



NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Austria and Russia are "exchanging views" instead of cannon and rifle shots. Costs less. The Crown prince goes to Cairo, Egypt, to spend the remainder of the winter. Hatfield is the name of a family living on the West Virginia bank of the east fork of Sandy river and McCoy that of a family of Kentuckians on the other bank. There is feud between them and if the law does not interfere they will wipe out each other. They kill women and children as well as fighting men. The Seaman's Union memorializes congress in favor of a law regulating the loading of lake vessels. A life convict in the Minnesota penitentiary forbade the efforts of his friends to procure a pardon for him. He says he prefers the prison to the poorhouse. The glass works at Marion, Ind., were burned Jan. 6. They had only been in operation three months. The new insane asylum at Toledo, Ohio, the largest in the world, was opened for patients last week. It has cost the state \$1,000,000. An election for member of parliament at Winchester last week resulted in the choice of the tory candidate by a larger majority than ever before. The Gladstonians had made great efforts and are much disappointed. Mr. Powderly went to work too soon, got a pull-back and has been ordered to Florida by his doctor. A train dispatcher on the Canadian Pacific road blundered—two freight trains collided on a trestle and four men were killed. Ammi Baldwin, involved with Harper in the robbery of the Fidelity bank, died of paralysis last week, and so escaped his share of the punishment. A portion of a viaduct in process of construction at Cleveland fell last week killing and wounding a dozen men who were employed upon it. Clara Campbell, forty years old, sues Ar-buckle, the Arizona coffee man, 50 years old, for breach of promise, and their letters introduced in evidence are sillier than the ordinary epistles of school children. Isaac Merrick killed his adopted daughter, 15 years old, and then himself at Philadelphia Saturday. He had become infatuated with the girl and there was trouble in the family. Tom Murray, proprietor of the "Hole in the Wall" at Sioux City, killed his wife and then himself Saturday. Balthasar Rau has got married, forsworn his anarchism and will be a respectable citizen hereafter. An attempt to rob the express car on a C. B. & Q. train near Albia, Iowa, failed but the would-be robbers got away. The big strike of the New York cigar makers is on. We've a cob pipe and Durham tobacco, so we can stand it, awhile. The courts hold the Standard oil company responsible for the loss and damage consequent on the leaking of naphtha into the Rochester sewers and the explosions and fires which resulted. Archie McNeill, a reporter who went to France to report the Kilvain, Smith fight, was murdered and his body pillaged at Boulogne. The great Lick telescope is in place and in use. Jo. Foraker was re-inaugurated last Monday. Capt. Selfridge, of the navy, whose careless practice with his guns was the cause of the death of several Japanese, and who was white-washed by the court of inquiry, is ordered home for trial by court martial. An Indian woman known as "Aunt Eunice" died near Norwich, Conn., Monday, at the age of 115 years. The bones of Louis Napoleon and his son were last week taken from the vault at Chislehurst and placed in the mausoleum at Farnborough which Eugenie built for them. Everts tried to show the judiciary committee on the supreme bench, and came pretty near that Lamar was not fit, as a jurist, for a seat doing it, too. Gen. Terry is ill, despairs of recovery and wants to be relieved. The New York legislature is considering a plan for putting murderers to death by an electric shock. The Korean embassy has arrived at Washington. Before Lamar let go of the interior department he kicked out Sparks' friend, John W. LeBarnes. The strike is hard and long-continued but the Reading company regard it as a life or death struggle with the Knights and refuse all suggestions of compromise. Cardinal Taschereau is again after the K. of L. declaring that no Catholic can join, or having joined remain a member of that organization and be true to the church at the same time. Leland has got natural gas on his hotel property at Chicago. A Mexican mountain, St. Martin's Peak, in the state of Vera Cruz, has become a volcano. By a collision between two steamers in the British channel last Sunday seven lives were lost and one of the steamers sunk. The International railway was completed last week from Eagle Pass, on the Rio Grande, to the city of Mexico. Bobany Price, a prominent writer on political economy and professor of p. e. in Oxford, England, died last week. There was a small outbreak, led by a Russian officer, in Bulgaria last week, but Ferdinand got away with it. Mrs. Cleveland gave the first of a series of receptions at the white house last Saturday.

