

# THE MANISTIQUE COURIER.

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## at the Grand and Sweeping Reductions

We have made during our Great Dissolution sale our entire stock of seasonable clothing, dry goods, ladies' capes and jackets, shoes, etc., is fully attested by the army of well pleased patrons that daily crowd our mammoth store to take advantage of some of the numerous bargains we are now and have been offering. You will still find, regardless of the immense quantity of goods moving daily, bargains too numerous to mention. If you appreciate genuine bargains, call on us and see what a little cash can do at Blumrosen Bros.' Grand Dissolution Sale.

Get a Genuine Frieze Black or Grey Men's Ties, sizes 34 to 44, full length, with large storm collar, extra quality, and well worth \$1.

Get a Young Man's Genuine Frieze Ulster, made for comfort and wear, large storm collar, and full length, worth \$12.

Get a Genuine Boy's Frieze Ulster, all sizes, made and finished as well as the very best garments. Every sister and every satisfaction, and well worth double the price when they would be considered a mere bargain at \$25.

Get a Genuine Black or Blue Men's Beaver Overcoats, all sizes, from 36 to 44, with that velvet collar good fur lining, every coat made especially for this season's business, as stylish as a more expensive garment.

Get a Men's Genuine Chester Suits, either single or double breasted, round or square cut, every suit is tailored to suit and made in the best workmanlike manner. As they are they would be considered a mere bargain at \$25.

Get a Men's Specially all wool Cashmere Suits of the very best and choicest selections obtainable, every suit made especially for this season's business, and well worth \$35.

Get a Men's Genuine Box Black Clay Suits, single or double breasted, straight or round cut. This suit has never before for less than \$11.

Our Boys' and Children's Clothing Department contains an endless assortment of Boys' Knee Pants Suits.

Child's Tweed Suits, Young Men's Long Pants Suits at prices ranging from \$7.50, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and up.

Our entire stock of Boys' Fine Reeler Coats is being closed out regardless of actual cost.

Get Men's strictly all wool Pants, every pair warranted to be the very best styles and make. This assortment is well worth \$1.50 not to say, and worth at other times double what we are selling.

We are showing the largest selection of Lumbermen's Goods in the city at prices that are bound to please.

\$2.68 for Ladies' Black Beaver Caps, nicely bowled and elegantly trimmed with black worsted band; just the element that others will not give \$1.25 for.

\$4.99 for Ladies' Genuine Beanie Jackets; every jacket was made especially for this season's trade, thereby assuring the very latest styles and make. This assortment is well worth \$6.00 and 120 lbs. best sweep. Lined throughout with best silk serge, and would be considered a mere bargain at \$12.

Our entire assortment of Children's Long Elder Down Coats is now now being offered at less than the actual cost of material.



OUR

## November Sale of Blankets.

This month's sale of high grade, soft and downy, all-wool Blankets for at least

# 25 per cent less

less than you will pay at any of our competitors.

You can take your pick from our beautiful California Blankets, with handsome borders, or from our Cotton Warp, with woot filling—extra fine—at prices that will both please and astonish the economical housekeeper.

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### BOOKS! BOOKS!

HEADQUARTERS FOR SCHOOL BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

## A. S. PUTNAM & CO.,

THE DRUGGISTS.

Our Next Senator, Fred K. Baker, of Menominee, the Republican nominee for state Senator of the thirteenth district, is a staunch Republican and has done active work for the party since coming to the district some ten years ago. In Menominee Mr. Baker has been one of the leaders of the party, was alderman two terms and was president of the council one year. He has been chairman of the Republican committee of his county and also chairman of the senatorial committee, and in both positions he has shown his worth as a political leader.



FRED K. BAKER, Republican Nominee for State Senator.

Mr. Baker was born in Cayuga Co., N. Y., Jan. 5, 1861. From his birthplace he went to New York City where he was employed in a bank for a time. In 1882 he moved to Grand Rapids and in 1888 moved to Menominee, his present home, and has been engaged in the lumbering business since. The object of this sketch is well explained, and has the practical business experience to carry him through the session of the legislature with credit to himself and the taxpayers of the district. He is also as handsome a looking young man as you will find in a day's travel which may add to his many other qualifications as senatorial representative.

THE COURIER predicts his election by a very large majority, and is sure that our people will make no mistake in sending him to represent them in the state senate.

Vote the ticket straight and you will add one vote to Fred K. Baker's majority.

