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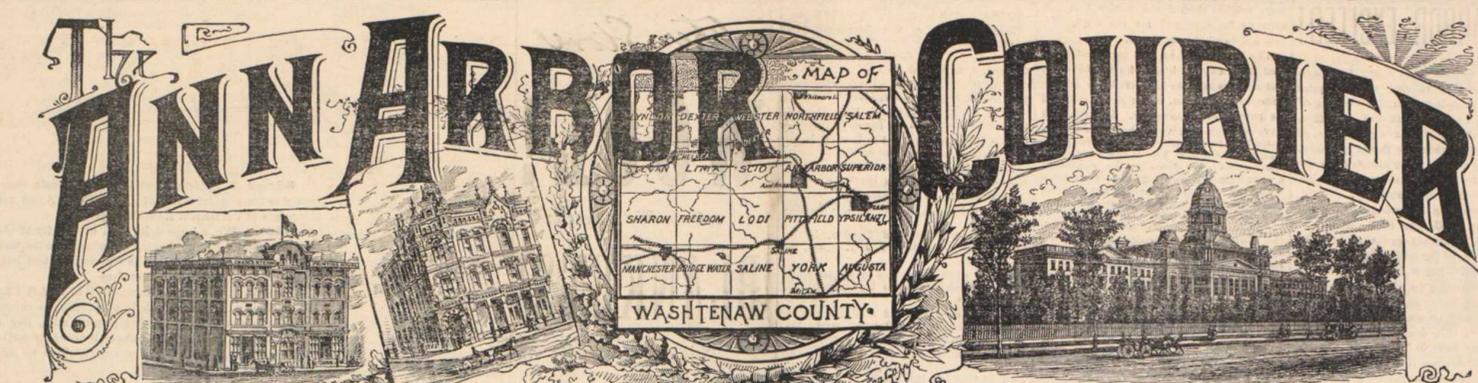
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Advertisement for 'MASONIC DIRECTORY'. ANN ARBOR COMMANDERY, No. 17 meets first Tuesday of each month, E. F. Watts, E. C. John R. Miner, Recorder.

Advertisement for 'D. A. MacLachlan, M. D.'. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. 11 1-2 N. Fifth St., Ann Arbor.

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HOW DARIUS WAS MADE KING.—The date sufficed with a large B. C. Cambyses, the king of Persia, was dead, leaving no son to reign in his stead.

BEHEAVED.—Let me come in where you sit weeping—say, Let me, who have not any child to die, Weep with you for the little one whose love I have known nothing of.

EMMA, QUEEN OF HOLLAND.—The old king of Holland, William II, has been declared incapable to reign, having become very enfeebled in mind and body.

THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY.—TRUTHS FOR THE SICK.—For those destitute of strength, this medicine will cure you.

PUBLIC SAFETY DEMANDS.—Whether it is the climate so soft and balmy, the wealth of fruit and flowers, the thousand and one lovely resorts, or all these combined it is hard to tell.

Sarsaparilla.—Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure to return your money.

The Defeat and Its Causes.—It would be useless to underestimate the extent of the republican reverse in the congressional elections on Tuesday.

County and Vicinity.—Dundee has a new chemical fire engine. Chelsea brags about business booming there this fall.

Real Estate Transfers.—John Cassidy to Wm. Cassidy, Sylvan & Lyndon, \$1,500. Cornelia Hall to M. A. Fletcher, \$1,000.

Experience Taught Me!—And my money paid for it. After having Liver Complaint four years, and spending money on nostrums and doctors who did not help me, I tried Sarsaparilla.

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Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, of Lost and Found, Houses for Sale or Rent, Wants, etc., inserted three weeks for \$5 cents. Situations wanted, free.

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HOUSE TO RENT on Maynard Street. Fine large house. Apply at the COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE—The old home of Samuel Crossman at the west end of Huron street, Ann Arbor, Mich., consisting of twenty acres of land upon which thirty years of careful toil have left many valuable improvements. The property would be sold and make many very early and desirable suburban homes. It will be sold in parts, upon easy terms, long time and low prices to close the estate of Adams, D. J. CROSSMAN, Administrator, Williams, Mich. Ann Arbor, Nov. 1st, 1890.

CORA S. VOLLAND—Teacher of Music and Painting. 37 THOMPSON ST. '90

THE NEW STREET RAILWAY.

A number of our leading citizens have asked the common council for a right to allow the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti street railway to come into town. The electric road acts the part of the dog in the manger by opposing it. These citizens among whom are some of the largest tax payers, have acted upon the supposition that as yet the electric road does not own all the streets of this city. This being so they thought they might be accorded the same privileges which have been given freely to a corporation composed entirely of non-residents. The street railway company which will unite the two cities propose to help Ann Arbor a great deal, first by bringing in trade and visitors from along the line and second by bringing in another Express Co. for the general accommodation of the residents. All they wish is to get down town,—a reasonable request. It will not run freight trains, nor have a dangerous, noisy steam engine to pull the car. Indeed the motor will be subject to the approval of the common council. The streets will not be damaged by the track, nor any person's property injured. All lies gotten up by parties interested in the other road to the contrary notwithstanding. Competition is good for the citizens, and those who look after their interests cannot afford to show so much zeal for the electric road as to shut out what is manifestly for the good of the town and its people.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Pauper labor and free trade are English, you know.

"The tariff is a tax" shouts the free trade parrot. Perhaps so. Direct taxation is not a tax is it?

Maj. McKinley has been burned in effigy in England. That will hurt Maj. McKinley intensely.

Disaster usually follows a democratic tidal wave. How quickly the financial panic in New York followed the recent one.

With free trade and pauper labor the farmers can raise their produce and let it rot, for there will be no one able to buy of them.

The farmer who votes against a protective policy must be a brilliant financier for himself. He ought to have a taste of free trade.

Financial disaster follows close upon the great democratic victory, as might be expected. Another one would swamp the country.

Never in the history of the republican party have republicans been so firm and determined for a victory two years hence. Hurrah for '92!

England pays more to subsidize her great steamship lines in one year than all the powers of the world combined. Free trade England!

The English papers are teeming with editorials about "the great victory" just won by our American allies," meaning the democratic party of the United States.

How quickly northern democrats adopt southern methods of counting in their own candidates? They pull the hypocritical mask off quick as soon as the opportunity occurs.

The Southern papers are just now filled with editorials lashing the "Grand Army Veterans," as they call the Union Army Regiments. They are not advocating a per diem pension bill to any extent.

The Detroit Evening News, that did more to delude and deceive the people in the late elections than any true democratic papers in the state, already predicts the defeat of Cleveland in 1892. The handwriting is plain.

The republican vote in Michigan is more than 75,000 short of the republican vote of two years ago, while the democratic vote is not increased. Does not that tell the story of defeat? It was not a change of sentiment, but republican apathy that did the work.

Senator Chauncey W. Wisner, the democratic state senator from Saginaw says that the very first legislation of the new democratic legislature will be an act to repeal the existing liquor laws and to take the burlesome tax off of saloon keepers. He says the democrats are pledged to do that. Fire ahead Chauncey.

There were 475,000 votes polled two years ago and only 375,000 this year in Michigan. Of the numbers not voting about 75,000 were republicans and 25,000 democrats. Which proves conclusively that it was not a change of sentiment that gave us a democratic victory, but republican apathy. Michigan will be 20,000 republican in 1892.

The supreme court of this state has decided: "no person can be declared elected unless he has more votes for the office than any other person." A minority candidate can never be deemed elected." And yet in the face of that decision Boss Jacobs commands the democratic canvassing boards throughout Michigan to count in minority democrats everywhere and they obey.

The Detroit Free Press gives you a hearty, free and cordial support to Boss Jacobs, a man under indictment for crime, and one who has just bulldozed the board of canvassers of Wayne county into stealing two offices, an act that ought to send him and the canvassers assenting thereto, to state prison. And yet this same Free Press accused the republicans in the recent canvass of nominating unclean men for office. Consistency, my name is not Free Press.

ANN ARBOR EXCITED!

During the past week there has been great excitement in our usually quiet city. The arrests on Tuesday evening of a student at the postoffice, charged with causing a disturbance, which mention was made in our last issue, followed by several more arrests the same evening, aroused considerable excitement in the student community.

On the evening following, a member of Company A, George Stoll, was celebrating the important event of his life, his marriage, at the residence of his parents, on S. Division st., and a number of the boys belonging to the company desired to show their respect for their comrade in giving him a military salute. In pursuance of this desire Sergeant Sheldon Granger went to Mayor Manly requesting permission for the members of Co. A to march to the place of the wedding and fire a salute. This request was denied. Then the Sergeant wanted to know if they could go there in a body, and Mayor Manly told him that he had no power to prevent their going without arms, that he knew of. This conversation was in presence of a witness. Sergeant Granger claims he had permission, we understand. At any rate several members of Co. A, together with a number of young men who were not members of the Co., took the guns of the Co. and marched to the place of the wedding at about 9 o'clock in the evening and proceeded to fire a salute.

The firing of this salute, as might have been expected, called forth an army of students. They swarmed from all directions, coming with the belief that there was further trouble between some of their number and the city authorities. When they arrived at the scene and found out what was going on they did not retire and leave the wedding party alone, as they ought by rights to have done, but remained, and made it so unpleasant that it became necessary to do something to disperse the crowd. Capt. Armstrong, who in company with his wife was a guest at the wedding, then ordered the members of Co. A to return to the armory and leave their guns, thinking, correctly, that the crowd would follow them away.