Sir Wilfrid Blunt, the English Gladstonian who would talk when forbidden, has to go to jail the same as an Irishman. He gets two months. The queen of Italy tried, it is said, to establish friendly relations with the pope, but he made the evacuation of Rome by the kingdom of Italy a preliminary and she could not bring that about. Mrs. Cassidy, the progress for the "ranchers" in the woods, is in jail in Chicago and likely to go to Joliet, as she ought. The Portland express on the Boston & Maine railroad left the track near Haverhill, Mass., on the 10th and the cars were telescoped and nine passengers killed and 50 wounded. The judiciary committee of the senate reported adversely to the confirmation of Lamar and favorably as to Vilas and Dickinson. Pugh, of Alabama, submitted a minority report favorable to Lamar. Will. Zorn, clerk in the Cheboygan post-office, is charged with robbing the office. Methodist preachers, in conference at Baltimore, protest against Cleveland's present (only a copy of the constitution) to the Pope. The K. of L. has ordered out the men from every coal mine that ships over the Reading road. An emigrant train was run into at Rawlins, Wyoming, and two cars telescoped on the 9th. One (child) killed and a dozen wounded, one or two fatally. A large meteorite fell in Florida last week. The fragments were found and sent to the Jacksonville exposition and Prof. Proctor for examination and analysis. Miss Campbell got a verdict against Ar-buckle for \$45,000. He will appeal, but had better pay; save money. Congressmen want a clerk apiece, and they're liable to get them. T. Harrington, home rule member of parliament, and Corcoran, a Cork editor, are the latest to get the benefit of "coercion"—two months each. Johnny Enright does not want the Washington postoffice and is booked for a place that suits him as soon as Don M. is confirmed. W. F. Treadwell, the cattle king, shot his partner, Clark, at Anthony, Kansas, has gone utterly crazy, and Clark is dead. A battery of steam boilers in a rolling mill at Brazil, Indiana, blew up last Monday, wrecking the mill and killing one and wounding several workmen.

