granted and warrants ordered issued on the City Treasurer for the amount.

The following bills were presented for payment:

Van Dyk & Bird, lumber for city purposes	\$338 79
M. Tuijgen, 8 weeks rent for Mrs. Jaffer	4 00
D. Suyter, for ringing the bell	12 50
R. van den Berg, hauling engine from fire	1 00
P. Nagelkerk, service laying out 3 children whose death were caused by contagious diseases	4 00
E. Vaupell, 1 1/2 cde wood for council rooms	2 62
J. Pluin, labor on streets	1 00
M. De Feyter, filing saw	1 00
J. De Feyter, teaming	2 80
W. Roebboom, digging culvert on Land st.	4 37
GEO. H. SIPP, salary as clerk 1 month	19 16
GEO. H. SIPP, sal. as director of the poor 4 months	13 33
E. Vaupell, salary as marshal 1 month	25 00
C. Lundahl, salary as treasurer 1 month	22 92
E. Van der Veen, nails, etc.	13 95
E. Van der Veen, glass and repairing str. lanterns	10 13

—Allowed and warrants ordered issued on the city treasurer for the amounts, excepting bill of E. Van der Veen, for glass and repairing street lanterns, which was referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets and Bridges reported the following:

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee to whom was referred the petition of M. Clark and others praying for two lamps on the corner of River and 5th street and on River and 2nd street, recommend that the same be granted, also report that we have seen Rev. T. W. Jones, and Hope Church will donate a lamp providing the city will take care of it, we would therefore recommend that the petition of the Official Board of Hope Reformed Church be granted, and that the lamp be placed under the supervision of your committee. On the petition of E. J. Harrington praying for a lamp, in the middle of block 35, on Ninth street, between Cedar and Fish streets, your committee would respectfully report that they are of the opinion that it is not really necessary and therefore recommend that the petition be not granted.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN KRAMER,

JOHN BEUKEMA,

Committee.

The Committee on Poor reported presenting the semi-monthly report of the Director of the Poor and said committee, recommending \$23 00 for the support of the poor for the two weeks ending January 16, 1884, and having rendered temporary aid to the amount of \$3.00.—Approved and warrants ordered issued on the City Treasurer for the amounts.

The committee on Poor reported the following:

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee to whom was referred the petitions of C. Van Herwijnen and Mrs. Alling would respectfully recommend that the petition of C. Van Herwijnen be granted; in the case of Mrs. Alling your committee finds that if the Council grants the petition it would benefit a non-resident holder of a mortgage on the property, we therefore recommend that the petition be not granted.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. TER VREE,

JOHN KRAMER,

GEO. N. WILLIAMS,

Committee.

The Committee on Fire Department reported the following:

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee to whom was referred the purchasing of a stove for Columbia Fire Co. would respectfully report that we have purchased stove and pipe from E. Van der Veen for \$16.55 and would recommend that a warrant be ordered issued on the city treasurer for the amount.—Adopted.

Also reported that they had seen Mr. Kanter, in reference to the bill of E. J. Harrington. He states that he will settle the bill of E. J. Harrington for rent of the Fire Co's rooms, the same as he agreed to.

Respectfully submitted

J. BEUKEMA,

R. E. WERKMAN,

DAVID L. BOYD,

Committee.

—Accepted and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

The city marshal

Holland City News.

HOLLAND CITY, MICHIGAN.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Mr. COCKRELL presented a memorial in the Senate, Dec. 24, from the merchants, manufacturers, and business men of St. Louis opposing the repeal of the Vaporing law of 1870, which permits vineyardists to produce low wines for the purpose of making vinegar without payment of the United States tax. The Senate confirmed the appointment of Royal M. Johnson to be Surveyor General of Arizona. Adjourned until Jan. 7. The Speaker laid before the House a message from the President transmitting the report of the Secretary of State, and the papers relating to the trial, conviction, and execution of the late Patrick O'Donnell. Laid on the table for future action. Speaker Carlisle announced the standing committee, and the House adjourned to Jan. 7.

THE EAST.

DICK PEDLER and Dyde Bright fought eighty-seven rounds near Wilkesbarre, Christmas day, for \$200 a side, Pedler winning the contest, in which great brutality and endurance were displayed.

The banks of Providence hold \$707,000 of the paper of A. D. Smith & Co., the bankrupt manufacturers. In alighting from his coupe at his residence in New York, Gen. Grant slipped and fell upon the icy sidewalk, being painfully wounded near the hip. No bones were broken, but the sciatic nerve was bruised and the General is compelled to keep his bed. S. C. Blodgett, recently Treasurer of the Providence (R. I.) Institution for Savings, is a defaulter and fugitive from justice. He had served the bank for thirty-seven years, and closed his career by the theft of \$20,000.

THE WEST.

A TERRIBLE railroad accident on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago railroad occurred Christmas eve, near Salem, Ind., resulting in the death of seven persons and the wounding of a number of others. The place where the accident happened is the bridge over Blue river. The stream is a narrow one, and in the summer time is an insignificant brook. The speedy melting of snow and the heavy rain following had swollen it to undue proportions. The flood had washed away the earth from under the shore supports of the bridge, rendering the structure weak and shaky. The train consisted of a baggage car, smoking car, ladies' car, and the Pullman buffet car Escaria. Just after the engine had gotten safely across the bridge suddenly settled. The awful crash followed. The chasm is about forty feet deep. The baggage car pitched headlong into the river, while the other cars telescoped and were badly smashed. Some of them, however, remained partially on the track, although what was left of the cars was scarcely anything but debris. The bridge was only about half again as long as a passenger coach, so that all the cars did not go into the water. A scene of excitement and confusion ensued, and the passengers, many of whom were bruised and otherwise injured, began crawling out of the coaches. Some were asleep in the buffet car, but managed to get out all right. Through the overturning of the stoves the wreck caught fire, and all that was above water burned.

A DISPATCH from Telluride, Colo., says that "a snow-slide came down Marshall basin, carrying off a shaft-house at the Mendota mine containing fourteen men, eight of whom were killed outright. Two were wounded and four dug themselves out." An Alma (Cal.) telegram reports that "a snow-slide occurred near Montezuma, which carried John Headstrom, John Ahlstrom and John Ling, three miners, half a mile down the mountain. Ahlstrom and Ling were badly frozen and will probably die. Headstrom is still missing and must have been killed."

The eleventh and twelfth days of the Emma Bond outrage case at Hillsboro, Ill., were consumed by the defense in further building and strengthening their alibi structure. Clement, one of the defendants, was placed in the stand and accounted for his whereabouts on the day of the outrage in a straightforward story. A number of witnesses, all of them, with one exception, relatives of the accused, were called to the witness stand and corroborated the stories of the three defendants. On the thirteenth day of the trial Miss Bond was recalled and gave important testimony directly contradictory of John C. Montgomery. She had to leave the witness stand for the Judge's private room, where she fainted and fell heavily to the floor. On recovering she remarked that her condition was caused by the presence of Montgomery.

WILLIAM FOX, who perpetrated a treacherous murder to procure money by which he and his paramour could secure divorces from their respective spouses, was executed at Nevada, Mo., and met death in a fearless manner. The woman for whom he committed the crime brought him to the gallows. The Ohio liquor dealers, after a two days' convention at Columbus, resolved that the Scott law was inimical to the best interests of the State, and asked the coming Legislature to repeal the Scott law by a judicious and constitutional enactment.

THE SOUTH.

A DISPATCH from Austin, Tex., referring to the recent report that a suit is soon to be brought in the United States Court of Claims to recover the value of slaves emancipated during the war says: "Gov. Ireland, Attorney General Templeton, and several prominent lawyers consulted by the reporter scout the idea that Texas has any more claim on the Federal Government than any other Southern State. They consider the scheme a very foolish one, and that if anybody is engaged in it, which is regarded as doubtful, it is for political purposes."

In the streets of Yazoo, Miss., a party of negroes fired upon a band led by John F. Posey, a white business man, killing Posey and two others and wounding two more. Posey had been insulted by a negro and went off to collect his friends. The negro did the same thing, and his band unexpectedly opened fire as soon as the Posey party put in an appearance. The negro leader was killed while resisting arrest, and the City Council, after an investigation, resolved that the conflict was entirely personal, and not the result of race rancor or political difficulties. Fifty armed men took three persons of bad reputation from a saloon at McAdams, Tex., carried them to the outskirts, and hanged them. The following day, friends of the lynched men came to McAdams, and picked a quarrel, when a fight with shot-guns and revolvers ensued, in which three men were killed, and one badly wounded. A band of desperadoes are terrorizing the northern section of Grayson county, Tex. They recently killed two persons and burned a church and school-house. A turkey-shoot near Paris, Ky., ended in the killing of two negroes by another negro.

The Atchafalaya bridge of the Texas

Pacific road, a structure 1,045 feet in length, has been completed, and trains are now crossing. The construction of this bridge was begun in September, 1881, and the cost approximates \$500,000. Archbishop Perche died in New Orleans last week.

A GAMBLER named Burns killed the night watchman at the end of the track on the Mexican Central road, near El Paso, Tex. Burns was hanged to a box-car by a mob. Two negroes, accused of shooting white men, were taken from jail at Brooksville, Fla., and shot dead.

WASHINGTON.

MR. BUCKNER, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency, is preparing a bill to introduce when Congress reconvenes. It provides for the issuing of Treasury notes without the legal-tender quality to take the place of bank notes going out of existence. The purpose of the measure is the same with that of the bill introduced by Mr. Buckner during the first session of the last Congress.

SECRETARY TELLER and a party of agents and inspectors will soon go to Muscogee, Indian Territory, to investigate the Creek troubles and make recommendations to bring about a settlement.

REPRESENTATIVE BLAND, chairman of the Coinage Committee, expects to effect no changes in the laws this session except to bring about the even exchange of standard dollars for trade dollars. Representative Buckner disavows any intention of making war on the national banks, but holds that their note franchise is vicious and unnecessary. Brig.-Gen. Andrew A. Humphreys died suddenly at Washington.

GENERAL.

DEATHS: Ex-Mayor Strasburg, of Baltimore, one of the defenders of that city against the British; John F. Ramsey, one of the pioneer settlers of Madison, Ind.; Rev. Dr. T. D. Anderson, of Boston, a widely known Baptist clergyman; Henry S. Buckner, an old and wealthy merchant of New Orleans, aged 87; Rev. John B. Wright, of Wayland, Mass., the oldest Unitarian clergyman in the United States; Maj. Gen. Thomas J. Cram (retired), of the United States Engineer Corps; Gen. Hiram Leonard, of San Francisco, retired army officer; ex-Gov. Ralph P. Lowe, of Iowa, at Washington City; Judge E. S. Williams, a prominent Chicago lawyer; the wife of Gen. W. S. Rosecrans, at Washington, D. C.; Gen. Thomas L. Kane, one of the most prominent citizens of Pennsylvania.

BURNED: Several stores at Rushford, N. Y., involving a loss of \$50,000; Belcher's shoe factory, Holbrook, Mass., loss \$20,000; Tyson Brothers' mill and elevators, Baltimore, loss \$70,000; Blanchard's mills, Winterville, Pa., loss \$30,000; Wright's sash and blind factory, Stevens Point, Wis., loss \$10,000; Linderholm's elevator, Clarinda, Iowa, loss \$10,000; Harrison's dry-goods store, Paris, Tex., loss \$30,000; Sarasin's tobacco factory, New Orleans, loss \$20,000; eight business houses at Stewartville, Mo., loss \$30,000; a wing of the insane asylum, Ward's Island, N. Y., loss \$25,000; a number of stores at Neches, Tex., loss \$20,000; a herd of cattle and horses, at the Cheyenne agency, I. T., loss \$12,000; the Lutheran church, Rochester, Pa., loss \$10,000; Demorest's fruit store, New Orleans, loss \$25,000; a large saw mill, at Deer Lake, Mich., loss \$125,000; a large printing establishment, at Montreal, Canada, loss \$55,000; a street car house and stables, at Cambridge, Mass., loss \$35,000; a cotton-seed oil mill at Temple, Tex., loss \$35,000; Goddard's flour mill at Freeport, Ill., loss \$10,000; Tobie's flour-mill, Troy, Kan., loss \$25,000; a storehouse at Memphis, Tenn., loss \$35,000; the Havelock house, Algona, Iowa, loss \$15,000; Samuel Cupples' broom factory and other property in St. Louis, Mo., loss \$450,000; a flouring mill at Chippewa Falls, Wis., loss \$35,000; a match factory at Utica, N. Y., loss \$15,000; a flouring mill at Cape Girardeau, Mo., loss \$60,000; Neiderlingham's furniture store, St. Louis, Mo., loss \$100,000; a business structure at Red Wing, Minn., loss \$25,000; Lee's shoe factory, Athol, Mass., loss \$70,000; Hardenburg & Co.'s carpet store, Brooklyn, N. Y., loss \$125,000; Green Brothers' foundry, Waterford, Ontario, loss \$30,000; several stores and shops at Fargo, Dak., loss \$10,000; a number of business houses at Bloomfield, Ind., loss \$25,000; the Empire brewery, Utica, N. Y., loss \$40,000; the offices of the Tribune and Times and half a dozen stores at Hammond, Ind., loss \$45,000.

A. D. SMITH & Co., of Providence, R. I., operating 87,000 cotton spindles, have failed for \$1,000,000. The crash is a highly disastrous one, carrying with it the suspension of three great companies besides the five mills run by the ruined firm. Other failures of the week are as follows: Bomann & Von Bernth, worsted goods, New York, liabilities \$75,000; Willis Bronson, real estate, New York, liabilities \$250,000; J. W. Woolfolk, cotton factory, Columbus, Ga., liabilities \$200,000; J. P. McAfee, hardware, Celina, Ohio, liabilities \$20,000; W. H. Kingsley, grain, Altonville, Ill., liabilities \$26,000; Donald Gordon, dry goods, Rochester, Oswego and Mexico, N. Y., liabilities \$200,000; Lockhart & Stright, dry goods, Albany, Ind., liabilities \$12,000; S. Jacobus, dry goods, Nashville, Tenn., liabilities \$40,000; Gordon, Barker & Co., millers, Sparta, Ill., liabilities \$180,000; Geo. Brooks & Bro., hardware, Allerton, Ill., liabilities \$18,000; H. S. Gilbert & Co., grain and commission, Ottawa, Ill., liabilities \$250,000; Soper & Co., auctioneers, Baltimore, liabilities \$35,000; French & McKnight, dry goods, Erie, Pa., liabilities \$34,000; Horatio E. Davis & Co., dry goods, Boston; Lamborn & Gray, bankers, Alliance, Ohio; J. B. Lambert, dry goods, Chattanooga, Tenn., liabilities \$63,000.

In the riot at Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, two Orangemen and two Catholics were killed, and eight persons mortally and about twenty slightly wounded.

LAST week's business failures numbered 260, twenty less than the previous week, but eighteen more than for the corresponding period in 1882. The gross earnings of the Lake Shore road for the year are reported at \$18,550,000, and of the Central and Southern line at \$14,000,000.

FOREIGN.

It is stated that France will not begin negotiations for peace until her forces occupy Bac Ninh, and that the French loss of life at Sontay was greater than reported. The Chinese are active in the Red River delta constructing defenses. Forty thousand looms are idle in Lancashire, England. There threatens to be an equally colossal strike of miners in Yorkshire. The ironworkers in France are also discontented.

COL. HENRY R. RATHBONE, of Albany, N. Y., while traveling in Germany, killed his wife in Hanover Christmas day, and then attempted suicide. Col. Rathbone and the lady he has murdered (in 1865 Miss Harris) were sitting in the box at Ford's theater when the assassin Booth entered and killed Abraham Lincoln. The French Government has instructed Admiral Courbet to follow up his victory at Sontay with the utmost haste compatible with safety. Russian nihilists are quarreling among themselves.