The boys formed in line and marched away, followed by the crowd of students who jeered and gaped the soldiers unmercifully. After the line turned on to Liberty street, Sergeant Granger, who appeared to have command of the company, became enraged at the actions of the students having given several commands which were not heard because of the noise made by the students to drown them. He then ordered a charge, the boys to use the butt of their guns as clubs. A charge was made and a crowd dispersed but formed again and a second charge was made, and some say a third, when the city police appeared and succeeded in sending the boys to the armory and dispersing the crowd.

During one of these charges, Sergeant Granger was hit upon the forehead with a stone and seriously wounded, from which he has not yet recovered.

A university student, a member of the freshman literary class, named Irving J. Dennison, of Toledo, was struck with a gun upon the head by a member of the company and injured so severely that he died before morning. Others were hurt, but none seriously so.

Coroner Clark summoned a jury consisting of Alvin Wilsey, M. H. Goodrich, George W. Moore, Job Marshall, Mr. Jennings and Amos Corey, and immediately set about examining witnesses and ascertaining if possible, where the blame belonged, and who was responsible for the murder of young Dennison. Both students and town boys have testified but as yet the man who struck the blow that killed Dennison or who threw the stone that wounded Granger have not been discovered. The inquest, after a three day's session at the court house, adjourned until Thursday, when it will be again resumed.

It is an unfortunate affair with blame not all upon either one side or the other. What twenty or thirty students would have done under similar circumstances, had they been followed and gaped by a thousand or so of town boys, is a mere matter of conjecture; if they will simply reverse positions for a moment they will be able to dissipate some of the hot prejudice with which they now look at the matter and be more considerate in their conclusions, though there can be no excuse for murder.

It is quite evident that the boys who represented Company A that evening came out without orders, carried arms in violation of instructions, and are amenable to our laws for their conduct. It is devoutly to be hoped that the affair will be thoroughly sifted and the guilty punished, but when the heat of excitement dies out, and the cool, candid judgment of both students and town-people takes the place of the present excitement, there will be far better opportunity for justice than there is at present.

When punishment is made for this crime, for crime it is, it should be so severe that in the future history of our city it will never be repeated.

The remains of young Dennison were accompanied to the M. C. depot on Friday p. m. by about 1,500 students, and a committee was selected by his class to attend the funeral services in Toledo. Mr. Dennison's parents were immediately called here but did not arrive in time to see their son before he died. Their grief was heart-rending, for this cruel affair robbed them of their only son and the deepest sympathy of thousands of hearts goes out to them in their terrible affliction.

At a meeting of the class of '91 the following resolutions were passed:

WHEREAS, God in his Divine Providence has removed from our midst a loved and respected classmate, Irving J. Dennison, and, in view of his untimely death, in the midst of a bright and promising career, we, in common with the whole body of Michigan, have sustained a serious and much regretted loss.

Resolved, That the class of '91, mourning the death of this member, extend to the bereaved parents their deep and heartfelt sympathy, trusting that the tender compassion of heaven will console them in this hour of sorrow, and be it further Resolved, That an engraved copy of these resolutions be sent to the parents of the deceased, and that copies be forwarded to the college papers.

F. E. BRIMBLECOM, Secretary. W. B. BATTIN, Chairman. C. F. WELLES, Committee.

The affair has caused the hearts of all true friends of the University to be filled with sorrow, and with fears for the consequences, for already the enemies of the University are using it as a club against the institution. The great body of students should not be condemned for the thoughtlessness (to draw it mild) of the

few; neither should the entire body of citizens be censured for the deeds of a few hot-headed youngsters.

The impression in the minds of some that there exists a hostile feeling between our citizens and the University is an erroneous impression, so far as the city and its people are concerned. The students have always received a hearty welcome from the residents of Ann Arbor, the doors of our homes are thrown open to them as to no other doors on the continent, and among the thousands of students who have walked our streets, not one can be found, whose conduct has been exemplary, who has not been kindly treated.

Such being the case it seems as though the University authorities, and the civil authorities might unite and successfully repress what is termed boyish thoughtlessness upon the one side, and hot-headed impetuosity upon the other when either overstep the bounds of law and order. In this University, which is a University of the people and by the people, the expression may be allowed—the interests of both the University and the city are identical. What effects the good name and prosperity of one effects the good name and prosperity of both. They will live or die, walk or swim together, and by mutual forbearance, calm judgment and unity they will prosper together.

It is to be hoped that Senator Ingalls will be re-elected by the Kansas legislature. Kansas people will feel themselves badly if they attempt to fill his place.

In the Courier's table of official vote, Turner, Allen, Bond, Jacobs, and the rest of the public candidates are put down as prohibition candidates.—Argus.

No one will ever accuse some of the men who ran against them on your ticket of being prohibitionists, it is not likely.

The result of the recent election puts Hill out of the presidential race, and we are glad of it.—M. Clemens Press.

Does it though? Just wait until you hear from Tammany on that subject. Tammany rules the democracy the same as Jacob does Detroit.

Gov. Winans will have no difficulty in finding a candidate for any office he has to fill.—Sentinel.

Really, now, aren't you joking? Democrats never seek office, do they? You know that the democratic press has been very strenuous on that one point during this election, that the office should seek the man and not the man the office.

The editor of the COURIER has received a manly and noble letter from Hon. James M. Turner, returning thanks for an excellent support given him by the republican press, and expressing himself as not being at all sore over the result, but a stronger republican to-day than he ever was before. He takes his defeat in a manly way, and doesn't propose to desert his principles because some of his party did not vote for him.

The Patrons of Industry endorsed by the Prohibitionists in almost every instance, control the house and senate both, in the next legislature. The following is a plank from their platform:

We are opposed to the repeal or reduction of the excise or internal revenue tax on spirits, and to any measure that would be necessary to the public welfare and injurious to the individual. We favor the passage of laws to restrain, and to prevent the sale of intoxicating drinks, and we favor the passage of laws, state and national, to give control, restrain and prohibit the liquor traffic.

The question now being debated in Methodist circles is whether women shall be eligible to selection as lay delegates to the general conference. A vote all over the world is being taken upon this idea in every Methodist church, which although its result shall not decide definitely, will show how the majority look upon the innovation. In the East the West favors giving the ladies a chance. The church in this city voted last night for their admission by a vote of 54 for and 22 against. Dr. Brakley was chairman of the meeting with Messrs. Booth and Noble acting as tellers.

Flushed with the success they have gained, and greedy and hungry for more, the democratic canvassing boards in several parts of the state are damning themselves and their party by their rascalties. In Detroit it makes no difference whether there is any law or shadow of excuse, if they take it into their heads to count out a republican they do it. In Kent county the democratic board of canvassers take upon themselves the functions of a court of justice, decide a law unconstitutional and proceed to throw out votes cast in their district, and count in a democrat. In Saginaw county a few votes were wanted to defeat Mr. Bliss, the republican re-elected to congress by the people of that district, and the democratic board deliberately threw out a voting precinct in Saginaw city, thus counting in his democratic opponent.

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PERSONALS.

Will St. Clair, of this city spent last week in Chicago.

Kirk H. J. Clark returns to Portland, Oregon, next Saturday.

Wm. Fowler, of Detroit, spent Sunday with A. D. Seyler and family. C. M. Irving, of Wichita, Kas., accompanied by his wife, is in the city.

Miss Bessie Seyler went to Detroit Monday to remain a couple of weeks. Mrs. Emma Bower, of the Democrat, has been quite ill during the week.

Mrs. Chas. H. Perkins, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her sister Mrs. A. W. Hamilton. Miss Alice Bowers, of Sharon, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Robinson, on N. Main st.

Mrs. George Wair and daughter have come to Omaha, Neb., to be absent until the holidays. Postmaster Beal and wife have been visiting friends in Detroit and Mt. Clemens during the week.

Mrs. James B. Angell is attending the latest committee of the World's Fair, at Chicago this week. Mrs. Chas. H. Perkins, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Hamilton, on Madison street.

Mrs. Chas. Staebler and little daughter have come to Omaha, Neb., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Galligan. Chas. A. Green, formerly with A. W. Hamilton, left for Mexico Monday, to enter into the mining business.

Mrs. W. K. Childs left yesterday for Grand Rapids, called by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. J. J. Wilcox. Miss Kate M. Hale returned from old Mexico Monday evening, accompanied by Will H. Perkins, of Grand Rapids.

Dr. Seiler, of Akron, Ohio, and wife are in the city, guests of Mrs. Seiler's father, A. A. Moore, of N. Thayer st. J. W. Howlett and wife, of Lyndon, have been visiting his brother, County Clerk Howlett, and wife during the week. Philip Bach has gone to Aureville, N. Y., called there by the serious illness of Mr. B. Abel, of the firm of Bach, Abel & Co.

Harry Hawley, who for a few years was one of Ann Arbor's best newspaper men, and who of late has been one of the editors of the Chicago Tribune, was a pleasant caller at the COURIER last Saturday. He is looking remarkably well, and is in better health than for a long time.

FOR THE PEOPLE.

A German Who Believes He Came Here to be an American.