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A BOSTON CHARACTER. Mrs. Gray's Unconventional Disregard of Matters of Etiquette. Boston will know no more a figure which has for years been familiar to its streets, although comparatively few people have ever heard the name of the woman who was recently laid at rest in Mount Auburn. Mrs. Gray—it is safe to call her this, as it was not her name—was something over seventy, but until last spring she went about in all weathers with the vigor and sprightliness which most women have lost forever before they are fifty. She was a somewhat singular-looking creature. Her hair was snow white, her eyes black and bright as stoics. She had a most unconventional disregard of the frivolities of attire, and dressed for comfort rather than for elegance. I never remember seeing her wear but one bonnet, a black satin affair of the style of ten years ago, adorned with a bunch of purple flowers, which showed far more unmistakably the signs of age than she did herself. Mrs. Gray dwelt in a quiet house in one of those Beacon Hill streets from which she had lived to see fashion ebb utterly away. It had been sumptuously furnished in the days of her youth, and nothing done to it since. An auction of the furniture followed her death, and the dealers in old-fashioned furniture were promptly on hand to gather in stray articles. As I went through the rooms on the day of the sale there was an air of unspeakable melancholy in the confused huddling together of antique chairs in which had sat many a man whose name is a household word, and many a woman who in her day had been a social power in Boston. For some of the best blood in the Commonwealth flowed in the veins of Mrs. Gray, and the old silver bore a crest which, whether by strict heraldic right or not, has been borne proudly for half a dozen generations of Americans. Mrs. Gray was childless and for many years a widow. The heirs to whom her property goes she seldom saw, she having frankly informed them that she should leave them what she had, but they were too modern in their ways to please her, and she should be pleased if they would not bother her by coming to visit her. It was by her own express order that every thing in the house except the portraits was sold. "I am willing my heirs should have the worth of the silver," she said to her lawyer, "but since it's got to go to strangers I'd rather it would go to people who won't feel bound to pretend to sentiment over it." As most of it was bid in for the heirs her provision in this respect did not come to much. Mrs. Gray was abundantly able to keep her carriage, but she dearly loved the horse cars. She liked to see folks, she said, and she always talked freely to whoever happened to sit next the corner seat, which she generally managed to secure, even if she had to ride to the end of a route, or let two or three cars pass in order to get it. I have seen her affably chatting with workmen, or even with the most unpromising specimens of humanity. Once she gave her seat to a tiny girl with a big bundle and then deliberately sat down on the floor of the car until a man gave her his place. "You wear better clothes than you can afford," she once remarked, dispassionately, to an overdressed woman. "I saw your shoes when you got on, and the soles are almost through. You'd better sell those ear-rings and get some better boots, or you'll have a doctor's bill to pay that won't leave you any thing." Frankness of this sort was naturally somewhat startling, but what Mrs. Gray said was always marked with sound common sense. She was capable of pretty lively fits of temper upon occasion. One day she wanted the car stopped, and the driver went on until the car was brought to a halt in a perfect slough of mud. She went to the rear platform, looked at the street, and then marched to the front door of the car. "I never had half as much mind to eat my dinner," she said to the astonished driver, "as I have to box your ears! Why didn't you stop when the bell rang?" "It's against the rules to stop on the first crossing," he answered, with a rather sullen air. "Against the rules, is it? Well, if it's against the rules the horse-car companies ought to be suppressed. I own stock in this company and I'll sell it tomorrow. Now you go and stop in the first dry spot. Do you hear?" I confess that I thought he would not obey her, but he did. Whether she sold her stock or not I do not know, and it is hardly to be supposed that the railway company would care. It is told of this lady that on the occasion of Ole Bull's first appearance in Boston her seat was directly in front of that occupied by the British Consul. That gentleman disturbed her by continuous talking, which she bore in silence until the intermission which marked the middle of the concert. Then she turned and reproved the offender in a voice loud enough to be audible to everybody in the neighborhood. "I have given you half the concert, sir," said she, "to talk in. Now be good enough to hold your tongue and give me a chance." This was years ago, but it is so characteristic that she might have said the same thing last winter.—Boston Cor. Providence Journal.

PRESIDENTS OF YALE. Brief Sketches of Drs. Woolsey, Porter and Dwight. Three men who have been inaugurated to the presidency of Yale are still living—ex-Presidents Woolsey and Porter, and the present incumbent, Dr. Dwight. These three men have been actively connected with the college for more than half a century. On them has fallen the burden of the welfare of the college, and to them belongs the credit of building the Yale of to-day on the foundations laid by their predecessors. Dr. Woolsey is no longer active in efforts to benefit the institution which commanded the best years of his life. Of his successors one stands at the helm, guiding his charge to renewed prosperity and greater renown, while the other has lightened his labors to suit the strength of his declining years, but still retains and daily gives instructions in a most important professorship. "I have been president of Yale College a quarter of a century. I have served the college as long as the children of Israel were in the wilderness, and have lived as long as the Babylonish captivity," said President Woolsey, when he resigned the presidency in 1871. He was then a venerable man whose years of toil and study had not left him without their impress. Sixteen additional years have passed, but his physical and mental faculties survive in a remarkable degree, and at the age of eighty-six he has all the attributes which Cicero claimed for the aged in his "De Senectute." To this day his time is passed in studies and philosophical reading which would weary many younger and less vigorous intellects. To him Yale owes a debt she can never pay; for during his administration of her affairs the undergraduate department underwent a thorough reconstruction, and those principles of teaching which have made Yale world-famed were adopted. To ex-President Porter is due the credit of carrying on this work inaugurated by his predecessor in the undergraduate department and the building up and amplifying of the graduate schools of instruction. Under his instruction the college seed ripened into the university flower ready to be nurtured and sustained by his successor, Dr. Dwight. Advancing years made the burden too heavy for him, and he laid a part of it aside, still continuing, however, to hold the professorship of moral philosophy and metaphysics. The lightening of his burden had an immediate effect upon his health to such an extent that his associates have remarked upon it. His tour in Europe has had an additional beneficial effect, and he is now in the prime of his mental powers. Of Dr. Dwight, who now stands at the head of the University, little need be said. Although he has held the reins but a year, his influence is already manifest in the unifying of the different departments and a progressive spirit which retains the best of Yale's former conservatism, leavened by modern push and progress. His appearance on public occasions as Yale's representative and his success as an orator have created a widespread interest in her affairs and spread a knowledge of her needs. For many years Dr. Woolsey has spent the vacation season among the historic hills of Litchfield County, his favorite resort being West Cornwall, a small hamlet fifty miles north of Bridgeport on the Housatonic railroad. He inclines to the opinion that much of his continued physical vigor is due to the benefit he has received during those brief annual outings. The delightfully pure air, the wild mountain scenery, the perfect quiet of the New England homestead, all have served to restore wasted mental energies and renew the physical of the venerable man who is dear to the hearts of so many Yale men all over the country. In pleasant weather Dr. Woolsey visits the post-office twice daily. He always chooses the walk nearest the historic green which has been made the subject of so many sketches of which he was the author. He spends many hours in his study, which is located in a cozy corner of his residence on Church street. There he is visited by many Yale men temporarily in New Haven. It is said that, with a few exceptions, he is able instantly to recognize such of his visitors as were connected with the college when he was its official head. One of the chief evidences of Dr. Woolsey's wonderful memory is the fact that he is able to recall nearly every interesting event that occurred during the college life of those who were graduated during the time he was president. Dr. Porter devotes considerable time to a literary work which he expects to place in the hands of the publishers during 1888. He is also supervising the revision of Webster's dictionary, a work which has been in progress in this city during the last three years. He is the chief of a score of editors and about fifty clerks who are constantly engaged on the work. Dr. Porter's recollection of individual Yale men is probably not so clear as Dr. Woolsey's, but he is always glad to receive a call from those who engaged in the struggle for knowledge under his guidance. His life is not so completely filled up with work requiring attention in detail as was the case when, in addition to other duties, he engineered the machinery of Yale.—New Haven Cor. N. Y. Tribune.