The Grand Duke Nicholas, of Russia, who has been in confinement in Turkestan, tried to escape to India on horseback, but was overthrown.

ADDITIONAL NEWS.

A MOB composed of 200 armed men marched through the streets to the jail at Yazoo, Miss., demanded and received from the jailer the keys to the prison. The object of their visit was to inflict summary punishment upon four negroes confined therein for the murder of Joseph Nichols and the Posey brothers, a few days previous, and they did their work promptly and effectively. The mob first proceeded to the cell of W. H. Foote. The door was forced open, and as one of the crowd entered he was struck with a hand-iron from the fireplace wrapped in a towel, and knocked down. At this moment firing commenced and the prisoner was instantly killed, being riddled by more than a dozen shots. Robert Swayzee, another of the murderers, was taken from his cell, a rope placed around his neck and thrown over the fence, and he was thus hanged. They then proceeded to the cell in which Richard Gibbs was incarcerated, but could not open the doors with the keys. Gibbs appeared at the grating of his cell, and on being perceived was riddled with shot. A rope was passed into his cell, which was placed around him by his cell-mate, and he was then dragged out and hanged from the outside of the building. The mob then went up-stairs to Michael Parker's cell. He was taken out, a rope placed around his neck, and in the balcony of the middle corridor of the jail he was hanged, the body dangling over the balcony. After this the crowd quietly dispersed. The victims are all negroes, and Foote was Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for the district. The lynchers were young white men from the surrounding country. No effort was made to hinder them. Four colored children on a plantation at Summerton, S. C., in the absence of their mother built a fire, which consumed the house and cremated themselves.

THE excess of the value of exports over imports of merchandise for the month ended Nov. 30, 1883, was \$3,375,753, and for the twelve months ended Nov. 30 \$120,000,000. The values of the imports of merchandise for the twelve months ended Nov. 30, 1883, were \$692,495,561, a decrease of \$58,186,000 compared with the same time last year. The values of the exports of merchandise for the twelve months ended Nov. 30, 1883, were \$121,495,651, an increase of \$30,418,089 over the same time in 1882. The State Department has learned that American pork and lard are not even permitted to pass through Germany in sealed cars. A party of French aliens, who have for years controlled the modeling-room in the office of the supervising architect of the treasury, at Washington, have been dismissed.

THE Orange Grand Master of Ireland has issued a circular advising the enrollment of volunteer forces for the society, and announcing that the Government will be asked to arm these men with rifles, to be stored in the Orange halls. Egyptian rebels attacked the town of Geziher, near Berber, but were repulsed with heavy loss by only two companies of Bashibazouks. Lieut. Col. Sudeikin, of the Russian army, has been assassinated by nihilists, who also threaten the Minister of the Interior. Garcia, the most noted gambler in Europe, who has been known to win or lose stakes of \$100,000, has entered a Trappist convent in Spain. Cardinal Bishop Antonino de Luca died at Rome.

CONGRESSMAN HURD, of Ohio, is after Attorney General Brewster, and a Washington dispatch says he will shortly prefer charges and ask the appointment of a committee to investigate the Department of Justice. The charges as formulated are, in brief, that the detectives in the employ of the department are managing things to their own liking; that some of them are unfit for the places they hold; that some of them were discharged some time ago from another department for making false entries; that another has been drawing mileage he was not entitled to, and the money appropriated for the support of the department has not been spent in an economical manner, nor with due regard to the public interest.

A DISPATCH from Walla Walla, W. T., says that as Sheriff Thompson and Jailer Williams were visiting the jail cells at night for the last time they were attacked by Elfus and Owen, two condemned murderers, who knocked them senseless with bricks they had secreted. On the jailer showing signs of recovery they took a knife from his pocket and hacked him to pieces, and then fled. After a three hours' wrestling contest at San Francisco, Muldoon defeated Bauer, and was carried from the hall on the shoulders of admiring friends.

THE number of emigrants arriving at Castle Garden for 1883 was 387,638, against 455,540 for 1882. The city of New York spent over \$5,000,000 for charity during the year 1883.

THE MARKET.

NEW YORK.		
BEEVES	5.00	@ 7.00
HOGS	5.50	@ 6.00
POULTRY	4.00	@ 6.75
WHEAT—No. 1 Duluth	1.20	@ 1.22
No. 2 Red	1.13	@ 1.15
CORN—No. 2	.66	@ .67
OATS—No. 2	.39	@ .41
PORK—Mess.	14.50	@ 15.25
LARD	.09	@ .09 1/2
CHICAGO.		
BEEVES—Good to Fancy Steers	6.00	@ 6.50
Common to Fair	5.50	@ 6.00
Medium to Fair	5.00	@ 5.50
HOGS	4.50	@ 6.00
POULTRY—Fancy White Winter Ex	5.25	@ 5.50
Good to Choice Spring Ex	5.00	@ 5.50
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	.95	@ .96
No. 2 Red Winter	.99	@ 1.01
CORN—No. 2	.59	@ .60
OATS—No. 2	.32	@ .34 1/2
RYE—No. 2	.52	@ .60
HARLEY—No. 2	.66	@ .67
BUTTER—Choice Creamery	.32	@ .33
EGGS—Fresh	.27	@ .28
LARD—Mess.	13.25	@ 13.75
08 1/2	.09	@ .09
MILWAUKEE.		
WHEAT—No. 2	1.03	@ 1.05
CORN—No. 2	.58	@ .60
OATS—No. 2	.34	@ .35
RYE—No. 2	.68	@ .69
HARLEY—No. 2	.62	@ .65
PORK—Mess.	13.50	@ 14.50
LARD	8.50	@ 9.00
ST. LOUIS.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.01	@ 1.02
CORN—Mixed	.48	@ .49
OATS—No. 2	.30	@ .32
RYE	.64	@ .65
PORK—Mess.	14.25	@ 14.75
LARD	.08 1/2	@ .09
CINCINNATI.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.03	@ 1.04
CORN	.48	@ .49
OATS	.33	@ .34
RYE	.60	@ .61
PORK—Mess.	14.25	@ 15.00
LARD	.08 1/2	@ .09
TOLEDO.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.94	@ .96
CORN	.54	@ .55
OATS—No. 2	.33	@ .34
DETROIT.		
WHEAT—No. 1 White	5.00	@ 6.50
WHEAT—No. 2	.53	@ .56
OATS—Mixed	.34	@ .36
PORK—Mess.	15.25	@ 15.75
INDIANAPOLIS.		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	.93	@ .95
CORN—No. 2	.53	@ .54
OATS—Mixed	.32	@ .33
EAST LIBERTY, PA.		
CATTLE—Best	6.00	@ 8.50
Fair	5.50	@ 7.00
Common	4.00	@ 6.50
HOGS	5.50	@ 6.50
SHEEP	4.00	@ 6.50

THE HOUSE.

Speaker Carlisle's Committee Assignments.

Following is a full list of the committees of the National House of Representatives, as made up by the Speaker:

Elections—Messrs. Turner of Georgia, Davis of Missouri, Converse of Kentucky, Lowry, Elliott, Robertson of Kentucky, Adams of New York, Ranney, Pettibone, Miller of Pennsylvania, Valentine, Hepburn of Iowa, and Hart. Ways and Means—Messrs. Mills, Blount, Blackburn, Hewitt of New York, Herbert, Hurd, Jones of Arkansas, Kelley, Kasson, McKinley, Hisscock, and Russell. Appropriations—Messrs. Randall, Forney, Ellis, Holman, Hancock, Townsend, Hutchins, Follett, Burnes, Keifer, Cannon, Ryan, Calkins, Horr, and Washburn. Judiciary—Messrs. Tucker, Hammond, Culberson of Texas, Morton, Brodhead, Dorsheimer, Collins, Seney, Reed, E. B. Taylor of Ohio, McCold, Browne of Indiana, and Poland. Banking and Currency—Messrs. Emerson, Pottinger, Hunt, Miller of Texas, Candler, Wilkins, Yapple, Dinsley, Brannon, Adams of Illinois, Henderson of Iowa, and Hooper. Coinage, Weights, and Measures—Messrs. Bland, Dowd, Hardy, Nicholls, Pusey, Lapham, Tully, Belford, Lacey, Chase, Everhart, and Luna. Commerce—Messrs. Reagan, Clardy, Turner of Kentucky, Dunn, Seymour, Glascock, Woodward, Boyle, Barksdale, O'Neill of Pennsylvania, Davis of Illinois, Wadsworth, Long, Stewart of Vermont, and Peters. Rivers and Harbors—Messrs. Blanchard, Jones of Alabama, Gibson, Rankin, Breckinridge, Murphy, Sumner, Houseman, Henderson of Illinois, Bayne, Robinson of Ohio, Chase, Stone, and Burleigh. Agriculture—Messrs. Hatch of Missouri, Aiken, Dillreath, Williams, Beach, Green, Winans, Weller, Patton, Cullen, Wilson of Iowa, White of Minnesota, Ochiltree, Hovey, Stephenson, and Raymond of Dakota. Forestry—Messrs. Curtin, Belmont, Deuster, Clements, Cox of North Carolina, G. D. Wise of Virginia, Stewart of Texas, Lamb of Indiana, Rice, Watt, Ketcham, Phelps and Hitt. Military Affairs—Messrs. Slocum, Dibble, Morgan, Wolford, Nicholls, Murray, Duncan, Steele, Bayne, Lyman, Laird, Cutcheon and Maginnis of Montana. Naval Affairs—Messrs. Cox of New York, Morse, Talbot, Buchanan, Eaton, Ballantine, McAdoo, Hamer, Thomas, Goff and Boutelle. Postoffices and Post Roads—Messrs. Reese, Ward, Cosgrove, Biggs, Rogers of Arkansas, Taylor of Tennessee, Jones of Texas, Paige, Bingham, Peelle, Skinner of New York, White of Kentucky, Wakefield and McCormick. Railways and Canals—Messrs. Davidson, Hoblitzell, Murphy, Paige, Caldwell, Turner of Kentucky, Wemple, Culberson of Kentucky, James, Atkinson, and Hatch of Michigan. Public Lands—Messrs. Seale, Oates, Shaw, Lewis, Henley, Van Eaton, Belford, Straff, Anderson, Payson, and Brents of Washington Territory. Indian Affairs—Messrs. Welborn, Graves, Stevens, Peel, Pierce, Finerty, Skinner of North Carolina, Smith, George, Perkins, Nelson, and Oury of Arizona. Territories—Messrs. Evans of South Carolina, Pryor, Arnold, Henderson, Leaman, Alexander, Carlson, Foran, J. F. Taylor of Ohio, Kellogg, Johnson, Lawrence, Struble, and Post of Wyoming. Manufactures—Messrs. Bagley, G. D. Wise of Virginia, Mitchell, Caldwell, Crisp, Lewis, Brewer of New Jersey, Mackey, Ellwood, and Campbell of New York. Mines and Mining—Messrs. Warner of Tennessee, Cassidy, Alexander, Skinner of North Carolina, Miller of Texas, Wood, Stevens, Breitling, Culberson of Kentucky, O'Hara, and Singler of Idaho. Levees and Improvements of Mississippi River—Messrs. King, Dunn, O'Neill of Missouri, Post, Campbell, Jones of Wisconsin, Henley, Thomas, J. S. Wise of Virginia, Howey and Whiting. Militia—Messrs. Muller of New York, Covington, McAdoo, Peelle, Boyle, Ballentine, Strait, Money, Valentine and Cutcheon. Claims—Messrs. McMullin, Dewar, Tillman, Warner of Ohio, Van Alstyne, Dockery, Wood, Lore, Snyder, Ray of New Hampshire, Price, Ochiltree, Ellwood, Brown of Pennsylvania, and Ray of New York. War Claims—Messrs. Jones of Wisconsin, Stone, Tully, Rogers of New York, Weller, Ferrell, Kellogg, Everhart, Rowell and Bowen. Revision of the Laws—Messrs. Buchanan, McMullin, Hill, Clay, Ward, Hemphill, Brown of Pennsylvania, Bayne, Seaver, and McComas. Public Buildings and Grounds—Messrs. Stockslager, Young, Dibble, Reese, Hopkins, Pusey, Wemple, Worthington, Brainerd, Holton, Kean, Breitling, and Milliken. Pacific Railroads—Messrs. Cassidy, Throckmorton, Cabell, Thompson Jr., Jordan, Crisp, Post, Wilson of Iowa, Millard, Dunham, and Hanback. Expenditures of the War Department—Messrs. Ferrell, Taylor of Tennessee, Elliot, Mayo, Johnson, and Hanback. Expenditures of the Navy Department—Messrs. Hewett of New York, Shaw, Davidson, Honk, Davis of Massachusetts, and Lawrence. Expenditures of the Department of Justice—Messrs. Springer, Hemphill, Van Alstyne, Fyan, Stewart of Vermont, Bowen, and Stephenson. Expenditures of Public Buildings—Messrs. Belmont, Wilkins, Spriggs, Sumner of Wisconsin, Harmer, Weaver, and Hara. Expenditures of the Postoffice Department—Messrs. Morgan, Talbot, Robinson of New York, Neece, Peelle, Stone and Nutting. Expenditures of the Interior Department—Messrs. Young, Clardy, Cook, Storm, Brumm, Dunham and Payne. Patents—Messrs. Vance, Singleton, Mitchell, Greenleaf, Hallise, Dargan, Winans of Wisconsin, and Hepburn. Education—Messrs. Aiken, Converse, Willis, Budd, Arnot, Duncan, Winans of Wisconsin, Taylor of Ohio, Milliken, Hatch of Michigan and Morrill. Invalid Pensions—Messrs. Matson, Le Fevre, Fyan, Winans of Michigan, Budd, Sumner of Wisconsin, Patton, Lovering, Bagley, Ray of New Hampshire, Cullen, Honk, J. S. Wise of Virginia, Holmes, Morrill. Pensions—Messrs. Hewitt of Alabama, Tillman, Robinson of New York, Steele, Laird, Struble and York. Expenditures of the State Department—Messrs. Hardeman, Dargan, Worthington, Campbell, Barr, Henderson of Iowa and Price. Expenditures of the Treasury Department—Messrs. Davis of Missouri, Hewitt of Alabama, Potter, Connolly, Lacey, Libby, Haynes. Labor—Messrs. O'Neill of Missouri, Foran, Lovering, Mackey, James, Haynes and McComas. District of Columbia—Messrs. Barbour, Muldrow, Shelley, Eldridge, Wilson of West Virginia, Feidler, Spriggs, Barr, Gunther, McComas and Jeffords. Private Lands—Messrs. Muldrow, Mitchell of Alabama, Cabell, Cosgrove, Eldridge, Lowry, Payson, Parker, Mayo and Weaver. Public Health—Messrs. Graves, Riggs, Candler, Fielder, Davis of Massachusetts, Evans of Pennsylvania, Libby and Pettibone. Ventilation and Acoustics—Messrs. Hardy, Cabell, Green, Shelley, Jeffords, Evans of Pennsylvania and Brewer of New York. Enrolled Bills—Messrs. Warner of Tennessee, Snyder, Yapple, Peters, Holmes. SELECT COMMITTEES. Reform of the Civil Service—Messrs. Mutchler, Cox, Clements, Hoblitzell, Finerty, Barksdale, Seymour, Robertson of Kentucky, Bingham, Phelps, Millard, Lyman, Hitt. Alcoholic Liquor Traffic—Messrs. Bland, Kleiner, Carleton, Evans, Davis of Illinois, Gunther, Goff, Campbell. Atlantic Shipping and Shipowning—Messrs. Slocum, Deuster, Dibble, Throckmorton, Hunt, Findlay, Lore, Dinsley, O'Neill of Pennsylvania, George, Long. On the Law Respecting the Election of President and Vice President—Messrs. Eaton, Springer, Clay, Jordan, Pryor, Bennett, Kleiner, Findlay, Parker, White of Kentucky, Peters, Hart, Watt. On Payment of Pensions, Bounties, and Back Pay—Messrs. O'Hara, Connolly, Pierce of Tennessee, Rogers of Arkansas, Greenleaf, Brewer of New York, York, Whiting, Anderson. JOINT SELECT COMMITTEES. Printing—Messrs. Rogers of New York, Smith, Lyman—Messrs. Woodward, Nutting.