MR. EDITOR OF THE ANN ARBOR COURIER:—The German Americans, (so they call themselves) celebrated what they call the German day, on the 23d of September last, in the procession they carried a banner on which was printed, "Frei zu Amerika und Stolz auf Deutschland." The undersigned approves of the first but can not be proud of Germany, for we despise her government, and its flag, for under that flag that government did rob us of our liberty, which we know that by the laws of God or nature we are entitled to. Now all of us in our adopted country. Thanks to the United States for inviting all the oppressed in any country to come and partake of the rights and liberties which they possess and inherit from their glorious forefathers; bought with their blood and sufferings for years, but at last secured to them, for themselves and their posterity; glory in them, and to any one of our emigrants, who have been naturalized, let us be true to the United States, from the east shore of Maine to the Pacific ocean in the west, and from our north line to the south of Florida and the Gulf of Mexico. Ah! what a large country from which to select a home, for we have the right to select in the United States. Now, Mr. Editor, we have seen in the Farm Field and Stockman, published in Chicago, that in Rockford, Illinois, the last week in last September, (the same week the German-Americans celebrated here) one hundred and seventy Swedes, headed by a Swedish band and carrying a Swedish flag, marched to the court house where they were naturalized and in returning they carried the United States flag. That means a change of heart and patriotism. Hurrah for such Swedes and Swedish days, hoping that all other emigrants will see and do likewise (no claimishness). Let us as soon as we are naturalized drop all former names of nationality, only be proud of citizens of the United States and be proud of it, too. CONRAD KRAPP, Once an emigrant and now U. S. citizen.

He Never Said It.

To the Editor of the COURIER:—In the Detroit Evening News of the 14th inst., one Paul Day, a called home student, is made to say: "Justice Pond made a statement yesterday that there would always be trouble in the town until the Dutch and Irish stopped ruling it, and the military company was disbanded." Permit me to say that I never have made any such statement. To Mr. Day, I do not say, or intend to say, or nor have I said anything that could be tortured into such a statement. Neither the language nor the thought is mine. The student in the college of someone's very vivid imagination, "in short it is a falsehood." ANN ARBOR, NOV. 17, 1890.

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FARMERS Michigan X raw wool is selling to-day in Boston for 32 cents per pound. This wool shrinks 60 per cent in cleansing which makes the same wool cleansed for above blankets worth 51 1-5 cents per pound. We sell you back this same 51 1-5c cleansed wool in pure wool scarlet blankets at 38c PER POUND Standard Works!

500 PAIRS FOR ONE WEEK ONLY Call in and see your wool weighed back to you in blankets.

MAK & SCHMID GEORGE WAHR, ANN ARBOR, MICH.

Mail in? May Linn, Mehlin! PAUL G. MEHLIN.

From the American Musician of Sept. 7, 1889. PAUL G. MEHLIN. MECHANIC, PIANO MAKER AND INVENTOR.

The Factories and Facilities for the Manufacture of the MEHLIN PIANOS. From the Music Trade Review, May 29, 1889. PAUL G. MEHLIN & SONS.

MEHLIN PIANOS. The chief points of excellence in the Mehlin Pianos are quality and volume of tone, extraordinary singing quality, delicacy of touch, excellence of design, durability and capacity for standing in tune. Among the patents issued to the Mehlin company are the patent grand plate and scale, the only scale put in an upright piano like the baby grand; patent grand full board, including the patent finger guard, and cylinder top and tone reflector, piano muffler, endwood spring bridge, touch regulator and Gessner steel action frame. This company manufacture grand pianos which, for volume and purity of tone, are unequalled. Those who have heard the Mehlin instrument at the Exposition building will recognize and concede the absolute justice of this claim.

At the Minneapolis Exposition, the Mehlin piano has created a sensation, and one of the most recent tributes to this instrument is from the members of the Reeves band, in the building, who state that "they never heard a piano with such carrying power as the Mehlin Baby Grand, and say there is no other instrument in the Exposition that can equal it." The Mehlin exhibit is at the opposite end of the building from the band stand, but the musicians state the tones of the Mehlin piano are so distinct and clear, "that it seems as if the instrument was close to the stand." In the East, the Mehlin piano is also receiving a large share of attention.

At the New London County Fair, the Mehlin piano, exhibited by Yerrington's Temple of Music, received the highest award.—Music and Drama, Sept. 15, 1890.

In the experience, intelligence and ability of General Superintendent Mehlin, not less than in the vast financial resources of the company, lies the certainty that success of the most brilliant and solid order awaits this tremendous enterprise. Mr. Mehlin has for well-nigh two-score years practiced the art and science of piano building. His patented improvements in piano construction forms a long and glorious roll of inventions. When the firm of Mehlin & Sons was first organized in New York City, THE MUSIC TRADE REVIEW predicted that the new Mehlin piano would soon make a stir in the world. Little more than twelve months have elapsed since we ventured upon such prediction, and to-day that magnificent instrument takes a high position in the march of musical industries and a front position in the affections of cultured and intellectual pianists. And it goes without saying that the genius which has made itself so potent a factor in the musical life in the East must inevitably achieve equal triumphs in the new Northwestern field.—Music Trade Review.

One of the most attractive exhibits is that of the famous "Mehlin" piano. This piano is coming to the front, it having been adjudged by critics to be the finest instrument in the world. It has the improved repeating action, and its manner of opening is precisely like that of a grand piano. It has the improved "muffler" for practicing, so that the tone may be softened almost to a melodious whisper. The muffler also saves wear and tear. The piano has a cylinder top; by means of a tone reflector the melody is refracted—so to speak—into the room, so it is not necessary to remove all the household articles that are apt to gather on a piano top. The maker of it is Paul G. Mehlin, one of the oldest and best known piano regulators and inventors in the world. The instrument is manufactured by Century Piano Company, of New York and Minneapolis, Minn., having a cash capital of \$900,000. Every visitor to the hall stops to examine it, and is charmed with its merits.—Norwich Evening Record.

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EUGENE E. BEAL, Ann Arbor, Mich., October, 1890. Postmaster.

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The next thing on the pocket will be taxes.

There are seventeen regular publications in this city.

A good job has been done in cleaning the cross walks.

Some vandals tore off and stole a sign from Dr. McLaughlin's office recently.

During October 14 mills and elevators in this county reported 99,610 bushels of wheat marketed.

Remember the lecture of Prof. Steere, Thursday evening, at the M. E. church, subject "Crossing the Andes."

Two overcoats, some clothing, a diamond pin, etc., were stolen from No. 8 N. State st., Monday evening.

No more student tickets will be sold in the Student's Lecture Association course after Friday evening. Now or never.

Tea and social by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at 6 o'clock Thursday evening. All are cordially invited.

The intense interest manifested in the inquest now going on, is shown by the busy pencils of eight reporters besides the stenographers.

Bishop Garrett, of Texas, will commence the Baldwin course of lectures at Hobart Guild next Sunday evening at St. Andrew's church.

Officer Peterson had an exciting chase after a mink named Hamilton, yesterday, who is wanted at Jackson for shooting a man. The fellow got away.

George Crane, who was so seriously injured a short time ago by his fall at the Farmers & Mechanics Bank building, left the hospital for home this morning.

N. S. Boynton, of Port Huron, great recruit keeper, and M. S. Case, of Detroit, great lieutenant commander of the Macabees, will meet with Arbor tent, on Friday evening Nov. 25th.

According to the November crop report there are 206,000 acres of improved farms, in Washtenaw Co.; 104,450 of unimproved making a total of 310,450 acres, divided into 3,136 farms, or an average of 118.15 acres per farm.

An attraction for Hamilton park next season will be a live white-tailed Rocky Mountain deer. The animal was brought here Monday by Mr. Perkins, who has just returned from Mexico where he captured the beast.

The committee appointed therefore reported to the council Monday evening that land to extend the city cemetery in the 5th ward, could be obtained for \$575, being 1 3/4 acres, and recommended the purchase thereof by the city. On which no action was taken.

The barn and contents of George E. Sanford, near Mooreville, burned last Thursday morning. The barn was insured in the Washtenaw County Mutual Insurance Co. for \$200, and the contents, including some personal property of A. D. McIntyre, was fully covered.

The ladies of the Charitable Union wish to provide Thanksgiving dinners for the worthy destitute families of the city, and in order to do so they ask the generous public to donate such articles as are necessary to furnish them with a good dinner. Donations can be left with Miss Brown, No. 13 S. State street on Wednesday before Thanksgiving.

The annual meeting of Washtenaw Agricultural Society will be held Dec. 6. Report by Mr. Charles Marshall for the committee on transportation. Reports of other committees and officers. Topics: Mr. Jacob Galloway on Prof. Galloway's experiment with near blight. Mr. Eugene K. Fruesauf on the cultivation of the sugar beet in connection with the sugar industry. Exhibits of the fruits of the season.

The case against Henry Larned, Troy A. Chapin, Albert F. Merchant, students of the university, Henry Cramer, a high school student, and Leo. Kopf, a town boy, all of whom were arrested on Tuesday evening of last week, under the city ordinance for obstructing the streets, was before Justice Pond Monday and the case was adjourned until December 1th. The idea of adjournment being to let the present excitement die down a little before the cases were tried.

The Agricultural Company is getting its indebtedness paid off and intends soon to reorganize.

Helen May Hewitt was granted a divorce from Walter Hewitt last Monday. Ypsilanti parties.

An overcoat was stolen from the house of M. Cowan, cor. of Main and William sts., last Sunday night.

Watts & Co. have received a new regulator for the court room. It is one of the finest in this section of the state.

As compared with the average of 1889, the wheat now sown in this county is 110 per cent, and the condition 111 per cent.

The condition of live stock in this county is placed as follows: Horses 97 per cent, cattle 98, sheep 100 and swine 99 per cent.

To-morrow, Thursday evening, at the M. E. church, Dr. Steere will deliver his lecture on "Crossing the Andes." It will be well worth hearing.

Edward Fitzgerald of the 4th ward, died on the 15th inst., aged 64 years, with consumption. Funeral services were held yesterday from St. Thomas church.

In counting up the prohibition vote this year, it must be remembered that the ticket was a P. of L. ticket as well, and included many who were not prohibs, probably.

