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OPPOSITE TRIBUNE OFFICE.
The undersigned wishes to inform his old friends and patrons that he has fitted up the store lately occupied by Mr. J. L. Starchee, where he has a full stock of
FAMILY
GROCERIES,
WINES,
Liquors & Cigars,
Which he will sell for cash,
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH PAID FOR
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Thankful for past favors, I would solicit a share of your patronage.
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THE SITUATION.

Of course, it is expected that an editor—even a country scrub—will say more or less about results, after election day has come and gone. A country editor is more particularly expected to spread himself upon local results, and trot out the biggest Shanghai cock in his office at the head of his political column—that is if his side has won, and everything has proved entirely lovely, which same it has, in the present instance—but! The fact of ourself having occupied, during the recent campaign, the highest position of any other Brainerdite on the ticket, it seems a little like blowing our own horn to make too much racket about the glorious result. Being somewhat tender-hearted, and, withal, of a sympathetic nature, we dislike to crow over the discomfiture of our political enemies, especially as they are all—with but half a dozen exceptions in our whole District of five great counties—our personal warm friends. But still, politics is politics, and of course we must be pardoned if we just please our friends by whooping 'er up a little bit for our side.

So far as the State ticket is concerned, the Republican ticket, headed by CUSH K. DAVIS, for Governor, has routed the enemy, "foot, horse and dragoons," again, and the honor of the Republican party has been vindicated by a trying test at the people's ballot-box, and that, too, against a strong ticket largely composed of men who cannot but be classed among the best of Minnesota's representative citizens. Leaving the State ticket as it is, crowned with its proud laurels, we pass to the next in importance to us as citizens hereaway, the Legislative ticket. Messrs. Benedict and Russell, who have been chosen by a comfortable majority to represent the counties of Sherburne, Mille Lacs, Benton, Morrison and Crow Wing—five as proud and honorable young counties as Minnesota can boast of—in our next Legislature, the Senate and House. To say that the two successful candidates fought the battle against the most formidable enemies that could be found in the ranks of the opposition, and against a strength that seemed overpowering in its proportions, is to only feebly express the facts. But we met the enemy in open field, and they are ours. We give our Crow Wing county vote in full, and the result in the other four counties as correctly as possible at the hour of going to press. Of course, individually, we cannot but feel highly complimented at receiving such a vote here at home. For so generous a recognition by the good people of the District, we wish to make this public acknowledgement of our most heartfelt thanks—and our worthy colleague, Mr. Benedict, we know shares with us in this feeling. We only hope our friends may be rewarded, for their confidence in us, in return, by honest, faithful labors in their behalf during the coming session. We promise to do our best, and if our constituents fail to reap benefits from their work on Tuesday last, it will be a mistake of the head, and not of the heart; and they may justly put it down thus: "Poor timber."

Our county politics was badly mixed, as will be readily seen by comparing the number of candidates with the number of offices to be filled. The local contest was fierce, yet pleasantly conducted, and the successful ones, of course, felt somewhat jubilant. The gentlemen elected are all good men, and good citizens; yet, in saying this we only express the same feeling as regards the defeated candidates. There were so many good men running that it was a regular puzzler to know who to vote for, and there was scarcely any straight tickets voted on either side. It was a splendid race, all around, and, as a general rule, those who had been able to form the most happy combinations, and were the "best workers," came in ahead. Well, the whole thing is over, and the political debris is being fast rid away, and no one is sorry, we feel sure. Now for "business," all around. Let every one of us who have been interested in the campaign, imitate the noble example and remember the encouraging words of "Professor" Jones; and herald to the world that, at our respective places of business, the "price of a smooth shave is just the same as though nothing had happened."

POTATOES and onions at CANTWELL'S

CAPT. SLEEPER killed a fine deer on Thursday, which makes one of several he has brought into camp this fall. The woods is full of them.

NEW YORK cheese at CANTWELL'S.