SMALL TALK.

THE "Confederate rose" is a singular flower grown by Joseph C. Bailey, of New Orleans. It is white in the morning, but red at night. It grows in large bunches. A FARMER in Stokes county, N. C., got into a frenzy over his short crops this season, and cursed heaven and earth. While he was cursing he was suddenly paralyzed.

CHARLES HARVEY'S FATE.

A Mob Takes Him from Jail at Petersburg, Ind.

His Body Afterward Found Dangling to a Locust Tree.

[Telegram from Vincennes, Ind.]

Sunday morning, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock, from fifty to seventy-five men surrounded the jail in Petersburg, Pike county, Ind., in which was confined young Charlie Harvey, the murderer of Henry Custin, Jr. The front door was broken and unfastened, and a guard was stationed near it, but he was quickly overpowered. The jailer was in bed, and the leaders of the mob crowded into his room and demanded the keys to the jail doors. These he gave up at once, seeing that it was useless to attempt resistance. The mob marched with the keys to the cell where Harvey was confined. As soon as he heard the noise he was struck dumb with terror. Grabbing hold of him the mob placed a rope around his neck, pinioned his arms, and bade him walk ahead. They hurried the doomed man to the edge of the town, and, arriving at a locust tree, proceeded to hang him up. After hanging him, they placed a card in his hand bearing the words: "More to follow."

It is stated that Harvey made a confession of the murder of Henry Custin, which occurred Friday night. Nothing positive is known, as the men who received the confession are mute. The confession is said to implicate one of the most desperate characters of Petersburg. The body hung suspended from the tree from 2 until 10 o'clock Sunday morning, and was covered with sleet and ice and frozen stiff. Three thousand people visited the scene Sunday. The coroner cut the body down between 9 and 10 o'clock, and rendered a verdict that Charles Harvey came to his death by hanging at the hands of unknown parties.

The crime which young Harvey expiated in so horrible a manner was one of the most cold-blooded murders on record. Henry Custin was employed in the dry-goods store of Ed Montgomery, and it is supposed the murderer thought he carried some of Montgomery's money or that he mistook Custin for Montgomery. Custin was returning home about 10 o'clock in the evening, and was shot almost at his own door. A barber who lived near heard two shots, raised a window, and saw one man bending over the prostrate form of another. The murderer fled, and the dead man was borne to his home.

Those in pursuit went to Harvey's home, two miles east of Petersburg, at a village called Alford. Harvey was requested to come forth, and with reluctance put on his clothes. He put on one boot, and then refused to put on the other. His mother brought his boot from the kitchen, and was noticed rubbing it with her fingers. The boot was snatched out of her hand and blood was discovered upon it. The boot exactly fitted the track of the man who shot Custin. Harvey was taken to Petersburg. He requested that they should lock him securely in jail, as he feared the mob.

AN OCEAN HORROR.

Frightful Scenes of Despair on a Burning Steamer.

[Cable dispatch from London.]

The second engineer of the burned steamer St. Augustin, who was landed at Shields, tells a heartrending story of the wreck. He says that when all the boats had been filled there were still thirty people on the burning ship. The lifeboat, which was already loaded down to the gunwales, was appealed to by these unfortunates to save them. Their agonized cries were irresistible, and even the strong desire for life, always selfishly manifest under extreme circumstances, was overcome, and the boat returned. The folly of the attempt was apparent to all. The weight of one more human being, let alone thirty, would be fatal, but this was forgotten or disregarded and the lifeboat turned her course toward the doomed vessel. She approached as carefully as possible, laboring over the big seas, only to be dashed to pieces, for when near the St. Augustin she was thrown with terrific force against the side of the ship and crushed. Nearly all in her were drowned at once. The rest clambered over the sides, catching overhanging ropes, and suffered probably a worse fate with those on board. The Captain of the St. Augustin, after having his legs cut off by a falling spar, begged of the crew to tie some weight to his body and throw him overboard. He preferred drowning to being burned. The crew finally complied, and he was heavily weighted and thrown into the sea. The second mate, after his master had gone, became perfectly frantic, and, pulling his pistol, he put the muzzle into his mouth, and sent the charge through his brain. He fell dead in his tracks. These examples were followed by the rest. Some jumped overboard, others stabbed themselves, all seeming to prefer some quicker mode of terminating existence than the horrible torture awaiting them from the rapidly advancing flames. When the John Williamson hove to and stood by, a perfect hurricane was blowing. She nevertheless launched a boat containing a volunteer crew and sent it to the rescue. When the St. Augustin reached the man in the bow jumped for a dangling line, but he missed it and was drowned. A second man made the attempt. He was dashed against the side of the vessel and killed. Two others followed and were drowned. Finally a line was secured and six persons were taken off. This was all that could be done. The sea ran so high that a near approach meant certain death, and the gallant crew of the Williamson were obliged to return, leaving those still on board the blazing ship to their fate.

The Williamson was meanwhile drifting away. She made desperate efforts to face the storm and keep her boat in sight, but they were almost useless. When she was about to give up the boat was seen coming toward her and the crew with the six rescued men were with great difficulty taken on board. The boat had rescued six persons and had lost four in doing so.

"FRENCH GLORY THIRST."

A Nation Intoxicated by a Victory Over the Chinese.

[Cable Dispatch from Paris.]

The Parisians are just now jubilant over the French successes at Sontay. The cry, "A Pekin!" is the popular thing in the cafes and public places. The people who a week ago were clamoring against the Government because of "this crazy Tonquin business" are now applauding the Ministry for "the glory won by the legions of France." A week ago the populace thought the Chinese myriads would simply obliterate the French army;

CHRONOLOGY.

A Record of the Notable Occurrences of 1883.

Brought Down to the Close of the Year.

JANUARY.

1. Ferry-boat sinks near Frankfort, Germany; thirty-five people drowned. Several white men killed by blacks in a riot at Ocoee, Ga.
2. Ferry-boat in Jackson county, N. C., upsets, drowning nineteen negro convicts.
3. Destructive floods along the rivers Rhine and Danube; nearly 100 lives lost. Bark Star of the West lost in the Atlantic ocean, fifteen people perishing.
4. Four men killed at Muskegon, Mich., and three at Black Horse Landing, W. Va., by boiler explosions. United States Senate passes the Civil Service Reform bill.
5. Discovery of a heavy defecation by State Treasurer Polk, of Tennessee.
6. Remains of John Howard Payne shipped from Tunis to the United States.
7. Steamer City of Brussels sinks in the English channel; ten persons drowned.
8. Ten men killed by a mine explosion at Coulterville, Ill. Five men killed by a bursting boiler at Bethlehem, Pa. Ship Empire sinks at sea; sixteen lives lost.
9. Burning of the Newhall house, Milwaukee; nearly 100 lives lost. Terrible floods in Hungary; over fifty people drowned.
10. Over 500 people burned to death in a circus building at Berdichev, Russia.
11. Twenty people killed by a railway accident at Camerata, Italy. Four persons lost their lives by a fire in the Planters' house, St. Louis.
12. Attempted assassination of the Sultan of Turkey.
13. Prince Jerome Napoleon arrested in Paris for issuing a manifesto claiming the throne. Five persons burned to death in a London tenement house.
14. Eight people killed by a boiler explosion on a steamer in Port Susan Bay, Pacific coast. Meeting of the National Republican committee at Washington.
15. Iowa Supreme Court pronounces the State Liquor law unconstitutional. Four men killed by a boiler explosion at Mansfield, Ia. Phenomenally cold weather in the far West.
16. Steamer Cimbrina sinks in the German ocean; nearly 400 people drowned. Forty people killed by a powder explosion at Mulden, Holland. Robberies in Southwest Nevada, involving the killing of five citizens and two highwaymen.
17. Six men drowned off a Gloucester fishing schooner. Twenty-five people killed by a railway accident near Los Angeles, Cal. Intensely cold weather throughout the Northwest, lasting five days.
18. Nine people drowned by the sinking of ship Forwartz, off Lisbon, Portugal. Several persons killed by a boiler explosion at Elkton, Md. Thirty Chinamen blown to atoms by an explosion of giant powder near San Francisco.
19. Several lives lost by the sinking of the German bark Meta, off the Mexican coast.
20. The French cabinet resigns in a body. Twelve persons killed by a railroad smash-up near Keyser, W. Va. A mother in Milwaukee murders and carves in pieces her three little children. Eight persons drowned by the sinking of the brig Marlboro in Long Island sound. Political excitement in France; ex-Empress Eugenie ordered to quit the republic.
21. News of the butchery of forty shipwrecked sailors by savages in New Guinea. Davitt, Healy and Quinn found guilty at Dublin of using seditious language.
22. Burial at Milwaukee of the forty-three unidentified victims of the Newhall house horror.
23. Four men accidentally drowned at Shreveport, La., and four killed at Reading, Pa., by the caving in of a mine.
24. Wreck of a steamer near Swansea, Wales; nineteen lives lost.
25. A caving mine at Bucksville, Pa., kills five laborers. A new cabinet formed in France.
26. A family of nine persons in Laurens county, S. C., eat a goose that had been bitten by a mad dog, and all of them die of hydrophobia. Five negroes drowned while trying to cross Georgia river. A hurricane at Denver, Col., destroys \$200,000 worth of property. The steamer Black Watch lost on the Welsh coast; twenty-six persons drowned.
27. Eight men killed by snow-slides in Colorado. Seven men killed by a fire-work explosion at Arzac, Mexico.
28. Four children burned to death at Dassel, Minn. Discovery of a defalcation of \$250,000 by the Alabama State Treasurer. Steamer Ansonia lost on the coast of Tripoli; twenty people drowned.

FEBRUARY.

1. A panic in a woolen factory at Bombay results in the death of thirty people.
2. The steamer Tacoma lost on the Oregon coast; twelve people drowned. The steamship James Gray founders on the English coast; twenty-four lives lost.
3. Disastrous floods throughout the Middle States. News of the lynching of ten men in Montana Territory. Failure of the Union Iron and Steel company at Chicago.
4. Thirty-two lives lost by the sinking of the steamer Kenmore Castle, in the Bay of Biscay.
5. Capt. "Oklahoma" Payne and his followers arrested in the Indian Territory.
6. A steamer wrecked off Harwich, Eng., and all on board, twenty-six in number, lost.
7. Seven men killed by a boiler explosion at Taylorville, Ill.
8. Brig Zion lost in the Atlantic; ten people drowned. Five lives lost by the burning of the steamer Gem, on the Oregon coast. The authors of the Phoenix Park (Dublin) murders brought to light.
9. Fourteen fishermen drowned at Yarmouth, Eng.
10. Floods cause great destruction of property along the Ohio river.
11. A mine flooded by a cave-in at Braidwood, Ill., causing the drowning of eighty colliers. Four children burned to death at Brackett, Texas.
12. Dr. Hugh Glenn, the largest farmer in the world, murdered in California.
13. A panic in a Catholic school in New York, results in the death of 19 children.
14. Fourteen sailors drowned by a collision on the Scotch coast. Dorman B. Eaton, John M. Gregory and L. D. Thompson appointed Civil Service Commissioners.
15. Jules Ferry organizes a new ministry in France. U. S. steamer Ashuelot sunk off Hongkong and eleven of the crew drowned. Germany prohibits the importation of American pork. Perry H. Smith, a Chicago millionaire, adjudged insane.
16. The freight steamer Glamorgan lost in the Atlantic; eight persons drowned.
17. Three children burned to death at Montague, Mich.

MARCH.

1. Jim Elliott, the prize-fighter, killed at Chicago by Jerry Dunn. The long Senatorial contest ended in Michigan by the election of Thos. W. Palmer. Marriage at Washington of Senator Tabor, of Colorado.
2. Steamer Yazoo sinks in the Lower Mississippi; 15 lives lost.
3. The Hildeberger law declared unconstitutional by the Virginia Legislature. United States Treasurer Gilliam resigns.
4. Train robbery near Fort Smith, Ark. Marriage of ex-Gov. William Sprague, of Rhode Island. Imprisonment for debt abolished in Nova Scotia.
5. Three persons strangled at Frederick, Md., by the burning of a house.
6. Seven men drowned opposite Jersey City by the sinking of a ferry-boat.

10. Eleven men cremated by the burning of a boarding-house at Brownsville, Dakota.
11. The day set apart by Prof. Wiggins for his great storm, which failed to materialize.
12. Patrick Arvan, Treasurer of the Land League, arrives at New York.
13. The Missouri Legislature enacts a stringent high-liquor law.
14. Judge David Davis married to Miss Burr, of North Carolina.
15. Startling explosion in London, attributed to Fenian agents. A. N. Wyman appointed United States Treasurer.
17. Excitement in England over the alleged assault on Lady Florence Dixie.
20. Tennessee enacts a law abolishing public executions.
21. Six lives lost by the sinking of an oyster boat at Baltimore.
22. Mount Vesuvius in a state of eruption.
23. Six men killed in a fight between cattle herders in Arizona. Indian outbreak in Arizona. Several people slaughtered. The remains of John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home," arrive at New York from Tunis, Africa, where he died in 1852. Six miners killed by a gas explosion at Lost Creek, Pa.
25. Recovery of the bodies of a large number of the victims of the mine disaster on Feb. 16, near Braidwood, Ill.
26. The Massachusetts Legislature passes a law providing for biennial elections in that State.
29. Count Von Szeckely, President of the Hungarian Court of Cassation, murdered.
30. News of fresh Indian massacres in Arizona. Several persons killed by a collision on the Cincinnati Southern railroad.
31. Twenty-three people drowned by a shipwreck at Holyhead, England.

APRIL.

1. Six persons killed by a boiler explosion on the steamer Polar Star, Mississippi river.
2. Fifty people killed by the explosion of a powder factory near Paris, France. Excitement in England over the discovery of dynamite plots.
4. Walter Q. Gresham, of Indiana, appointed Postmaster General. The President starts on a Southern tour for the benefit of his health.
5. Four persons burned to death at Hartwick, N. Y., and three at Elsbury, N. Y. News of a great fire at Iquique, Peru. News of a war of races on the line of the Panama Canal. Michael Davitt writes a letter denouncing the dynamite policy of the Irish.
6. The Coroner's jury in the Braidwood mine disaster exonerates the mine owners from blame.
7. Disastrous floods in Austria and Poland.
8. A hotel burned at Greenville, Texas, and eight guests cremated.
11. Judge Gresham, the new Postmaster General, enters upon his duties. The bill for local self-government in Ireland defeated in the British House of Commons.
12. Prohibition defeated in the Connecticut Legislature. Earthquake shocks in Southern Illinois. Wisconsin's first cotton factory opened at Sheboygan Falls.
13. Six negro children poisoned to death at McDermott, Ark., and three burned to death in Grant county, Ark. Discovery of rich silver mines in East Tennessee. The first iron sailing vessel ever built in America launched at Philadelphia. Charles Smith, of Delaware county, Iowa, kills his wife and two children and commits suicide. Brady, one of the Phoenix Park murderers, sentenced to death at Dublin.
14. First tornadoes of the season felt in Arkansas, Iowa and Nebraska.
15. Burning of the Atlantic House and three guests at Albion, Iowa.
16. Twenty-six Nihilists sentenced at Odessa, Russia. Three children burned to death at Portsmouth, Texas.
17. Prohibition killed in the Delaware Legislature. The Scott liquor license law passed by the Ohio Legislature.
18. Nineteen Nihilists sentenced at St. Petersburg.
20. Four men drowned at Seattle, W. T., and four at Williamsport, Pa., by the upsetting of boats. Prohibition voted down by the Pennsylvania Legislature. Eight people killed by a falling wall at Sacramento, Cal.
21. Bloody fight between citizens and circus men at Dover, Del. Five persons drowned at New Bedford, Mass., and seven at San Francisco, by the upsetting of boats.
27. Michael Fagin sentenced to death at Dublin. Congressman Phil Thompson kills Walter Davis at Harrodsburg, Ky.