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THE FUNERAL FIEND.

A Gentleman of Leisure Who Delights in Looking at Corpses. The friends slowly filing past the coffin had looked for the last time on the face of the dead, and were moving out of the darkened room into the light and life of the street.

"Oh dear, no, I am engaged in no profession. My whole attention is devoted to attending funerals." "You do not mean to say that you do it for pleasure?" "Yes, it is a passion with me, just as botany, geology, language, etc., are the absorbing pursuits of other men.

"A singular experience surely, and yet you make nothing from it?" "No; not I. I follow the profession solely from a love of it. I would rather any day see a dead man than a live one, but in my travels around the country I have met those who make it a sordid trade and derive a large income from it."

"When she came opposite the head of the coffin she would begin to sob passionately and fairly fling herself on the bier, so that her veil covered it. In the moment that she remained in this posture she had time to search the corpse for rings or other jewels, and you may be sure that if there had been any trinkets of the sort on the body at first when 'The Widow' had ceased mourning and passed on they were not there.

"How many funerals do you attend a week?" "Usually one a day; more, if possible. I feel as if something had gone out of my life if a day passes without going to a funeral."—Buffalo (N. Y.) Courier.

No Confidence in Himself. Newspaper Editor.—If we give you a job, Uncle Rastus, your duties will be to carry up coal, build fires, sift ashes, scrub floors and wash windows.

GLORIOUS MOUNT SHASTA.

A Poetical Description of the Grandest Mountain in America. Between the great pines going up you see the religious dome of Mount Shasta, its snows and frowns so mixed that one perceives it nearly with superstition.

There is but one Shasta, and he is a Sierra—one of the bold range beyond the Rockies, overlooking the Orient West. "There is the East, there is Europe," says the statue of Thomas Benton at St. Louis, pointing at the same time West.

For 2,000 feet the snow-slides drop down its sides, frequently turning red. Then for 4,000 feet lower the inorganic mass stands like a Vulcan among his cinders. Next for 2,000 feet encamp the firs, where once the lava licked the world.