Go to A. A. White's for Minneapolis Flooring and Siding. 28-2w

J. STILES, ESQ., has been moving his building this week from Fourth Street down Laurel, to between 5th and 6th. He has bought two fine lots nearly opposite the TRIBUNE office, and will open out a business stand.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT ELECTION

We have been unable to obtain the official returns from the Thirtieth Legislative District up to the late hour of going to press, nor even the unofficial returns in the matter of State Senator; though, beyond doubt, Mr. Benedict has been elected by from one to two hundred majority over Mr. Fridley. So far as we are able to obtain reliable, though unofficial, returns, we receive a majority over Mr. Lafond of 87 votes in the District. The majorities, as between Lafond and Russell, in the five counties composing the District, are as follows:

Crow Wing County,	Russell's Maj.		256
Morrison "	Lafond's "	271	
Benton "	Russell's "	30	
Mille Lacs "	Lafond's "	28	
Sherburne "	Russell's "	100	
		299	386

Russell's majority 87.

In Mille Lacs county, however, "M. C. Russell" received 44 votes; and "Maurice C. Russell" received 53 votes. Of course, were it necessary, we should contest the possession of these last named votes, as they were clearly intended to be cast for us; though we spell our front name, "Morris." But even though these 53 votes be thrown out, we yet have the comfortable majority of 34, and we doubt not the official canvass will give Russell considerably over a hundred actual majority.

As before stated, we cannot get Mr. Benedict's majority, though we know he carried Crow Wing and Morrison by a very large majority, which, we feel sure, will overcome the majority against him in the other counties upwards of a hundred at least, and possibly two hundred.

ESTIMATES.

The St. Paul Press of yesterday morning, figures editorially as follows, on the result in Minnesota, which we copy, instead of trying to figure ourself, from the jumbled returns:

Sufficient returns have been received to warrant us in venturing an estimate of the results on the State ticket. The returns develop so many lawless excentricities in the vote, and such playful disregard of political precedents, that the data furnished by past experience are to a great extent useless as a basis for present estimates. When such sterling and, heretofore, reliable Republican counties as Mower, Martin, Olmstead, and, worst of all, Hennepin, go against us, it is not safe to rely on precedents as a guide to the existing political status, without some definite present clue to the profound mystery of the popular caprice of the moment, which, like the wind, "bloweth as it listeth, and no man knows whence it cometh or whither it goeth." For these reasons, since the returns began to come in, with their erratic developments, we have prudently refrained from any estimate of results in face of popular aberrations which baffled all conjecture. But enough is now known to justify us in estimating the majority of Mr. Davis at somewhere between six and eight thousand. It cannot, we think, fall below the former figure, and is not likely to exceed the latter. Our opinion inclines to the mean between the two. There are some thirty pretty reliable counties not yet heard from, while the rest are only partially heard from, but though it may seem hazardous to risk an opinion under such circumstances, it is safe to say that the venturesome Democrat who bet that Mr. Davis would not have 5,000 majority has lost his money, and that the enthusiastic Republican who offered to bet that he would have 10,000 would have lost if he had found any takers.

The returns indicate that Gen. Jennison, our candidate for Secretary of State, will probably have a majority of some 3,500 or 4,000 less than Mr. Davis. In other words, he is elected by three or four thousand majority. We regret to say that yesterday's returns confirm our apprehensions that Mr. Grinager is defeated. The counties having a large Scandinavian vote have not rallied to his support as we hoped they would. On the returns already received he is five or six thousand behind Davis and nearly every return aggrivates the disparity. Unless the returns yet to be received bear a different complexion it seems pretty certain that Mr. Grinager is defeated.

TWENTY-SEVEN different kinds of crackers at CANTWELL'S.

THE Rev. Mr. Fisk, of Duluth, will preach at the Baptist Chapel to-morrow, (Sunday) both morning and evening.