MAY.

1. Four men killed in a riot at Marshall, Tex.
2. Acquittal of Fitz Harris, the fifth man tried at Dublin for the murder of Lord Cavendish.
3. Four people run over and killed by a train at Gowan, Mich. Seven men killed by a mine accident at New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Seventy Chinamen drowned by the wrecking of the steamer Grappler on the Pacific coast.
6. Moody and Sankey return from Europe. Battle between Mexican troops and Apache Indians, in Mexico.
7. Arthur Sullivan, author of "Pinafore," made a knight.
11. Suicide of Amasa Stone, the wealthiest man in Cleveland, Ohio.
13. Destructive tornado in Missouri. Bonanza Fair, the Nevada Senator, divorced from his wife.
14. Joe Brady, one of the Phoenix Park murderers, hanged at Dublin.
16. Fitz Harris, the cab-driver, convicted at Dublin. Meeting at Washington of the Society of the Army of the Potomac. Congressman Philip Thompson acquitted at Harrodsburg, Ky. A series of cyclones in Illinois and Wisconsin kills upward of seventy people and destroys much property. Daniel Curley, one of the Phoenix Park assassins, hanged at Dublin. Steamer Granite State burned on the Connecticut river; five lives lost.
19. Carey, the informer, turned loose at Dublin.
20. Heavy gale on the Northern lakes; many vessels wrecked, with considerable loss of life.
22. The czar enters Moscow with great pomp.
23. The ceremony of blessing the Russian imperial flag performed at Moscow.
24. Opening of the great East River bridge.

JUNE.

2. Destructive cyclone at Greenville, Texas. Thomas Caffrey, the fourth of the Phoenix park conspirators, hanged in Dublin. Healy and Davitt released from imprisonment in Ireland.
6. Democratic State convention of Iowa. Republican State convention of Ohio.
7. Lynching bee at Waverly, Iowa.
8. One hundred and fifty people killed by a powder explosion at Sautari, Albania.
9. Timothy Kelly hanged at Dublin for the murder of Lord Cavendish. Suleiman Daoud executed at Alexandria.
10. Five men killed by a boiler explosion at College Point, L. I.
11. Five persons drowned at Benjamin, Utah, by the capsizing of a boat. Violent storms in Iowa and Wisconsin. Gen. Crook returns to Arizona from a successful Indian hunt in Mexico.
13. N. L. Dukes killed by young Nutt at Uniointown, Pa. Greenback convention in Ohio. Arguments concluded in the star-route trial; the jury render a verdict of acquittal.
14. The dynamite conspirators, Gallagher and others, convicted and sentenced at London.
15. The high license liquor law passes the Illinois Legislature.
16. Meeting of the Ohio Prohibition convention. Great excitement on the Chicago Board of Trade, caused by the failure of Peter McGeech.
17. Destructive rain and wind storms in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska. Over 200 children killed at Sunderland, England, by a panic and rush in a public hall. Fourteen people drowned by floods near Seneca, Kas.
21. Ohio Democratic convention. Destructive tornadoes in Missouri and Kansas.

22. Four train-robbers executed in Arkansas. Two men lynched in Tennessee.
23. Twenty-five lives lost by the sinking of the steamship Waitara, off Portland, England.
24. Great damage in the region of St. Louis by an overflow of the Mississippi river.
26. The Ohio Supreme court decides the Scott Liquor law constitutional. The Cabinet at Washington decides to aid in preventing the landing of "assisted" emigrants at New York.
29. A family of five persons drowned near Madison, Ind., by the upsetting of a boat. News of the drowning by floods of seventeen persons in Nemaha county, Neb.

JULY.

1. Duel between two Richmond (Va.) editors, Belme and Elam. Terrible ravages of the cholera at Damietta, Egypt. Six persons killed by a railroad accident at Roselas, Pa.
2. Opening of the celebration, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, of the 333d anniversary of the settlement of the town. Tornadoes in Wisconsin, Connecticut and Massachusetts. War waged on the trade dollar.
3. About 150 people drowned by an accident while launching a new steamer at Glasgow, Scotland. Six persons run down and killed by a train near Cincinnati.
7. Female suffrage rejected by the British House of Commons. Alarm in Europe over the spread of cholera in Egypt.
10. A British Parliament committee reports against building the channel tunnel. De Lesseps arranges with the English Government for a second Suez canal. Destructive storms in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Kansas.
11. Thirty people drowned at London, Ontario, by a sudden overflow, in the night, of the river Thames.
12. National convention of colored editors at St. Louis, Mo. Andrew White, a wealthy citizen of Dwight, Ill., while insane, murders his wife and children and commits suicide.
13. Destructive tornadoes in Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois and Indiana.
14. Twenty people buried to death during a fire in a Hungarian village. Exciting and bloody hunt for the assassins of Postmaster Clinan, of Polk City, Iowa.
16. Disastrous storms in Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois and Indiana.
17. News of the sinking of the American consulate at Monterey, Mexico.
18. Accident to Chief Justice Waite, in Montana. Frost in some sections of Iowa.
19. Inauguration of the great strike of telegraph operators throughout the country.
21. A cyclone kills a number of people and destroys much property in Dakota and Minnesota.
23. Eight men killed by falling bricks while repairing a blast-furnace at Syracuse, N. Y. Disastrous tornado in Ingham county, Mich.
24. About eighty people drowned by the giving way of a steamboat pier near Baltimore, Md. Capt. Webb, the famous swimmer, drowned at Niagara Falls. Hardy, one of the Polk county (Iowa) assassins, executed by a mob.
25. Eight colored people drowned at Claremont, Va.
26. Ex-Treasurer M. T. Polk sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary at Nashville, Tenn.

28. Thirty-six persons killed by a mine explosion in Sicily. Over 5,000 people killed by an earthquake on the Italian island of Ischia.
29. Twenty-five people killed by a railway accident near Albany, N. Y. Ten colored people drowned at Mayersville, Miss. The Spanish Minister to the United States commits suicide in New York.
30. Extended Arthur leaves Washington on an extended Western tour. James Carey, the Irish informer, killed in South Africa.

AUGUST.

1. Eight people killed by a railroad collision near Pownall, Vt.
2. The New Hampshire Legislature elects Austin F. Pike, U. S. Senator, after balloting nearly two months.
- 3-5. Heavy failures in the leather trade in the New England cities.
6. Serious revolt in Spain. Formidable anti-Jewish riots in Russia and Hungary.
8. Thirteen sailors drowned by the sinking of a bark off Dover, England.
9. Four Irish dynamite conspirators sentenced for life at Liverpool.
11. Burning of the Kimball house, the largest hotel in the South, at Atlanta.
12. Twelve men accidentally killed in a railroad tunnel in Montana.
13. Suicide of the wife of Senator Allison, of Iowa. The Mayor and other officials indicted at Baltimore for malfeasance.
15. Twenty men killed by a mine accident at Cornwall, England.
17. Seven persons killed by a railway collision at Lexington, Ky.
18. End of the long strike of the telegraph operators.
21. A tornado kills upward of forty people and destroys a vast amount of property in and about Rochester, Minn. Opening of the Knights Templar triennial convocate at San Francisco.
22. News of a fearful massacre of Indians by Chilians in Peru. Completion of track-laying on the Northern Pacific railroad.
26. Five men perish in a burning building at Boston. Eighteen sailors drowned by a collision in the English channel.
27. News of the death of the Queen of Madagascar.
- 28, 29, 30. Volcanic eruptions in the island of Java cause frightful destruction of life and property; upward of 100,000 people killed.
31. The Czar of Russia visits the King of Denmark. The steamship Ludwig, from Antwerp for Montreal, with seventy people on board, given up as lost.

SEPTEMBER.

2. Six persons killed by a boiler explosion at Franklin, Dakota.
3. A single highwayman robs the passengers on a Utah railway train. A priest and six of his congregation killed by a thunder-bolt in a church at Lagos, Mexico. Eleven working girls burned to death in a factory at Cincinnati. Over forty people killed by a railway train near Berlin, Germany.
4. King Alfonso issues a proclamation restoring the constitutional guarantees in Spain.
7. President Arthur returns to Washington after an extended trip to the far West. Acquittal of Frank James, the Missouri outlaw.
8. Formal opening of the Northern Pacific railroad.
9. Sale of the Horace Greeley farm at Chappaqua, N. Y.
11. Serious riots at Canton, China.
12. Oklahoma Payne again arrested in the Indian Territory.
13. News of the disaster to the Greeley Arctic search expedition. Twelve people drowned by the sinking of a Norwegian ship in the English Channel. Celebration in Germany of Martin Luther's 400th birthday.
15. Prof. Swift, of Rochester, discovers the new comet.
16. The seventy-third anniversary of Mexican independence celebrated in the City of Mexico.
17. Yellow fever epidemic in Mexican cities. Bark Britannia lost near Halifax, N. S.; twelve people drowned.
18. King Koffee defeated in Ashantee after a bloody battle.
19. Great weavers' strike at Ashton, England. National convention of postal railway clerks at St. Paul. Hurricane in Bahama islands; many vessels wrecked and sixty-five people drowned.
20. Fifteen coal miners killed in Westphalia by fire-damp explosion. Statute of Zachary Taylor unveiled at Louisville, Ky. Seven persons killed by a boiler explosion at Pittsburgh.
21. Return to Sweden of Nordenskjold, the Arctic explorer. Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, of England, banqueting at Chicago.
22. France torn up over the Chinese question.
23. A boiler explosion at Shreveport, La., kills seven people. Extensive military preparations in Russia.

24. Return to England of the family of Carey, the Irish informer. Agitation by the Land Leaguers reopened in Ireland. Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, heard from.
25. Destructive gale on Lakes Ontario and Erie. The Emperor of Germany appoints King Alfonso, of Spain, Colonel of a German regiment, which causes much ill-feeling in France. Terrible railroad accident in Roumania. New York morning newspapers reduce their prices.
28. Heavy express robbery on a train at Laketon, Ind.
29. Attempted train robbery in Western Kansas. Snow-storm in Minnesota.
30. Forty Chinamen killed near San Francisco by the explosion of a powder-mill. The Spanish King hooded by a mob in Paris, which causes much excitement in Spain.

OCTOBER.

1. Snow-storm in Maine.
2. Evangelists Moody and Sankey sail for Ireland. Burning of the Pittsburgh Exposition buildings.
4. A woman at Lampasas, Mexico, murders her five children and kills herself. The entire Ministry of Norway impeached.
7. Nihilist proclamations issued in Russia sentencing the Czar to death.
9. The pacing horse Johnson makes the fastest time at Chicago ever known, a mile in 2:10. News of the discovery in Alaska of an immense river.
10. Earthquake in California. Snow-storms in Nebraska and Colorado.
14. Seven persons drowned by the foundering of a schooner near Boston. War preparations in Prussia. Mysterious murder of Zora Burns, at Lincoln, Ill.
15. The United States Supreme Court decides the Civil Rights law unconstitutional. Forty women killed in a crush in a Jewish synagogue in Russia, caused by a false alarm of fire.
16. Epidemic of trichinosis in Saxony. Disastrous storms on the English coast.
17. Over 200 lives destroyed by an earthquake in Asiatic Turkey.
18. Reappearance of the cholera in Egypt.
19. Twenty-five lives lost by a mine explosion in England.
20. News of the signing of a treaty of peace between Chili and Peru.
21. Henry Irving, the English actor, arrives at New York. Snow-storm in Minnesota. Discovery of gold deposits at Lisbon, Dakota.
22. Heavy snow-storm in Colorado.
23. The Marquis of Lansdowne, new Governor General of Canada, arrives at Quebec. Ten girls lose their lives by the explosion of a squib factory at Kingston, Pa.
25. News of the loss of five vessels on the New England coast, and the drowning of twenty-seven persons.
26. News of war preparations in Russia and Germany.
27. Intelligence of more earthquakes in Asia Minor. Chief Justice Coleridge sails for England.
30. Mysterious explosions in the underground railway tunnels in London, England.
31. Loss of the steamer Holyhead and fifteen lives in the Irish sea. Disastrous conflagration at Savannah, Ga.; ten lives lost.

1. Capture of a large gang of counterfeiters in Pike county, Ind. Orange disturbances at Londonderry, Ireland. Conclusion of the Coroner's inquest into the Zora Burns murder mystery at Lincoln, Ill. Snow-storm in New York.
3. Moody begins a six months' evangelizing engagement in London. Political riot at Danville, Va., in which seven negroes are killed.
6. Seven people killed and \$200,000 worth of property destroyed by a cyclone at Springfield, Mo.
7. A colliery explosion in Lancashire, England, kills sixty-three men. Adeline Pattiar- arrives at New York.
8. Several persons killed by the falling of a portion of the roof of the Wisconsin Capitol building at Madison.
11. Orrin A. Carpenter, arrested for the murder of Zora Burns at Lincoln, Ill., discharged from custody. Celebration of Luther's 400th birthday.
- 12-14. Disastrous gales on the chain of lakes, resulting in the wrecking of or over thirty craft and the drowning of upward of fifty people.
15. Destructive storm on the Chesapeake Bay; many lives lost.
17. Eight lives sacrificed in a railway accident at Streator, Ill.
18. Lynching of Jacob Nelling at Oxford, Ind., for the murder of Ada Atkinson.
19. Loss of the bark Piromanden, with eleven of her crew, off Halifax, Nova Scotia, and of the steamers Condon and Hymethus, in the English channel, forty people going down. A hurricane on the Newfoundland coast wrecks many vessels and causes great loss of life.
21. Ex-Senator Spencer arrested in Nevada and taken to Washington. Disastrous rain-storms in Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri. A cyclone in Missouri and Arkansas kills several people.
22. Jacob D. Crouch, a millionaire farmer, and three other persons murdered near Jackson, Mich. Intelligence of the massacre of Hicks Pasha's Egyptian army, in the Sudan. Minister Lowell chosen rector of St. Andrew's academy, in Scotland.
24. Butchery of the Ruddy family of four persons at Lacomia, N. H. Train-robbery near Deming, N. M. Sergt. Mason, the would-be slayer of Guiteau, pardoned by the President.
25. Sinking of the steamer Rome and drowning of twenty people in Lake Geneva, Switzerland.
26. Celebration in New York of the centennial anniversary of the evacuation of that city by the British. Loss of the steamer Eclipse, on Lake Ontario; eighteen people drowned.
30. Bloody fight between burglars and officers at Shelby, Ohio. Mrs. Hall, of Baltimore, kills her two children and commits suicide.

DECEMBER.

1. Patrick O'Donnell, the slayer of Informer Carey, convicted and sentenced to death at London.
2. Eighteen people killed in a railway collision in France.
3. Meeting of Congress at Washington.
4. Loss of the steamer Princess Louise and nine of her crew, on the coast of Newfoundland.
5. Attempted train robbery near Memphis, Tenn.
6. Dynamite explosion in Toronto, Canada. Loss of a pilot boat and ten persons in New York harbor.
7. Earthquake shock in Arkansas. Four men lynched in Brown county, Neb. News of the loss of seventy sailors belonging to the Gloucester (Mass.) fishing fleet.
8. Four Mexicans lynched at Fort Davis, Tex.
12. Meeting at Washington of the National Republican committee.
9. Steamboat Enterprise and eight persons lost on Lake Huron.
11. An oyster sloop and ten men lost in Chesapeake bay.
12. Meeting of the State granges in Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, and Pennsylvania. France decides to make war on China.
13. News of the murder of the King of Annam. Defeat of the False Prophet's forces at Suakin, in the Sudan.
14. Bloody political riot in New Orleans.
17. Patrick O'Donnell, the slayer of the informer Carey, hanged in London.
10. Sarah Bernhardt creates a sensation in Paris by horsewhipping Mile. Colombier.
20. News of assault and capture of Sontay, in Tonquin, by the French.
21. Bloody riot in the City of Mexico, caused by the introduction of the nickel coin.
23. A family of six persons drowned while trying to cross a stream in Logan county, Ark.
24. Lynching of three men at McDade, Tex., and of one at Petersburg, Ind.
25. Bloody affray between whites and negroes at Yazoo, Miss.