There is a butte, or mountain hump, near Shasta, 6,500 feet high, but the snows, like virgin belles at court, disdain to coquette with it, and keep all their flakes for Shasta. It, too, is a fine and stuck-up thing quite solitary, but the miners only call it Shasta Butte, as the actors called Mr. Greene, when he compared himself to Shakespeare, Shakespeare's call-boy.

"You see him to be a volcano put out by snows, and our only brother of the Alps, like Monte Rosa, dissected out of them and spirited away in the Gambols of the Titans. The Alps too often hide in the reeking dews of Lombardy, but Shasta is set in a sky that is limpid as the blues in the eyes of babes.

—Mr. Edison's phonograph preserves a conversation for one hundred years. But conversations can be preserved that long without a phonograph. For instance, there is the celebrated conversation between the Governor of North Carolina and the Governor of South Carolina.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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IRON PORT.

ESCANABA, MICH., JAN. 14, 1888.

MY VISION.

Up thro' the mists of childhood's tender memories... A dear vision which I often see...

A Brother's Keeper.

A WOMAN'S WORK OF LOVE AND DUTY.

BY MARY HARTWELL CATHERWOOD, AUTHOR OF "CHAQUE OF DOOM," "STEPHEN GUTRIER," "THE LONE MAN'S CABIN," AND OTHER STORIES.

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CHAPTER II.—CONTINUED.

"Now, Miss Phoebe, let us have that verb conjugated before we blunt our minds with eating..."

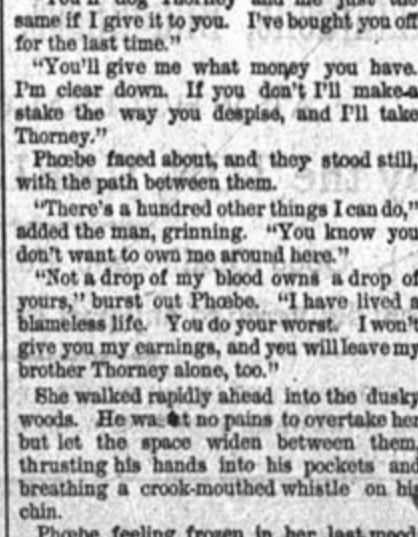


"What's the matter, child?" "May be I fancied one of the diver's monsters had come up out of the whirlpool..."

After supper the master and his son went into the twilight, chopped wood and kindling, fed the pig, and carried fodder to and filled the cow...

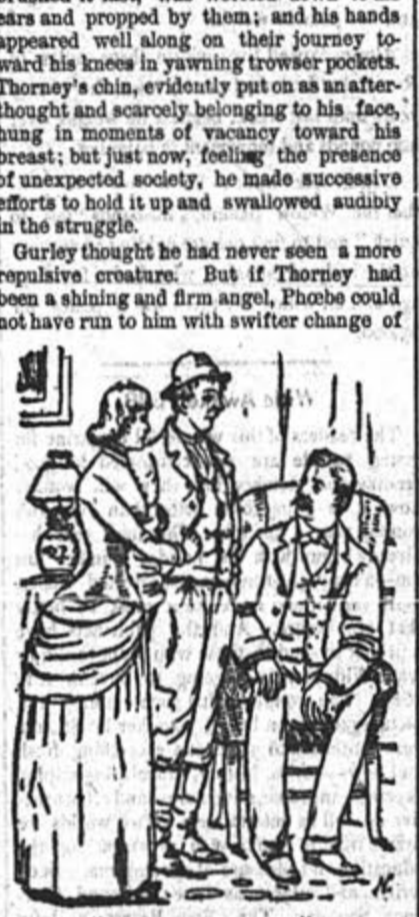
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The man took several steps beside Phoebe before either of them spoke. She drew her shawl close around her and shrunk off from him...

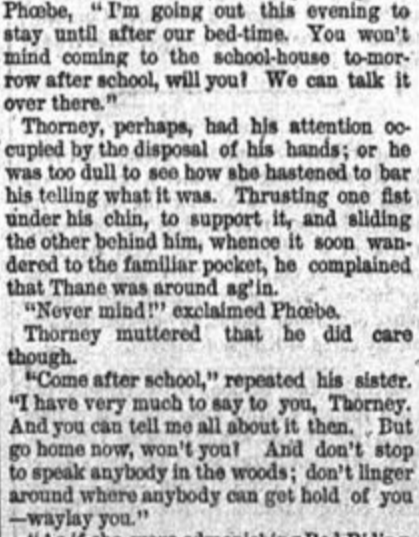


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Gurley laughed out with approval, but Mrs. Holmes secretly shuddered at such a display of his power at a moment's notice...

