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The only strictly first-class hotel in the Village.
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I am now ready, at my shop on Harrison street, just off Ludington, to shoe horses (and guarantee satisfaction), and undertake any other work in my line.
Prices Moderate. Give me a trial!
JAMES R. MACDONALD,
Escanaba, Jan. 15, 1888.

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AT REASONABLE RATES.
AT THE IRON PORT OFFICE.

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Buy Feed at Wickert's.
—New wall paper at Preston's.
—Drop in at Godley's for a cigar.
—All the New Books at Finnegan's.
—Winchester' shot guns at Mead's.
—Rifles, all patterns, and everything pertaining, at Mead's.

—All Popular Ready Remedies and standard Drugs at Finnegan's.
—To see the back of your neck get a Folding Toilet Mirror of Godley.
—More reading matter, in greater variety, at Preston's than any where else in town.

—Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Kalsomines and Brushes, enough for everybody, at Preston's.
—Shells, Rifle and Pistol cartridges, loading tools and all sportsmen's goods, at Mead's.
—Only \$3.75 for a half barrel of pure cider, sweet and wholesome, at Peter Semer's.

—House for Rent—11 rooms, in good order, possession January 1. Inquire of Wikson the Photographer.
—Grain, Ground Feed of all sorts, and Hay, at Rock Bottom prices, by Bittner, Wickert & Co.
—Try Kalle, at Mead's, for a watch, and have the correct time o' day; It's the only sure way.

—Only \$7 a barrel for the best cider ever offered in this city. Drop in at Peter Semer's and try it.
Mary, I think you had better try Hibbard's Throat and Lung Balm for your cold, for I hear nothing but the highest praise for it.

—"Washburn's best" (no longer a monopoly), "Cream of Wheat" and "Island City" Flours at Bittner, Wickert & Co's.
—A prescription improperly or carelessly put up is useless if not dangerous: To avoid either have it put up by Godley.
Rev. S. A. Long, pastor of the M. E. church at Franklin, Mich., says Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup is wonderful in the cure of rheumatism.

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Clara, how is the baby? Oh, he is as chirp as a lark. That Hibbard's Throat and Lung Balm is a great remedy. Three doses relieved his suffering, and he was ready for play.

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Cure Yourself.
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—Editor Catholic Union. 15

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. N. Mead. 14

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
First National Bank
At Escanaba, Michigan, at the close of business, Feb. 14, 1888.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$180,311 41
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	15,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	15,000 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	35,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	16,714 32
Due from other National Banks	36,429 18
Due from State Banks and bankers	1,321 05
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	13,000 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	519 15
Premiums paid	8,954 68
Checks and other cash items	1,165 10
Bills of other banks	2,830 00
Fractional paper currency, tickets and coins	226 81
Specie	30,479 00
Legal Tender Notes	15,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	675 00
Total	\$330,469 31

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Undivided profits	14,121 71
National Bank notes outstanding	13,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	170,171 84
Demand certificates of deposit	144,176 14
Due to State Banks and bankers	84
Total	\$330,469 31

STATE OF MICHIGAN ss:
County of Delta, ss:
I, Frank C. Buck, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
FRANK C. BUCK,
Cashier.

Companion John.

We know of the day when the years came slow,
To our eager and wondering eyes;
And strange was the thought when we came to know,
We must ever grow older, and wiser.
I mind me the time when you cried in gladness,
"I have found about childish old men!
They're bright as the children, like you and me,
And are bright in their wisdom again."

Ah, Johnny, who knows, it may all be right,
When we turn up another new leaf
And find all the hair and the whiskers white,
To exclaim "Father Time is a thief."
But some other fellows were helping him,
Just the size of a couple of boys;
And all of us knew, by the furrowed line,
That we couldn't secrete it with ease.

The years fly away and our feet move slow,
To the gaze of our wondering eyes;
We find a trace at improvement's flow,
That is filling the world with surprise.
We reach for the bubble, it shrinks to naught,
And the treasure of time is not to be won;
The wisdom we gain with sorrow fraught
And the fame, but a simpleton's dream!

Well, Johnny, good night; a to-morrow comes,
When a leaf is turned over for us;
A rattle of muskets and roll of drums,
And a bit of a funeral fuss;
Our toes will turn up to the regular line,
As rank and file in review pass by,
While endless ages in peace roll on,
I'll strive to catch the commander's eye,
And ask for companion, Companion John.

Of all war's losses, none was ever more deeply
regretted than his own, John Lyon, of Albany, N. Y., who fell mortally wounded in the Mexican war, at the capture of San Juan d'Ulloa, surviving to reach home and die in my arms on the 2nd of February following—his birthday and mine, and today, at three-score and two, I pay this tribute to a memory that is ever green.
Feb. 25, 1888. I. A. Pool.

SAND.

THE hotels want sewers.
COURT adjourned Wednesday evening.

TWO INCHES of superabundant snow fell on Wednesday.

MOLONKY came up to inspect his district only. Ah! was that it?

LUCKY town or careful people, or both: Not a fire this winter, so far.

BORN in this city on Sunday, Feb. 19, to Rev. C. H. Tyndall and wife, a daughter.

BOOTH's freezer is moved, the ice house filled, and everything ready for the fishing.

BORN in this city on Friday, Feb. 24, to Capt. George Bartley and wife, a son.

SAW YOU ever a finer day than last Saturday, here or elsewhere, in February?

BORN at the lighthouse, to Keeper Rose and wife, on Wednesday, Feb. 22, a daughter.

HARRY BUSHNELL tells us he is going to "skip," and go where there is more business.

THE BANKS and nobody else observed Washington's birthday. Hold on! so did the schools.

THE SUN is coming up and the snow is going down. The ice bridges will not last long, they are weak.

MR. SEYMOUR has a majority, not a plurality merely. The vote for Steele does not foot up as much as his lead of Breen.

MICHIGAN crop and weather report for January received, but contains nothing of special interest to Delta county readers.

JOHN DILLON is coming, with "Wanted, The Earth," and a fine company to give it, March 3, a week from to-day, is the date.

THE VOTE for Breen is a victory for the president just as the votes under the local option law are victories for the liquor dealers.

ANY ONE in want of a good nine-room house in the east end of town can hear of one by inquiry at this office. It will take \$2,000 to buy it.

THE entertainment given by the I. N. L. at Music Hall last Saturday evening was well attended and as pleasant as its entertainments always are.

NOT MUCH BUSINESS at the term of court this week; the liquor cases were disposed of by plea of guilty or went over and many cases were continued.

BORN at Whitefish, on Sunday, Feb. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, a son (a big one, too—15 pounds, down weight), mother and child both doing nicely.

CAPT. ED. BOUCHARD proposes to come here and open a repair yard having capacity for general repairs of vessels. He is now located at Cheboygan.

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

is the proposed investment in a hotel in our city, to make room for "summer people"—the hotels that now exist being barely capable of taking care of the business travel between May and December—and half the sum is already promised and the difficulty will be experienced in raising the remainder. But the parties to the plan are confronted at the outset by a difficulty which they can not overcome themselves; one to overcome which they must have the aid of the municipal authorities; the difficulty of disposing of the waste water from such a house. Cesspools, which have so far been made to serve (but which are a temporary and unsatisfactory device for them) by existing hotels, will not answer for the more capacious house proposed and there are no sewers. Will not the gentlemen of the council press the matter (it is already under consideration by that body) as rapidly as is consistent with a proper care for the city's interests, so that it can say, soon, to the hotel men (and others who desire to build) "go on, the sewers shall be ready"? It seems, to the IRON PORT, the one thing which the council should do—of more importance than anything else now before it or likely to come before it soon.

THE OFFICIAL count of the vote in this county was made last Tuesday and shows the following result:

	Breen	Steele	Other
Escanaba, first ward,	71	62	3
" second ward,	118	54	3
" third ward,	186	29	3
" fourth ward,	49	51	5
Escanaba township,	19	11	
Bark River,	16	26	
Baldwin,	16	9	
Bay de Noc,	16	31	
Fairbanks,	24	80	
Ford River,	12	41	
Garden,	56	29	
Minnewaska,	77	58	1
Masonville,	12	4	
Maple Ridge,	10	15	1
Nahma,		29	
Sack Bay,		25	
Total	682	554	16

Majority for Breen, 109.
Plurality for Breen over Seymour, 128.

THE "whisky men" (as the Mirror bluntly calls them) of the state and especially of this district are "biting off their own noses," sure. They are, by their defiance of the law restricting and regulating the traffic, a law really beneficial to their trade as far as that trade is a legitimate one, making prohibition sentiment at a rate that leaves the prohibitionists and the W.C.T.U. out of sight, but we suppose it is of no use to tell them so. They will not be convinced until the find themselves outlawed again. But they should know one thing, to wit, that the coming outlawry will not be the old one, a mere abatement of authority; it will be outlawry which brands them criminals and their trade a felony. To that end they are working, as sure as fate.

H. F. ALEXANDER, who travels for Bosworth & Co., of Milwaukee, on his trip from Ontonagon to Baraga one day near the close of last week, had an experience which he has no desire to repeat. Being the only passenger in the mail sleigh he and the driver were attacked by three hungry wolves which ran the team to a walk and clambered into the sleigh, snapping and clawing. They were beaten off finally, with sticks, but clothes were torn and various articles, robes, etc., thrown to the brutes (and by them torn to pieces) to gain time and reach a place where clubs could be got.

F. W. MCKINNEY & Co., as their advertisement shows, have established a real estate office in our city, Mr. E. F. Dimock being the resident partner. They can not to-day give street and number but will do so in our next issue. They have now in charge the "Selden" addition and will handle it and other real property as may be placed in their charge, and we need hardly say, will do what two very lively men can do to make a market.

A WANDERING Methodist exhorter at Iron Mountain turned out to be a detective and procured the arrest of one. Wolhauser and his wife whom he suspected of a murder committed a year ago at Janesville, Wis. On examination he was not able to show grounds enough for his suspicion to warrant holding them for extradition and they were discharged on their own recognizance.