ARCTIC Overshoes for the largest man, or the smallest child, at Marshall & Campbell's. 37-tf

A FEW more election tickets for sale at this office—prices very low. It is the tag-end of our original stock of 28,000, which includes 89 different varieties—all for Crow Wing county.

OUR friend, C. B. Jordan, of Wadena, was elected, sleek as a whistle, to the House from his District on Tuesday. We know he'd do it.

CROW WING COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS.

NOVEMBER 4TH, 1873.

Names and Offices.	BRAINERD. 1st Ward.	2d Ward.	3d Ward.	Crow Wing.	Lookout Butte.	Total.
Governor.						
C. K. Davis,	101	108	60	36	16	321
Ara Barton,	49	21	15	5	...	90
Lieut. Gov.						
A. Barto,	100	106	64	5	16	291
Eb. Ayers,	50	24	13	36	...	123
Sec'y of State.						
S. P. Jennison,	101	105	64	5	16	291
J. H. Stevens,	49	25	13	36	...	123
State Treas'r.						
Mons Grenager,	84	97	46	2	...	229
E. W. Dike,	66	32	29	39	16	182
Attorney Gen'l.						
Geo. P. Wilson,	101	107	66	5	16	295
—— Clough,	49	23	11	36	...	119
Dist. Judge.						
Jas. M. McKelvy,	150	129	74	41	16	410
Senator.						
G. W. Benedict,	114	106	65	38	16	339
A. M. Fridley,	36	21	12	3	...	72
Representative.						
M. C. Russell,	100	113	68	37	16	334
Moses Lafond,	50	15	9	4	...	78
Sheriff.						
A. F. McKay,	53	81	56	31	16	237
John Gurrell,	97	47	20	10	...	174
Co. Auditor.						
F. X. Goulet,	68	32	16	35	7	158
F. H. Harvey,	8	21	32	1	...	62
David Stewart,	45	13	5	3	...	66
C. B. Sleeper,	27	57	21	1	9	115
H. A. Hills,	2	3	3		...	8
Register of Deeds.						
T. M. Trudell,	5	7	4	...	...	16
C. W. Darling,	61	59	44	1	16	181
W. W. Scott,	65	19	6	39	...	129
J. S. Campbell,	5	10	7	...	...	22
Wm. Murphy,	13	35	15	1	...	64
Clerk Dist. Court.						
W. W. Hartley,	56	40	39	34	16	185
J. L. Sparks,	49	13	17	1	...	80
A. Mahlum,	2	47	...	...	...	49
Joseph Hare,	43	26	17	6	...	92
County Attorney.						
G. W. Holland,	85	87	47	26	16	261
J. W. Steel,	65	39	30	14	...	148
Coroner.						
Dr. J. C. Rosser,	140	102	76	41	16	375
R. L. Jones,	10	24	...	...	...	34
Co. Commissioner.						
E. Olson, 2d dist.	...	36	...	...	...	36
D. McArthur, do	...	24	...	37	...	61
J. Dalquist, do	...	41	...	...	...	41
W. Beane, do	...	14	...	3	...	17
T. P. Cantwell, 3d	...	...	14	...	...	14
R. K. Whitely, do	...	...	55	...	...	55

IT is astonishing(!) that Mille Lacs county should have made the identical mistake(!) this fall in circulating tickets for us—spelled two ways, but both intended for the same person—as last fall. The same mistake(!) occurred in that county last fall in circulating tickets for Mr. Kellogg; the intention then and now was apparently the same, but the difference then and now is, we can very well afford to do without the 53 votes, and Mr. Kellogg could scarcely afford to lose them. To the friends who supported us in all the counties, and to the precincts in Sherburne, Benton and Crow Wing which gave us such overwhelming majorities, we cannot thank enough; and can only say, "Absent, but not forgotten."