#### DELTA PLANT SOLD.

Two Companies in Grand Rapids and Muskegon Bought It for \$125,000.

A big deal which has been pending several weeks was consummated Monday noon at the office of the Delta Lumber Co., its entire plant at Thompson, in the upper peninsula, being sold to the Fuller & Rice Lumber Co., of Grand Rapids and the White & Flint Lumber Co., of Muskegon, for \$125,000. This will go towards liquidating the debt secured by the tract mortgage given a couple of years ago.

The plant at Thompson was the one that supplied the company's sawmills in Detroit and Delray. These have enough

material on hand to last well into next season, by which time it is hoped the embargo on shipping Canadian logs will be removed. Otherwise the mills will have to shut down. The company has a logging plant in Canada.

#### Harvest Entertainment.

The Junior Society of C. E. of the Presbyterian church will give Harvest Festival and Social in their church parlors, Friday evening, Nov. 11th. The proceeds of which will be a nucleus fund for a Sunday School Library. The following program will be rendered:

- Duet, Instrumental..... Mrs. Owen and Hazel Strickland.
- Recitation..... Katherine Brown.
- Song of the Popcorn..... Willie Ramsey.
- Handy Weber, Paul Phippeny and Leonard Winkie.
- Recitation..... Lillian McKinney.
- Solo Vocal..... Bertha Kiefer.
- Vocal accompaniment..... J. C. E. Choir.
- Recitation..... Rodgers Phippeny and Ruth Phippeny.
- Duet—Violin and Piano..... Tera Ross and Nora Olmsted.
- Recitation and Vocal Duet..... Ralph Phippeny, Ella Benson, Chester Weber, Bertha Kiefer and Cora Whaley.
- Solo Vocal Little Autumn Leaves..... By ten members of Jr. C. E. S.
- Recitation..... Herlice Brown.
- Song—Living in the Sunshine..... By Jr. C. E. Choir.

All are cordially invited to attend. Admittance, Adults fifteen cents, children ten cents, including refreshments.

#### Draught Horses for Sale.

Harry Tucker has a carload of heavy draught horses which can be seen at the Orr, Tucker & Doan barn on the west side. He claims the consignment to be the best ever brought to this city. They are being sold very reasonable. Terms—cash or bankable paper.

#### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that books for subscription for Stock of "The Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Ship Canal and Dock Company" will be open Nov. 8, 1898 at 28 State St., Chicago. Estimated cost of canal, ten million dollars.

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D. C. DENISON,  
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### Our Grand Challenge Sale

Look in its prime and our numerous low offerings on brand new goods are being eagerly sought after by everyone in quest of brand new goods at what others charge for shag worn and out-of-date goods. Here is a few of our numerous bargains we are offering during our Challenge Sale.

- Extra heavy Double Breasted Suit, nobly patterned..... \$4.00
- Men's Black Cheviot suits, snook or square cornered, worth \$7 per price only..... 4.37
- A strictly all wool black Clay Worsted Break-suit, snook lined, extra heavy cut, others charge \$18—our price..... 10.00
- Get the Jacket and Vest, made of Beavers, Chinillas—our price only..... 4.39
- Look the Overcoat, lined with good black flannel, made in the latest style, velvet collar, worth \$18—our price..... 4.00
- Extra fine Kersey Overcoat, well lined made in best workmanship—our sale price only..... 4.95
- Good storm Ulster, in Chinilla or Oxford, big storm collar, extra long coat, worth \$7.50—sale price only..... 4.75
- A fine Over Coat, elegantly lined, finished with sharp seam sale price..... 9.35

Numerous bargains in everything in our store. Give us a call. Read our large posters for Special prices on Ladies' Jackets, Dry Goods, Etc., Etc.

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### ENORMOUS APPETITES

...TO FEED

There must be, judging by the proportions our orders have assumed as Fall approaches. We are always busy, because people in this city that know what good meats are know where to find them at a low price. We will send you home a souk, roast or chop fit for the most fastidious critic, if you leave your order.

## ORR BROS.

and CO

### Grand Fall Clearing Sale

at Casper Bros.

For Next Week...

One Week of Tremendous Bargains!

One Bargain-Giving Week long to be remembered by the People of Manistique and vicinity.

The management of this store has decided to inaugurate this GREAT CLEARING SALE by using the knife in cutting the prices in two, and giving you the benefit of the same. It is a fact that you have not had an opportunity lately of seeing in print the Great Bargains we offer. But from now on we intend to keep you posted. We ask you as a special favor to call and see us—it won't cost you anything.