L. J. PERRY sends us a pamphlet showing conclusively that wherever the "garden," the home of our first parents, may have been situated, it was such another locality as Fresno county, California. Thanks, L. J., and the book is at the service of any friend who may desire to know all about Fresno at a cost less than that of a journey thither.

THE Lehigh Valley company will, it is said, build a couple and perhaps more steamers to form a line between Buffalo and Gladstone—floor "out" and coal "in." They can not be ready for service in the season just opening, though, and the business of '88 will have to be done by other craft.

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THERE was a larger board of canvassers in attendance last Tuesday than we ever saw before in our county. Seemed as though there was a "looking out" for something.

IF THERE is any fact behind the story of a company organized to cut a canal from the head of the big bay to lake Superior our friends who own New Minneapolis have a big thing.

FINCH will receive orders for telephone service now. The line to Gladstone is well under way and it and the lines in town and at Flat Rock will be ready for service in a couple of weeks.

A RUMOR, Saturday evening last, that Sullivan, the slugger, had been assassinated called out no expressions of regret: "he hit the wrong man, probably," was the usual comment. It was a canard.

SCORE of shooting by members of the Escanaba Shotgun Club, Wednesday, Feb. 22: Mulliken, of a possible 24—11
Mead, " " 34—18
Winn, " " 26—7
Kolle, " " 34—29
Erickson, " " 34—27

MR. POWER, secretary of the board of school examiners, requests us to announce that a regular, public examination of teachers will be held at the courthouse in this city on Thursday, March 1, commencing at 9 a. m. All interested will take notice.

A DISPATCH received Thursday noon—brief and to the point—reads thus: "Cancel announcement. Will write. Signed, Jerome Bowen." So we shall have to wait while for the proposed lecture. Judge Bowen's rheumatism has probably got a new grip on him.

The latest from Washington with regard to the O. & B. R. land grant is the (to us) rather unlikely story that all parties in interest—railroad people, homesteaders and cash-entrymen, have agreed on a bill to forfeit the grant. But the grant will be forfeited, somehow, no doubt.

THE FIGHT is on already in Chippewa county. But 306 names were necessary to the petition and 391 were procured, too quick, and the petition filed with the county clerk on the 18th, four days after the late election. It is an even bet that the county will vote "dry" and it is patent that the saloon men have brought it on themselves.

BARREAU, the man who ruined the three daughters of his employer at Stevenson, was tried before Judge Grant, at Menominee, last week and being found guilty, got all that the Judge could give him—ten years at Jackson. One of the girls was under the "age of consent" otherwise the scoundrel would have escaped.

NEWTON's rink, at Peshtigo, undergoing alterations to fit it for business purposes, was crushed by the weight of the snow upon the roof last Wednesday and one man, Richard Morey, was killed and three, J. L. Newton, J. Newton, and William Ponko, were hurt more or less seriously. Joseph Newton and Ponko are probably fatally injured.

ONE JOHN BLOOMER, held at Stevens Point for a burglary, was found insane and sent to the asylum instead of the penitentiary; He talked of having worked in this vicinity and of having been robbed by one "Bob Gorman" and expressed fear of pursuit by and death at the hands of Gorman and others. Whether all was merely his insane fancy or partly sanity and partly craze can only be guessed. He is a tough, at best, having done time for other crimes before the affair at Stevens Point. Does any recognize him or know anything of "Bob Gorman"?

A REPORT that Manitowish county (the Beaver and other islands) gave 134 majority for Breen looks as though an attempt had been made to steal the seat for Breen. That county cast but 94 votes at the last gubernatorial election and the population is notoriously less now than then; the county was "worked" for "the Mendon kid" but it was held doubtful if any election had been held therein at this time because of the lack of communication with the islands during December and January, and a vote equal to that of '86 was not expected. Looks like "fine work" on somebody's part, but it is of no avail.

JOHN DILLON, this ever welcome comedian, will appear at Opera hall, on Saturday, March 3, in his greatest comedies entitled "Wanted, The Earth." His company this season is the best that ever supported him. The Omaha Republican of Oct. 4 says: After several years absent from Omaha, John Dillon appeared at the Boyd before an audience that packed the house from orchestra rail to gallery wall. In fact it was the largest audience he has played to this season, and almost paralyzed his manager with surprise. That the audience was well pleased with Mr. Dillon's performance and liked his new play was fully proven in the almost constant roars of laughter and applause. But Dillon always was considered a great genius and one of the brightest comedians this country ever produced. Like many others of his profession though, he has invariably been surrounded by a weak and amateurish support. His present company is an exception. "Wanted, The Earth," is one of the best comedies for Dillon he has ever appeared in, and he will undoubtedly make of it a great success.

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BUT it will not avail Mr. Higgins a particle whether he has a monopoly or not—Mirror. Oh yes, it will. We want light, and if he has a monopoly we must take what he chooses to give us, on his terms, or go without. It makes many "particles" of difference, both to him and the people of the city.

Geo. H. Corliss, of Providence, R. I., the maker of the "Corliss" engines, died last Tuesday. He was 72 years old.

Catalogue of Vaughan's Seed Store.
THE annual issue for 1888 is just at hand, and we must say in behalf of western enterprise that as a work of art it excels anything in this line we have ever seen, both in its exceedingly beautiful gold and colored cover and in its readable print and handsome wood engravings. It should be in the hands of every one who plants a garden, and can be had by sending five stamps to J. C. Vaughan, 88 State Street, Chicago. 15

—Itch, Mange, and Scratches of every kind on human or animal cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by Justin N. Mead, Druggist, Escanaba, Mich. 16

Brace Up.
You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are brooded with Headache, you are fidgety, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whisky, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alternative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at J. N. Mead's Drug store.
The effect of using Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup is unlike all medicines containing opiates or poisons, it being entirely free from them. It cures by purifying the blood. 14

Money to Loan.
\$4 or 5,000 at reasonable rates, on approved realty in amounts to suit, address P. O. box, 110.

Detroit Journal For \$1.00
The Saturday's issue (eight pages) of the Detroit Evening Journal will be mailed to any address for one year for one dollar (\$1.00), or every day for \$5.00. 20

For Sale.
Forty acres of good land, five miles from Gladstone, on the road to Gladstone. A small house, comfortable for a small family, on it. Inquire of
JEFF HOWARD,
Wells, Feb. 23, 1888. 15

For Sale Cheap
At the Pump-house, Escanaba, a large sized, locomotive fuel boiler, suitable for a saw mill or other manufactory. It is in perfect order and ready for instant use. Inquire at the office of
51 ft ESCANABA WATER WORKS CO.

For Sale.
Household furniture, including cooking range and Radiant Home heater (as good as new), dishes, bedstead, chairs, carpets, etc., a complete housekeeping outfit. Inquire at the house a block and a half south of Catholic church, on Campbell street, of
MRS. T. MCCANN.

The Sunny South.
The Chicago & North-Western Railway Co. is now selling cheap first class excursion tickets at very low rates to the health and pleasure resorts of the south, including Jacksonville and other Florida points; New Orleans, La., and 30 points in Mississippi, Alabama and Texas.
For tickets, rates and full information, apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.
E. P. WILSON,
General Passenger Agent. 16

Through Sleeping Cars to the Pacific Coast.
By special arrangement, beginning March 1, the Chicago & North-Western Railway will dispatch for special parties new Family Sleepers to run through from Chicago to Los Angeles, California and Portland, Oregon, without change.
These cars provide sleeping accommodations free of charge.
For detailed information, apply to the agents of the Chicago & North-Western Railway, or to the General Passenger Agent at Chicago.
E. P. WILSON,
Gen. Pass. Agent. 15

A Remarkable Record.
Notwithstanding the adversity of the elements, and in spite of the storms and blizzards which have been reported as impeding travel in the great Northwest, we have from the Chicago & North-Western Railway the official statement that its "Overland Express" between Chicago and Council Bluffs during 50 days of its operation, from December 20th to February 6th, has suffered no serious interruption to its movement. During only four days of this time—in the midst of the great January storm—was this train as much as one hour behind its schedule. Eight times its arrivals have been accurately on time.
It is confidently asserted that no fast train upon any other road on this continent during the same period show a better record.
E. P. WILSON,
General Passenger Agent.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Jacob F. Platt, the leading colored citizen of Chicago, who had made a neat fortune in the lumber trade, died last week.

"Johnny Walpole," a noted Chicago gambler and "sporting man," died last week, and for a wonder, left his family provided for.

Dr. A. S. May, of Findlay, Ohio, is the hero of the latest "Enoch Arden" story. Being lost sight of and supposed to be dead, he found his wife married on his return, and kept his own secret, for her sake, until she died, a period of fifteen years.

Four men robbed the bank at Cisco, Texas, in broad daylight, covering the bank officials with cocked revolvers, and got away with their plunder—\$6,000.

Means, president of the Metropolitan bank of Cincinnati, has paid up the \$125,000 which he owed the bank and hopes to escape prosecution.

To restrict production and maintain prices one-fourth of the Connelville coke ovens have been closed.

Dr. McGlynn has enjoined Henry George and his disciples from organizing as "The Anti-poverty society." Judge Patterson, of New York granted the injunction.

Geo. W. Darrow, a well known citizen of Erie, Pa., fell and so disabled himself that he was unable to reach shelter and froze to death.

The Chicago hoodlums have to go to the penitentiary at last—their appeal went against them on the 16th.

Fire destroyed property valued at nearly a million at Providence, R. I., on the 16th.

Balfour will be succeeded, as secretary for Ireland, by Sir Henry Holland.

A man named McCabe, a cousin of Gen. Sheridan, says the general was born in Ireland, but the weight of evidence is against him. The mother, who may be supposed to know, says he was born in America.

Gould and Sage are accused of robbing the K. P. railroad company of \$3,000,000.