THE Neck-tie Sociable given at the Congregational Society's reading rooms last night, was what might be called an immense success. The rooms were crowded so densely that one could scarcely get standing room. The tables were loaded with everything good, and the sale of neck-ties was lively. Every one, as fast as he found the shade of his tie, commenced an animated search in the throng for the lady who wore one of the same, and the "matches" were all sorts—young men waiting on married ladies to supper, and married men attending young ladies, etc. Grand music, with piano accompaniment, and regular "Gilmore" choruses, was enjoyed, and at last the magnificent cakes were auctioned off at fair rates, making the whole receipts of the evening very handsome, which was to be added to the library fund. Brainerd can beat 'em all on jolly good gatherings of all sorts.

WELL DONE.—By reference to the notice elsewhere, it will be seen that our good friend, M. C. Kimberley, Esq., Chief Engineer of the Minnesota and Dakota Divisions N. P. R. R., has done the right thing, by taking unto himself a wife. This is gratifying news to Mr. Kimberley's friends, who, throughout the Northern Pacific country, may truly be named "legion." He was too worthy a gentleman to be lying about amid single wretchedness, and 'tis well that he has taken his proper position among the noble members of the band of Benedicts. Mr. Kimberley married Miss Mary Gertrude Bloom, only daughter of Mr. C. Bloom, of this city, and no more estimable and excellent young lady ever called the "City of Pines" her home; she is most highly esteemed by all, and is a fit companion for the very worthy gentleman she now calls husband. The happy couple left on the early train Thursday morning, for a short bridal tour, and will soon return, and receive the congratulations of their numerous friends in Brainerd.

FRESH ground Graham Flour at CANTWELL'S.

Go to Marshall & Campbell's for your Arctic Overshoes and winter boots. 37-tf

DISTRICT COURT—CONDENSED MINUTES.

[Continued from last week.]

THURSDAY, OCT. 30, 8:30 A. M.—Court opened in due form. Present, Hon. J. M. McKelvy, Judge; W. W. Hartley, Clerk; Jno. Gurrell, Sheriff.

Case of City of Brainerd vs. Geo. Kenyon, an action for violation of city ordinance, appealed from City Justice. Judgment of Court below sustained. D. O. Preston, City Attorney, J. W. Steel, defendant's Attorney.

State vs. J. C. Walters, an action appealed from Justice Court, judgment below sustained. G. W. Holland, County Attorney, D. O. Preston, Defendant's Attorney.

State vs. Wm. Jones. Defendant arraigned, and plead guilty of the charge in the indictment of grand larceny. G. W. Holland, County Attorney, J. W. Steel, defendant's Attorney, appointed by the Court.

C. A. Ruffee vs. D. S. Mooers, action for debt, settled by stipulation of parties, at $2,076-49 for plaintiff, of which $1,450.00 was paid, and judgment entered against the defendant, Mooers, by stipulation, for $626-45, without costs. Sleeper & Holland, D. O. Preston, Hamlin & Searle, and Attorney Genl. F. R. E. Cornell, plaintiff's Attorneys. J. W. Steel, L. W. Collins, and E. S. Smith, defendant's Attorneys.

Adam Plaine vs. W. W. Hartley, an action on claim and delivery of property, continued, by stipulation of parties, to next General Term of Court. J. W. Steel, L. W. Collins, and E. S. Smith, plaintiff's Attorneys. Sleeper & Holland, D. O. Preston, and Hamlin & Searle, defendant's Attorneys.

E. S. Smith vs. W. W. Hartley, continued, by stipulation of parties. J. W. Steel, plaintiff's Attorney. Sleeper & Holland, D. O. Preston, and Hamlin & Searle, defendant's Attorneys.

State vs. J. Wilson. Defendant discharged by the Court, and bond released.

State vs. M. McMahon. No indictment found, and defendant discharged and his bondsmen released.

A. Mahlum vs. Wm. Kelley and N. P. R. R. Co., garnishee, an action in garnishment, appealed by the N. P. R. R. Co. Judgment of the Court below sustained, and judgment ordered against the garnishee for original judgment and costs.