The latest game is known as "Tiddly Winks," and the race for it is fairly a craze. George Wahr has introduced it here and is supplying customers at a rapid rate.

A fair will be given by the ladies of the Congregational church the first week in December. It will be a good place to buy Christmas presents. Look for particulars next week.

Mrs. Elliott T. Slocum, of Detroit has presented Hobart Guild with a check for \$10,000 to fund a lectureship, with the request that Rev. John Pullen, be appointed first lecturer.

The estimated yield of corn per acre in this county is 54 23 per cent. The average of clover seed was 89 per cent, and yield per acre 150 bushels. The yield of potatoes was 62 per cent.

Julia Appleton, wife of F. A. Randall, of the 31st ward, died Saturday, Nov. 15, aged 75 years, 6 months and 15 days, of heart disease. Funeral services were held Tuesday, Nov. 18, from the residence.

Eugene K. Fruesauf has rented the office formerly occupied by the late Gen. Clark at No. 46 S. Main st., up stairs. He will hereafter devote his time to the practice of his profession, and is now ready for business.

Saline Observer: "Joe T. Jacobs made a splendid run for representative, running 300 ahead of his ticket and coming within 45 votes of being elected. There is more glory in such a defeat than in many so-called victories."

After Thanksgiving turkey then comes the Christmas stockings, taxes, and other fixings. After Christmas gifts comes New Year's presents. After New Year's presents the presence of the bills to pay for it all absorbs the attention of pater familias. Events crowd, you see.

Announcement is made of the marriage on Nov. 25th of Rev. W. W. Campbell, of this city, and a former student in the university, with Miss Hattie Beemie, of Providence, R. I. Rev. Mr. Campbell is stationed at Concord, N. H., as pastor of the 1st Congregational church. It has many friends in Ann Arbor.

On Monday evening last seven stores at Dexter were entered by burglars, the desire evidently being to secure money, as little else was taken that can be discovered. The places broken into were: S. J. Moore's meat market, Moore's saloon, Curlett's drug store, Sill & Quish's hardware, Fitzsimon's saloon, Wall's grocery and Walte's hardware. They didn't secure much at any place.

The Ypsilanti Commercial puts us on the back in this manner: "The Ann Arbor COURIER announces that after Jan. 1st, it will be published as an eight page paper, the same size as the Commercial, and that neither the increase in size nor the McKinley Bill will increase its subscription price. It may just here be appropriate to remark that the Commercial is a very good paper, and deserves the excellent patronage it has."

Bishop Garrett will preach at the morning service at St. Andrew's church next Sunday, and will deliver the first lecture of the course in the evening at 7:30. The subject of Bishop Garrett's lectures is the Philosophy of the Incarnation.

I. The Philosophy of the Infinite. II. Evolution-Spencer. III. The Philosophy of the Incarnation. IV. The Person of Christ. V. Sin. VI. Redemption. VII. The Kingdom of God.

The "Temple of Fame" will be produced at the opera house, in Dexter, Friday evening, Nov. 21, 1890, under the auspices of the ladies of the Congregational church of that place. This enterprising show will be participated in by about fifty of the young ladies of Dexter, and will be well worthy of your patronage.

Wherever the "Temple of Fame" has been placed before the public it has given entire satisfaction and met with hearty applause.

To-day the lives of Arthur Brown and Miss Cora Pulphier will be united, and hereafter they will journey on through life as man and wife. Mr. Brown is the genial and gentlemanly county clerk elect, and takes with him the heartiest congratulations of about 850 majority in this county. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo S. Pulphier, of N. Main st., and a lady who by her pleasant ways and purity of life, has won to herself many warm friends. The couple have the hand of the County man for a grasp that will carry with it good will enough to last a long life-time. The couple leave this afternoon for Minneapolis, Minn., to be absent one month.

The Editor of THE COURIER had the pleasure of receiving an invitation to the "Old Roman" banquet to Allen G. Thurman to celebrate his 77th birthday last week. We received it with pleasure because of most agreeable remembrances of a personal acquaintance with the noble old man and an admiration for his honorable and distinguished career. Although differing widely in our ideas of political economy and in politics we recognize his sterling worth and upright integrity. It is a pity such men must grow old, for the republic has too few patriots as leaders in both parties. They are the men to lead the noble statesman on having lived to receive such a rousing reception from his friends from all over the country.

The Washtenaw Times is the name of the new daily paper that will be launched on or about Monday, Nov. 24. The managers announce that the paper will be supplied with complete press dispatches, and a specialty will be made of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti news, each place having a city editor. Everything possible will be done to make the paper a success, and it is backed by both money and brains. Mr. Fred C. Brown, formerly of the Bay City Press will be the editor in chief, and will endeavor to give the people of Washtenaw county a live, wide awake, progressive newspaper, filled full of news, gotten up in an attractive manner. The business manager will be Mr. Geo. S. Hill, of Detroit, who has had experience in the line of business here. The paper will be issued from the COURIER presses. It seems as though these two cities ought to have sufficient pride to come to the support of this paper in a substantial way. It will be a two cent paper, or delivered by carriers every evening except Sundays, for 30 cents a month.

James Gaelick, of N. Main st., died last Thursday, Nov. 13, of apoplexy, aged 86 years, 9 months. He was one of the old residents of this city, and a man highly respected.

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Class politics now occupy the spare time of the college class men.

Sterling Parks, lit '83, is with the Church Organ Co., at Salem, Ohio.

E. H. Smith and Fred Richmond were delegates to the recent convention of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Emma Ballentine and Bessie Sanborn attended the annual convention of Gamma Phi Beta, at Syracuse, N. Y., last week.

Prof. Winchell has been in Boston, attending a meeting of the executive committee of the American Geological Association.

The expense of the committee who went to Toledo to attend the funeral of Mr. Dennison was borne by the freshman class.

The U. of M. dramatic club is to produce a comeditella in one act entitled "A Rough Diamond," to be followed by a three act drama entitled "Alone," about the end of this semester.

A. J. Sawyer says: "I went down to see the slugging match Saturday, and have come to the conclusion that if I wanted to educate myself for the prize ring I should join a rugby team."

The Choral Union makes an appeal to those who intend to compete for the literary prizes offered by the various publications, to be prompt and not keep the publications a month or two behind time.

The University Glee Club offers \$10 for the best comic song; for the best gag similar to the hat or chair drill a full size portrait photograph, value \$14. All contestants should hand their productions to the secretary of the club before Dec. 1st.

"Christophorus," a legend for solo, chorus and orchestra, will be brought out by the Choral Union next spring. Gunod's sacred trilogy "The Redemption," said to be the greatest and most dramatic oratorio of this generation, is also to be brought out by the Choral Union under Prof. Stanley's direction.

The proposition has been made that at the time of Stanley's lecture the S. L. A. adopt the Choral Union plan of not reserving seats, but let the first come be first served. This plan has certainly worked well with the Choral Union, and why should it not work well in this instance? It certainly would save many a poor fellow an all night sleep standing in line for the boards to open.

The Castilian for '91 offers the following prizes: U. of M. Song \$25; Design for Title Page, Cover, or College Organization, \$20; Poem, \$15; Story \$10; Best and original Grand, \$5. Competition is open to all undergraduates, members of the Faculty and alumni, the judges for story, poem and song being Prof. Thomas, Dewey and Rolfe. All articles must be handed in before Jan. 10, 1891.—Chronicle-Argonaut.

Ex-Mayor Ribison says that one day when he was wandering around Denver he happened to go by a building in which was a gathering of young men. All at once the old familiar U. of M. yell resounded, and he stopped stone still and took off his hat. It was a glorious sound to his ears in that far away city where not a family tree greater than his, and he will never forget the pleasing sensation of that yell.

Mr. Prettyman says: "There is a mistaken idea in regard to Rugby. Every move made is not a blow, and when the players are expecting the mishaps they do get it has little or no effect upon them. I do not think that one of the small part of the game is created and are a particle the worse for having played. The newspaper reporters get excited too easily, and ought to play a game or so to understand it better."

Nearly 1,000 students and Ann Arbor people filled 13 coaches last Saturday on the special train for Detroit to attend the Cornell-U. of M. Rugby game, played at Recreation park. Nearly everyone carried the yellow and blue, and if good backing would help a team ours certainly ought to have been successful. But alas, they were not, and Cornell carried off the victory by a score of 20 to 5. Our boys did not come home as joyful as they went away.

Of Mr. Villiers, the famous correspondent who is to delight a large audience Friday evening, at University hall, he being second in the S. L. A. course, the N. Y. Mail and Express says:

Mr. Villiers had a most appreciative audience. Mr. Villiers is an easy and a bold talker, with a large fund of anecdote, and a humorous style, which is attractive. He began with his experience in the Serbian war, and treated his audience to some masterly pictures of battle-scenes. He then passed on to a description of the famous battle of Plevna, in which Slobodoff, the Russian, and his army, were defeated by the Austrians, and of their final repulse, was really a masterpiece. At the conclusion of his address he was heartily applauded.

Considerable stir was made in Japanese student circles a week or so ago by the disappearance of a couple of two young girls of the city took their departure. It now appears that the parties went to Detroit, and from there to Toledo, Ohio, where they were married. One of the young men, Kunitaro Fukushima, married Miss Edith Fuller, of Ypsilanti, and she has since returned home with her husband, and been kindly received. The couple expect to spend a month or so in traveling over this country, and then to depart for Japan to reside. The young men are from highly aristocratic society in their native country, and it is thought that their wives will be kindly received.

Marriage Licenses.