The air-receiver of the Hudson Iron works exploded on the 15th, wrecking the works and killing one man. Loss \$50,000.

The Collins paper mills, at Wilbraham, Mass., burned Wednesday, 15th. Loss, \$250,000, fully insured.

The Saco bank has got back the bonds (\$265,200) stolen by the boy, McNeally.

The story now goes that Alberts, who won the late pedestrian match in New York "was twins," one relieving the other. Nonsense.

Oliver P. Truett, of York, Penn., shot his wife three times but failed to kill her. He succeeded in the subsequent suicide with only one shot.

The crown prince is worse and the Kaiser is going to San Remo to see him.

Bank examiner Saunders says that the Metropolitan bank is wrecked and must go out of existence.

The law and order league has succeeded, finally, in downing the last liquor-trader in Sioux City. The murder of Haddock was a fearful blunder as well as a fearful crime.

Lindsay, receiver of the land office at Denver, Col., committed suicide last Saturday. He was a defaulter and detection was imminent.

President Corbin, of the Reading, gave \$20,000 for the relief of suffering among the families of the strikers as soon as the strike was declared off.

The New Orleans cotton exchange is "out" \$22,000—a clerk named Fourpart got away with it.

An old man named Wirt murderously attacked his daughter-in-law, wounding her mortally, and then set fire to the house, burning two children in it, after which he hanged himself. Occurred on a farm near Burlington, Iowa.

Gen. Bragg started for his post in Mexico last week.

The execution of Brooks, for the murder of Preller at St. Louis, has been again postponed.

At Kokomo, Indiana, one Rusk, a boy 17, shot to death a man named Adams with whose wife he had a liaison.

Klaus Spreckels, the California sugar manufacturer is fighting the "sugar trust" with a good show to down it.

The local agent at New Orleans for the Diamond Match company, has defaulted for \$10,000 and skipped.

Gov. Oglesby asks for contributions for the support of the sufferers at Mt. Vernon.

Graft, Bennett & Co., Pittsburg, in trouble a year ago, assigned Tuesday. Liabilities \$1,200,000; assets \$800,000.

Josie Holmes, Harper's pretty clerk, is "out of it," the indictment against her having been nolle prosequi.

Gen. Schofield's father, Rev. James Schofield, died at Chicago last Sunday.

The prohibition war is hot in Rhode Island. At Greenwich last week the well of one active prohibitionist was poisoned and an attempt was made to blow up the house of another with dynamite.

One Stanton accuses Gould and Sage of having stolen the Fort Scott, Wichita & Western railroad and asks the supreme court of New York to take it away from them and give it back to its owners, of which he is one.

In the opera house at Zanesville, Ohio, during the progress of the performance, Joe Hauer burst a blood vessel and died, but so quietly that the audience was not aware of the occurrence.

Jacob Hollenberger, the young man whose throat was closed by a burn from molten iron, died Tuesday—was starved to death.

The president and Mrs. Cleveland, secretary and Mrs. Whitney and Col. and Mrs. Lamont left Washington Tuesday for Jacksonville, Florida, to attend the sub-tropical exposition.

America's European Enemies.

Chicago Staats Zeitung, Feb. 15: A few, though not very many, Americans have come to the conclusion—and they should have reached it five years ago—that with the possible exception of Great Britain, there is not one country in Europe whose desire it is to purchase one penny's worth of American products, though each one is being consumed with the desire to unload its overproductions on the United States. America is by them considered entirely good enough to sell to, but not to purchase from.

That which we have to sell are the products of the farm and the cattle yards—grain and stock. Now if there is a trace of truth in the stupid rot furnished by the free trade tinkers, the different European nations, of which, despite the high tariff, we buy goods in great quantities, must reciprocate and purchase from us our goods. It is a matter of statistics that the purchases for one year of goods from the German markets alone amounted to \$70,000,000. But of this there is nothing written. Further than this, these nations practically deny any commercial intercourse on the part of America with their own ports, partially by a law which prohibits the entry of a foreign vessel, and partly by duties which are so high that they forbid an entry, to all intents and purposes. Following closely in the tracks of Germany, nearly all the European nations have inhibited the importation of American pork, and they have placed upon our cereals such import duties that it can be readily construed as a complete closing of their commercial doors against the American farmer. Not one bushel of wheat can now be sold to Germany. Our pork could until recently be sold to Sweden, that country in turn furnishing Germany with Swedish pork. But scarcely had United Germany, or in other words, Bismarck, become aware of this, than the importation of even Swedish meat was prohibited, though it could not be charged that their pork was at all trichiniferous. Here then, apparently, is a well-defined and undisguised maliciousness, manifested towards the United States. It does not seem to satisfy the powers of Germany to boycott the entry of American products in that country, but they desire to extend this as far as their influence will reach, even if it includes all Europe. In other words, as Napoleon eighty years ago issued his continental embargo against England, so Bismarck at the present day desires to lay a European embargo against America.

In Europe Germany has not one staunch and upright friend, but only those who are envious and hate that country, though they are kept in the strictest control by it. America is not, therefore, faring much better. At the head of this country's European enemies stands, beyond a doubt, Germany, because from that nation came the signal for a war against American products. With a grin of satisfied delight Germany, owing to the growth of the German population in the United States, accepted the increase of its exports to our country, from \$12,000,000 to \$70,000,000, and as a mark of its gratitude it has placed itself in a belligerent attitude against everything American offered for sale. It is true that petroleum may be entered in German ports, but only for the reasons that it cannot be found there, and because Russia, the only European country which produces it, is on the eve of a war with Germany. However, in this particular connection it must not be forgotten that for years Germany had made the most frantic endeavors by the means of excessive freight charges to discriminate even against American petroleum in favor of the Russian product.

To state the case briefly, the hearty co-operation and interest of German-Americans with the concerns of the land of their birth is one thing, but, on the other hand, the politico-commercial relations of the land of their adoption is clearly another. In the bloodless, though in other regards very expensive commercial war, Germany stands at the head of America's European commercial foes.

It certainly sounds ridiculous, in view of the continental European embargo against the United States fostered by Germany, to hear congress debating the means suggested by President Cleveland to rid and protect the United States from an overflow of the productions of the very countries which deny the entry to their ports of even our cereals and meat. It is because Europe kicks our products out that we should attempt to devise ways and means by which its products can receive entry here under the very lowest duties? To kill our interests, to take the bread from the mouths of hundreds of thousands of our workmen? This is certainly always the concluding argument of the free trader in his giant wisdom: Any industrial interest which can not compete with the pauper labor of Europe must fall by the wayside, even though the American laborer can not and will not content himself with such wages.

If the members of the congressional majority had but the faintest idea of the bitter commercial warfare which all Europe, with the exception of Great Britain, is waging against the United States, their cry would not be for a reduction but an increase of our import duties, and the increase would be of such proportions as to practically debar any commercial intercourse with European nations. In this way a solution of the surplus question would be furnished. There would be no excess of the revenues over the expenditures. It would be more practical than any attempt at a tariff reduction.

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UNION WAR SONGS.

How Edgus Boys in Blue Entered into a Party of Confederates.

A day or two after Lee's surrender in April, 1865, I left our ship at "Dutch Gap," in the James river, for a run up to Richmond, where I was joined by the ship's surgeon, the paymaster and one of the junior officers. After "doing" Richmond pretty thoroughly we went in the evening to my rooms for dinner. Dinner being over and the events of the day recounted, the doctor, who was a fine player, opened the piano, saying: "Boys, we've got our old quartette here; let's have a sing." As the house opposite was occupied by paroled Confederate officers, no patriotic songs were sung. Soon the lady of the house handed me this note:

"Compliments of General— and Staff. Will the gentlemen kindly allow us to come over and hear them sing?" Of course we consented and they came. As the General entered the room, I recognized the face and figure of one who stood second only to Lee or Jackson, in the whole Confederacy. After introductions and the usual interchange of civilities, we sang for them glee and college songs, until at last the General said:

"Excuse me gentlemen, you sing delightfully, but what we want to hear is your army songs." Then we gave them the army songs with unctious, the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "John Brown's Body," "We're Coming, Father Abraham," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching," through the whole catalogue, to the "Star Spangled Banner"—to which many a foot beat time as if it had never stepped to any but the "music of the Union"—and closed our concert with "Rally Round the Flag, Boys." When the applause had subsided, a tall, fine looking fellow in a Major's uniform exclaimed: "Gentlemen, if we'd had your songs we'd have licked you out of your boots! Who could 'n have marched or fought with such songs? While we had nothing, absolutely nothing, except a bastard 'Marseillaise,' the 'Bonny Blue Flag,' and 'Dixie,' which were nothing but jigs. 'Maryland, my Maryland' was a splendid song, but the old 'Lauriger Horatius' was about as inspiring as the 'Dead March in Saul,' while every one of these Yankee songs is full of marching and fighting spirit." Then turning to the General he said: "I shall never forget the first time I heard 'Rally Round the Flag.' 'Twas a nasty night during the 'Seven Days' Fight, and if I remember rightly it was raining. I was on picket, when, just before 'taps,' some fellow on the other side struck up that song and others joined in the chorus until it seemed to me the whole Yankee army was singing. Tom B—, who was with me, sung out, 'Good heavens, Cap, what are those fellows made of, anyway? Here we've licked 'em six days running, and now on the eve of the seventh, they are singing 'Rally Round the Flag.' I am not naturally superstitious, but I tell you that song sounded to me like the 'knell of doom,' and my heart went down into my boots; and though I've tried to do my duty, it has been an uphill fight with me ever since that night."

The little company of Union singers and Confederate auditors, after a pleasant and interesting interchange of stories of army experience, then separated, and as the General shook hands at parting, he said to me: "Well, the time may come when we can all sing the 'Star Spangled Banner' again." I have not seen him since.—Richard Wentworth Browne, in Century.

KING GAMBRINUS.

The Mythical History of the Inventor of Germany's Amber Drink.