Yours for trade,

## CASPER BROTHERS.

Leaders of Low Prices.



# A FELON'S LOVE.

BY HENRY W. NESFIELD.

## CHAPTER III.

They were in the interior of New Wales, not many miles from the coast of South Australia, there is a stretch of country which, at a glance, a stranger would imagine to be a vast plain. It is a beautiful, rolling country in reality, with hills and wide-spreading valleys and clumps of eucalyptus and other trees, which, when the winter rains are over, are the of the various wild-flow with the country abounds.

The hills contain vast quantities of dense scrub, which are a tempting pasture for the flocks of kangaroos. In some parts the kangaroos have been made to save there are huts and sheep pens and far-away out-stations where the men dwell, tending the flocks until the winter rains, and then they go for months together, and bring to see home. These "hatters," as they are termed, from the hats they wear, and the general tenor of their life, are a peculiar and interesting people. They are almost lost to the world, and their life is a struggle for existence.

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Jack told that the men had not returned from their labor. "Mary," Mrs. Hall called out presently, as she heard some one moving about inside the house. "Is that you, dear?"

"Yes, mother," replied a tall, thin-looking girl as she stepped out through a French window on to the veranda. "Poor dear mother, you must be quite knocked up."

"I am tired, darling," admitted Mrs. Hall. "Has Jack come out from the shed yet?"

"No, not yet," answered the girl; "but since he is quite ready, and he won't be long now, I expect."

"I do hope that your father will come home tonight. He said he would be here by ten o'clock. It is now a fortnight since he has been out."

"I wonder whether he will have managed to get a cook," said Mary, as she sat on the edge of the veranda. "A steady, sensible young fellow, you ought not to have to do it."

"I shall be all right after a good night's rest, and if only your father would come back," said Mrs. Hall, as she went to her room.

"No, not a sign," said the girl, "but here is Jack, sooner than I expected. Now let us go into supper, and begin."

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"What a pity the wife is so delicate," said Mrs. Hall. "And when are they coming up to the city?"

"They started before me, but I overtook them on the road," returned Mr. Hall. "But they arrived at Sullivan's public-house in the coach this evening. I had no time to stop and see them, but asked Sullivan to send them on tonight in his buggy, so I suppose they will be here very shortly."

"Poor creature!" remarked Mrs. Hall. "How will she stand such a life if she is such a sickly thing? You say they are young people?"

"Yes, quite young," he told me. He was twenty-three, but he hardly looks it. However, you will be able to judge for yourself very soon. Oh, there's Long Bill!" he exclaimed, halting a station-hunter who had just come up to the veranda. "How'd ye do, Bill? Has a buggy come up from Sullivan's with a man and his wife for the station?"

"That's all right," she then settled in the hut next the men's kitchen, while she looked after them, and made them as comfortable as you can. They are new chums, at the start, but they will soon get used to it."

"I have been to see after them, sir," replied Bill, "so far as the young man would let me, but he seems mighty independent, and says he can do for himself."

"Well, that's something strange in a new chum," said Mr. Hall, laughing. "But it is a hopeful beginning. If you are getting his wife, tell her to get up the men's breakfast at seven sharp tomorrow, and I will go down and give him a look in afterwards on my way to the shed."

Long before midnight the whole station appeared to be wrapped in slumber, and not a light was to be seen. The very sheep-dog snored and croaked as if he were asleep after a hard day's toil, rounding up their flocks and hunting back refractory subjects to the yards, just as they had been doing the following day.

Every body who has once been a child knows that rhyme about "Little Jack Horner," who "sat in a corner." That there was ever a real Jack Horner and that the plum he extracted from the pie was a very valuable plum indeed, few of the little folks who enjoy his exploits know, or would care to learn.

For the benefit of those who are not quite little folks, Agnes Carr Sage, in Lippincott's Magazine, tells the origin and history of some famous nursery stories and rhymes, among them "The Pleasant History of Jack Horner," containing "His Witty Tricks and Pleasant Pranks," for so it is set forth in a very old chap-book, carefully preserved in the Bodleian library.

It appears that this worthy was attached to an abbot of Glastonbury. The good abbot learned that his majesty Henry VIII. had sent fit to be indicted because the monks had built a kitchen which he could not burn down. Now a king's indignation was dangerous, and must be appeased. Therefore the abbot sent his steward, Jack Horner, to present the abbot's excuses, and to bring a new offering.