Court adjourned.

2 P. M., Court opened.

State vs. Jones. Prisoner arraigned and sentenced to one year in State Prison.

Stearns vs. Stearns, a divorce suit, referred to D. O. Preston, Esq.

James Smith vs. Theo. Glann, action appealed from Justice Court, continued to next term. Attorneys, Sleeper & Holland, for plaintiff, D. O. Preston, for Defendant.

W. W. HARTLEY,
Clerk.

SELECT OYSTERS.—A new and fresh supply of "Pioneer" Select Oysters just received at French & Hare's New Le Bon Ton, Laurel Street. The finest ever brought to this market. Go for 'em.

ANY quantity of Cranberries at CANTWELL'S.

THE meeting of the Brainerd Literary Society, on Wednesday evening, at Bly's Hall, was very largely attended by our citizens, and, in fact, the hall was crowded. The exercises were of an interesting character throughout. The principal items in the exercises of the evening were excellent vocal and instaumental music, essay, by Mrs. Iaichner, "Poe's Dutch Raven," by J. E. Wilson, (good for one's health,) the scholarly lecture of Dr. J. C. Rosser, ("Matrimony as a Physiological Necessity.") select reading, by F. H. Harvey, Esq, etc., etc. Next Wednesday evening an attractive programme will be presented—which will be found below—and another crowded house will doubtless greet the Society members.

PROGRAMME.

1 Instrumental music by the choir.
2 Prayer.
3 Music—a chant—to be furnished by the Committee on Music.
4 Essay, by Thos. Bason. Subject, "Intellectual Culture."
5 A Poetical Rescitation.—Comic.
6 Instrumental music by the choir.
7 The Arkansas Traveller, by L. N. Lowe, Esq.
8 Select Reading, by Mrs. J. S. Campbell.
9 Recess 10 minutes.
10 Music—a song—to be furnished by the Committee on Music.
11 Lecture, by J. E. Wilson. Something rich and rare may be expected in this lecture, as those who know Joe, know full well.
12 Poetical Rescitation, by F. H. Harvey.
13 Music by the choir.
14 Close.

W. W. HARTLEY,
Secretary.

SEE Mrs. J. C. Walters' great double-column advertisement on the 4th page. Read it, and learn a thing or two about how to live cheap the coming winter.

AIKEN ITEMS.

Our election is over, and resulted in a selection of competent officers.

The steamer Pokegoma arrived here safely, and has hauled off for the winter. Capt. Russell bade us adieu, much to our regret, his affable and gentlemanly deportment having endeared him to us all.

Venison is plenty with us; also whitefish.

We were visited by some parties from "down river," who contemplate putting up a saw mill at our town. They expressed themselves as being well satisfied, and would commence operations at once. AQUATIC.

NEXT Sabbath morning there will be a union of the Methodist and Congregational churches, for the services of the day. Rev. Mr. Crist having gone to Hobart, Mr. Williams will preach to both congregations, in the morning at the methodist Church, and in the evening at the Congregational Church. The morning sermon will be to the children. Take notice, little folks, and get the front seats.

GOOD AGAIN.—Our good friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lynde, we are delighted to announce, looked into the face of their sweet little first-born on Thursday morning, it being a plump little boy. To say that friend Lynde is proud as a lord, only half expresses it; and we congratulate the happy parents, as do all their many friends in Brainerd, upon this valuable addition to their happy household.

ANOTHER.—A young voter, also, came to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fowler, on the evening of election day—Nov. 4th. The polls were closed, however, previous to his arrival, so we lost his vote. He is said to be a fine little shaver, and whipped the scales up energetically at nine pounds. Next.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—The clergy are so often compelled to condemn popular amusements, that a parson with half a heart must be glad when he can cordially commend any game. A little circle of us have been carefully trying Avilude—a Bird Game—published by West & Lee, of Worcester, Mass., and while it will tempt no one to dissipation, we can frankly commend it as instructive and entertaining. Any father and mother wanting to make home pleasant for the little folks these long winter evenings, and any good boarding house wanting to make the sitting room attractive to the young men, would do well to get the good game. Play it was Christmas now, friends. Don't wait for the holidays, to be happy, but look out sharp for healthy pleasure now—I know the editor thinks, and so says THE PARSON.