Gambrinus, Gambrivius or Cambrinus (the name is also given as Campher, Gamber or Cimber) is the mythical inventor of beer or ale. He is usually spoken of as a King or a Duke of Flanders and Brabant who flourished at some uncertain period in the remote past. But a tradition, favored by medieval German historians, made him a king of the Tuiscenes, or ancient Germans, the seventh in descent from Noah, who succeeded his father, Marso, about 1730 B. C., and founded the cities of Cambray and Hamburg (the latter was in effect known to the Romans as Gambrivium), and after a glorious reign of forty-four years, during which he extended the boundaries of his kingdom from the Rhine to Asia, passed away and was deified by his subjects. Gambrinus is represented as a portly gray-beard, rubeund, but dignified, with a crown on his head, the royal or ducal ermine on his shoulders, and a foaming tankard in his hand. Not infrequently he is set astride of a beer barrel. In German taverns his portrait is usually accompanied by verses of which the following is a translation: "My name when I was living was Gambrinus, King of Flanders and of Brabant; I made malt from barley, and invented the brewing of beer. That is why the goodly company of brewers can truly claim that they have a king for a master. Let any other guild of workmen show the like of their patron!" Tacitus mentions that beer, or the juice of barley, was the favorite drink among the Germans of his time. Before then, however, beer was known in Egypt and in Greece, though never in Rome. The Egyptians attributed its invention to their god, Osiris, and it is a curious coincidence that German tradition gives Isis to Gambrinus as his wife.—Lippincott's Magazine.

—Deadwood, D. T., has an anti-fat society, the members of which pledge themselves to abstain from eating any thing that will add to their corpulency.

DR. HOLMES' HOME.

Peeps into the Haunts of the Genial Old Cambridge Foot.

On a dreary Sunday last spring, I received a note from Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, saying: "Come to see me at any time after two o'clock tomorrow, Sunday, and I shall be most happy to receive you." So, shortly after dinner, I went to the venerable autocrat's residence, on Beacon street, an ivy-covered house with a look of hospitality about it, even from the exterior. Ushered into a reception-room, which appeared like a retired physician's office, we went up our cards, and presently a slippered tread was heard upon the broad staircase, and Dr. Holmes appeared. He was gray-haired, with kindly, warm sparkling eyes overhung by large, protruding eyebrows. Stretching forth his hand to my friend, he said: "I thank you for this compliment," then shaking hands with me, he suggested going upstairs into the library. At the head of the stairs, a tall, old-fashioned clock ticked. At the right of the stairs was the entrance to the library, a large cozy room with two desks, and large bookcases and shelves filled with ancient and modern volumes.

We walked to the bay-window—rather a river window since it overlooks the Charles—where the autocrat pointed out the objects of interest in Cambridge and along the water front and spoke of his interest in the swift tide. He complained of a barn next door, which had been painted a very conspicuous yellow, but spoke kindly of his neighbors who had disposed of their dogs upon his stating that their barking and whining disturbed him. As we sat talking, he showed us his three sand-glasses—a quarter, a half, and an hour glass—and explained that when he had especial work to perform, he turned all three, and as each one ran out, he would compare the work he had accomplished with the quantity of sand run out, and it proved that he did a great deal. I referred to a three minute glass for cooking eggs. With a twinkle in his eye he said that a "three minute egg" was too much for him, and turning to my companion, remarked: "You are a young housekeeper; you ought to know how long to cook an egg. Come, tell us?" He then added that he liked an egg cooked just long enough to coagulate the white and to slightly stiffen the yolk.

The portrait which suggested the poem "Dorothy Q." hangs on the wall, the canvas marred by the thrusts of the British bayonets during the revolution. Near it hangs a very old painting of a Boston divine; and there is a well done statuette of the autocrat himself, which he apologized for saying that he never thought it poor enough to put away. A revolving book-case stands at one side of the room. It contains his own works in green cloth and books particularly useful to him, among which are the Bible, Milton's Poems, Shakespeare, Roget's Thesaurus, Bartlett's Quotations and a small dictionary.

The same quiet sensibility present in his writings is noticed in his speech, and although he appeared cognizant of his own celebrity, his egotism was a charm—a sort of contented pride. Neither robust nor delicate, he seemed strong more by care than by constitution. "Nature gave him a good outfit and fortune has favored him at every step in his career." Although nearing his fore score years, his intellect is as vigorous as in his prime, as may be seen in "One Hundred Days in Europe," of which he spoke, saying it was a long trip for so old a man, and although he had a good time he became so fatigued that he was still resting. He thanked us again for our visit, and as we closed the door, he called out from the head of the stairs in a cheery voice: "Good-bye!" The next day we passed him hurrying along from his house, closely buttoned up against the chill east wind that scuds about the Back Bay and the Midland. I then thought how grand it would be if another score of years could be given to this good and great man.—Epoch.

How the Blind See.

I also asked those who became blind in youth, or later, whether they were in the habit of giving imaginary faces to the persons they met after their blindness, and whether they ever saw such in their dreams. Some answered in very vague terms, but several undoubtedly make good use of this power, probably somewhat on the same basis as we imagine the appearance of eminent men of whom we have read or heard, but whose features we have never seen. When we remember how erroneous such impressions often are, we can understand how it often misleads the blind. Such imaginary faces and scenes also enter into their dreams, but to a less extent than into those of the sighted. Doctor Kitto quotes a letter from a musician who lost his sight when eighteen years old, but who retains a very strong visualizing power, both in waking life and in dreams. The mention of a famous man, of a friend, or of a scene, always carries with it a visual picture, complete and vivid. Moreover, these images of his friends change as the friends grow old, and he feels himself intellectually in no way different from the seeing.—New Princeton Review.

—Philadelphia has a Sudden Death Club. Any one may join it who has something the matter which is likely to take him off swiftly and unexpectedly.

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ST. STEPHEN'S PROT. EPISCOPAL. Rev. J. H. Eichbaum, B. D. pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

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This curious old document was found among the records at the Baby homestead on the Humber, near this city. A frame is being prepared for it in which it will be inclosed and exhibited in the library of the Canadian Institute.

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—The ubiquitous office boy has discovered a new use for old business letters, which he now sells to various firms at from ten to fifty cents a hundred. The buyers use them for the addresses contained therein, which are duly copied and in turn sold to sewing-machine and patent-medicine men, who use the lists in sending out circulars.

—The narrow roads in some parts of the Menominee range have evolved the invention of a peculiar cutter, long and slim as a toboggan and called the "Fore-and-after," because it accommodated both two people, one sitting behind the other.

—Bavarian horses are celebrated for general worthlessness. A dealer sold one to a German officer during the Franco-Prussian war, and warranted him to be a good war horse.

—The soldier came afterward in a towering passion and said he had been swindled. "And how?" said the dealer. "Why, there's not a bit of 'go' in him, and yet you warranted him as a good war horse."

—Yes, I did, and by George! he is a good war horse; he'd sooner die than run."

—Two boys recently, in search of a rabbit, removed the rear steps of St. Mary's Church, in Kittanning, Pa., and found a bundle containing three gold watches, two gold chains, one silver watch, a dark lantern and a jimmy.

—Three years ago the articles were stolen, and the thief sent to the penitentiary, but the property was never recovered. Two of the watches belonged to Kittanning parties, and the third is thought to belong to a Brookville man.

—It is reported that in Peru and other parts of South America this year's fruit has been avoided by birds, while it has caused the death of sheep and cattle when fed to them in large quantities.

—These observations have been cited as tending to show that the instinct of birds, with respect to the wholesomeness of fruit, is frequently a worthy guide for human beings to follow. The possibility is suggested that the variation in the fruit of different years may have something to do with outbreaks of cholera.

—A casket presented to the Queen of England recently, worked by members of the Society of Decorative Art Needlework, is made of wood covered with green velvet, which is divided into panels and beautifully embroidered in silk and gold thread.

—The ornamentation consists of conventionalized flowers and gold scrolls, the royal arms and monogram on the front, and a short inscription with the date of presentation on the back. The casket stands on eight gold feet.

—William Ulysses Scott, a seventeen-year-old public-school boy of New York, has developed the genius of a lightning-calculator.

—Young Scott can answer any question in mathematics almost as quickly as it is put to him, but he doesn't seem to know how he does it. His teachers have racked their brains to find problems too hard for him to solve, but as yet he has entirely baffled them.

—To their inquiries as to how he does it he only answers, "I dun know."

—A lady teacher of music in Ontario County, N. Y., inserted her professional card in one of the county newspapers. It was seen by an old lover in Chicago, who at once hunted her up, explained his absence of a quarter of a century, and married her. It pays to advertise.

—A colossal stick of lumber from Puget Sound has been contributed to the Mechanics' exhibition at San Francisco. Its length is 151 feet, and it is 30x30 inches through. It is believed to be the longest piece of lumber ever turned out of any sawmill.

ABOUT BAROMETERS.

The Principles Involved in the Changes Which the Mercury Undergoes.

The fundamental principle of the construction of the barometer is best shown in the experiment which led Torricelli to the first discovery of the presence of the air. A glass tube about thirty-three inches long, opened at one end, is completely filled with mercury, and, being firmly closed by the thumb, is inverted and placed vertically in a cup containing mercury.

When the thumb is removed the mercury sinks in the tube till it stands, generally, about thirty inches above the level of the mercury in the cup, leaving in the upper part a space free of air which receives the name of the Torricellian vacuum. The mercury within the tube being less removed from the pressure of the air, while that in the cup is exposed to it, the column falls till the pressure at the section of the hole, in the same plane as the surface of the mercury in the cup, is the same within and without the tube.

We have yet no better index of the pressure of the atmosphere than the simple mercurial column of Torricelli, and in all exact observations it is taken as the only reliable standard. Simple as the barometer is, its construction demands considerable care and experience. It is of the first importance that the mercury to be used is chemically pure, otherwise its fluidity is impaired and the inside of the tube becomes coated with impurities in such a way as to render correct observations impossible.