It took the form of a big and tempting-looking pie, beneath the crust of which the transfer deeds of twelve manors were hidden.

But Master Jack had an eye for the profit of number one, and on the road he slyly lifted the crust and distributed the deeds of the Manor of Wells. On his return, bringing the deeds, he plausibly explained that they had been given to him by the king. Hence the rhyme.

Little Jack Horner sat in a corner (of the wagon), Eating his Christmas pie; He got in his thumb And pulled out a plum (the title-deed), Saying, "What a brave boy am I!"

Many a man who wouldn't think of making a wife of his cook has no scruples about making a cook of his wife.

Queen Mary's Permission. A note to an Earl the Right to Wear Two Nightgowns. Among the many state documents of Great Britain is one which every reader of Mrs. Pinkham's "Lives of the Queens" inevitably glances over, says the Memphis Scientist. In the life of Queen Mary Miss Strickland reproduces a wonderful state document in which her majesty grants special permission to one of her counselors to wear a night cap in her presence. This royal concession is made, presumably as a reward for valuable services rendered. The earl of Sussex was the nobleman thus honored. The earl was a valetudinarian and had a great fear of uncovering his head. Considering, therefore, that the collar he dreaded respected no persons, he petitioned Queen Mary for leave to wear a cap in her presence. The queen not only gave him leave to wear one, but two nightgowns if he pleased. His patent for this privilege is unique in royal annals. "Know ye that we do grant our well-beloved and trusty cousin and councillor, Henry, earl of Sussex, license and pardon to wear his cap, coat, or nightgown, or any two of them at his pleasure, as well in our presence as in the presence of any other person within this realm, or in any other place in our dominions whatsoever during his life, and these our letters, shall be sufficient warrant in his behalf." The queen's seal was affixed to this singular grant. Three persons in Great Britain alone enjoy the privilege of wearing covered in the royal presence—Lord Forester, Lord Kinsale and the master of Trinity college, Cambridge.

A Pious Oath. Almost as ancient as the earth herself was Eros, the personification of love. Heald relates that he was among the first of casting his net, and that he assisted Earth in bringing forth from chaos the earliest forms of life and beauty. Aristophanes and others wrote of Eros as the son of Night. Later poets sang of him as the son of Ares and Aphrodite, and honored him as the sweet-minded promoter of human affections. They represented him as a fair-haired boy, winged and carrying a bow with which to buffet sweet women upon those who came within range. Not his Eros seemed to this day the poet's sing of this little-winged god, as skillful and as pitiless as in the days of old. The philologist says that Eros and Psyche is one of the most beautiful of the ancient tales.

Vegetables Wants Home. The vegetable growers of the United States contracted for the importation of 15,000 families from the coast of Italy. Lands and houses will be given them and they will be assisted in a financial way. It is expected that they will develop the cultivation of fruits and cereals and will pay special attention to the growing of vines and manufacture of wine. Each immigrant will be fourteen acres and it is asserted that this amount of land is too small for growing cereals. The United States cannot afford to import so many when the fruit-producing capacity of this class of immigrants is developed a market must be sought in the United States. There is none in Venezuela.

A very small humming-bird, not much larger than a house fly, is common in the East Indies. It is called "The Foremost Baking Powder in all the World."

Some men become cross-eyed in trying to make both ends meet. No one would ever be bothered with cross-eyes if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Purifiers regulates the stomach and bowels. No burden is ever heavy that love gives us to carry. Cures croup, sore-throat, pulmonary troubles, whooping cough, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. How many women are economical in matter of pins.

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## MRS. PINKHAM TALKS ABOUT OVARIETIS.

Letter from Mrs. Carrie F. Tromper that all Suffering Women Should Read.

Ovaritis or inflammation of the ovaries may result from sudden stopping of the monthly flow, from inflammation of the womb, and many other causes. The slightest indication of trouble with the ovaries should claim your instant attention. It will not cure itself, and a hospital operation with all its terrors may easily result from neglect. The fullest course of this subject can be secured without cost by writing to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and asking for her advice. Your letter will be confidential and seen by women only.