FOUR X Family Flour, price reduced, at CANTWELL'S.

APPOINTED.—It is with pleasure that we record the prom otion of our good friend W. H. Shreffler, Esq., to the position of Train Dispatcher Minnesota Division N. P. R. R. at these headquarters. Mr. Shreffler succeeds Major Smith in this position; he has been the Major's assistant the past year, and this fact, coupled with his high accomplishments as a telegrapher and director of trains, especially fits him for the important and responsible place he now holds. We congratulate friend "Shreff," and his promotion simply implies that "merit finds its reward."

PERSONAL.—Our old-time friend, Bell—in former years solicitor for the Pioneer, but now of the Duluth Daily Herald—called on us Tuesday. We were glad to see him. He is one of the best canvassers in the New Northwest.

"FOREST AND STREAM."—We have had the pleasure of examining a number of this beautiful new sportsmen's journal, published in New York. It is a beautiful paper, and as high toned and interesting as it is handsome. There is quite a club of our Brainerd gentlemen who take it, and all are delighted with its weekly contents. The "Forest and Stream" seems to exactly fill a place that has always been vacant in the journalistic world of America, and, as its name indicates, it is largely devoted to the art of hunting, fishing and all kindred topics.

THE NEW IMPROVED "HOWE," and Light Running "Domestic"—two of the best machines ever offered in the market. $1,000 reward for a family sewing machine that equals the "Domestic," and $2,000 for two machines equal to the Howe and Domestic. Mr. Henry Elliott, the agent for these excellent machines, will be found at the Pine Restaurant, Front Street, for a few days, where he will be pleased to exhibit the work of these machines, as well as the machines themselves.

THE best assortment of buck gloves and mitts in the city, at Marshall & Campbell's. 37-tf

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Episcopal Church.—Rev. FRANK E. MIDDLETON, Rector. Services every Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7 1-2 o'clock P. M. Sunday School at 2 o'clock P. M.

Baptist Chapel.—Services every Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7 1-2 P. M. Sabbath School at 12 M.

Methodist Church—Rev. H. J. CRIST, Pastor—Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock, A. M., and 7 1-2 P. M. Sabbath School at 3 P. M. Prayer Meeting on every Thursday evening, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

Congregational Church, Rev. E. S. Williams, Pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 oclock, A. M., and 7 1-2 P. M. Sabbath School at 2 1-2 P. M.

THE FARMING FEVER.—Within the past two months or so, quite a number of our citizens have stepped outside of Brainerd from one to four or five miles and secured an eighty or quarter section of farming land—some as homesteads, others as pre-emptions. It is only of late that our people have discovered that Crow Wing county contains thousands of acres of the most desirable farming and grazing lands that can be found in all the rich section of country contiguous to the Northern Pacific Railroad; but such is certainly the fact. Inside of three years from date we venture to say that our county will contain at least one hundred improved and valuable farms, producing all kinds of crops of a superior quality in great abundance. One reason our county is attracting so much attention in this direction, is the great facilities for reaching a good market, with every conceivable kind of produce—a market where the producer can realize the full value of what he has to sell—which has been afforded by the existence of the Northern Pacific, and its connection with the great lakes. Brainerd is the prettiest location for a city in the northern States; and Crow Wing county, ten years hence, will be one of the most productive counties, to its area, in Minnesota—producing the earliest and choicest varieties of everything in the agricultural, horticultural and floral kingdoms, besides being one of the best stock raising districts imaginable.