Mercury, as usually sold, is not pure; and before being employed for barometers, must be shaken well with highly diluted but pure nitric acid, to remove extraneous metals and oxides. In filling the tube it is essentially necessary to get the column free from air and moisture. To effect this, the mercury, after filling, is boiled in the tube, so that air and moisture may be expelled.

Barometers are usually divided into two classes—cistern barometer and siphon barometer. The siphon barometer is in many respects a more perfect instrument than the cistern. The wheel barometer, originally invented by Hook, and generally seen as a parlor ornament, has little to recommend it as a trustworthy instrument. The uses of the barometer may be classified into physical, hypsometrical and meteorological. It is of essential use in all physical researches where the mechanical, optical, acoustical and chemical properties of air or other gases are dependent on the pressure of the atmosphere.

Its uses in hypsometry, or the art of measuring the heights of mountains, is very valuable, but the best known use of the barometer is as a meteorological instrument, or as a weather glass. Opticians have attached to certain heights of the barometer certain states of the weather, and at certain points of the scale the words "Rain," "Changeable," "Fair," etc., are marked; but the connection thus instituted is very misleading. Those who have observed most carefully the connection of barometric heights with changes of the weather, disregard entirely the use of these terms, and state that it is not the actual height of the barometer at any place, but this height as compared with that of surrounding regions, which indicates the coming weather.

Generally speaking, a falling barometer indicates rain, a rising barometer fair weather. A steady barometer foretells a continuance of the weather at the time; when low this is generally broken or bad, and when high, fair. A sudden fall usually precedes a storm, the violence of which is in proportion to the barometric gradient. An unsteady barometer shows an unsettled state of the weather; gradual changes, the approach of some permanent condition of it. The variations must also be interpreted with reference to the prevailing winds, each different wind having some peculiar rules. The connection between the changes of weather and the pressure of the atmosphere is by no means well understood.

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IRON PORT.

THIS PAPER MAY BE FOUND ON FILE at Gen. P. Russell & Co.'s Newspaper Advertising Bureau (50 Spruce St.) where advertising contracts may be made for it in New York.

THE PRESIDENT has "cut it all" and gone to Florida for a good time.

"For President, subject to the decision of the republican national convention, Russell A. Alger."

BARTLEY won't "contest," nobody will "put up" for him; the barrel is headed up again.

THE Breen majority of almost 800 in Houghton county suggests a "return of thanks" by Mr. Seymour that Jay did not write another letter.

THERE WAS barely a two-thirds vote polled and of those who staid away from the polls two-thirds were republicans. The thing will not happen again.

THE Chicago police superintendent offers \$2,000 reward for the arrest and detention until identified, of Wm. B. Tascott, wanted for the murder of Mr. Snell.

JOHN SHERMAN is a great man and would give the country a safe, conservative and entirely American administration as president, but we can "get there" easier with Alger in the lead, or Phil Sheridan.

THE New York Times is suffering from an acute attack of trusts on the cerebral ganglion. An "iron ore trust" not only does not exist but is an impossibility. The attack may not prove fatal but the alternative is a condition of chronic idiocy scarcely preferable.

THE Grand Rapids Democrat can have but a slight regard for the truth and no love, at all, for a good staunch supporter of the administration when it calls the Mining Journal "a strong supporter of Seymour." How can Russell endure that at the hands of Weston's organ?

POOR-POOR, says the Mining Journal to the statements that a hundred thousand dollars had been spent in the Breen (it was not democratic) campaign; there was no money spent in saloons and neither party can have bought votes to amount to much as the results show.

IT SEEMS impossible to suit the fishermen, either Bluenose or Yankee. The work of the "commission" is rejected by both sides and denounced as a "surrender." To one who only fishes for fun it occurs that the "commission" must have balanced the matter pretty carefully and come as near the fair thing as possible.

DULUTH folks insist that the Minneapolisians have "an elephant" in their "Soo line," and Minneapolis has not a doubt that Duluth is "knocked out" by it. It does not seem to have occurred to either that the northwest is big enough to give both routes all they can do and, like Oliver Twist, ask for more, but that's about the size of it. One railroad isn't much when the crops and fuel of an empire are to be moved.

THE democratic national committee, in session at Washington last Wednesday, agreed upon July 3 as the date for holding its convention (so as to have the work cut out for it by the republican convention) but could not agree, that day, upon the place of meeting. Ten ballots were taken, the tenth being 17 for San Francisco, 15 for Chicago, 14 for St. Louis and one for Cincinnati, when the committee adjourned until 10 a. m. Thursday.

THE PIPE for the water works is contracted for and is all to be delivered by May 1. The first shipment, eleven car loads, is now enroute. The half-way house on the ice between here and Sturgeon Bay is called "Wetville," but the name does not allude to the moisture in the big cellar under it. James Jensen, struggling with an over dose of budge, attempted to get upon a morning train and is now in a hospital—big luck that it is not the cemetery instead.—North Star, Marinette.

PARMENTIER'S grocery store was gutted by fire Monday morning. John Wood had too much booze in to jump safely from a moving train and having attempted it is now minus one foot and has a sore head. Capt. Burns has bought the North Star and will run her on Little Bay de Noquette. Consideration \$3,000. Tom Hawley did not make his protest in time and has trouble about his insurance money. Dr. Andrew Munro died on Tuesday with aneurism of the subclavian artery.—Advocate, Green Bay.

SENATOR PALMER makes us his debtor for a copy of his argument before the senate in support of the bill to restrict and regulate immigration, as to which we agree with him entirely. The "asylum" business is played out. We (and our immediate descendants) are enough for America and America is none too much for us. We would not lock the door but we would shut it and charge an entrance fee or let in none but invited guests. We have no room nor use for the riff-raff of the world—we have more of it now than is good for us.

NINETY THOUSAND dollars is the figure, and "civil service be damned" was the slogan of the democrats in the campaign of this month. They'd have had a very bad bargain had they succeeded in electing B. B., and the whole amount must be charged off "to profit and loss" on the "loss" side as the fight turned out. But there was no \$90,000—we doubt if there was more than a tenth of that sum spent. A little money, spent in the usual democratic way, serves to make a devil of a row and a great deal of noise. A democratic heeler with \$25 in his pocket can make five democratic saloons red-hot and as noisy as a boiler-shop.

THERE is in the March number of the Atlantic Monthly that happy commingling of light literature with articles of serious purpose and enduring value for which this vigorous magazine is justly celebrated. Perhaps nothing in the number will attract more notice—certainly nothing could be more welcome news to the literary world—than the statement which is made in "Over the Teacups," by Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, that the genial "Autocrat," not content with breakfast table triumphs, purposes to extend his conquest over the supper-table, as well. In this article, Dr. Holmes unconsciously refutes the charge that old age is given to ultra conservatism, and physicians of all ages to dogmatism, by confessing that with regard to certain physical phenomena, we know really nothing. A most entertaining three part story, indeed, is begun by Harry James, in "The Aspen Papers"; a timely article is contributed by James B. Thayer, on "The Dawes Bill and the Indians;" John Fiske furnishes a particularly powerful chapter on "The Beginnings of the American Revolution;" Prof. N. S. Shaler discusses "The Law of Fashion;" Frank Gaylord Cook writes on "The Marriage Celebration in the Colonies;" Sarah Orne Jewett contributes one of her delightful sketches, entitled "Miss Tempy's Watchers;" Mary D. Steele writes of "The Learned Lady de Gournay," and Olive Thorne Miller on "Virginia's Wooing." The serial novel "Yone Santo," the story of Japan, by E. H. House, grows very exciting in the present chapter; and in "The Despot of Broomsedge Cove," Charles Egbert Craddock again shows perfect mastery in that field which he (or shall we say she?) has created. The poetry of this number is "The Dying House," by Thos. Wentworth Higginson, and "Carolo Mortuo," by William C. Lawton. Several spirited papers in the "Contributors' Club," book reviews and notices of new books complete an attractive number. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston, or Atlantic and IRON PORT for \$5, of us.

IT IS FOLLY of the most fatuous sort for republicans of this district to lay the licking they got at various points (in this county for one) and the narrow margin between success and defeat in the district to "boodles," or "budge," or "Breen," or to anything else than their own apathy. Breen did not get as many votes as Mr. Power received when he last ran, but Mr. Seymour was given barely two-thirds of his party vote. Our own county was bad enough in that respect but others—Houghton and Gogebic for example—were infinitely worse. Houghton cast over 4,000 votes at the last general election and less than three on the 14th. Gogebic had a special reason for polling a full vote, her representation in the conventions of next summer depending upon it, yet she cast barely 1,700 instead of the 3,500 which were promised by her representatives at Ishpeming. Quit whining; quit abusing Don Dickinson and Mr. Weston and talking of "boodles" and face the music. Repent of the laziness, the jealousies and treacheries of the campaign just ended and show our repentance by work of organization. Be men, not babies.

CASES on the calendar of the term just held were disposed of as follows. Criminal causes: State vs. Dan Lahan, bonds forfeited; State vs. Kanthen, nolle pros., State vs. O'Boyle, fine and costs \$25; State vs. Monahan & Johnson, same; State vs. Beattie, same; State vs. Cook, same; State vs. Bridges, fine and costs \$27; State vs. McKenna and State vs. Stout and Mitchell continued. Issues of fact: McGuire vs. Oliver, Merriam and others vs. McKenna and others, Peters vs. Hyde and Gardner & Wood vs. Tolan continued. Salva vs. Grenier, tried—judgment for plaintiff \$2,305.42; Fisk vs. Wagner, demurrer overruled—30 days to plead to complaint. Imparalance causes: Gardner & Wood vs. John L. Woods and others, judgment for plaintiffs \$400.32 and costs \$44.60. Chancery causes: Loehr vs. McPhee, quashed; Dausey vs. Dausey, quashed; Young vs. Barras, heard and held for consideration; Shouler vs. Bonander and others, continued.