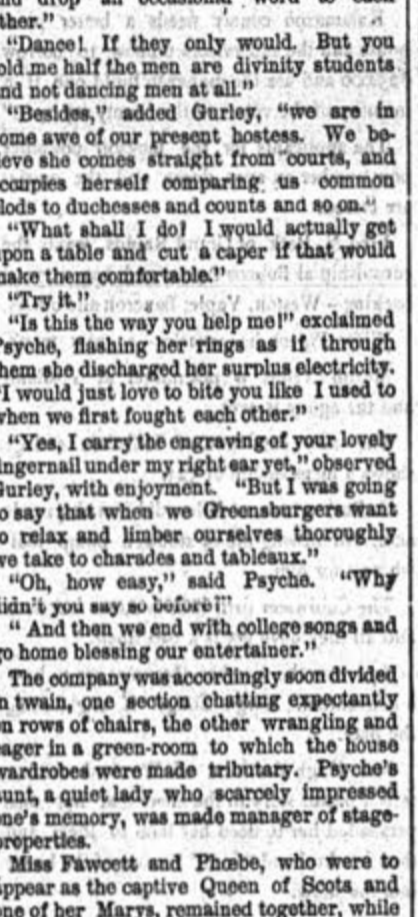


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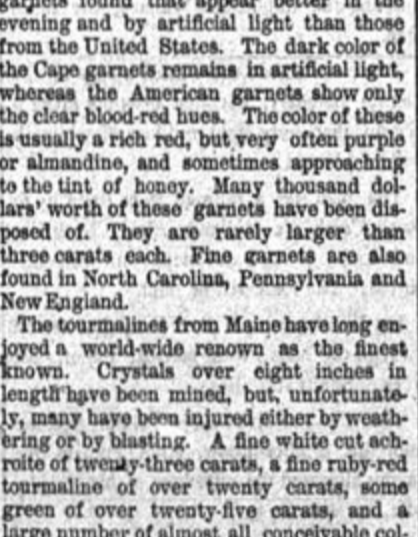


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UPPER PENINSULA.

Geo. Seibert has devised and patented a safety label to prevent getting a dose of poison by mistake. It is an adhesive label from which a ball is suspended. When the ball rattles the label is attached to the bottle.

The new hotel on the west side is going to be bigger than the Ossa—and all the rest of it. The editor is to be tried for libel tomorrow, for telling a part of the truth about a man too mean to live and too wicked to die.

Some one who attended the Y. M. C. A. entertainment stole Edgar Goldthorpe's hat and overshoes. The interstate commerce law knocks the cedar trade by putting up freights to points in the southwest and west.

Marquette express office earned \$35,087.69 in 1887. Copper product of Houghton county mines in December was 3,210 tons 225 pounds. Rock salt is found six miles from Michigan.

Printer wanted; steady work for the right sort of a man. Jay Hubbell can not poll his party vote here. Three feet of snow in the woods and logging operations hindered.

Many lots sold in Frederickton to be built upon in the spring. The statement by the Menominee Democrat that Peter Molignoni was building a "ranch" for Mina Bolduc is a libel on an honorable business man.

The district does not want, to succeed Moffatt, any representative of the land-grant corporations; it wants a man who can not approach. "A second Pittsburg" is to grow up around the head of Keweenaw bay.

Gold finds are reported from the "south range." The "liquidators" propose a plan [a cumbersome and dilatory one] for operating the Belt copper mine, now that the price of copper is up.

The South Side mining co. proposes to increase its capital stock. It has no property upon which to base such action, it is merely a stock-jobbing scheme, to be let severely alone.

John Casey, Carl Johnson and W. H. Craddock, with two others, coming out of the Champion mine in the skip Saturday morning, were thrown to the bottom of the shaft by the accidental dumping of the skip and killed.