Mrs. Carrie F. Tromper, Lake, Ind., whose letter we print, is only one of many that have been cured of ovarian troubles by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—I was suffering from congestion of the ovaries, misplacement of the womb, irregular scanty, and painful menstruation, also kidney trouble. I had let it go on until I could not sit up, and could not straighten my left leg. My physician gave me relief, but failed to cure me. Reading the testimonials of different women, telling what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for them, I decided to give it a trial. I had almost given up hopes, as I had suffered almost a year. And now, after using eight bottles of Blood Purifier, one box of Liver Pills, I am proud to say I am as well as I ever was. I might have saved a large doctor's bill and great suffering, had I tried your precious medicine at the beginning of my sickness. All in the village know I was not expected to live, when I had the first and second attacks. In fact, I had no hope until I began taking your Vegetable Compound. It has saved my life."

## A Million Women Have Been Benefited by Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Medicine.

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Republican Nominees.

- STATE TICKET. For Governor: HAZARD S. PINGREE, Wayne. For Lieutenant Governor: O. W. BURROWS, Houghton.

- For Senator, 30th District: CARLOS D. SHELTON. For Senator, 31st District: FRED. B. BAKER, of Mesaukee.

- GOVERNOR TICKET. For Sheriff: ANDREW P. BISHOP. For Clerk: ERMUND AMPFORD.

REALY the hottest political paper in the state this fall is the Cross Roads Weekly, published at Meta more, Lapeer Co. Although a Republican paper it opposes the nominees on the Republican ticket.

representative in congress and during the next two years will make a record for himself. Vote for Sheldon and your interests.

George P. McCallum, the Republican nominee for representative in the state legislature. He is a great district, will serve his constituents with credit. Mr. McCallum, although a young man possesses the qualifications which fit him for the position to which he aspires. He will be a capable servant and will look after and protect the interests of the district. His majority will reach 2,000 at least.

A true-blue republican, if he has any valid grievance against a candidate on his party ticket, has undoubtedly the right to decline to vote for that candidate, but the minute he supports a candidate on an opposite ticket, he ceases to be a republican. The act of supporting the democratic ticket, partially or as a whole, is treason to party principles, and the traitor has no legal place in the party.

ALL the meetings addressed by Governor Pingree during his tour of the upper peninsula have been well attended and enthusiastic. Apparently his popularity with the masses does not wane, and a likely to receive a large vote from the workmen this year as he did two years ago, making allowance for the lighter vote usually polled in "off year" elections.

It is singular that a man who is so outspoken in attacking leaders of his party whom the voters have been educated to hold in reverence can retain his influence as Governor Pingree does. In the present campaign he is letting no opportunity pass of showing up the insincerity and uselessness of Burrows as a politician, and bluntly tells the voters that he desires to see him defeated because he is a tool of the corporations, and always ready to do their bidding.

He must know that this is going to cost him votes, but when he is told that his reply is that if the people want Burrows for senator they ought not want him for governor, and that if he is governor he wants to "do things" and does not want to be tied up by an adverse legislature chosen to suit the purposes of politicians like Burrows and the people who are trying to get him re-elected to the United States senate.

The people like a good fighter, and the blunt talks of Pingree please a majority of the voters. Better than the carefully prepared and non-published discourses of Burrows and other public men who have cultivated a habit of talking so assiduously for anything else. The people have no trouble in understanding what Pingree is driving at, while the sanding periods of the more accomplished orators often leave them confused and unsatisfied, and wondering what they are talking about.

Pingree is unique, large and interesting, whereas the ordinary political speaker is like all the rest of his fellows and fails to satisfy the people because he doesn't convince.

Advice to Consumptives. There are three great remedies that every person with weak lungs, or with consumption itself, should understand. These remedies will cure about every case in its first stages; and many of those more advanced. It is only the most advanced that are hopeless. Even these are wonderfully relieved and life itself greatly prolonged.

Act Wisely and Use the Best. Results prove DANA'S is the best. It is also guaranteed as a true remedy for the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Money back if you get no benefit. The only medicine that dares stand this test is DANA'S SARSAPARILLA "The Kind That Cures."

them of his earnestness. Perhaps this explains why Pingree holds his own so well in politics, in spite of his radicalism and his eccentricities. WITHDRAW HIS NAME. S. M. STEPHENSON declines not to run for congress.

EX-Congressman Samuel M. Stephenson, of Menominee, who contested with Carlos D. Sheldon for the congressional nomination before the Republican convention at Ishpeming, and who asked the supreme court to decide whether his name or that of Congressman Sheldon should go on the ticket, has withdrawn his name.