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, Age. Rows include Lawrence Burger, Iowa, 32; Mary Steere, Ann Arbor, 21; Wm. J. Beure, Freedom, 45; Lizzie Koller, 24; Henry Reed, Freedom, 25; Charles Naney, Superior, 39; Charles Steere, Ann Arbor, 29; Andrew J. Port, Dearborn, 29; Rachel A. Putnam, Ypsilanti, 25; Jacob Staebler, Pittsfield, 32; Mary Godekman, 21; Jacob Van Hosen, Chelsea, 60; Mrs. Jane Hill, 62; George Mack, Ann Arbor, 31; Mary Sweeney, 27; Melvin Hooker, Augusta, 28; Nora Howe, 24; Frederick Mack, Ann Arbor, 27; Eda Schmid, 23; John Sattagier, Dexter, 25; Aurelia Mead, Ann Arbor, 27; Samuel N. House, Ann Arbor, 71; George Mack, Ann Arbor, 28; Merchant Brooks, Chelsea, 33; Corn Knapp, Wayne Co., 29; Nathaniel P. Jacobs, Chicago, Ill., 28; Genevieve Stynes, Ann Arbor, 29; Frank G. Smith, Charlotte, 34; Nathaniel P. Jacobs, Ann Arbor, 28; John H. Martin, Saline, 21; Minnie B. Lindsay, Saline, 19; Henry H. Penn, Chelsea, 25; Maggie Slaff, 21; George D. Bentley, Plymouth, 23; Charles F. Smith, Ann Arbor, 28; Arthur Brown, Ann Arbor, 28; Cora Pulphier, 22.

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Mrs. Mary A. Livermore will lecture before the Unity Club at the Unitarian church next Saturday evening, her subject being "Perils of the Republic."

Mrs. Livermore is well known to Ann Arbor people, having lectured here before. Rev. Dr. J. H. Vincent, president of the Chautauque circle, well describes her when he says "She is wise, womanly and eloquent, and in my opinion the most able, natural and effective of all the woman speakers now on the American lecture platform."

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INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

DOMESTIC.
In his annual report Acting Adjutant-General McKeever says that the average number of pupils over 15 years of age attending military schools during the year was 1,000, of which 6,000 received military instruction.

JOHN T. WALKER, SON & Co. of New York, silk importers, failed for \$900,000.

HENRY M. STANLEY, the African explorer, was greeted by an immense audience on the 11th at the Metropolitan Opera-house in New York, it being his first lecture in this country.

Dr. BOSWELL GORMAN, a prominent physician and farmer and a veteran of the Civil War, was shot and killed by a colored employe at his home near Lexington, Ky.

The general assembly of the Knights of Labor met at Denver, Col., and Grand Master Powerly in his report said the late New York Central strike had almost brought the organization to financial ruin, and it developed the fact that the press of the country was not friendly to the Knights.

CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER GREELY in his annual report says there has been a decided improvement in the condition and efficiency of the army as regards signal practice. At the end of the year 1,337 miles of military telegraph lines and 621 miles of sea-coast lines were in operation. There were only thirteen casualties during the year on which severe cold waves were not predicted, 98 per cent. of all the important cold waves being noted in advance. In speaking of tornadoes General Greely said that they were not so destructive to life as they were formerly.

BEE TRIBBANKS, of Mitchell, Ind., was arrested on the charge of murdering his sister while he was drunk.

The panic in stocks in Wall street, New York, caused the failure of the following brokers: Deane, Howell & Co., for \$100,000; C. M. Whitney & Co., for \$300,000; and Daniel Richmond for \$200,000.

It was believed that the recent explosion of the Dupont powder works near Wilmington, Del., which killed 100 men were killed outright, was caused by a gang of fire-bugs.

JACK BECKINGHAM (colored) committed suicide at Noble Lake, Ark., by taking morphine. This was the first negro suicide that ever occurred in Arkansas.

FIFTEEN persons were injured in a railroad collision near Yarmouth, Miss.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL MILLER gave an opinion that the anti-lottery law does not prohibit the "treating" contented much in vogue among newspapers as a means of advertising.

The fourth annual session of the National Fraternal congress, comprising nearly all the beneficial organizations in the country, began on the 11th at Pittsburgh, Pa.

In a fire in George W. Burnside's livery at Sioux Falls, S. D., thirty-four horses were burned to death.

A LIST of losses from the Gloucester (Mass.) fishing fleet this year show that of eighty-two vessels lost eighty-five were Canadians.

A. E. ANDERSON, at one time the leading attorney at Tulsa, Ok., was sent to the workhouse in default of a \$20 fine for drunkenness.

The Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Company of New York announced its intention of going into voluntary liquidation. It was probably the oldest fire insurance company doing business on this continent. It was founded in 1787 and had just completed the 100th year of its existence.

The financial crisis in Wall street, New York, came to an end on the 12th, the proclamation of the clearing house in assisting the banks restoring confidence.

The remains of General George Crook were taken from Oakland, Md., on the 12th and interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington with military honors.

A PASSENGER train going west on the Reading road jumped the track near Annapolis, Pa., was thrown down an embankment, and seven persons were badly injured.

The amount of gold coin and bullion in the United States Treasury on the 12th was \$27,500,000.

AN UNFINISHED house at Marion, Ind., was blown to atoms by natural gas which had escaped from pipes and accumulated between the foundation walls.

The board of managers of the Adams Express Company decided at a meeting in New York to boycott lottery tickets.

EVERY house in the town of Cape Graefels, La., was blown down by a hurricane.

A SPECIAL census agent finds that there are 500 Indians in the State of Washington.

MARY and Ann Meyers, two old maids who lived at Hartford, Conn., were found dead. Neglect and old age was the probable cause of their deaths.

A GREAT market at Middletown, N. Y., was burned and Joseph Spalding, who lived on an upper floor, perished in the flames.

At the depth of twenty feet a well-digger at La Harpe, Ill., found some curious wooden and clay figures of quaint design.

JOHN BECK was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Hamilton Hotel and other buildings at Biggs, Cal.

D. G. CAMPBELL, of Merriam, Kan., was struck by a train at a crossing and instantly killed. He was 70 years of age and a prominent temperance lecturer.

JAMES B. McSLOY and S. Benson were killed by an engine at Erie, Pa., and Henry Sutton, on learning of the death of McSLOY, who had been a warm friend, shot himself fatally.

At Orange, N. J., Robert Kerr, aged 25 years, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Knoble, aged 20, because she refused to marry him, and then blew out his own brains.

Don't hawk, hawk, and blow, blow, disgusting everybody, but use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

The man who proposed at 5 o'clock in the morning did the business in due time.—Boston Gazette.

How to save money is a problem that is inevitable to every man. One way to do it is to invest in a good business. Sarsaparilla, being a highly concentrated blood medicine, it is the most powerful and economical. It is sold for a dollar a bottle, but worth five.

It is better to be right than to be left.—Boston Herald.

I Wished I Was Dead!

After suffering several years with Leucorrhoea, and no doubt I would have been only a lady induced me to try Sarsaparilla. Now I am well. Three bottles cured me.—Mrs. Copps, Newport, R. I.

The worth of a man is not increased by adding to the worth of his money.—New Orleans Picayune.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for King's New Life Pills, Buckle's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that give such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. Eberbach & Son Druggists.

REV. GEORGE S. ARMSTRONG, a Presbyterian minister of Jackson, Mich., died on the street of heart failure at Battle Creek, Mich. He was 67 years old and had been in the ministry forty years.

A FIRE at Tiburon, Cal., destroyed a dozen of the principal stores and a town of 1,000 people.

The little child of John Latham, of Westleyville, Pa., was burned to death, and the mother was so severely burned as to be crippled for life.

RUBE SMITH, one of the Burrows gang of train robbers, was sentenced at Jackson, Miss., to life imprisonment.

WILLIAM OSBORN, an aged man, was killed by the cars at Jeffersonville, Ind., while carrying home some medicine for a dying daughter.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC passenger train broke in two at trestle near Salem, Ore., and five persons were killed and nearly 100 injured.

The Knox County Savings Bank at Mt. Vernon, O., suspended.

The base-ball war is practically over, the Players' League having virtually gone out of existence.

JUDGE DAVID McLEAN, ex-president of the Savannah (Ga.) National Bank, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for defrauding depositors out of \$100,000.

JACOB STROKEL, a farmer-living near Saginaw, Mich., drank a pint of whisky on a wager and dropped dead a few minutes after.

COMMONWEALTH GEORGE DEWEY, chief of the naval bureau of equipment, in his annual report says that during the year sixty-five vessels were either wholly or partially equipped at an expenditure of \$593,986.

A LARGE deposit of copper ore was found near Millon, Wis.

The Wertheimer building in San Francisco was burned, causing a loss of \$250,000.

The Kansas City Packing Company at Armourdale, Kan., failed for \$900,000.

GUYMON, a paper dealer, died at Gordon Oscar W. Neche, who was convicted in Chicago in 1886 of participation in the Haymarket riot with the other anarchists.

The National convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at Atlanta, Ga., on the 14th, Miss Frances E. Willard presiding.

The excitement among the Standing Rock Indians in South Dakota over the arrival of their long-looked-for Messiah has subsided and no trouble was anticipated.

The business failures in the United States during the seven days ended on the 14th numbered 366, against 215 the preceding week and 365 the corresponding week last year.

SEVEN workmen were blown to pieces by a premature explosion of dynamite in a stone quarry at Omaha, Neb.

TRAINS collided on the Pennsylvania road at New Florence, Pa., and the wreck took fire and one Pullman car was burned. Two persons were killed and eighteen injured.