The force in the office of the deputy collector of customs has been reduced one-half. Stuart and two assistants are retained, and three assistants discharged.

Joseph Loran, an inhabitant of Mackinac Island since 1812, died January 2, at the age of 91 years. In his youth he was a volunteer for the Northwestern and American Fur companies.

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Five prisoners escaped from jail at the Sault Saturday night, by sawing the bars. Ishpeming has never had a telegraph office other than the one in the railway office but is to have soon, Mr. McMichael having so decided upon investigation.

The Iron Cliffs company moved into its new quarters yesterday. The building is the finest in Negaunee and a credit to Sweat, who designed it, and Wahlman & Grip, its builders.

If the fire in the Calumet mine has injured the shafts involved to such an extent as to make their restoration impracticable and drive the company to the alternative of vertical shafts, like that of the Tamarack, it will not have been an unqualified evil.

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NOTICE OF MICHIGAN, County of Delta. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the probate court for the county of Delta, made on the 3d day of January A. D. 1888, six months from that date were allowed to creditors to present their claims against the estate of Isaac Oberg late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said probate court, at the probate office, in the city of Escanaba, for examination and allowance, on or before the 2d day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Monday, the 8th day of February and on Monday, the 8th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Delta. In the matter of the Estate of Mary L. Terry, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said Mary L. Terry, deceased, by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Delta, on the 5th day of December A. D. 1887, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court house, in the city of Escanaba, in the county of Delta, in said state, on Saturday, the 4th day of February A. D. 1888, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances, by mortgage or otherwise, existing at the time of the death of said deceased, or at the time of making said sale) the following described real-estate to wit: Lots numbered five and six (5 and 6) of block number four (4) and lot number thirteen (13) of block number eleven (11) all of the city (formerly village) of Escanaba, Delta county, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

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## IRON PORT.

ESCANABA, MICH., JAN. 14, 1888.

W. C. T. U.

BY THE LADIES OF THE W. C. T. U.

[Pledge of Temperance Union: "In the full belief of the existence and power of Almighty God, and acknowledging our accountability to Him, we solemnly promise that we will not make, buy, sell, use, furnish or cause to be furnished to others as a beverage any spirituous liquors, and by all just means in our power to banish the use of intoxicating liquor from our land and to advance the cause of temperance."]

EVANSTON, ILL., Dec. 27, 1887.  
To the W. C. T. U. Unions of the Northern Peninsula, Mich.

Beloved sisters:—The unspeakable abominations disclosed by the Chicago press relative to the lives of the white slave women entrapped into dens of infamy, adjoining your lumber camps, have never been exceeded in any age or nation. When I was with you last spring I inquired carefully as to the efforts made to root out this unutterable crime, and was much encouraged to learn that Judge Grant was doing heroic and successful work in this direction. Your own interest and zeal were just what I had reason to expect, and I doubt not you are, if possible, more earnest than ever. I have also been greatly encouraged to learn that Gov. Luce declared that no power vested in him shall fail to be exercised toward the same end; but if what our papers tell is true these righteous endeavors have not met with the success that all friends of humanity must ardently desire. I therefore write you to ask just what the present situation is and what can be done by the white cross and white shield department of the National W. C. T. U. to mitigate the horrors of the situation. It seems to me all christian and philanthropic people might well lay aside every other effort they are making until these breeding holes of predation are sealed up and incarnate fiends who have opened them are incarcerated under a life sentence in the penitentiaries. Pray let me hear from you promptly, and oblige, Your friend and comrade FRANCES WILLARD.