The supreme court decided that both names should appear on the ballot, the election commissioners of each county deciding which name should occupy a place on the first or regular Republican ticket. In all but three of the counties in the district it was decided that Carlos D. Sheldon's name should appear with the regular nominees and that of Mr. Stephenson on the Republican ticket adjoining.

Republicans in the county are pleased that Mr. Stephenson decided to withdraw his name, for such action will greatly harmonize the party in the district, and insure the election of a Republican congressman.

Mr. Stephenson's letter of withdrawal follows: "To the Electors of the Twelfth Congressional District: My name is no candidate for congress in this district. I do so with the full conviction that I was fairly nominated by the regular convention of my party, and despite the assurance of many friends that I have a reasonable prospect of election, yet the claims of the Republican party, of which I have always been a loyal member, are above any personal interest either of ambition or resentment. I have done what I could to vindicate my legal right to the place on the official ballot as the Republican candidate under the law, which all may read and which no one can fail to understand.

"In all that I have done I have simply conformed to the wishes of leading Republicans in all parts of the district which I have not set at liberty to slight or disregard. I will not by any act of mine, jeopardize the success of the party in the district. "S. M. STEPHENSON."

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Approved July 7, 1898. ADVERTISED LETTERS. List of advertised letters remaining in the postoffice at Manistique, Mich., the week ending Oct. 31, 1898. Albert, J. Harvey, Nicholas; Barnes, A. C. Bert P. P.; Benson, N. S. Cook, A. G.; Crooks, A. C.; Crooks, A. C.; Crooks, A. C.; Edwards, Ben; Erickson, S. J.; Gagner, W. H.; Herz, Harry; Kelly, John; Lewis, John; Morrison, John; Nason, Louis; Paquette, Oliver; Pizzala, Jas.; Thompson, Henry; Wilson, John J.; Woodner, Andrew.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN. Section 2 of article 20 of the constitution of this state, that whenever it is provided by law that any election shall be held in this state, that at each six-month year thereafter, the question of the constitutionality of the constitution shall be submitted to the electors qualified to vote for members of the legislature.

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ELECTION NOTICE. STATE OF MICHIGAN. Office of the Secretary of State, Lansing, Aug. 27, 1898. The Sheriff of the County of Schoolcraft: Sir: You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in said county on the 1st day of November next, the names of the electors to be elected are as follows: Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor General, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of the State Land Office, and the State Board of Education; also a number of Justices of the Peace, and a number of Clerks of the Court. The names of the electors to be elected are as follows: Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor General, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of the State Land Office, and the State Board of Education; also a number of Justices of the Peace, and a number of Clerks of the Court.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. Office of the Secretary of State, Lansing, September 15, 1898. The Sheriff of the County of Schoolcraft: Sir: You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in said county on the 1st day of November next, the names of the electors to be elected are as follows: Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor General, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of the State Land Office, and the State Board of Education; also a number of Justices of the Peace, and a number of Clerks of the Court.

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## QUEER AUTOMATONS.

EXAMPLES FROM THE DAYS OF LUCIFER TO THE PRESENT.

A Wooden Venus That Walked and a Brazen Man That Talked—The Greatest of All the Fraudulent Automata.

There are few things more attractive to the generally of man or more calculated to excite their wonder and admiration than a deceptively and mysteriously contrived automaton. There is, indeed, something almost menacing in the sight of a figure made by man's hands acting like a creature of flesh and blood, and this mechanism is one of the most subtle of the fascinating things of the world. The curious readily finds its way into the pockets of men ingenious enough to invent such marvels.

This passion for the automaton is certainly no new thing. One must find in almost the earliest books, sometimes written in myth, sometimes more correctly stated. Volcan, it will be remembered, made automatic tripods for the gods of Olympus—statues which advanced of their own accord to the banquetting table and so retired when the feast was over.

Aristotle tells us that the human automata which Dædalus made were so active that it was necessary to keep them behind for fear that they would get away. The same philosopher describes a wooden Venus who walked about and what the secret of the phenomenon, she was filled with quicksilver—some of what crulls delects. Albertus Magnus is credited with having made a brazen man who talked and St. Thomas Aquinas with having planned to give with a club, suspecting it to be a work of satan. Some marvelous feats of mechanism are credited to Adam Miller, a clever Frenchman, an eighteenth-century wonderer of all makers of automata and the creator of the famous duck which first appeared before the public in 1741. This duck was a mechanical masterpiece and completed a reputation already made wide by his mechanical flute player and an automatic musician which could play up to the diapason, and also kept time to a tambourine.