SINCE 1865 the house of representatives, in which all revenue measures must originate, has been half the time republican and half the time democratic. Each congress which, during the time, has been controlled by the republicans has passed measures reducing taxation. The six congresses in which the democrats have had control have passed but one measure having that result and that one affecting a single article only. These statements are easily verified by any one who will refer to the record, yet the democracy poses, on the stump and in the president's message, as the party of economy—of relief from taxation. Democratic promise and democratic performance are wide apart, always.

IF THE republicans in every county would organize a county republican club it would be a good thing for the party. The republicans of Kent, Saginaw and Wexford have just organized and are in excellent shape for the approaching campaign. The election returns show that the best results have been obtained in those counties where such clubs have been formed.—Tribune.

THE republicans of Delta county are already moving in the direction indicated and there will never be such another "lump" as occurred last week. Republicans will be republicans, hereafter, not adherents of any particular candidate. Will Houghton county republicans take the same course, and those of Gogebic and Baraga?

CAPT. MORCOM will make brick. Capt. Sellwood will begin stripping at the Chandler mine at once. The Shagawa house (all there was of Spaulding) has been moved to Ely. Freddie, seven-year-old son of D. T. Denton, died Tuesday evening. A "pop" factory is to be established and will make money [Of course; pop, on the side, for a washer, goes]. Bedford Murray died last Saturday. There are more dogs to the square inch in Tower than in any other town of its size, anywhere.—Iron Journal, Tower.

DR. MCGLYNN says that Henry George can train with the Union Labor crowd, if he will behave himself, but he can't be captain any more.

THE PRESENT indications are that every northern state will have a candidate to present to the republican convention next June, except Delaware. "Our Jay" might get that delegation, perhaps, if he recovers from his bad cold in time, and can get Tim to help him.

SOME SORT of a subterranean explosion shook people out of bed at Akron, O., on the morning of the 16th, and threw down ceilings, etc. A great fissure in the earth was opened and the Akronites are debating as to what the force exerted was and whether it is likely to "go off" again.

A CASE, in Illinois, against a saloon keeper for selling liquor to a minor, was defended by showing the written order of the minor's father but the defence was not good. The court held that the prohibition of sales to minors could not be evaded in that, or any other, way and the seller was fined. It's the law, and the father can no more annul it than any other person.

"EVERY dollar of the surplus is a deficit in the pockets and business of the people," says our nearest free trade contemporary. Then what a surplus there would be in the pockets of the people if we could have a regular old Buchanan deficiency! Those good old democratic times, when our government bonds needed porous plasters on their backs to enable them to get out at all.—Tribune.

"WHERE the carcass is, there will the eagles [A mis-translation—vultures would be correct] be gathered." Has Tim Nester made a mistake as to the location of the carcass? It looks so, and as though he was trying to remedy the error. He alleges that the mine bosses bull-dozed their men and talks of a contest, just like Bartley. Tim has done a good deal of loose talking since Seth Moffatt died, any way, but the last is the most foolish of all.

BARTLEY takes it hard; he said, to a Mining Journal man who asked him what about the results of the election: "I shall contest it on the grounds of fraud and the interference of mining and lumber companies." It is his only way of seeing Washington and appearing on the floor of the house, and the democrats will pay his expenses, so he'll "go to congress" after a fashion. He talked bosh, afterward, in his natural style, about "the shackles that the republicans have put upon the workers" and what he would do to strike them off—unmitigated bosh; but he will, probably, make a contest; certainly, if Don will back him in it.

IN ORDER to hold the Mormons to their offer, the abandonment of polygamy, and prevent recurrence thereto after Utah shall become a state, the judiciary committee of the house of representatives reports a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution as follows:

1. Polygamy shall not exist or be lawful within the United States or in any place subject to their jurisdiction.
2. Polygamy shall consist in a marriage relation by contract or in fact existing at the same time between one person of either sex and more than one person of the other sex.
3. Congress shall have power concurrent with the several States to enforce this act.

A PLAN is on foot to build a ship canal from South Bay, Lake Superior, to the head of Big Bay de Noquette. If this promised improvement is accomplished, it will shorten the distance by water from all the principal Lake Superior ports to Chicago and make the latter city a great ore distributing point. But it will be apt to give the Soo a very black eye and take a very large proportion of the wind out of its real estate beam. It will result also in the building up of a city at the head of Big Bay de Noquette that will be a dangerous rival of Escanaba and Gladstone.—Eagle, Marinette.

That canal won't be cut this year, to begin with. And then, when a canal is cut to connect the waters of Green Bay with those of lake Superior it will be from the head of Little Bay de Noquette, by the valleys of the Whitefish and Au Train, to Au Train bay. Put that down.

WE HAVE several times heard it said and seen it stated that the prohibitionists made an offer to the republican congressional convention of support for the candidate of that convention "on conditions," and it is as well to stop the lie now. No communication, of any description, from the prohibition convention or from individual prohibitionists reached the republican convention. The writer hereof may be presumed to know whereof he speaks in that matter, and the secretary, C. S. Osburn, of the Sault, is another witness who can be called if further evidence is desired. The whole tale is a third party "man of straw."

THE tariff bill agreed upon by the ways and means committee places wool, lumber and salt and a long list of chemicals on the free list and cuts down duties as follows: On pig iron from \$7 per ton to \$5, steel rails from \$17 to \$12, on woolen goods 20 per cent, on sugar 22 per cent, and on cotton goods in about the same proportion. The taxes on tobacco are abolished except on cigars and cigarettes and the distillation of spirits from fruit is made free. The reduction of revenue expected is about \$75,000,000. It is safe to say that the bill can not pass, though the duty on iron ore is left untouched as a concession to Pennsylvania and other iron producing localities and with the hope of securing for the bill the support of the Randall wing of the democracy. The reduction will have the result of increasing, rather than diminishing the revenues by stimulating importations—the only reduction of revenue to be expected from the bill, could it pass, would come from the additions to the free list and the tobacco and spirit taxes abolished.

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ALTHOUGH a month has passed since the opening of the regular selling season, ore dealers report no indications of a market and no inquiries are reported from any source. The prediction of the producers who, some weeks ago, forecasted the condition of the ore business, seems to have been well founded, and the chances are now that another month will elapse before the sale of ore in any considerable quantity. Furnacemen are depressed by the practical realization of the fact that the Carnegies control the iron market, and do not feel in the humor to buy ore. The only encouraging feature is the report from the coke manufacturers, to the effect that their total product for 1888 is sold at ruling quotations—\$1.75 to furnaces, \$1.85 to dealers and \$2 to foundrymen. As far as the coke men are concerned, it may be stated authoritatively that the price will remain at the present figures. During the week another lot of rails was taken by one or two roads, aggregating about 35,000 tons; and the price as before, was \$31.50, which means \$33 in Cleveland. But the market does not appear to be affected by these orders, and no activity is displayed in any quarter. It is stated that the 1888 output will fall far below that of the past season, and that even the reduced output would depend in quantity upon vessel rates. The producers decline to quote, even approximately, the probable price of new ore, but the chances are that, with lower lake freights, the producers will be enabled to place their ore on the market at prices somewhat below those of 1887.—Iron Trade Review, Feb. 17.

IT IS QUITE certain that Mr. Seymour did not have the walkaway that his friends so confidently anticipated.—Eagle, Marinette. Make an exception in our favor please. In the IRON PORT of the 14th inst., anticipating the nomination of B. B. by the so-called labor convention of the 16th and his endorsement by the democratic convention of the 26th we said:

"Then, there's another man who'll have no pic nic, and that's the republican who shall be selected to down him. "Swamping" pine logs in two feet of snow is more like what he'll have to do, but he'll get there, if he is the right man, and the convention of the 25th is respectfully requested to remember the "W" and make no mistake."

The outcome of the campaign was no surprise to us, though some of the incidents were.

MOUNT VERNON, Jefferson county, Illinois, was pretty much wiped out by a tornado last Sunday afternoon. Court house, churches and business blocks of brick crumbled into ruins and lighter structures, of wood, were brushed out of existence entirely. Fire broke out in the ruins and completed the destruction of the buildings wrecked by wind. The loss of property is large—estimated at a million—but cuts no figure beside the loss of life and limb. Twenty-two are dead and twenty are fatally injured as far as was known when this paragraph is put in type, and the list will be added to, no doubt. The injured, not fatally, are more than a hundred.

IT'S NO USE to nurse Phil. Sheridan's presidential boom. We should not say his boom, either, but the boomlet which some injudicious friends of his have blown abroad on paper wings. He won't have it, at any price, and says so in his own blunt fashion. Truth is Gen. Sheridan has a better, sounder, more level head on his shoulders than he has credit for. He knows that he is competent to the duties of the place he now holds—he's not so sure as to the presidency: He remembers that he will be Lt. Gen. until "taps" and that he could be president, at most, for only eight years, and that ex-presidents are bits of furniture for which there is no place.

THE Milwaukee Sentinel having asserted that the postmaster at Marquette wrote to the p. m. g. for leave to pitch in for Breen and received it, Brother Russell denies it, "pine plank," and tells the Sentinel it's a fibber from 'way back. He knew, of course, that he did not have to make any such request—his chief was in the fight himself—and the Sentinel should have known as much—would have known it had there been a tea-spoonful of brains associated with its paste pot and scissors editorial force.

THE fishery commission has concluded its labors and drawn a treaty which is in the hands of the president. As it must be passed upon by the senate of the U. S., the Queen's government, the Dominion of Canada and the province of Newfoundland it may be fairly supposed to have most of its trouble yet to come. But it is something gained that the six commissioners were able to agree. We hope to be able to give the treaty, or an abstract of it, in this paper, but it has not been made public when we write this.

THE POLITICAL complexion of the eleventh district has not been changed, as one might imagine from the crowing of the administration papers. There are no more free-traders or the Cleveland stripe than there were two or four years ago. (Breen's friends had to call him a "Randall democrat" to get votes for him in this county), no fewer protectionists like John Sherman and Mr. Blaine. The district will do better than ever next fall.