The business portion of the town of Burton, O., was destroyed by fire.

CONSUL CONNOLLY in a report on the wool-growing industry of New Zealand says that the number of sheep exported last year without wool amounted to 1,964,281. The value of imports from the United States during 1889 was \$1,712,180, and the exports were valued at \$1,706,550.

The report of a New York commercial agency showed that the legitimate business of the country was the largest ever known and that trade had not been affected by the flurry in Wall street. It said that the demand for money was largely due to the unprecedented volume of business done.

COMMISSIONER GENERAL DU BARRY in his annual report that \$2,506,016 was expended for the needs of the subsistence department of the army during the fiscal year.

In a collision between gravel trains on the Lackawanna and Western road at East Butte, N. Y., John Sweeney was instantly killed and nine others were injured, three of them fatally.

MAJOR-GENERAL SCHOFIELD, commanding the army, in his report to the Secretary of War recommends the increase of the military force of the country to 30,000 men.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

JOHN MEYERS, one of the wealthy citizens of Logansport, Ind., died from the effects of a rat bite.

MRS. WACHTER, the Whitehall (Pa.) fester, had on the 11th gone 221 days without eating food.

OFFICIAL returns from the Iowa election show the success of the entire Republican ticket by pluralities ranging from 366 for Railroad Commissioner to 2,800 for Secretary of State.

Countess Wachtel, on the recent election in California gave the Republicans four of the six Congressmen, making the delegation the same as he previous one.

The Alabama Legislature convened on the 11th.

WYOMING'S first State Legislature met at Cheyenne on the 12th. There were forty-nine members, nine of whom were Democrats. W. R. Schmitzer, of Cheyenne, was elected president of the Senate, and O. P. Kellogg, of Cook County, was chosen speaker of the House.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Fisher, of Elkhart, Ind., was celebrated on the 12th.

THE returns from all the counties in Indiana give the following as the result of the recent election: Matthews (Dem.), for Secretary of State, 233,881; Truesler (Rep.), 214,293; Blount (Pro.), 11,994; Prindle (People's), 17,351; Matthews (People's), 15,779.

OFFICIAL returns from the recent elections show that the Democrats elected the entire fourteen Congressmen in Missouri and eleven of the thirteen in Indiana. In Pennsylvania the Congressional delegation stands eighteen Republicans and ten Democrats.

EDWIN BOOTH, the great actor, was 57 years old on the 13th.

The 77th birthday of Allen G. Thurman was celebrated in Columbus, O., on the 13th, prominent persons from all over the country being present. Mr. Thurman has lived in Ohio seventy-one years.

REV. DR. H. M. DEKTER, editor of the Congressionalist, of Boston, died suddenly at his home in New Bedford, aged 69 years.

FOREIGN.

A LARGE tobacco factory valued at \$200,000 was burned at Madrid, and 10,000 men were thrown out of employment.

A FERRY boat capsized in the River Wagg, near Bratislava, Austria, and fifty persons were drowned.

OVER 300 Jews expelled from Russia sailed from Bremen for the United States.

TEN persons were killed in a collision between a passenger train and a freight train near Millon, Wis.

Great damage has been done on the Welsh and Irish coasts by violent gales, and shipping has suffered severely.

KING HUMBERT, of Italy, has refused to ask the usual appropriation for the heir to the throne, saying that the country is not in a position to do so.

PRESIDENT BOGHRAN, of Honduras, was forced by Sanchez to evacuate Tegucigalpa, the capital, and temporarily set up his government at Tamara.

FIVE million dollars worth of newly discovered mines in the Province of Quebec, Canada, have been returned from the northern portion of the Province of Quebec.

The British torpedo cruiser Serpent foundered off the coast of Spain, and out of a total of 376 souls on board only three were saved.

QUEEN EMMA has been appointed regent to govern Holland during the illness of King William.

SIR JOHN BURNETT has returned to England from his Irish tour his guard of detectives has been increased.

R. M. WAZNER & Co., sewing-machine and lamp manufacturers at Hamilton, Ont., failed for \$200,000, and J. H. Gendron, failed for \$125,000, at Quebec.

The rebellion in Honduras, headed by General Longinos Sanchez, was practically ended, the revolutionary forces having been utterly routed by the army which President Bogran had gathered from all portions of the country.

ADVICES from Zanzibar say that the Sultan's decree abolishing the slave trade was almost a dead letter, the Arabs persisting in the traffic under the very eyes of the authorities.

REYNOLD BENCHALL, who deceived and murdered him on February 17 last near the city of London, Ont., was hanged in the jail-yard at that place on the 14th.

MR. JOHN D. DELLE, the American Consul at Bristol, Eng., died in that city.

LATER NEWS.

At the leading clearing-houses in the United States the exchanges during the week ended on the 13th aggregated \$1,502,478,747, against \$1,284,562,374 the previous week. As compared with the corresponding week of 1889 the increase amounted to 23.2.

At Redick, Fla., a shooting affray occurred in which two men were killed and three or four others mortally wounded.

COMPLETE official returns show that the new North Dakota Legislature will be composed of 53 Republicans, 31 Democrats and 5 Independents, giving the Republicans a majority of over all.

At Utica, Ill., Phil Smith shot his wife dead and then killed himself. Domestic troubles caused the deed.

JOHN DAWSON, of Terre Haute, celebrated his 101st birthday on the 15th. He was in good health. Mr. Dawson is the father of fifteen children, four of whom are living.

The Kansas City Packing & Refrigerating Company of Boston made an assignment, with the liabilities estimated at over \$1,000,000.

THIRTY Turkish soldiers were killed and forty injured in a railway accident near Salonic.

THE Atlas sulphate mills at Appleton, Wis., were burned, loss, \$100,000.

THE returns from the election in Nebraska, formerly of Wisconsin, and a prominent division commander in the late war, died at his home in Washington.

The Wyoming Legislature elected ex-Governor Joseph M. Carey as Governor.

Near Huntington, Tenn., Constable Ross and his nephew, James Ross, were shot dead by a farmer named Waddis, from whom they were trying to collect a debt.

A MASS-MEETING in Lincoln, Neb., Governor Thayer said \$100,000 would be required to relieve the destitute people in the western part of the State.

THREE boys, Charles Osterman, Edward Brown and Pay Bortoe, broke through the main line of the Northern Pacific, and were drowned.

MR. GRAY, of Colfax, Wash., ran a foot race and beat the world's record by making 125 yards in 11 1/2 seconds.

SETTLERS on the farms and ranches south of Fort Meade, D. C., believe that an Indian uprising was near at hand.

The revolution in Honduras ended with the capture of General Sanchez and other leaders of the revolt, and they were put in the public square at Tegucigalpa.

The Lady Godiva must have had exceptionally long hair since it completely concealed her lovely person. Since Ayer's Hair Vigor came into use such a covering is no longer necessary. It not only promotes the growth of the hair but gives it a rich, silken texture.

He-Let us go and sit in the park for a while.

She (natively)—How bright the electric lights are!

He (after suffering)—But 'ty flicker and go out occasionally—Munsey's Weekly.

The Ladies' Favorite.

The newest fashion in ladies' hats will doubtless cause a flutter of pleasurable excitement among the fair sex. Ladies are always susceptible to the changes of a fashion plate, and the more startling and novel the better. The new hat, believed to be an Indian uprising was near at hand.

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Judicious dressing has very much to do with the appearance of a homely girl. A red-headed girl should not wear purple, a red-headed girl should not wear purple, a red-headed girl should not wear purple. It is always safe, so is black, but it will not be so becoming to freckled faces. A very pale blue, or a navy blue, or a very dark green, or a buff may be worn, but a soft warm brown will be found the best. Let everything match; dress, wrapping and bonnet, or hat trimming and gloves. Many a homely girl makes the mistake of dressing too conspicuously, instead of hiding ugliness it only calls attention to it. Styliness is not open to any objections, and one can be stylish on a very small amount of money. The present is an excellent time to buy fall goods. Last spring's goods are offered at very low rates, and it is always safe to buy a smart amount of money.

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Dearborn	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00
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—SUPPLEMENT.—

OUR INCREASED SALES

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Larger Drives and Special Sale Bargains!

We will Continue Our Weekly Sales!

However, of late, having found too many such Bargains we quote some that will be sold until January 1, 1891.

Dress Goods Department.

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200 " All Wool, double-fold Flannels, in the latest plain and mixed colorings..... 25 " "	55 " French Imported \$1.00 Broadcloths..... 85 " "	45 " " " very fine; regular price \$1.00..... 75 " "
100 " 36-inch width, All Wool Flannels..... 25 " "	200 pieces Extra heavy Silesias to be sold at..... 12 1/2 " "	5000 yards (in remnants) good quality Silesias..... 6 " "
(Above in Mixtures only.)	10 Pieces Black Silk Warp Henriettas..... 80 cents per yard.	

Five bales Heavy Unbleached Sheeting, at 4³/₄ Cents per yard.