MICHIGAN AFFAIRS.

H. C. Lewis, of Coldwater, has just erected in Coldwater cemetery the finest monument in that part of the State.

JACK PHILIPS was convicted of murder in the second degree, at Corunna, for the killing of Martin Brophy, last summer.

THE mastodon bones recently found in Venice, Shawansee county, have been purchased by the Agricultural college.

A DITCH five miles long is projected in the township of Constantine, by the digging of which Black run will be deepened and widened from the mouth where it empties into the St. Joseph river, to its source in the marshes near the hilly land in the northwest part of the township. It is intended that the ditch shall drain and make valuable several hundred acres of land now comparatively worthless.

THE recent robbery at Midland was a much more carefully planned and bold operation than at first supposed. Four men came by carriage the day before and stopped at the hotel. At 1 o'clock in the morning the night watchman, hearing a noise in the alley in the rear of the postoffice, proceeded to investigate, when he was met by two men with pistols and ordered to keep still. Two other men then came up and he was bound tightly and gagged and taken into the rear room of the store adjoining the postoffice. Then they proceeded to plunder both buildings leisurely, securing \$150 in cash. It was three hours after before the watchman could release himself and raise an alarm.

The Lumber Industry.

The cut of lumber for the season of 1883 of the Saginaw mills will fall 150,000,000 feet, at least, short of last year, owing to the short season and the delay by reason of securing logs caused by high water and the strike of the boom men. The Tittabawassee and tributaries are the chief source of supply of the Saginaw river mills, and more logs have been rafted out of this stream than upon any other in the world, aggregating nearly 7,000,000,000 feet since 1864, the year in which the boom company was organized. The company employ a force of 500 men and five tugs. The present season they have handled 3,729,743 logs, scaling in round numbers 472,000,000 feet. The record of the Tittabawassee Boom company operations since 1864 is as follows:

Year.	Feet.	Year.	Feet.
1864.....	437,296	1876.....	1,003,454
1865.....	595,806	1877.....	1,238,781
1866.....	783,878	1878.....	1,483,689
1867.....	945,416	1879.....	1,734,551
1868.....	985,442	1880.....	2,000,000
1869.....	1,272,946	1881.....	2,275,609
1870.....	1,510,976	1882.....	2,541,335
1871.....	1,739,945	1883.....	2,812,670
1872.....	1,959,908	1884.....	3,083,351
1873.....	2,143,010	1885.....	3,354,032
1874.....	2,326,976	1886.....	3,624,713
1875.....	2,510,942	1887.....	3,895,394
1876.....	2,694,908	1888.....	4,166,075
1877.....	2,878,874	1889.....	4,436,756
1878.....	3,062,840	1890.....	4,707,437
1879.....	3,246,806	1891.....	4,978,118
1880.....	3,430,772	1892.....	5,248,799
1881.....	3,614,738	1893.....	5,519,480
1882.....	3,798,704	1894.....	5,790,161
1883.....	3,982,670	1895.....	6,060,842
1884.....	4,166,636	1896.....	6,331,523
1885.....	4,350,592	1897.....	6,602,204
1886.....	4,534,558	1898.....	6,872,885
1887.....	4,718,524	1899.....	7,143,566
1888.....	4,902,490	1900.....	7,414,247
1889.....	5,086,456		
1890.....	5,270,422		
1891.....	5,454,388		
1892.....	5,638,354		
1893.....	5,822,320		
1894.....	6,006,286		
1895.....	6,190,252		
1896.....	6,374,218		
1897.....	6,558,184		
1898.....	6,742,150		
1899.....	6,926,116		
1900.....	7,110,082		
Grand total.....	39,989,333		6,750,439,791

The Tittabawassee Boom company rafted out of Saginaw river in 1883 a total of 109,087,431 feet of logs, of which about 88,000,000 feet came to the Saginaw river. There was left in the boom at the close of operations 8,770,427 feet. There is still back in the river, mostly in the West branch, about 8,000,000 feet. The record of this stream is as follows:

Year.	Feet.	Year.	Feet.
1867.....	23,911,837	1877.....	70,274,295
1868.....	26,044,946	1878.....	72,412,114
1869.....	28,178,055	1879.....	74,549,933
1870.....	30,311,164	1880.....	76,687,752
1871.....	32,444,273	1881.....	78,825,571
1872.....	34,577,382	1882.....	80,963,390
1873.....	36,710,491	1883.....	83,101,209
1874.....	38,843,600	1884.....	85,239,028
1875.....	40,976,709	1885.....	87,376,847
1876.....	43,109,818	1886.....	89,514,666
1877.....	45,242,927	1887.....	91,652,485
1878.....	47,376,036	1888.....	93,790,304
1879.....	49,509,145	1889.....	95,928,123
1880.....	51,642,254	1890.....	98,065,942
1881.....	53,775,363	1891.....	100,203,761
1882.....	55,908,472	1892.....	102,341,580
1883.....	58,041,581	1893.....	104,479,399
1884.....	60,174,690	1894.....	106,617,218

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ST. NICHOLAS for January makes its New Year's call with a bright table of contents a brilliant list of contributors. Louisa M. Alcott begins her promised series of "Spinning-wheel Stories" with a sketch of the "good old times" of seventy years ago. The frontispiece is by Mary Hallock Foote, and H. H. opens the number with a complete and timely story of Colorado mining life, entitled "Christmas in the Pink Boarding-house." Among the poems are a fable in verse by Joel Benton; some jolly New Year's verses by Helen Gray Cone, with pictures by A. Brennan, who also illustrates a quaint little verse of his own, entitled "Lucy Lee from High Dundee"; and "The Ballad of Goo! Sir Urgan," by E. Vinton Blake, a mediæval poem, with spirited illustrations by Alfred Kappes. An entirely new feature, inaugurated in this number and to continue throughout the year, is the ST. NICHOLAS Almanac, which will give to young folks, in simple and popular form, the more important phenomena of our earth's relations to the heavenly bodies; in addition, some entertaining bits of fun, fable, and allegory relating to the various months and seasons.

Church Items with the Services for To-morrow.

First Reformed Church, Rev. N. M. Steffens, Pastor. Services at 9:30 a. m., and 2 p. m. Sunday School 3:30. Weekly prayer meeting with the Third Reformed Church, on Thursday, at 7:30, and Bible Exposition on Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Subjects: Morning, "John the Baptist's exertion." Afternoon, "Enoch's walk with God."

Hope Reformed Church—Services at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. Thomas Walker Jones. Subjects: Morning, "First anniversary sermon." Evening, "Thoughts on the opening year." Congregational singing led by the chorus choir. Anthems morning and evening. All are welcome.

Third Reformed Church—Rev. D. Broek, Pastor. Services at 9 a. m., and 1:30 p. m. Sunday School at 3:15 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30. Subjects: Morning, "Winter." Afternoon, "Entering into the Holiest by a new and living way."

First Church, Rev. E. Bos, Pastor.—Services at 9 a. m., and 1:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:15. Wednesday evening, explication of the Bible at 7 p. m. Subjects: Morning, "The killing letter and the life giving Spirit." Afternoon, "Christ's ascension."

Holland Christian Ref. Church—Rev. J. A. De Bruyn, Pastor. Services at 9:30 a. m., 2 and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. T. T. George, Pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30. Subjects: Morning, "Spare another year." Evening, "Life's steps are never retraced." All the seats are free.

JOHN FITZGERALD, the dry good merchant of Grand Rapids, has become violently insane.

Brainard's Musical World.

The Holiday number of the *Musical World* is full of good things. Fine portraits of Franz Abt, Joachim, (the greatest living violinist), Berlioz, and some beautiful full-page engravings, are among the illustrations, while the biographies and general miscellany are interesting to all readers. The news gossip, correspondence, editorials and other articles pertaining to the musical art, are all timely and of value to either professional or amateur, teacher or student. The music this month consists of a choice new song by Rosabel—"You'll Sometimes Think of Me;" a fine ballad by Knowles, a characteristic song by Gus Williams, a Christmas Anthem and a number of choice piano pieces. This number of the *World* should be on every piano-forte in the land. Price, 15 cents per copy; \$1.50 per annum. S. Brainard's Sons, 136 State street Chicago, Ill.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The greatest medical wonder of the world. Warranted to speedily cure Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Cancers, Piles, Chillsblains, Corns, Tetter, Chapped Hands, and all skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every instance, or money refunded. 35 cents per box. A positive cure for piles. For sale by H. Walsh.

Additional Local.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the tax-payers of the City of Holland, that according to law all taxes have to be collected before the 1st day of February and that the time cannot be extended.

C. LANDAAL,
City Collector.

FOR SALE.

A parcel of improved land in Muskegon county, six miles from Muskegon city, and three miles and one-half from Lake Michigan.

For further particulars inquire of
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NOTICE.

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471t. BECKER & BEUKEMA.

New Advertisements.

To the Citizens of Holland!

Having bought out the butcher shop and business of Mr. J. Kuite, I desire to inform the people of this city that I am prepared to furnish them with the choicest meats that the market affords.

I shall endeavor to at all times supply my customers with everything that ought to be for sale at a first-class Meat Market, and hope that the former patrons of my market, together with many new ones, will award a share of their patronage to me.

I have the Finest Dried Beef in this Market.

GIVE ME A CALL!

L. C. SEARS,
HOLLAND, Jan. 3, '84. 48-1y

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The greatest bargains of a life time, consisting of **Shawls, Cloaks, Sheetting, Muslin, Calico, Table Linen, Underwear, Gloves, Mittens, Hoods, Nubias, Lace Goods and Notions, Dolls and Albums, Hardware and Cutlery, all kinds of Tinware, Glassware, Crockery, Silverware etc., etc.** We quote a few prices to give you a slight idea of what to expect:

Bleached Muslin, Lonsdale finish, 5c; Heavy Brown Sheetting, yard wide, 45c; Good Calico, 3c; Crash (linen) 3 to 9c per yard; Gent's Underwear, 19, 25, 35 and 45c, worth double; White and Col. ored Table Linen, 25c; Best Red Table Linen, 39c; Best Table Oil Cloth, 25c; best Wool Socks, 19c; best Thread, 4c; best Yarn, all colors, 5c skein; fifty kinds dress buttons 2 1/2c per dozen; water-proof Cloaks, \$1.00; fifty styles Cloaks and Shawls at half price; four-blade, pearl handle Pocket Knives, 35c; six kinds best Razors, 75c; Clothes Pins 2c per dozen; Chopping Bowls, 5c; silver plated Shears, 29c; metal Hair Brushes, 20c; best Buck Gloves, 75c per pair; plated Table Castors, Pickle Castors, Butter Dishes, \$1.00 each; plated Knives and forks, \$1.00 per set; large Glass Pitchers, 25c; Lamp Chimneys, 3c; good Letter Paper, 5c per quire; best Wash Bowls and Pitchers, 80c; Cups and Saucers 30c per set; two-quart covered Pails, 8c; ten-quart Pails, 25c; large Coffee Pots, 12c; Dish Pans, 20 and 25c; Stew Pans, 10, 15, 20, and 25c.

THOUSANDS OF OTHER GOODS
EQUALLY AS CHEAP.

We remain but a few days.

COME AT ONCE!

as some of these Goods will all be sold out very soon. Come in the forenoon and avoid the crowds.

C. DeRUYTER,
Manager.

To Builders and Contractors
of Water Works.

CITY OF HOLLAND,
December 20th, 1883.
Sealed proposals will be received by the Common Council of the City of Holland, Michigan, until the 29th day of January, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, for the putting in of a system of Water Works in and for the City of Holland, Michigan, to include the following material, be the same more or less: 1,760 feet of 8 inch pipe, 5,610 feet of 6 inch pipe, 15,150 feet of 4 inch pipe, special castings, 30 hydrants with frost proof jackets, one 8-inch gate, nine 6 inch gates, seventeen 4-inch gates, gate boxes; also boilers and pumping machinery capable of pumping one and one-half million gallons per 24 hours, and the laying of mains and doing all other work, according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the City Clerk's office on and after the 5th day of January, 1884.

Proposals to be addressed to the City Clerk of the City of Holland, Michigan, endorsed "Proposals for Water Works." The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
W. H. BEACH, Mayor.
Geo. H. SIPP, City Clerk.

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At Prices that will Astonish you all.

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HOLLAND, Mich., Dec. 12, 1883.

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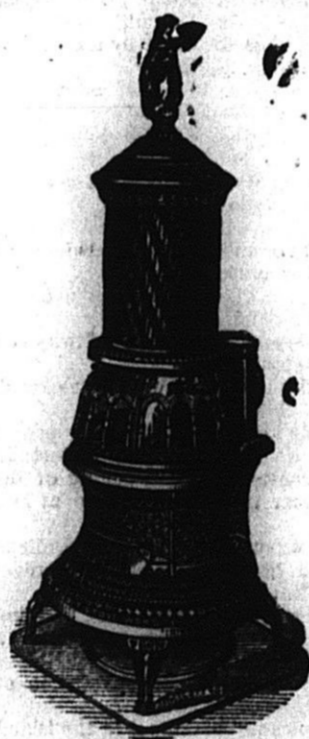
The celebrated author, in this admirable essay, clearly demonstrates from a thirty years' successful practice, that the alarming consequences of Self-abuse may be radically cured; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain, and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and radically.

This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land. Sent under seal, in a plain envelope, to any address, post-paid, on receipt of six cents or two postage stamps. Address

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\$66 a week at home, \$5.00 outfit free. Pay absolutely sure. No risk. Capital not required. Reader, if you want business at which persons of either sex, young or old, can make great pay all the time they work, with absolute certainty, write for particulars to H. Mallett & Co., Portland, Maine.

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Successors to W. C. MELIS.

Are now doing business at the old stand, opposite the post office.

We have a large and very fine assortment of

Parlor Coal Stoves,
Office Stoves, and
Cooking Stoves

of the latest and best designs.

A full and complete stock of

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

COPPER, TIN, AND IRONWARE,
PAINTS, OILS, WHITE LEAD,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS, SASH AND
GLASS, ETC., ETC., ETC.

GIVE US A CALL.

We promise prompt and gentlemanly treatment and good bargains, to all who trade with us.
VAN OORT, WITVLIET & BEEUWKES,
HOLLAND, Mich., Nov. 21, 1883. 48-1y

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EIGHTH STREET,

Opposite Van Raalte's shoe store, will furnish you with any article you may wish in the line of

Drugs and Medicines.

—at as—

Low Prices as any Dealer in the State.

Bring your Physician's Prescriptions to us if you wish to have them prepared promptly and carefully and at moderate prices.

We also carry a full stock of

BRUSHES, PAINTS, OILS, AND VARNISHES,
and are agents for the Sherwin Williams Prepared Paints.

HOLLAND, MICH., Oct. 10th, 1883.

KREMERS & BANGS.
16-1y.

Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

"78 E. 5th St., New York, May 16, 1882. MESSRS. J. C. AYER & CO., Gentlemen: Last winter I was troubled with a most uncomfortable itching humor affecting more especially my limbs, which itched so intolerably at night, and burned so intensely, that I could scarcely bear any clothing over them. I was also a sufferer from a severe catarrh and catarrhal cough; my appetite was poor, and my system a good deal run down. Knowing the value of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA, by observation of many other cases, and from personal use in former years, I began taking it for the above-named disorders. My appetite improved almost from the first dose. After a short time the fever and itching were allayed, and all signs of irritation of the skin disappeared. My catarrh and cough were also cured by the same means, and my general health greatly improved, until it is now excellent. I feel a hundred per cent stronger, and I attribute these results to the use of the SARSAPARILLA, which I recommend with all confidence as the best blood medicine ever devised. I took it in small doses three times a day, and used, in all less than two bottles. I place these facts at your service, hoping their publication may do good.