THE Chippewa county whisky trade went solid for Breen and now it is proposed to try "local option" in that county. It may be remembered that Chippewa was the only county of this peninsula which gave a majority for the prohibitory amendment and, so remembering, it may be feared that the trade has kicked over its own dish. If it should turn out so there will be wailing and gnashing of teeth at the Sault.

THE Detroit Journal wants Moloy, collector of Detroit, reported to the president for having left his place and duties to work for Breen in this district, just to put the president "in a hole"—compel him to punish Moloy or stultify himself by refusing to do so. Pahaw.

THERE is an issue of veracity between Don. M., Weston and the Free Press, and the papers and speakers of this district who supported Breen, the former asserting that the vote polled for him was given to the support of Mr. Cleveland's position with regard to the tariff and the latter denying it and asserting that the question of protection was not considered. As for Breen, he straddles.

HAVING, as they fondly hope, re-converted Tim Nester, the democratic prints are shouting that the "backbone of republicanism in the eleventh district is broken." Two errors in their diagnosis—it is only the caudal appendage, not the spine, that is involved, and the case is not a fracture, even of that, but a sloughing, which leaves the animal sounder than before and removes the danger of pyemia.

CAPT. HART'S new boat is to be a lumber barge with a carrying capacity of 400,000 feet. She is to be built by Rand & Berger, Manitowoc, and to be ready on the opening of navigation. The propeller Ludington landed freight for our city at Lily Bay last Wednesday. M. Stutz got his feet wet crossing the bay Thursday and both were frozen "as hard as a brick" when he reached, Menominee.—Advocate, Green Bay.

IT IS PROPOSED in congress to "put the screws" to our captious Canadian neighbors by charging them big tolls for passage through the Soo canal. Good idea: They'll think less of the measly "privileges" of their ports on the gulf of St. Lawrence when they have to balance them against their advantages on the lakes. It will array Ontario and the western against Quebec and the eastern provinces, at once. Clap on the fells.

THE Reading coal miners were ordered back to their work by W. T. Lewis, master workman D. A. 135, John H. Davis, chairman joint committee, Richard Thompson, master workman District 13 and Isaac Renn, master workman division 14. This action cuts the ground from under the railroad strikers whose strike was beaten, but for the support of the miners, long ago. The whole business was a woful mistake on the part of the men.

A. MATHEWS, than whom no man is better posted with regards to u. p. lands, in reply to numerous letters of inquiry received, makes answer in the M. J., saying that the only way to acquire lands within the land grant limits is to go and stay upon it, so when the lands are restored to market the claim as "first settler" will be valid. As to when that will occur, or whether it will occur at all, the Lord only knows; congressional action is mighty uncertain.

BURTON has, at last, got his mining properties on the Gogebic range into a shape which promises fairly for the future. They are consolidated and bonded for \$850,000 out of which a sum sufficient to pay all indebtedness will be realized and the company will have a cash capital of \$137,000 to go on with. Mr. McGarry, of the ore firm of Tuttle, Ogilby & Co., Cleveland, will have the management of the property and the "booming" business is over—the thing to be done now is to raise and sell ore.

ADVICES from Europe are to the effect that war can not much longer be avoided and that when it breaks out it will involve every continental power except Spain. Eight hundred thousand Russian troops are massed on the Austrian frontier and an equal number of Prussian and Austrian troops are in readiness on the western side of the boarder and war (all but the actual shock of battle) is even now in progress. Rumor says also that England will take part in the row, with her fleet, both in the Mediterranean and the Baltic.

Condition of Woman in India.

Attention is being called to this subject by the recent imprisonment, under peculiar circumstances, of a highly educated Hindoo woman. She had been in childhood betrothed to an ignorant, sickly Hindoo, whom she had scarcely seen or heard of since. In the mean time, thanks to the zenana missionaries, she had risen from the life of ignorance and misery led by nearly all her Indian sisters to a level with the most refined ladies of America or England, being a valued contributor to the best English periodicals. At this juncture her "betrothed" appeared to claim her. As would be expected she rejected him with scorn, but he, unwilling to loosen his hold on the treasure such a wife could not fail to be, brought the case into the courts.

Imagine the scene! A coarse, sickly, degraded heathen asking an English judge to deliver to his keeping, for her life, this polished, beautiful woman, whom a king might delight to honor. His claim was, of course, founded on the Hindoo law, with which the English have promised not to interfere, that a betrothal binds the woman for the remainder of her life, so that if the man dies, though she may never have seen him, she is doomed irrevocably to that most pitiable state, Indian widowhood. This claim the judge was obliged to consider valid and he reluctantly ordered the lady to accept the man for her husband or go to a Calcutta prison for six months. Of course she chose the latter alternative, but her imprisonment has roused the better classes of the nation to protest against the present system of child marriages and widowhood. When we consider that according to official statistics there are 70,000 Indian widows under nine years old, 286,000 under fifteen years, and 669,000 under nineteen years, it would seem that something should be done to alleviate their condition.

On the death of her husband the wife, be she child or woman, is charged with his death and is condemned to banishment to kitchen or outhouse where, for the rest of her days, she must serve as a drudge. Her head is kept shaved and she is given only one meal a day. It is believed that in behalf of these imprisoned ladies will speak from her cell with more power than she, or any one else, could elsewhere, and that this system will end, as sutteeism and infanticide have already done.

Those who are interested in Christian missions will notice that it is the zenana missionary who has made the foregoing true tale a possibility, and to whom Indian women must look for help in all future efforts to escape from the superstition and woe which holds them prisoners.

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AFTERWARD.

When slow the dawn streak of Heaven is breaking...

When the soul Heaven's new and rapturous living...

What here we question with still resignation...

Why living sorrows on the spirit lying...

Doth with its load the guilty spirit weigh...

Then shall we know in full and glad completeness...

THE MORMON'S DAUGHTER.

By ALVA MILTON KERR.

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CHAPTER III.—CONTINUED.

All that day, like a Greek slave, Treen wept...

Richard noticed this, though they did not come often...

"I thought Catherine's heart would break."

got through afore winter, mebbly; some companies did...

CHAPTER IV. THE JOURNEY.

There was six hundred on us, men, women, and children...

Five hundred came in a band at once. So, as it took a good many yokes of steers...

"Well, I s'pose what he said was true as gospel, an' the fault was man's some way..."

"All through August the sun come up out of the plain to the east..."

"Well, at last we drew out of that part of the desert, leavin' our pore dead behind..."

"Well, at last we drew into Laramie. O, how we'd looked forred to this!"

"About that time, I mind, one day a party with three smart carriages..."

"But I must say pink blank most on us felt party blank around the heart times..."

"The man in our other family I could see kept steadily fallin'..."

"Do you think, young man," he said, "that you will be able to take care of my daughter..."

dragged on 'er, hour after hour, day after day, an' never seemed one step further towards the end...

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OVER AT LAST.

mornin'. What days them was an' God in Heaven, what nights! We hadn't ben loved but seventeen pounds of clothes an' beddin' apiece...

"Then at last it got so there wasn't scrougly strength left to put up the tents at night, an' every mornin' from six to ten corpses had to be buried..."

"At last the storm came in earnest. It begun to snow an' blow terrible, but we stumbled on 'ard blind-like all day..."

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UPPER PENINSULA.

—Ole Forrest was killed, skull crushed by a blow from a falling tree, at Murphy & Sons' camp 2 1/2 last Saturday.

—Ole Hansen was knocked down and seriously injured by Ahlich's runaway horse Wednesday. Norway's total vote was 511 and Seymour's majority 137.

—An incipient conflagration started in the ash barrel in Murray's grocery last night but was seen and quenched before it got big enough to do harm.

—A freight train carrying timber and copper became unmanageable just at the 5-mile post and "ran away" down the grade into the city, being stopped just before reaching Superior street by the cars jumping from the track.

—Palmer won the gold medal for roller skating again last Saturday evening and "it's his'n" now. He did two (constructive) miles in 9.15.

—John Shay got too much boozed Tuesday night and was found by the marshal Wednesday morning lying on the sidewalk with both feet badly frozen—may lose 'em.

—The dry house at the Brotherton mine was burned Tuesday evening. The St. Paul company has an engineer party running a line to Bessemer which will no doubt be tested to L'Anse. Doyle recommended "a dose of dynamite" as an electioneering measure.

—Simons had the best of the "friendly glove contest" but the police thought the affair a prize fight [As it was, of course] and put a stop to it at the third round.

—A small factory of bogus dollars was found and broken up at Grand Rapids Saturday, and A. S. Bryant, for making the stuff, and his daughter for showing it, locked up. Bryant is an old hand—has been in prison before for the same crime.

—James McGraw, a homesteader on the line of the S. S. road in Alger county or Schoolcraft, lay drunk on the track yesterday two miles east of Seney and was run over and killed.

—The An Train paper which was burnt out a while ago is to be continued—a new outfit is now on the way. It is certainly very unfortunate for Mr. Hubbell that his county made such an unexpected and tremendous flop [I would look that a way, to a man up a tree].—M. J., 23d.

—Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with abscess of lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

—James Middlewear, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption I would have died of lung troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at J. N. Mead's drug store.

THE STATE.

Silas Priest of Sangateck, fifty years old, violated his own daughter and was accessory to her violation by his grandson, Vail Scott. Both are in jail.

Ed. Went, well-known as a "red ribbon" lecturer in the state below the straits, was placed in arrest at Grand Rapids last week charged with bigamy.

The regents of the university have appointed Dr. Lyster to the professorship of medicine and B. A. Hinsdale to that of teaching.

The blast furnace at Bangor has blown out for repairs. Its run has lasted 18 months and its output has averaged 45 tons a day.

A sheet of card-board 61 inches wide and 37 miles long was made, without a break, by the Michigan pulp mill at Niles.