The bird was of life size, and not only was it outwardly an exact imitation to a feather of a real duck, but its internal anatomy was absolutely true to life. So, indeed, were its movements, for it swam, dived, walked, quacked, ate, drank and by an ingenious device even seemed to digest its food.

This automaton disappeared after its inventor's death, but turned up again in 1840 in a garage in Berlin and was purchased by a George Giese, who took four years to put it in proper working order again.

At the end of this time it was exhibited in a room in the Palais Royal, Paris, where Mr. Hindin, the celebrated conjurer, saw it, and, indeed, afterward, when something happened to one of his wings, took charge of and repaired it. No doubt it is still in existence. Of more modern automata there are privately placed to speak, for they are private secrets. Let us continue ourselves to merely mentioning Mr. Mackay's "Psycho" and "Zoa."

Like most things, automata have not always been what they seemed. Of many legends upon the wonder being public perhaps the completest was that of the famous automatic chess player of Mr. Kempelen, which was exhibited all over Europe at the end of the last century and afterward in America. It was the figure of a life-sized Turk seated behind a large box, the top of which was marked in the middle for chess. Prior to the automaton's meeting an opponent the front of the box was opened and electrical lights on wires shown an arrangement of strings, pulleys and cylinders. After they were allowed to examine the interior of the figure, which was hollow. Then Mr. Kempelen would push his Turk with a key, and it was ready to play, which it did by moving the pieces with its left hand and giving three puffs for check to hand and two for check to queen. All the noted chess players of Europe incurred to the figure's superior strategy, and its skill as impossible to the famous Catherine II of Russia that she wished to buy it and was with difficulty persuaded by Mr. Kempelen to give up the idea. It was not for years that the secret was discovered, but, like most secrets, it leaked out at last. The real chess player was a Mr. Wronsky, a Polish ex-captain, both of whose legs had been amputated at the trunk in consequence of a wound from a cannon ball. While the operators were examining the box Wronsky was in the Turk's body, and when they turned to inspect that an ingenious mechanism slid him back into the box. To the fact that Wronsky was a chess player of consummate skill the wide fame of the automaton, which he secretly controlled, is to be attributed. After this disclosure Mr. Kempelen's automaton naturally enough ceased to move mankind to wonder.—New York Post.

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## THE FISH'S COLOR.

ABLE in a Marvellous Degree to Adapt itself to its surroundings.

It is a familiar fact that fishes can change their colors at will. Many fishes make remarkable changes. Five swimming fishes most commonly preserve their normal colors, though these fishes can change. The fishes change most on the bottom feeders. For their own protection from other fishes that would prey upon them and the better to enable them themselves to capture their food they change their colors to match the bottom they are on so as to make themselves invisible. They do this often to a degree that seems extraordinary.

In one of the smaller salt-water tanks at the New York aquarium there are a number of small flatfish. The bottom of the tank is covered with coarse gravel. The great bulk of the gravel is composed of pebbles of a brownish white, a sort of pale iron rust color. Scattered in this are pebbles of a deeper tinge, with now and then one of a brownish gray or brown black.

The flatfish lying on the gravel at the bottom of this tank imitate its colors in their own bodies to a manner that is marvellous. They are of a mottled brown, like the colors of the gravel, and the smallest of the flatfish is the most wonderful. They are all fat and lie close to the bottom. The edge of the little one bends with it, and its back is a wonderful mass of brown so like the gravel of the surrounding bottom that it appears to be a part of it. Even in this clear water at a little distance the fish is scarcely distinguishable.

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Registration Notice.

To the electors of the Township of Manistique, county of Schoolcraft, state of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given, that a meeting of the board of registration of the Township above named, will be held at the Court House, in K. C. McKeown's residence) in said township on

Saturday, November 5th.

1898, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors; and that said board of registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid.

By order of the township Board of Registration.

Dated this 29th day of October, A. D. 1898.

ROBT. C. MCKEOWN, Township Clerk.

Registration Notice.

To the Electors of the Township of Hinawatha, County of Schoolcraft, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given, that a meeting of the board of registration of the Township above named, will be held at the Clerk's office (Middlebrook's Store) in said township on

Saturday, November 5, 1898.

for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose; and that said board of registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid.

By order of the township board of registration.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1898.

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