Yours respectfully, Z. P. WILDS."

The above instance is but one of the many constantly coming to our notice, which prove the perfect adaptability of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA to the cure of all diseases arising from impure or impoverished blood, and a weakened vitality.

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cleanses, enriches, and strengthens the blood, stimulates the action of the stomach and bowels, and thereby enables the system to resist and overcome the attacks of all Scrofulous Diseases, Eruptions of the Skin, Rheumatism, Catarrh, General Debility, and all disorders resulting from poor or corrupted blood and a low state of the system.

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Best Purgative Medicine
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On account of the poor crops this year I will sell

READY MADE CLOTHING

at greatly

REDUCED PRICES!

giving an extra discount to all who

Pay Cash.

NOW IS THE TIME FOR GOOD BARGAINS

J. W. BOSMAN.
HOLLAND, MICH., Oct. 10, 1883. 36-3m.

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Silverware, Platedware, and Fancy Goods.

Gold and Silver Watches at Reasonable Prices.

The largest assortment of

DIAMOND RINGS
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I also keep on hand a large assortment of

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FULL LINE OF GOLD PENS.

All the Goods are warranted to be just as represented.

Come and examine our stock. No trouble to show Goods.

O. BREYMAN.
HOLLAND, Mich., Jan. 1, 1882. 48-1y

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Send six cents for postage, and receive free, a costly box of goods which will help you to more money right away than anything else in this world. All of either sex, succeed from first hour. The broad road to fortune opens before the workers, absolutely sure. Address address, Taus & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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You will always find a well selected stock of Ladies and Gentlemen's

Fine Shoes, Boots, and Slippers.

Repairing neatly and promptly done.

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HOLLAND, Mich., April 6, 1883.

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Secure Healthy action to the Liver and relieve all bilious troubles.
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Zephyr, Heads, Worsted, Yarn, Canvas, Etc.

L. & S. VAN DEN BERGE,

EIGHTH STREET. HOLLAND MICH.

JOTTINGS.

LEAVES are turning—over.

THE board of Supervisors will meet next Monday.

THE Spring term of our Public School commences on Monday next.

THE News had a larger "run" on new year cards this year than ever before.

ONE week from next Monday, Jan. 14, the Annual rental of pews will take place in Hope Reformed Church.

LAST Saturday and Sunday the prospects for a thaw were very favorable. How are the prospects now?

HAVE you made many new resolutions for the new year, and how long do you suppose you will stick to them?

THE young people who attended the party of Miss Rosa Doyle on last Monday evening unite in saying that it was a very pleasant affair.

EVERYBODY in this locality from the boys who got arrested to the poet who got his poem in the papers got something to remember the holidays by.

MR. C. J. SLATTER, formerly station agent at Grand Junction, is now passenger Conductor on the southern division. He makes a fine looking "Con."

LAST Tuesday between twenty-five and thirty persons called at the parsonage of Hope Reformed Church to offer their New Year greeting to Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Jones.

THE many friends of Miss Jennie Kanters spent a pleasant evening at the residence of her father, Mr. R. Kanters, on last Monday evening. All unite in saying that they had an enjoyable time.

SOME of our young men had a great deal of amusement on New Years day. They were everyone of them "full as a tick"—of coffee. That is not the worst of it, some of them said they "mixed drinks" and took tea.

OUR City Treasurer and Collector informs us that the taxes for this city are all paid in except \$1,500. Our tax-payers are much more prompt in paying their taxes this year than they were last year. On January 1, 1883, there was some \$3,000 taxes uncollected.

MR. L. T. KANTERS has purchased all the interest of M. W. Palmer to the Palmer Wind Mill and will hereafter run the business connected therewith. Mr. Kanters will now undoubtedly push the business for all that there is in it. Mr. Palmer intends to make Nebraska his future home.

MR. L. C. SEARS, the gentleman who purchased the meat market of "Jake" Knits, has an advertisement in this issue. Mr. Sears says that he will endeavor to meet the demands of this public as a first-class butcher. He will keep the choicest meats and will endeavor to please all who give him a call. Don't fail to read his advertisement.

ALL those who have never seen the play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and those that wish to see it again, will probably not have a better opportunity than will be offered next Monday night. The company which is to be here then is said to be one of the best traveling. They played two nights this week at Redmond's Grand Opera House, Grand Rapids.

LAST Friday evening an informal meeting of our Common Council was held in the Council Rooms. Mr. Walker, the engineer employed by the city to arrange a plan and to make specifications for our proposed Water Works, was present and submitted his specifications and gave some useful information in regard thereto. The Council, at its meeting last Wednesday evening, ordered the specifications to be printed and they will be in the Clerk's office next week. That the matter of Water Works for this city will be pushed is now quite evident. The Council have ordered the issuing of bonds to the amount of \$32,000 to pay for the improvement, and we feel confident that by the middle of next summer a complete and perfectly adequate system will be in operation in our city.

FROM a circular just issued by General Manager Kimball, of the C. & W. M. R'y, we find that the following appointments were made, taking effect January 1st: General Superintendent, A. M. Nichols; General Freight and Passenger Agent, I. H. Palmer; Chief Engineer, J. W. Petheram; General Agent, West Grand Rapids, Geo. W. Dunlap, who will also have charge of train men, the dispatching of trains, and distributing of cars between Grand Rapids and Baldwin; General Agent, Muskegon, Geo. A. Maggon, who will have charge of train men between Allegan and Peltwater, also on Big Rapids Division and Hart Branch, John E. McLane, telegraph operators at Muskegon office, will have charge of distribution of cars north of Perryburg, except on Newaygo Division.

OUR City Collector has a notice in this issue. Read it.

THERE is a farm for sale in Muskegon county. See notice in another column.

"WELL, how do you like this weather?" was the familiar question asked this week.

MR. and Mrs. Elmon Cook, of Hesperia, visited their many friends in this city this week.

PATRICK McPHILLIPS, who so foully murdered Gerrit Timmer, will have his lawyer put in a plea of insanity.

A FINE Brass Band and Orchestra accompanies the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company that is to appear at Lyceum Hall next Monday evening.

A little paper, "Our Yankee Dutch," published at Grand Rapids, thinks that Senator John Roost, of this city, ought to receive the nomination of the Demo-Greenback party for Governor.

WE learn that in Spring Lake the year opened propitiously. On Tuesday last Mrs. Florain Klasswein, of that place, became the mother of two boys and a girl. Mother and babies were doing well at last reports.

THE reserved seat diagram for the "Uncle Tom" entertainment will be open all day Monday at Breyman's store. It costs no more to secure the seats you want than it does to purchase at the Hall and run the risk of being obliged to take an inferior location.

NOW that another new year is upon us the thing to do is to start off with such a wealth of friendly sentiments that it will last us till the end of next December and form our resolution for a better living with such a serious purpose that their binding force will not be broken by any temptation or their strength impaired by any lapse of time.

A PIPE was put down into the ground twenty-nine feet on the site for the location of pumping works for our system of Water Works by the order of the committee of the common council on last Monday. The object of this was to ascertain the nature of the soil, and the extent of the water supply. From the man in charge of this work we gather the following particulars: In the first fifteen feet nothing was encountered but coarse sand, then came six inches of clay, and the rest of the twenty-nine feet was quicksand and very quick at that. It is claimed however, that there is gravel at that depth at this location and as soon as the weather will permit investigations will be pushed further.

IN a dispatch to the Detroit Evening News dated, Saugatuck, Jan. 1, 1884, we find the following: "A young man named Russell Jacobs has been arrested charged with an attempt to commit rape near Richmond on Friday of last week. Jacobs was at work cutting wood near the railroad and met a Miss Trux as she was going home. He threw her to the ground and stifled her cries with his handkerchief, however, she made a vigorous resistance, and a little girl who was with her set up such an outcry that Jacobs became alarmed and ran into the woods. Some of the citizens got a rope and were for hanging him, and if he had succeeded in violating the girl he would assuredly have been strung up."

CONSIDERABLE excitement was created in railroad circles on last Tuesday over the steps taken by the Chicago & West Mich. R'y Company to cut down expenses. For some time there has been but little shipping on the road, owing to the depressed condition of the lumber market, and it has been evident that some such action would be taken by the management. It was not expected, however, that there would be a "wholesale slaughter" of the working force. It is reported that at Muskegon some one hundred and forty of the company's employees have been discharged. At this station twenty-four men were cut off from the pay roll, leaving this station without any night hands and with but two men employed in the freight house where, before the "slaughter," some five men were employed. In the yard, there will be no night switch gang, and the night express engine for Chicago, will have to do the switching for that train. The railroad men of this city are of the opinion that this state of affairs cannot last very long, as the amount of labor to be done at this station requires more men than are at present employed. We hope that all our large shippers, and those that receive freight in this city, will bear patiently with the station men until some means are devised by which they can do the business of this station in as prompt a manner as heretofore.

CARD OF THANKS.

REV. and Mrs. T. W. Jones desire to express their sincere thanks to the following members of their congregation for the very acceptable and useful New Year gifts with which they were surprised last Tuesday morning: to the married ladies for an elegant tea set, including silver knives and forks; to the young ladies for beautiful napkin rings and a New Year's card; and to the young men for a very handsome and richly ornamented hanging lamp.

REV. and MRS. T. W. JONES.

CHANCES are that the ice crop will be a plentiful one this season.

WHY is a loaf of bread like the sun? Because its light when it rises.

REMEMBER "Uncle Tom's Cabin" or "Life among the lowly" at Lyceum Hall on next Monday evening.

MR. YATES and wife, of Grand Rapids, spent New Years day with their brother Dr. O. E. Yates of this City.

Father Columbia's Paper is the latest thing in the line of a boom for Ben Butler for President. It is a very creditable document all things considered.

LIST of letters remaining in the Post Office at Holland, Mich., Jan. 3rd, 1883: H. C. Barker.

WM. VERBEEK, P. M.

A "Great Bankrupt Sale" is in progress in the building of Mr. J. W. Besman, opposite the post office. They are selling goods at very low figures. See advertisement in another column.

P. T. BARNUM, it is said, has secured from the court of Siam a white elephant to be exhibited in this country next summer. It is also said that an artist has applied for the job of keeping the elephant whitewashed.

WE have received a copy of the "St. Jacobs Oil Almanac," published by the Charles A. Vogler Company, of Baltimore, Md. It is brim full of useful information for the preservation of health and of humor for the million. The almanac can be procured by everyone on application at our drug stores.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE has made its appearance on our table. It is brighter and better than ever. The book contains three beautiful colored plates, is full of illustrations, and is filled with just such information as is required by the gardener, the farmer, those growing plants, and every one needing seeds or plants. The price, only 10 cents, can be deducted from first order sent for goods. Send to James Vick, Rochester, N. Y.

AT the close of the minstrel performance at the Ionia house of correction Christmas evening, the truly pious and highly accomplished long timer, Dannie Van Wagoner, presented the warden a handsome ring on behalf of the prisoners. —Evening News. Dannie Van Wagoner, is the prisoner who escaped from the House of Correction at Ionia last year, and was captured at this place while enquiring for a package of money at our express office.

THE following from the Cooperaville Observer, in regard to the dedication of the Reformed Church of that village will be of interest to many of our readers: "The Reformed church was dedicated on the 19th inst. with very imposing, instructive and interesting ceremonies and services. The sermons of Revs. Broek and Van der Veen were models of literature, oratory, instruction and simple logical reasoning. The music by the choir was very excellent and fine, while the edifice itself, in its completion, is a fine exposition of architectural beauty, convenience and comfort, and a monument of the thrift, enterprise and determination of the steady going, honest, christian Hollanders of our community. Give us plenty of such churches; plenty of such church services and plenty of men like the members of the Reformed church, and nothing shall stand in the way of our success and prosperity."

IT is a common practice when speaking of "blizzards" to say that "it is the most severe storm that has ever visited this locality," but we can say, without fear of contradiction, that on last Tuesday night commenced one of the worst, most blustering and outlandish snow storms that we have ever experienced. Snow fell on Tuesday night to the depth of 12 or 14 inches and on Wednesday morning the high wind which prevailed whirled the falling flakes into the face of pedestrians making it impossible to see an object but a few paces in front. Business was at a standstill and everyone seemed to have only one object in view and that was to keep warm. The trains on the Chicago and West Michigan R'y were from forty minutes to two hours and a half late, during the "blizzard," but are now again running "on time." The thermometer at no time registered below five degrees below zero, and consequently the storm has done no damage to peach buds.

Hamilton Items.

SNOW is about fourteen inches deep on the ground in this locality.

C. R. BROWNELL started last week for New Orleans prospecting. He was accompanied by Charley Moore, of Douglas.

HAMILTON LODGE, No. 315, I. O. O. F., held an oyster supper and dance last Tuesday evening. All who were present report having a "boos time."

Messrs. OOSTING & SMITH, proprietors of our brickyard, are kept quite busy. From six to fourteen teams are seen making their way to their yard daily.

WE are to have a shingle mill. Messrs. Woodruff and Oliver, both of this place, will erect a mill immediately. W. H. Mohn has got the contract for building the mill and for getting it in running order. The company will be known as the Hamilton Shingle Co. We wish them success with their new enterprise.

G. J. VAN DUREN, W. VAN DER VEERE.

City Meat Market,

VAN DUREN & CO., Prop's

Having lately re-opened the "City Meat Market" in the First Ward, we kindly invite the citizens of this city to give us a "call."

We intend to keep our market supplied with the best and choicest meats that can be procured.

We make

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and can assure our patrons that the Lard purchased of us, is perfectly pure and of fine quality. G. J. VAN DUREN & CO. HOLLAND, Mich., Feb. 15, 1883.

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Wheeler & Wilson, Singer, and the White,

King of all Sewing Machines and the best in the world.

Also agent for

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Estey, Chase,

Tailor & Farlow,

ORGANS

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MY GUEST.

BY G. N. MATTHEWS.

There is a guest that I detest, forever at my side,
Who clings to me as fondly as a bridegroom to his bride,
Who leans at me, who jeers at me, and when I cross his will,
Who only smiles sardonically, and huge me closer still,
I hate him, and berate him, yet he trudges at my heels,
And reaches in my pockets, and revels at my meals;
I defy him, and would fly him, but he only presses closer,
And whispers to each wish of mine an everlasting "No, sir."
I have chided, and derided, till I'm almost out of heart,
I've abused him, and misused him, but he never will depart;
If I smite him, seek to spite him, why, he simply tucks, and plants
The symbols of his tyranny upon my coat and pants;
He squeezes me, and freezes me, and well-nigh drives me mad;
He tortures and he teases me, and growls when I am glad.
He glares at me, and stares at me, as any ghoul might do;
He has shattered every promise that my soul was anchored to;
He has wrecked me and bedecked me with the tattered garb of woe;
He has crossed my happy threshold and has laid my loved ones low;
He's as wary as a beagle, and he grins in such a style
That the cunning of a serpent is apparent in his smile;
He is lank, he is lean, and his fingers are unclean;
He is ragged, he is haggard, he is spiteful and he's mean;
Than Adam he is older, than Satan he is bolder;
He's as ghastly as a skeleton, and uglier and colder;
When the winter winds are dire he sits crouching at my fire,
And glowering at my beggary with eyes that never tire;
He's the parent of all crime, in each country and each clime,
And has tramped the wide world over, hand in hand with Father Time;
His record all may read in the hearts that break and bleed,
On the lips of little children that forever pine and plead;
And his deeds are further written, over sleepless eyes red-bitten,
Over cold and empty cradles, over roofs by sorrow smitten;
Over shattered hopes once cherished, over pleasures that have perished,
Over broken dreams of glory, that a better manhood nourished;
In the byways and the highways, he goes onward un molested,
And he makes the world to labor ere its weary hands are rested;
He's a beggar and a rascal, and was present, not a stranger,
At the birth of the Messiah, in the cold Judean manger;
He has trailed along the path of the tempest in its wrath,
And has gloated o'er the ruins of the molded aftermath;
He's the Prince of Empty Pockets, out at elbow and at knee,
He's a knight without a nickel whom we nickname—POVERTY.