Congressman Tarsney is very ill. Knapp & Jones' store, North Adams, Hillsdale county, was raided by burglars last week and money and jewelry of the value of say \$500 taken.

Lansing business men are moving to secure the encampment of state troops at their city instead of on Mackinac island.

Lake county voted "dry" Tuesday though the fight was hot.

M. H. Clarke, of Manistee, formerly publisher of a labor-democratic paper there, has been appointed to a fat place in the government printing office.

Peters, the Detroit darky, bested Thompson, the Cleveland "thunderbolt," in a ten-round match for points, easy.

Wm. Marsh, of Vicksburg, Branch county, had two mistresses but no wife, which was bad enough, but when he attempted to violate his illegitimate daughter, only twelve years of age, his cup ran over and he was forced to hide to escape lynching. Unfortunately, he is, so far, successful.

Daniel and John O'Day, of Jackson, serving sentences for counterfeiting, are innocent men. The guilty parties have been arrested and the innocence of the O'Days proved.

Thieves raided the Dexter postoffice last week, getting \$400, half cash and half stamps. Then they stole a horse and drove to Ann Arbor, where the trail is lost.

Annah Burdeck, who took up a farm of government land in Fairfield township, Lenawee county, in 1834 and has lived on it continuously ever since, died last week at the age of 87 years.

Four hundred "old settlers" feasted and compared reminiscences at Big Rapids on the 4th.

The "fancy masons"—Lodges of Perfection. Princes of Jerusalem, etc., had "a high old time" at Grand Rapids last week.

Dr. Henry F. Lyster, of Detroit, has been recommended to the regents of the university by the medical faculty thereof, as successor to the late Prof. Palmer.

Monroe county prohibitionists are making ready to try for prohibition under the local option law.

Coal has been found and will be mined at Owosso.

McCarthy, for the shooting of his chum, Carpenter, at Battle Creek, has been held to trial for manslaughter.

The five counties which surround Kalamazoo having "gone dry" that county should thrive as far as whisky trade is concerned.

Horace Murry, of South Haven, is in jail for outraging a child only eight years old. That crime is becoming as common as petit larceny in lower Michigan and will have to be dealt with by Judge Lyach—the Michigan statutes do not provide any adequate punishment.

Pittsford postoffice was cleaned out of cash and stamps by burglars Friday night.

We must have a bridge across the Detroit river.—Free Press. You never shall have, replies every vessel owner and shipper from Duluth to Ogdensburg.

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Montague was convicted of adultery with the wife of Arnold, at Caro. Sentence is deferred until March 1. The case has created intense excitement at Caro.

J. H. Whipple, president and general manager of the Peunbroke Knitting Mills company at Battle Creek, has decamped with the cash of the concern, some \$20,000.

Hon. J. G. Beeson, of Dowagiac, aged 81, died Sunday night last.

The Dutz girls, in jail at Bay City charged with a burglary, attempted to escape and the elder, Carrie, fell and was killed.

It was the closest yet, but Lenawee county went "dry," all the same, and Newaygo and Livingston, both of which voted the same day—last Monday—followed suit. Pretty soon the granger who wants a "snifter" will have to go to Detroit to get it.

Miss Jane M. Dyson, born in Detroit on the day of Perry's fight on lake Erie, and ever since a resident there, died Sunday.

An autopsy established the fact that Annie Hedke had been ravished and convinced the doctors that her death was the result thereof.

James Donovan, of Quincy, builder of the opera-house and prominent in all enterprises to boom the town, has gone "crazy as a bed-bug."

The grand lodge of I. O. O. F. of Michigan opened its annual session at Lansing last Tuesday.

Henry Ogden, a mail carrier at Kalamazoo, is in trouble—has made too free with little girls.

Wm. Crawford, a Wayne county pioneer eighty years old, died last Sunday.

"MAY GOD BLESS YOU!"

A Boston Paper-Hanger's Trouble and How He Got out of it—Plain words from the Sunny South.

When we are in trouble we cry for help. When we are relieved we often forget to be thankful. But not always. Mr. W. W. Griffin, of Trout Creek, St. Clair co., Ala., writes: "I had a bad attack of chills and fever. My system was full of malaria. For two years I was scarcely able to work at all. Some times my heart would palpitate for two hours at a time. My legs would get cold to the knees, and I fully expected to die. In September 1887, I bought a bottle of Shaker's Extract of Roots, or Seigel's Curative Syrup, of your agent, Mr. R. M. King, and before I had taken the first bottle I felt better, and in a short time was able to go to work. May God bless you for the good you have done."

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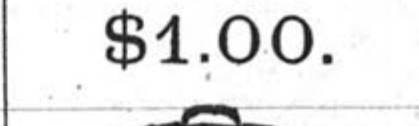
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MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage executed by Henry M. De Beaux to Malcom M. Aird, dated the fifth day of December, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, which mortgage was recorded in the register's office of the county of Delta, state of Michigan, in Liber "B" of mortgages, on page 59, on the 15th day of December, 1887; and which said mortgage was duly assigned by said Malcom M. Aird to Jennette Lee Aird, by a deed of assignment, dated the eleventh day of January, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and recorded in Liber "F" of mortgages, on page 75.

And whereas there is now claimed to be due upon said mortgage the sum of five hundred and fifty-five and fifty-four hundredths dollars, at the date of this notice, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been taken to recover the principal sum or interest, or any part thereof, nor therefore, notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491,

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—[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."]

—In his report of the condition of the New York State Inebriate Asylum, Dr. Turner says, that "out of 1,400 cases of delirium tremens, 980 had an inebriate parent, or grandparent, or both." His belief is that if the history of each patient's ancestors were known, it would be found that eight out of ten of them were free users of alcohol. One fearful case is recorded where a drunkard was the father of seven idiots.

—Dr. Norman Kerr has in press a new work on "Inebriety: Its Etiology, Pathology, Treatment and Jurisprudence." This will be the first systematic work ever published on inebriety as a disease, and will mark an epoch in this line of investigation. The distinguished author stands alone in his knowledge of this phase of the drink problem, and the published conclusions of his life-long researches will command the consideration of leading physicians throughout the world.

—Before Des Moines had prohibition it had seventy saloons, how it has none, and yet, notwithstanding adverse circumstances, it expanded in 1887, for public and private improvements over four and one-half millions of dollars, transacted a wholesale, manufacturing and miscellaneous business of over fifty-six millions of dollars, and raised its population from about 35,000 to over 46,000; it has not received one dollar of blood money from saloons, and is by far the most prosperous city in Iowa. "If that is the way prohibition kills towns," then every town cursed with saloons may well pray for a similar death.—Rev. H. L. Stetson, in the Independent.

A WEEK OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONAL, STATE AND LOCAL W. C. T. U., MARCH 18 TO 25, 1888.

—Beloved Sisters: We call every union, and every woman in our heroic constituency to spend a week in united and special prayer, both private and public, for such a baptism of wisdom and courage upon ourselves, and such a putting forth of divine power as shall be felt in all this land. Reasons: The year upon us is one of struggle and of destiny. Within these months the temperance cause shall be in the very heart of a mighty contest. Then let us pray.

First: That upon our great organization may come a fresh impulse from Heaven; and on every active worker a new anointing of the Spirit.

Second: For our unaged membership held to us by pledge and name, but not consecrated to the spirit and activities of the work. Let us ask God to call our own women from idleness to service.

Third: For the great body of Christian womanhood who yet stand afar from this greatest of missionary agencies for the salvation of our own and other lands.

The meetings of the week need not be widely public, nor their aim to invite universal attention. Begin quietly an afternoon meeting for prayer in your own usual place of meeting, or in a parlor, with the hearts touched already with a longing for more of God in our work, and more of His power on all our people. Make special effort first for all members of the unions, that together we may offer our prayers. If attendance wanes, as it will, do not allow discussions upon temperance reform or its methods.

Seek God. Seek Him alone for a great awakening of the church and the nation. The liquor traffic is here with its abominations legalized because of spiritual death. We need conscience aroused and made true. Sisters of the W. C. T. U., set the week apart, hold at least one meeting a day for the quiet, unostentatious seeking of God herein suggested. Two public evening meetings, with sermons, gospel talks or conferences would be of great value. The evening of March 25 might be made effective by union services where those

can be secured. When the churches cannot give way for this, hold such a meeting in the afternoon of that day.

No topics are suggested lest they lead from the one central thought of all the days. Many things you will remember: our own work; our country's needs and perils; the workers who may go out into the coming contest; the pleaders at the fireside; the voters at the ballot box; but this one thing seek and find—God's touch of power upon our own spiritual life, and the spiritual life of the nation.

On behalf of the National W. C. T. U.
FRANCIS E. WILLARD, Pres.
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PERSONAL.

—J. K. Stack went over the boys Wednesday.

—F. H. Van Cleve departed for Chicago last Monday.

—Mr. Howell left, returning to Manistique, Sunday afternoon.

—H. G. Squires, of Garden, was on duty as a juror this week.

—Dr. Perrin is taking care of Dr. Tracy's patients in his absence.

—Rod. Purdy went to Fond du Lac Wednesday to recruit a bit.

—A. Gammon, of Ogontz, was in town for a day about midweek.

—Counsellor Clark, of Manistique, attended the term here this week.

—M. H. Sullivan, on duty as juror, found time to call on us for a half hour's chat.

—Mrs. Fred Sensiba is visiting with her friends and relatives in this city, this week.

—A. Lathrop, of Lathrop, came down Tuesday to help count the vote for congressman.

—Mrs. M. S. Heller, of Sparta, Wis., is visiting with her son Theodore, of this city.

—J. ... and Mrs. Burns and Miss McHale departed, for New York, the day before yesterday.

—Dr. Tracy is still absent, has probably gone to Florida. Ah, there; he did no such thing, but returned Thursday morning.

—Louis Schram will go to market to-day, Saturday, after the latest styles and newest goods. On his return, ten days hence, he'll have something to say in the IRON PORT.

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