200 Ladies' All Wool Flannel Skirts, worth \$1.35..... \$1.00 each.	No. 9 all Silk Ribbons (worth 20c)..... 10c per y'd.	200 dozen large, all linen, knotted fringed Towels..... 12 cts. each.
500 Men's Outside heavy Flannel Shirts, sold at \$1.00 each, in greys and browns..... 50c "	20 pieces all Linen, 62-in. wide, Table Damask, col'd bor'd..... 22c " "	500 dozen assorted 25 cent Fancy Towels..... 18 " "
200 dozen Men's \$1.50 heavy Scots Wool Underwear..... \$1.00 "	10 dozen Ladies' Combination Suits..... 90 cts. each.	200 dozen Men's 20 cent Woolen Socks (very heavy)..... 10c per pair.
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500 yards 25 cent Imported Sateens (in remnants)..... 15c per yard.	100 dozen large, fast colors, red Bandana Hd'k's worth 15c. 5 cts. each.	500 pairs full size 10-4 Blankets—slate and white..... 75c per pair.
300 yards fine twilled, plain and striped Nankeens, formerly sold at 25 cents..... 10c "	1000 yards plain blue, brown and slate, also assorted check Denims, worth 18c to 20c (in remnants)..... 12c per yard.	200 pairs extra heavy coarse Blankets..... 80c "
	20 pieces all wool Scarlet Flannel..... 15 cents per yard.	3000 yards best 12c unbleached Cotton Flannel..... 9c per yard.

500 good, full-size Jute Curtains, in Old Gold, Wine and Blue, with Fancy Borders, \$1.65 per pair.

CLOAKS!

500 Ladies' and Children's Newmarkets, Jackets, Jerseys, etc., some worth from \$10 to \$15, at

\$5.00 EACH!

2000 yards good Ticking (in remnants)..... 6c per yard.	Coates or Clark's Spool Thread (both kinds kept, in all sizes, to accommodate customers), choice..... 4c per spool.	100 job Misses' Gossamers at..... 55 cents each.
Big job in colored Hosiery and Gloves—choice..... 25c per pair.	500 to 1000 Fashion Sheets (Butterick's Metropolitan, a thoroughly reliable kind), given away the 10th of each month.	500 "Dandy" good strip Corsets, worth 75c, in ecru, slate and white..... 35 " "
500 dozen Men's Flannelette Shirts..... 25 cents each.	Two cases (Shorts) 4-4 Bleached Langdon G. B. Cotton, (worth 2c per yard more than Fruit or Lonsdale)..... 10c per yard.	15 pieces Lockwood (our best selling Cotton) 9-4 Sheet-ing—bleached, at..... 25c per yard.
Muslin Underwear, in all kinds, at..... 25 " "	2000 balls of good Ann Arbor Toilet Soap..... 3 cts. each.	Two cases yard-wide, heavy 12 1/2c Prints..... 7c " "
1000 Curtain Snades—complete with brackets, sticks and screws, fully ready for use..... 35c and 45c	300 Gazelle Corsets—all sizes, at..... 20 " "	1000 yards Fancy Drapery Fringes—new shades..... 12 1/2c " "
1000 extra strong black, light-colored and cherry Curtain Poles, with ends, brackets, rings, etc..... 25c	Two cases remnants Hill Cotton (same as Fruit)..... 7c per yard.	All Wool single Mittens—all sizes..... 10c per pair.
100 pieces heavy mixed pink Flannels..... 14c per yard.	100 good Gents' Night Shirts..... 50 cents each.	" double Mittens—all sizes..... 25c " "
Five good Lead Pencils for..... 1c		1000 yards Assorted Laces—job lot..... 5c per yard.

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Cocoa Matting (best kind), 1-yard wide, 40 cents.

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NYE WADES IN BLOOD.

A VISIT TO CHICAGO STOCK YARDS SUGGESTS SOME THOUGHTS.

All Honest Work Is Honorable, from Literature to Dressed Beef—Hogs and Their Interior Mechanism—Some Secrets of a Gory Business.

(Copyright, 1890, by Edgar W. Nye.)

Everything regarding Chicago will be doubly interesting to the general public for the next two or three years, and it is therefore natural that the varied features of the young giant should be more or less discussed both at home and abroad. That is just what Chicago wants. That suits her. That is what she puts her various millions into an ex-



IN THE ABATTOIR.

position for. (I should have referred to her as a giantess above instead of a giant, for I see that I have fallen into the feminine pronoun since. However, we will let that pass.)

The stranger should go at once from the depot to the Auditorium. He will save time by this, for then he can answer those who ask him if he has seen the Auditorium and answer affirmatively, and be done with it; but if he should wait until he has done something else he will be more or less broken in upon by this inquiry. Later on I may speak of this great structure with the unfortunate name, but I shall not have space at this time, owing to the fact that I purpose speaking a word or two regarding the stock yards.

All sorts of honest and successful industry are honorable, whether it be through the avenue of literature or dressed beef. Success is the mark of public approval, and continued success the certificate of integrity. It was honorable for Gen. Grant to canvass for a book or tan skins. It was honorable for Vanderbilt to farm it or run a ferry. It was honorable for Gould to survey Delaware county with a wheelbarrow and a fine tooth comb. It was honorable for the older Astor to skin muskrats and swap brass collar buttons to the Indians for beaver skins if the noble red man suffered for collar buttons. What I dislike is for the descendant of Mr. Astor to cultivate such a big robust and malignant case of hauteur. He visited Chicago some time ago and stated in an interview, which he had arranged for as soon as he could attend to it, that the people of Chicago frequently sat on the front steps and that visitors were met at the door by the housemaid. Thereby covertly intimating that Mr. Astor is in the habit of answering the door himself.

Possibly, however, Mr. Astor keeps a man who answers the door bell and does nothing else hardly. That may be, but it is only a few brief autumns since the brave and sturdy mother of the Astor race came around from the spring house to greet the guest in her stocking feet, and the greeting was none the less cordial eyether for a' that and a' that. We should not be held responsible for the errors and acquired snobbery of our grandchildren. From the deep recesses of the unborn future there may come some day a great-grandchild who will inherit my wealth and name, and while I squirm about in my close fitting tomb he may have a valet to dress him in the morning and train up his whiskers on a trellis, and he may visit Chicago where his ancestors had been so generously and so hospitably treated years before, and when he goes home to England or Tuxedo he may send for a reporter and tell him how his refined nature was shocked all the time he was away.

Glancing hastily from Mr. Astor to the Chicago stock yards, I will say that few realize, or can do so, the magnitude of this one institution of Chicago. We can hardly imagine 1,390 acres of ground covered with meat, to speak plainly; 1,390 acres almost covered at least with the business of converting live stock into food for man. I had never before visited this institution, and so I went there all dressed up, in order to make an impression on the working classes.

Shortly after my arrival it came on for to rain, and having come on for that purpose it removed its coat, suspenders and hat, and rained more earnestly and more vociferously than anywhere else I ever saw it outside of Ireland. I wore a frock coat, patent leather shoes and a silk hat. After a while the mud, gore and hair, to say nothing of lard and disarranged liver, gave me a blasé look that attracted attention when I got back on State street. One man whom I did not know asked me if there had been any trouble or a strike at the stock yards.

The visitor is apt to go first to the assa-sinating department. I remember butchering day at home when I was a boy. It was different from this. We had generally about three shots to kill, and we waited most always until the weather was so cold that we could not plow. Then we butchered. We began about daylight to heat water for scalding purposes. Then we climbed the fence and began a series of uncalled for yet bitter and personal attacks on the elder

maternal hog, while her ear piercing squeals rent the sky and her hot blood splattered our neat little overalls. All day we alternately scorched ourselves or froze to death, and at night three flabby, waxen remains, perfectly devoid of bowels of compassion or other viscera, pried open so that the November wind could sough through their pulseless forms or dally with their leaf lard through the long and frigid hours, hung in a row. Then came the days when all through the dear old homestead the smell of nice hot lard sought out every corner and even pervaded the beautiful brown linen Sabbath school suit, which caught and retained the ravishing fragrance for years after.

Here you hear in the distant and the somber depths of the building a smooth-voiced wail ever and anon. You go toward it and find a brisk young man in tall rubber boots standing in a bloody stall with a flashing blade in his hand, while near him a big pan to which is attached a long handle catches the hot, fresh tide of life as it spurts with a purple impulse following the long, keen blade. About every fifteen seconds, while we stood there, a new subject came up heels first out of the big slaughter pen, as a log is pulled out of the pond of a big saw mill, and with a plunge of the knife as it passed on another swung into position head down, and the unerring steel struck the same point forward of the shoulder and to the left of the windpipe. No experiments were made. The young butcher's style of vaccination always took. I remember once, years ago, my father went away on business, to serve on the petit jury, I think, and told me to kill the pig.

It was easy to say that. He might also have included other friends of the family, but he did not think of it perhaps. However, I began the most elaborate preparations and tried to nerve myself up to it by frequent recourse to hard cider, for I had never personally shed innocent blood before. The pig would probably weigh about 100 pounds, and was not fierce until he found out that I seemed set on mutilating him without any apparent cause. Then he broke down the fence, ate up a small goddess of liberty which I had once had tattooed on my leg, so that I could be identified in case I should run away and go to sea and stumble against a watery grave, as I had intended to do at that time.

The animal wandered away into a corn field, and we tracked him by his bloody footsteps. We overtook him along toward noon, and my younger brother held him down while I made an incision in the neck which proved fatal. As we started to drag the animal toward home his head fell off. I state this in order to show that sincerity and inflexibility of purpose had already begun to show themselves even at this early age.

After some delay we succeeded in removing the bristles, also some of the pelt, and I began the delicate operation of prying into and exposing the animal's complex works. I guess it would not be best to describe this, for it gives me great pain to recall it. I only know that I cannot see yet what he had ever done with so many of them or who could have ever arranged such a large assortment in such a little space. They came pouring out like a cataract of new and strange vitals with crotched borders on them, and altogether I felt saddened and depressed. I went over to a neighbor and got him to come and assist me. I told him I had operated once or twice on a hen, but a hen travels light. She does not overburden herself with vitals that way. Just give a hen two or three little fixings of that kind and she will go around perfectly contented. But it is not so with a hog. I never saw a hog that knew when he had enough of anything.