Here it is, politics can not furnish another in all the history of convention calls that approaches this one in its fore-shadowings of the government that has Christ's life and law as its foundation. Never before has any call taken account of the fact that the world has woman in it, but this one so squarely recognizes the fact in which so much of promise and of potency is centered, that we can't forbear italics. For the rest, this call proves that ours is not a party of one idea. All issues likely to be such in June—for the surplus must surely be adjusted by that date—are touched with fearless and vigorous hand. Labor finds here the only national answer to its protest, and capital the only safe defence. The home has surer here never even hinted at by other national parties, and the liquor traffic cannot mistake the anathema maranatha of this battle cry. With the practical sagacity that was to have been expected in that quarter, Chairman Dickie makes it plain that all voters who are agreed upon the one determinative question of the necessity and wisdom of separate political action to secure the overthrow of the liquor power, are welcome under this call, no matter what their differences concerning other questions. Surely upon a basis so solid and yet so broad, we can all stand and find sufficient elbow room. Surely all women will come to the help of a party which so manfully espouses a cause everywhere else as boldly disavowed.

Dear Union Signal:—The cause of temperance is flourishing in our Soldiers' and Sailors' Home. Some time last summer we organized a temperance club, and named it "Gen. Clinion B. Fisk Temperance Club of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home." During the first two or three months we received about forty five signers, and the most of them faithfully kept the pledge. Last Tuesday night we had a grand meeting, presided over by our honored and loved superintendent, Major J. G. Rowland. He made a very fine address, urging temperance and strict sobriety upon all the members of this Home. Prof. Finney, a member of this Home, now made a few very touching remarks. J. Monroe Riefenberch was then called upon, and came forward,

read the pledge, and fully explained the fearful consequences of an intemperate life. Intemperance, he said, led to physical, mental, moral and spiritual death. Intoxicating liquors destroy men, he said, in body, mind and soul. He made an earnest appeal to every soldier present to sign the pledge and be a free man; twenty-seven immediately came forward and took the pledge, some of whom had long been confirmed drunkards. They can keep it, we will all help them, the officers of our home will help them, God will help them; for he has promised in his word (and his word is true) that he will never turn a deaf ear to the humble penitent and the returning wanderer. All may come to Christ. Even the confirmed inebriate is welcome to come. "Cease to do evil and learn to do well." "Go and sin no more." Our Home numbers about five hundred inmates, and we have now nearly a hundred temperance workers. God grant every member of this beautiful Home may become as brave a temperance soldier as he was once a brave soldier in the grand union army—the army that saved the grandest nation the world ever saw from dissolution. God reigns, and right must and will triumph. Mr. Bradley, pastor of Unitarian church, Quincy, will speak for us Tuesday night. NATHANIEL HURST, PRES.  
J. MONROE RIEFENBERCH Cor. Sec.

## PERSONAL.

—Miss Kittie Moran is visiting at Milwaukee.  
—A. O. Blackwell, of Gladstone, visited us on Monday.  
—Mr. S. L. Selden, of Hartford, Conn., was in the city this week.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Farrell went on Wednesday to Marquette to attend the Knights Templar ball.  
—Herman Johnson, in town on Tuesday, to aid in the interment of Mrs. Niquist, called on us. Thanks.  
—John K. Stack and Louis Stegmüller went out to Iron county Wednesday, Iron River being their destination.  
—Mrs. Beggs was in town, on business, on Monday last. The character of the business is referred to in another place.  
—J. Lucia, of Nahma, and Jas. McGee of the same locality, without either of whom it would be forlorn, were in town this week.  
—Mrs. J. S. Rodgers and her children arrived, returning from their holiday visit at Racine, Wis., and vicinity, on Sunday last.  
—Duncan McMillan writes us from Edna, Wis., enclosing the wherewith to pay for the Iron Port and giving assurance of his continued well being.  
—John Noonan, the best democrat in Oconto county (and one of the best fellows, to boot), en route home from Nahma, called on the writer Wednesday.  
—Geo. Preston, John McNaughtan and Will Oliver departed Saturday last to spend Sunday and Monday in Chicago and return Tuesday. As, up to Thursday, they are still absent it is feared they have joined the Salvation army, been in collision and got telescoped, or in some other manner come to grief.

Dakota man—"I'm nearly starving, sir."  
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"I started a tea garden in Northern Dakota, but every one of the tea plants froze. I'll have to raise tea in hot-houses, but with coal at \$12 a ton I can't compete with the tea raised in China. If something isn't done I'll be bankrupt."  
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How would it work for the woman suffragists to colonize and govern the territory of No Man's Land?—Springfield Union.

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