Mrs. Frere's Diamonds.

How They Led a Lady to a Fatal Mistake.

Mr. Frere was a very rich old gentleman of somewhat parsimonious habits. His one extravagance was a love for young women. He was an excellent example of the elderly lover; he was not satisfied unless he had a pretty young wife, and then he made love to the sex at large, bargaining only for youth and beauty.

The first Mrs. Frere was a lovely girl with blue blood in her veins. She was poor and Mr. Frere's wealth tempted her. She brought with her as her sole dowry a splendid diamond necklace, which had been preserved as an heirloom in her family. Mr. Frere was almost as proud of this as he was of his wife, and he, from time to time, added diamond ornaments, until finally she possessed one of the finest sets to be seen in any London drawing-room. She altered strangely after her marriage, became devoted to dress, amusement and excitement. But she was quiet and amiable with her husband, except that at first she frequently complained because he would not give her all she wished. But after awhile she left off reproaching him. He would not give her an allowance; he liked to play the generous and uxorious husband, and give her a dress when it took his fancy to do so. But she did submit.

Eventually, however, she lost patience, and dealt him the hardest blow that lies within a woman's power. She ran away with a wild young cousin of her own whom she had loved before her marriage. He was a spendthrift; and made away with his slender fortune; so Mr. Frere had one comfort in his uneasy situation—he felt sure that his foolish wife would discover now what poverty meant. She had gone to Paris, and those who met her thought her looking wretchedly ill; but she always appeared very gay and dressed magnificently.

In six months she died, and left Mr. Frere free of all but her memory. The cousin went to America and did not reappear in England for many years. It seemed he was doing well abroad.

Mr. Frere had disliked the idea of getting a divorce, perhaps fearing that his bald crown and scant fringe of white hairs might raise a laugh in court. But now that he was so agreeably set at liberty he immediately began to pay assiduous attention to one pretty young lady after another. The number of young ladies with whom his name was associated did not arise from his own changeableness, but from their unanimous rejection of his addresses. For poor Mrs. Frere's career was not forgotten. She had been a favorite in her time, and most of her acquaintances regarded him in the light of an old ogre, who had driven her to ruin and death. This was very trying to Mr. Frere, for he really doted on youthful beauty, and he much wished to appear again in the society which he feared had been sneering at him, with another young and lovely bride upon his arm.

But his case really seemed desperate. Most ladies gave him the cold shoulder as soon as they guessed at his intentions; if any allowed him to propose, it was only for the pleasure of refusing him. The poor old gentleman got quite depressed and knew not what to do. He

began to think of traveling and enticing some innocent young creature into wedlock who had never heard of the late Mrs. Frere and her sad end.

It was September, and he was at a large country house where there were a number of delicious morsels in the shape of young women; he could not tear himself away from their captivations, yet he dared not propose to any one of them, for his recent experiences had made him nervous. It was humiliating to be rejected by some girlish creature fresh from the schoolroom, and then meet her every day; and he did not want to go away from the house, for the girls were not unkind to him. They teased and pleased and flattered him. Only he noticed he could never be with one of them alone. They always went about with him in little companies of three or four. In fact, they had determined that the old would-be-lady-killer should never get the chance to make love to any one of them. A new addition to the circle, a lady who had been the beauty of the season just over, seemed much amused at this little arrangement. For her part, she said, she had no fear of Mr. Frere; he was rich enough to be an eligible *parti*; but he seemed afraid to speak to her. So he was; for she was the handsomest woman he had seen for many a day, and experience had taught him that he would fall in love with her, and that if he proposed she would refuse him.

The last day of his stay arrived, and he was very sad. In the afternoon he deserted the men, who were out shooting, and went into the morning-room, where he found all the young ladies in a state of gayety which young ladies sometimes indulge in. They had been pulling the men to pieces in their absence, and laughing at them; poor old Mr. Frere, whom any one of them might have had for a lover, had just had his turn. He was given to making passionate speeches whenever he could get the chance; and some of the girls, on comparing notes, found that he used the identical words to each. In fact, he did somewhat lack imagination. This amused the girls immensely, and they were laughing over it when he came in. They immediately began to tease him, and while they asked him a hundred questions all at once, he stood smiling, flattered, and perfectly happy in their midst. Confused by the presence of so much beauty, he made a speech, which most of those who heard it regarded as absolute nonsense.

"Ladies," he said, "I am going away to-morrow. It is dreadful to go and leave you. I don't think I have the courage to do it, unless one of you will consent to console me. Which of you ladies will marry me? My wife will have the late Mrs. Frere's diamonds, and they are not to be despised."

He spoke as if purely in a joke, and laughed as he said it. But his eyes looked eagerly and anxiously round the merry circle to see if any face looked thoughtful.

"I will, Mr. Frere," said the beauty; "diamonds suit me and I adore them."

The others looked in amazement, and then burst into peals of laughter. The idea of the beauty sacrificing herself for a set of diamonds—she who, it was supposed, might wear a coronet if she choose! But Lady Rose knew her own position better than any one else. She had been out several seasons, and had had no offer worth accepting, and her mother would not let her have the man she loved. A rich old man, who, as she fully determined, should be her slave, and a set of diamonds for her very own, which were a fortune in themselves—these things were worth thinking about.

The whole thing was treated as a joke at the time by every one present. But in the evening Mr. Frere came quietly to Lady Rose and sat down by her.

"Lady Rose," he said, "if you are willing to hold to the bargain we made to-day, I will keep my part of it."

She raised her eyes and looked coldly into his.

"If you meant it," she said, "so did I. As I said, diamonds suit me, and I have none."

"I will give you the late Mrs. Frere's on your wedding-day," he answered. "The jewel-case which contains them shall be opened by you for the first time since she herself shut it."

In due time the marriage was announced and the details were settled. The wedding was fixed for an early date. Lady Rose, having made the bargain, was not diffident about fulfilling it. She wanted the diamonds; not only for their beauty, but because when they were once in her hands she would be rich in her own right for the first time in her life. She was avaricious because she was unhappy; and she determined that if Mr. Frere proved intolerable, and wanted to be her master instead of her slave, she would, like the late Mrs. Frere, run away, but would not commit the fatal mistake of leaving the diamonds behind.

At last the wedding-day came, and there was no doubt about one thing—Lady Rose was the handsomest bride of the whole year. And yet she was so pale as to look like the ghost of herself. The diamonds she wore were the envy and admiration of her friends. They were magnificent; her white neck and arms blazed with their beauty.

When Mr. Frere brought her the jewel-case and the key, a sort of shudder came upon her at the recollection of what had last opened it. She felt for a moment sorry for poor, frail Mrs. Frere, who had left all behind her, her home, her reputation and her diamonds. But before long she made a discovery which chilled her blood and made her face as white as that of a ghost. The diamonds were paste! Before her

flight the runaway had had the set of jewels exactly imitated by a dexterous dweller in the Palais Royal, and none but an expert could have told the difference. It was on the proceeds of the sale of the real stones that, after her flight, the lady and her cousin lived luxuriously in Paris.

Lady Rose never felt sorry for the late Mrs. Frere again.—*London World*.

A Grim Canadian Humorist.

The Toronto *Globe* gives the following will of the late Mr. Dunlop:

"In the name of God, Amen. I, William Dunlop, of Gairbraid, in the Township of Colborne, and the District of Huron, Western Canada, Esquire, being in sound health and my mind just as usual, which my friends, who flatter me, say is no great shakes at the best times, do make my last will and testament as follows: Revoking, of course, all former wills, I leave the property of Gairbraid, and all other landed property I may be possessed of, to my sisters, Ellen Boyle Story, and Elizabeth Boyle Dunlop, the former because she is married to a minister, whom (God help) she henpecks; the latter, because she is married to nobody, nor is she likely to be, for she is an old maid, and not market ripe; and also I leave to them and their heirs my share of the stock and implements of the farm; provided always that the inclosure around my brother's grave be renewed; and if either should die without issue, then the other to inherit the whole. I leave to my sister-in-law, Louisa Dunlop, all my share of the household furniture and such traps, with the exceptions hereinafter mentioned. I leave my silver tankard to the eldest son of old John, as the representative of the father. I would leave it to old John himself, but he would melt it down to make temperance medals, and that would be sacrilege; however, I leave my big horn snuff-box to him; he can only make temperance horn spoons with that. I leave my sister Jennie my Bible, formerly the property of my great-grandmother, Bertha Hamilton, of Woodhall; and when she knows as much of the spirit as she does of the letter, she will be a better Christian than she is. I also leave my late brother's watch to my brother Sandy, exhorting him at the same time to give up Whiggery, Radicalism, and all other sins that do most easily beset him. I leave my brother, Allen, my big snuff-box, as I am informed that he is rather a decent Christian, and a jolly face. I leave Parson Chevassee (Maggie's husband) the small box I got from the Sarnia militia, as a token of gratitude of the service he has done the family in taking a sister that no man of taste would have taken. I leave John Cadel a silver tea-pot, to the end that he may drink tea therefrom to comfort him under the affliction of a slatternly wife. I leave my books to my brother, Andrew, because he has been so long a jangly wallon, that he may learn to read with them. I give my silver cup, with a sovereign in it, to Janet Dunlop, because she is an old maid and pious, and therefore will necessarily take to horning, and also my granny's snuff-shell, as it looks decent to see an old woman taking snuff. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my seal, the 31st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and forty-two.

Wool, Fur and Hair.

Among the animal fibers used in the manufacture of textile fabrics is cashmere wool, which is the fine wool-like hair of the goat. This goat thrives best on the Himalaya Mountains, at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The higher the altitude, the finer, softer and thicker the coat of hair is found to be. Nearly all of this staple is manufactured into shawls in Cashmere. So that what is called a camel's hair shawl is not camel's hair at all, but goat's hair. What little is sent to other markets may be said to be of three kinds or colors—white, gray and brown. The word cashmere is also used to designate certain fabrics made of wool or silk warp and goat hair, or fine Merino wool or filling. Cashmere satin (wool satin) is a smooth, lustrous fabric, the warp and filling of which are of combed wool or worsted. Cashmere muslin (wool muslin, mouseline-de-laine); the warp and filling of this fabric have little twist and are woven very loose. In mouseline-de-laine the warp is cotton, the filling combed wool or worsted. Cashmere is a fabric more like cloth in its manufacture and appearance. The warp of the best kinds is of a peculiar floss silk, woolen filling. These fabrics are full, gassed and shorn. Vigogue wool is a sort of curly hair from a peculiar sheep that is found in the mountains of Peru, Chili and Mexico. Alpaca wool is the downy hair of a goat in Peru, is very fine, and comes to market brown, black and white. Mohair is produced from the Angora goat in Asia Minor. This staple is largely spun from carded stock, and used as filling for several fabrics, which, by fulling, etc., readily yield a nap resembling plush. Camel's hair is the downy hair of certain camels, and is used for combed and carded yarns. Cow hair is spun into coarse yarn, woven into carpets and other coarse fabrics. It is seldom spun alone, but is carried by a more suitable fiber like wool, etc. Horse hair, dog hair, and even human hair finds its way into various textures.

THE trades-unions of England have a membership of 600,000; those of the United States, 247,000.

TEN thousand and forty-seven persons in Kentucky are drawing pensions from the government.

"FOGG'S FERRY."

A Texas Cowboy Wants to Assist the Heroine in the Steamboat Scene.

It was in an interior town, where the festive cowboy "flourisheth even as a green-bay tree," and has an occasional picnic when it strikes his erratic fancy, that Miss Maddern held forth as *Chip*, in "Fogg's Ferry." The play progressed, without especial interest not down on the programme as being in the regular order of events, until the steamboat scene in the third act, when *Chip* is discovered at an old mill on the banks of a river. She had overheard the villain's plot to blow up the steamer on which her benefactor is bearing the papers to a place of safety, by placing a torpedo in the channel directly in the way of the coming vessel. *Chip* is armed with a pistol, and, nerving herself, aims at the infernal machine, hoping by a well-directed shot to explode it. The whistle of the approaching steamer betokens its rapid coming, and soon the sound of escaping steam and the splash of the revolving wheels break on the listening ear. Nearer and nearer the ominous sounds ring out on the night, and soon the bow of the boat greets the expectant gaze of the audience. *Chip* nerves herself for the telling shot, but alas, on this particular occasion the cartridge fails to explode. A moment more and all would be lost, for there, plain to be seen, bobbing up on the turbid waters, was the torpedo. Miss Maddern, though a little surprised at the misfire of her weapon, was cooling it for another shot, when suddenly a cowboy jumped to his feet in the audience, and, flourishing a navy six shouted: "Stand a little to one side, gal, and I'll bust it for you. Blame my eyes but them chaps ain't going to dish up that boat that way." The ominous click of a forty-four caliber was distinctly heard, and as he pointed his pistol Miss Maddern with great presence of mind, without moving from her position, for the second time pulled the trigger, fortunately with better success. The torpedo duly exploded, and the steamer glided majestically on in safety.

As Miss Maddern was leaving the theater that evening, she was accosted at the stage door by the identical cowboy, who, *sans ceremoni*, said: "Say, little gal, little mor'n there'd been the devil to pay, and all a owin' to that little pop-gun of your'n. You can't depend on 'em. You want something that when you get the drop on a fellow you know you've got him right there. I was a goin' to help you out this evening without asking you and blow the blamed thing up myself, only you was right in the road and I couldn't draw a bead on it. Don't never let it happen again, and I'm going to heel you so you'll be in proper shape." Suiting the action to the word, he produced a navy Colt and bashfully handed it to her with the remark: "It's your'n, little gal, an' it's a daisy. I hate to part with it, but then what's a fellow to do when he's hit as bad as I am. Maybe I'll get the laugh for this, but none of 'em's game enough to show their teeth to me, you bet! Good-bye." He strode away, leaving the little lady, Colt in hand.—*Salt Lake Herald*.

Luther's Courtship and Marriage.

In Wittenberg there was a certain Catherine von Bora, 16 years younger than he, who had been a nun in a distant convent. Her family were noble, but poor; they had provided for their daughter by placing her in the cloister when she was a child of 9. At 16 she had taken the vows, but she detested the life into which she had been forced, and when the movement began she had applied to her friends to take her out of it. The friends would do nothing, but in April, 1523, she and nine others were released by the people. As they were starving, Luther collected money to provide for them, and Catherine von Bora, being then 24 years old, came to Wittenberg to reside with the burgomaster, Philip Reichenbach. Luther did not at first like her; she was not beautiful, and he thought that she was proud of her birth and blood; but she was a simple, sensible, shrewd, active woman; she, in the sense in which Luther was, might consider herself dedicated to God, and a fit wife for a religious reformer. Luther's own father was most anxious that he should marry, and in a short time they came to understand each other. So on the 13th of June, 1525, a month after Munzer had been stamped out at Frankenhansen, a little party was collected in the Wittenberg cloister—Bugenhausen, the town pastor; Prof. Jonas; Lucas Cranach, the painter, with his wife, and Prof. Apel, of Bamberg, who had himself married a nun; and in this presence Martin Luther and Catharine von Bora became man and wife.—*Contemporary Review*.

Two Notable Graves.