In the early days they used to assess people here at the stock yards for beer money, and then if they did not get it they would pelt the visitor with fragments of liver and such little testimonials of respect as that. So it was a custom even among temperance people to give them the money. It was so until one day an English capitalist who owned a large share of one packing house got a steer's lung down the back of his neck and eighteen feet of sausage wound around his silk hat, and he spoke of it in terms of resentment to the superintendent. Then it was changed.

The sausage machine is one of the most intelligent that I ever saw. The Havana wrapper is pulled on over a metallic spout, and then by a terrific force ex-



WITH MY FRIEND M'ALLISTER.

erted above the sausage meat reservoir the whole thing is pushed through this spout into the wrapper, and yard upon yard of this delicious bivalence is reeled off while you wait.

One house takes the lives of 2,400 pigs per day, and they are chilled and ready for the table by night. Mr. Armour personally killed 1,450,000 hogs last year, not in a spirit of revenge, but in order to improve the condition of mankind and keep the rude and disagreeable wolf from his own door.

Prying a little into his business affairs yesterday, I found that he did a business of \$65,000,000 last year. He also

paid out \$3,500,000 in wages. With a piece of chalk I figured on the back of an old painting in Mr. Armour's pleasant office that, allowing each year the same number of animals killed last year, say 1,500,000 hogs, 650,000 cattle and 350,000 sheep at a low estimate, in five years Mr. Armour, single handed, could encircle the globe with a continuous girdle of intestines!

What a thought! What food for thought also!

But as Mr. Armour said in our talk, when I asked him for a little recipe for becoming a millionaire: "Here is the secret of the success of the Big Four. It is our system of carefully utilizing everything. Here is a glass jar containing hoof meal. That is valuable for its ammonia. It is made from the despised hoof of the animal after the neat'sfoot oil and other toilet articles have been removed. Here is a jar of white phosphates, made from the pith of the horn. This industry will decrease if the de-horning of cattle grows, but probably it will not appreciably. Here is a sort of glue made from the tips of the ears and nose of deceased cattle which die a violent death at our house. Here is a substance used in great quantities by the brewers. Some time in the old days before your reformation you have noticed when you pulled your beer glass off the top of the table that it had a tendency to stick. That is a gelatinous substance which we furnish the brewer in great quantities. It is made from the thin white film which lies between the bone and skin of the head, for instance, and if nothing more harmful goes into beer it will never kill people off at a big rate. Then there is a jar of dried blood. Some is used for purifying sugar and considerable is sent to New Orleans, but more is used for making buttons. So you see we make our money by saving it. Not long ago a Frenchman came to me and told me that I was losing a million or so unnecessarily. I froze to him till he told me how. We found that our big reservoirs containing water, and in which we give the beef a bath to sort of cool it and close up the pores, had been emptied into the Chicago river for years, carrying with it the bouquet of the beef. We now condense and compress this nutritious juice till we get the most stimulating and the most delectable extract of beef that ever gladdened the tottering stomach of an invalid or a child."

And so it goes. It seems that an adult steer can afford more real, pure joy by his death than any other animal, unless it be the wife beater. I am told that when a wife beater sits for his death mask, on a still day, you can hear the angels applauding.

At Swift's establishment they have two odd animals, one a steer called Judas and the other a sheep called Iscariot. Each of these animals has a winning way with his set, and is utilized for the purpose of leading his fellows into the slaughter pen even against their better judgment. They have done this for years, and though the smell of blood naturally repels them, they listen to the siren voices of these two heartless brutes who preserve their own lives at the sacrifice of thousands of others, and death is their portion.

Some day I will again visit the stock yards. I hope to select a rainy day, and shall hope also to take my friend Ward McAllister with me by the hand, dressed in his best suit of clothes.

Skipping gayly through the ruins of former beef creatures and the tottering relics of nude hogs that have been snatched from the glad sunlight and yielding mud of Illinois to deluge the abattoirs of this great commercial town with their bright young blood, I would like to yank the great parlor ornament clothed in a white flannel suit and his unwavering admiration of himself, while cheery young butchers pinned to his coat tails yard upon yard of the future home of the sausage. It may be a cruel wish, but when a man outshines me socially I cannot help it; I almost hate him.

Bill Nye

A Story of Congressman Rogers.

It is related of John Rogers, the Arkansas congressman, that he recently sat down in a barber's chair, when the barber asked if he would not take off his collar.

"Certainly," said Rogers pleasantly, "anything to accommodate," and, getting out of the chair, removed his coat and vest, let down his suspenders, and began unbuttoning his shirt.

"Jes' yo' collah, sah," said the astonished barber, "jes' de collah; that'll be enough."

"I understand," said Rogers. "I'm going to take it off." And he peeled his shirt off over his head.

"You see, I have my collars made on my shirts," he calmly said, as he sat in his undershirt and enjoyed himself.—Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette.

A Valuable Tip.

"Haven't you forgotten something, sir?" asked the head porter of a guest who had paid his bill and was leaving the hotel.

"Oh, no," replied the non-tipper; "if I have you can keep it."

"Much obliged! I notice you left your pocketbook lying on the desk."—New York Sun.

His Rise.

He bought a brand new pair of shoes. He thought he'd get some spats; He then discovered that he lacked The latest thing in hats.

He bought one. Then his trousers bagged; He ordered two new pair, And then, strange fact! he noticed that His coat was quite threadbare.

He bought another. Then he saw Some waistcoats. Just the thing! He had to get some ties to match; He bought a diamond ring.

He joined three clubs. He bought a horse. Then changed it for a team; He bought a sailing yacht at first, And then moved up to steam.

He bought these things, and many more, This man so great and wise; For during his career he had The means to advertise. —From Hutton in Clothes and How to Wear Them.

SAD BUT TRUE.

A Weird Tale of Love and Misery in the World's Fair Town.

Evening in Chicago.

The lake beating a murmurous tattoo on the lonely shore.

A great house in the silent street, with the wind howling outside.

The young Count of New York whispering sweet somethings to the lovely Lady Northside inside.

"Dear lady," he says in tremulous tones, "I have known you only a short time, but love is not a slave of time or circumstance, and, lady mine, I—I"—he hesitated only an instant, "I would ask your hand."

She blushed and let her beautiful brown eyes fall.

He picked them up quickly and handed them to her, as she said:

"What you ask is very great, dear Reginald, and"—

But Reginald was gone.

And Lady Northside was conversing to herself.

On the outside the count halted.

"By Zucks!" he exclaimed, in cold, mechanical tones, "she thought I was asking for her foot."

And the next moment he had disappeared in the gathering gloom.—Washington Star.

One of the Hotel Clerk's Trials.

The summer resort hotel clerk is beginning to find his speech after the past season's campaign. And if you will let him tell the story he is a much abused individual. "For instance," says one of them, "the clerk schedules on getting up at 7 o'clock. Well, at 6 a boy hammers on his door and says a lady wants to see him at once down in the office; can't wait a minute, and nobody else will do. Up jumps the clerk and falls down to the ground floor to find the occupant of Suite A, for example, laying for him. 'Good morning, madam,' says the clerk. 'Dear! how you have kept me waiting!' she replies. 'Very sorry,' says the clerk, wishing in his soul that he had kept her half an hour. Then she begins again: 'I intend to spend the day in town, and got up early to see if you thought the 10 o'clock train was better than the 10:20. What do you think?' He's just got to grit his teeth and smile, and say that the 10 train is faster by two minutes, but that he thinks she would find less cinders in and better views from the 10:20. Then she'll thank him and take the 11:56 train."—New York Tribune.

A Bad Ending.

Cleverton—Miss Summit spoke about your neckties yesterday—said they were just perfect.

Dashaway—You don't say! Cleverton—Yes, and she said she never saw you betray the slightest sign of disorder in your dress.

Dashaway—Oh! Cleverton—She declared she never saw such hats, such gloves, such shoes, such clothes—that you were perfect down to the smallest detail.

Dashaway—Well! well! And then? Cleverton—She wound up by saying that she didn't see how a man of your intellect managed to dress so well.—Clothing and Furnisher.

Hereditary Nerve.



Old Crisp—Ah, you young rascal, what do you mean by helping yourself to my cigars?

Young Crisp—I'm curing myself of the cigarette habit, sir.—Puck.

Resignation.

He (delightedly)—So you will marry me?

She (calmly)—On mature consideration I think I will. You don't amount to much, you're homely and awkward, but in Massachusetts you know we have to put up with anything that comes along.—Yenowine's News.

"Time Is Money."

Teacher (to class in grammar)—What is that familiar short sentence which brings time and money into close connection?

Voice in Back Seat—I know.

Teacher—Well, Tommy, what is it?

Tommy—Ten days or ten dollars.—Munsey's Weekly.

One Exception.

He (getting up from his knees)—I don't believe, Miss Eissburg, you have a particle of affection for a human being.

She (much shocked)—Dear me, Mr. Sm—

He (bitterly interrupting)—True. I forgot. There is one.—Chicago Tribune.

In the History Class.

"What was the greatest act of Thomas Jefferson's life?" inquired the teacher.

And the shock headed boy that hadn't studied the lesson scratched his left shin with his right foot and said he guessed it was the last act of "Rip Van Winkle."—Chicago Tribune.

Her Letter.

The postman's leather satchel he carries carelessly,

The good or woe he may bestow he cares in no degree,

He's letters for good lovers, he's letters filled with bills, And circulars of soap, cigars, laxatives, corn cures, pills.

Down in the postman's satchel, well hid from prying eyes,

And buried deep beneath the heap a little letter lies.

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