In secluded parts of Mount Olivet cemetery, far apart from each other, however, are graves containing the remains of two people once prominent in national events, but now apparently forgotten altogether. One is the grave of Mrs. Marie E. Surratt, who was executed as one of the Abraham Lincoln conspirators, and the other is that of the famous Wirtz, the keeper of the much-dreaded Andersonville prison pen during the late war. Visitors to the cemetery, especially strangers, will find practically nothing to denote the graves of these once well-known people. Wirtz is buried under a tall hickory tree, in which squirrels chatter and gambol. Tall, rank weeds and unkempt grass surround the spot, and the simple inscription, "Wirtz," on a tiny block of marble at the head of the grave, is the only thing to denote the resting place of a man once so famous

in his peculiar way and so universally detested.

Mrs. Surratt's grave is equally obscure. A ragged boxbush and a glass jar containing a few withered vines were the only signs shown yesterday that even a memory of the unfortunate woman still survives. A small, plain headstone, bluntly inscribed: "Mrs. Mary E. Surratt," is all to indicate who the occupant of the grave was. There is neither date nor cause of death on the headstone, and the lot containing graves of other members of the family is rank with weeds and banked with the faded leaves of autumn.—*Washington Post*.

The Rio Market.

Worlds within themselves are the markets or *mercados* of Rio. Great are they in extent, rich in variety, teeming in interest and loud in smell. The visitor will have no difficulty in finding these interesting places if he follows the dictates of his own organ of smell, for the odor of the markets is greater, stronger and richer than all the other odors of the city, and can be detected a square or so away. The market I would essay to tell you about, and the one that often attracted me at times when I felt able to wade through the unpleasantness of the place, is situated on the bay shore, and has its docks for the fish and vegetable boats. You may have seen the French market in New Orleans. If you have, and are gifted with an imagination that can picture a similar place a little larger in size, many times more curious and crowded, twenty times more dirty, you may have a faint idea of what this market may be like. In its area, which is about equal to that of an ordinary city square, are comprised a greater assortment of things than could be dreamed of in a month. In sheds and stalls and stands are offered for sale a most miscellaneous lot of merchandise, perishable and otherwise. Everything you could find in the North is here, besides the infinite variety of things the existence of which the people of the North never had the faintest idea. Next to a stall where is displayed a chaotic stock of notions and "general store" goods, in many of which we recognize the handiwork of the Yankee, we find a vegetable stand, where is offered for sale everything that grows and possesses any value as food—the fruits of the tropics, pumpkins, sections of the edible palm-tree, mandioca and other vegetable-looking things that the Hoosier could not call by name. This edible palm beats everything in the food line I know of. We see pieces of round, green, pithy wood two or three inches in diameter, and as long as a stick of cordwood, and can hardly be convinced that this should be an article in the bill-of-fare of the natives, yet we are assured that it is a popular food among the poorer inhabitants. The palm-tree serves the natives manifold purposes. They build houses and roof them with materials from the tree, they make clothing and thread, tools, household utensils, and I forget to what other uses they put the tree, besides eating the trunk.

Next to the vegetable stall we'll find a crockery establishment. The bulk of this stock will be seen to be water coolers, bottles, etc., of the Dutch porous ware, which is so well adapted for use in the tropics. But of all the bewildering maze of things, animate and inanimate, the poultry booths will hold most of the visitor's attention. The boxes of chickens, pigeons, ducks, etc., that are so familiar to our eyes we pass with a glance, but the cages of canaries, finches, flamingoes, parrots, paroquets, cockatoos, and others of the plumed tribe, valued either for their musical ability, loquacity or plumage, retain our interest. You may say that the latter-named are queer poultry. It does seem funny to see roosters and hens, that look so natural we could almost believe ourselves in the poultry department of an Indiana county fair, and the rarest birds of the tropics side and side, but so we find it here. Amid the scores of birds, the species of which I am ignorant, I found a sedate and solemn *toucan*, with its preponderance of bill. We saw this same bird every time we visited the place, and we became very familiar, so familiar in fact, that the Major felt free to call him "Doctor"—a name suggested by the size of the bill.—*Will Wayward*.

Children's Ears.

Dr. Weil has examined the ears of 5,905 school children, and in stating the results obtained (*Archives of Otology*) says that the ears of every inattentive child should be examined and treated if it be found necessary. He is convinced of the fact that children who are simply hard of hearing are greatly misjudged, and considered inattentive and obstinate. It is recommended that teachers, or, if possible, a surgeon, should examine the ears of children once or twice a year, and have a report made to parents where treatment is necessary. He adds that such troubles, when attended to early in life, will in a majority of cases save children from what often end in permanent deafness.

Cupid and the Fish.

An actor, who had an excellent opinion of his own ability, intellectually and artistically, was cast for the part of commander in the "Pearl of Savoy." In one of the scenes he uses the following lines: "The fair charmer, how sweet she looks! We are like Cupid and Psyche." To the horror of those who listened, he said: "We are like Cupid and Fish, and I am the Fish." Unconscious of the cause of the laughter, he continued the scene, satisfied at its conclusion that he had made a hit.—*Cincinnati Enquirer*.

Sweet Peas.

Probably no other common flower is so useful in the garden during summer as the Sweet Pea, and it is as indispensable to it as Mignonette. Formerly we had but few varieties; now they have grown into something like thirteen or fourteen, every one of which well deserves a place in the garden.

It is nearly two centuries ago that the Sweet Pea was introduced from Sicily. In all probability the original form has been considerably improved upon, and it has either sported into new forms or yielded them by means of seed. In later years, new varieties have been obtained in this way. Among the plants raised from seed of any one variety, a new departure has been discovered in the case of a plant or two. Those whose practice it is to grow seeds largely are aware of the tendency in many annuals to break into different characters, and when one appears it is marked, the surrounding plants are pulled out to give the new type space in which to develop itself, and the seed is carefully gathered and sown for another season. Sports of this kind are often very difficult to fix in a permanent character; they will appear for a year or two, or more, and then revert to their original form, to the great disappointment of the cultivator. On the other hand, such sports can be permanently fixed after a few years' selection, and when the durability of the new character is assured the variety can be sold in the ordinary way.

An enormous quantity of Sweet Peas is every year grown for the trade of England. One wholesale house grows annually from twenty-five to thirty acres, producing in a good season from 800 to 1,000 bushels, and several other seed firms raise similar quantities. The greater part is grown as mixed colors, separate colors being required only in comparatively small quantities.

Of late years Sweet Peas have come to be much grown for supplying cut blooms for market. A hedge of Sweet Peas of mixed colors is a very pretty sight indeed in any garden, and diffuses a most agreeable fragrance. The Scarlet Invincible, in conjunction with Tropaeolum Canariense, is a charming combination—as delightful as it is novel. A garden without Sweet Peas is a garden without one of the most useful of flowers that can find a place in it.—*Gardener's Chronicle.*

Brigham Young's Children.

Speaking of this Young family—what a part it has played in Utah history! You encounter the descendants of old Brigham everywhere. As he left fifty-four living children out of a progeny numbering seventy-two souls, it is not to be wondered that they turn up everywhere. Some of the sons who are in business here, be it said, are exemplary and most agreeable men; while among the daughters are numbered some ladies unexcelled in graces of heart and mind.

But alas! there have been a sadly large number of male scamps and female sirens in the list. The daughters may be found among the demi-monde of this city, San Francisco and New Orleans. At least two sons are already in drunkards' graves. Scandal, contention and wantonness have added poison to the family cup. Here is Mormonism's own answer to Mormonism! Even Amelia, the favorite, the beloved seventeenth wife of the old patriarch, after whom the Amelia palace was named, remembered her liege lord but four short months after his taking off, and then became the "life partner" of another. And there are wives living here who bitterly tell now of the days when Amelia rode about behind Brigham's best span while they, more faithful wives, took in washing to earn a subsistence. Two of the daughters were married on the same night to a leading Mormon, and are now living together in his harem on one of the principal streets here.—*Salt Lake letter.*

Sponges.

Sponge culture in the United States is likely to present some definite results. Among the exhibits to be sent to England will be a collection of sponges due to artificial culture. The modus operandi is simplicity itself. A good-sized sponge is cut into fragments and attached to stones. In a certain time the sponge holds to its new base and grows. This method has been tried in the Mediterranean, but so far with indifferent success. Italian sponge fishermen were opposed to this artificial culture, and destroyed the cuttings. The growth of the sponge, as is quite natural, seems to be more rapid in tide-ways, because the food on which the sponge lives and thrives is conveyed to it under these conditions in larger quantities. The sponges which will be exhibited were grown in Key West, and in quite shallow water. For the culture of sponges, which is quite as feasible an enterprise as that of the oyster, it will be, however, necessary that some legislative enactments shall be enforced on the Floridian coasts, giving protection to those who engage in this novel business. It is not generally known that for excellence the natural sponges grown on the Florida coast are among the best in the market. Though not so delicate in structure as the Mediterranean sponges, they are much more lasting. Methods of preparing sponges seem, however, to be very crude and primitive, and there is no doubt that with more scientific methods the quality of sponges could be improved.

A Theory of Life.

Anaximander, who lived 625 B. C., assumed that out of infinity of matter through eternal evolutions, numerous world-bodies came into being as condensations of the air, and that the earth, too, as one of these world-bodies,

issued out of a state originally fluid and afterward aeriform. He also taught the world that the earliest living creatures on this globe originated in water from the action of the sun. From these creatures, later on, were developed the land inhabiting plants and animals, which left the water and adapted themselves to life on dry land. Man likewise gradually worked himself up from animal organism, and, in reality, from fish-like aquatic animals.

Boston Bloods.

Mr. C. S. Hollis, Veterinary Surgeon, Boston, Mass., certifies that he has made the great pain-cure, St. Jacobs Oil, the sole remedy in his practice for horse ailments, and considers it superior to any cure he has known in forty years. He tried the same great pain-banisher on himself for rheumatism, and by which he was completely cured.

The Beauty of Home Life.

Home is not sustained alone by the ownership of the land, but it is in the observance of the sound principles of temperance, economy and integrity which makes up the best average of life. I see the boys sometimes going away from the old household, perhaps not attracted by the hard labor of the farm, and drawn away, it may be, by the enticements of the greater places. And when they make a good work of life, and when they adorn and improve and benefit those that are around them, they are certainly just as much working out God's purposes there as if they had remained, perhaps doing the harder toil of the farm. But if there is one thing that brings the deepest grief to anybody's heart, it is to see those young men, when they are gone away from those homes, depart from those principles that were instilled into them by their loving and dutiful parents. Is there a more deplorable sight than that which is presented in the ruin of so many of our young men, who have forgotten that the best of life is purity in every walk upon which they are called to enter? So that, whatever may be our differences in one way or the other—differences of belief, differences of political association—the one thing of all to treasure is the beauty of this home life. Make it the one thought of this day to take care of the home. Keep it! Save it! And if your boys and girls go away, keep the place warm, and green, and beautiful, so that they shall want to come back, and so that there shall be no dearer spot on earth than the one that gave them birth.

During the war it so happened that at one time the armies on both sides were encamped on the banks of the river—on the one side the Union army; across, the rebel. And as they lay there in their encampments the bands on both sides began to discourse music. On the Northern side it was "The Star-Spangled Banner," swelling out upon the breeze, and on the Southern side the bands responded with "Dixie's Land." Then again, the Northern side said in their music, "Hail Columbia," and the Southern bands responded with "Dixie's Land." And then a chord of "Home, Sweet Home!" was struck on the Northern side of the stream, and the bands on the Southern side took it up, and it was "Home, Sweet Home," on both sides, and every voice responded in perfect harmony, and the strains of those instruments and the great soul of the country breathed anew and again with the delightful inspiration of the love of home. That was the lesson that was implanted deep in the hearts of all the men assembled there. So long as the sweet influences of such lessons as that are treasured in our hearts, there will be danger for our State, no peril for the nation, but there will be prosperity ahead and forever.—*Gov. Robinson, of Massachusetts.*

A HANDSOME woman pleases the eye, but a good woman charms the heart.

CHEERFULNESS is a spark from heaven.

The Mind Dependent on the Body.

Hypochondria is a far more common malady than is generally supposed. It has its degrees, it is true, progressing from mental depression, or the "blues," to mental hallucination; but they are all forms of the same malady. It is a significant fact that this mental ailment is invariably accompanied by dyspepsia and nervousness, and the fact that it readily yields to the alternative action of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which are peculiarly adapted to the eradication of indigestion and nervous debility, proves that it originates in those complaints. It will thus be seen how dependent the mind is upon the body for the preservation of a cheerful equilibrium, and also how readily the causes of mental gloom may be removed. There is no surer or pleasanter way of shaking off a fit of depression brought on by indigestion than by swallowing a dose or two of this agreeable medicine.

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The Blessing of the Lord, It Maketh Rich.

We have passed the great dividing line which is drawn between the Old and New Year, and for three hundred and sixty-six days let it be our earnest desire to make the record of the year 1894 much more pure than that of the past. If we have settled all old scores against us for former years, and like Luther, when Satan came to him with such a great roll of his former sins, that there seemed no end to it, have also said, "write to the end of it the blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin," then are we ready to enter upon the duties of a new year. Have we derived any instruction from our past mistakes. If they required so great a name to cancel them, is it not our duty to look well to the new? Surely we desire to have a clean record for the coming year! As our experience is greater more will be required of us. There was one of whom the Saviour said: "It were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea," then to have been guilty of his offences. And what were those offences? "Whosoever shall offend (or cause to stumble) one of these little ones that believe in My name," gives the answer: Young believers—Babes in Christ—Children consecrated to the Lord, whose hearts the Lord has touched, so that they have cried out: "Lord I will follow Thee whithersoever Thou goest." Such ones have, by the example of those who should have helped, "Make straight paths for their feet," been led into the slippery paths of vice, "The Blessing of the Lord maketh rich." Will such a blessing rest on our place, on each individual, so long as we are among those who help "establish our City by iniquity?" M. S. V. O.

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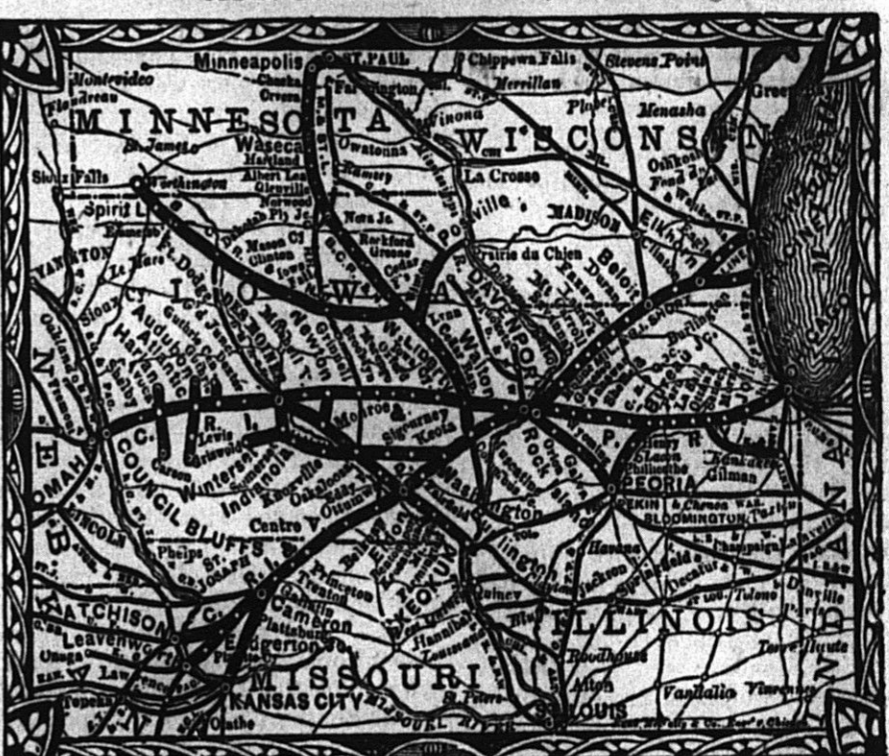
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