CASSIA, Mace, preserved citrons, and seedless raisins at CANTWELL'S.

LUCKY MAN.—We inadvertantly neglected to say last week, that Judge John B. Conant was the lucky man who drew the $160.00 set of marble-top furniture at the raffle at Jo Lamont's store, one evening last week. We congratulate him, and are satisfied that there is much truth in the old adage, "'Tis better to be born lucky than rich."

MARRIED.

KIMBERLY—BLOOM—On the morning of Thursday, Nov. 6th, at the residence of the bride's father, C. Bloom, Esq., by Rev. F. R. Millspaugh, Mr. M. C. KIMBERLY to Miss MARY GERTRUDE BLOOM, all of Brainerd.

A CARD.

The undersigned intends to stay a few days in Brainerd to open up a trade in the sewing machine line.

As we offer some of the very best machines ever presented to the market of the world, we ask for a portion of the public patronage; and, the Howe and Domestic being in every respect first-class machines, we doubt not we shall receive it.

We shall call on as many as possible, at their dwellings. We have no machines to give away, and none to urge on those that do not wish to buy; but for those who wish to purchase, and mean business, we have No. 1 articles, on reasonable terms and easy payments.

We also take orders for the American Co.'s Machine Cotton on bobbins fitted to all the leading machines.

HENRY ELLIOTT & CO.,
Pine Restaurant, Brainerd, Minn.

STRAY STEER.

Came to my place, with other cattle, on or about Oct. 15th, one spotted steer, between the ages of 6 and 8 years, weighs about 1,600 or 1,700 pounds. Can be found at HENRY WHIPPLE'S.

FOR
A good Plymouth Glove, go to
Marshall & Campbell's.
FOR
Arctic Overshoes, go to
Marshall & Campbell's.
FOR
Winter Boots of all kinds, go to
Marshall & Campbell's.
FOR
Buck Gloves and Mitts of all kinds, go to
Marshall & Campbell's.
FOR
Scarfs and Paper Collars, go to
Marshall & Campbell's.
In fact, winter is here, and we must all go to
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THE BRAINERD TRIBUNE.

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THE NEWS.

At Home

HEAVY frosts are reported in Tennessee and Arkansas.

A RAIN-STORM caused much damage in New York and Pennsylvania on Monday. A Girardville, Pa., two children were drowned by the submerging of a vehicle in which they were driving home with their parents.

A CONSIDERABLE number of cotton mills in Rhode Island are running on short time. Some are stopping to make repairs.

NINE canal boats were lost in the storm on the Hudson, a few nights since, involving a loss of two hundred thousand dollars.

GAIT & POST's planing mill, in Oswego, was burned Sunday night. Loss to the firm and other occupants, $40,000; insurance $17,000.

A MONUMENT to Philip Embury, founder of Methodism in this country, was unveiled on Monday at Cambridge, N. Y., in the presence of a large concourse of people. Bishops Kane, Simpson and others, made addresses.

A FIRE at Topeka, Kansas, on Sunday night, destroyed the Commonwealth block, occupied by the Commonwealth newspaper, Kansas Evangelical, and the Kansas Monitor printing establishment, G. M. Crane's book-bindery, Warren's hardware store and Dr. Tiffi's. The total loss is estimated at $100,000 insured for about $60,000.

THE Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad Company have reduced the wages of employes about 15 per cent., which took effect Monday, October 20, in consequence of decreased business of the road as one of the results of the finance al stringency.

SNOW fell at Cincinnati on Tuesday.

THE Supreme Court of Indiana pronounces the liquor law constitutional.

THE freshet along the Oswego and Midland Railroad, through Sussex county, was the most severe ever known there. Thousands of acres of land were overflowed, the water in some places coming to the tops of the fences.

SIX canal-boats were sunk in the storm of Sunday night on the Hudson, three from the steamer Alexis in tow, and three from the Syracuse. All were heavily laden. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS were shipped on Tuesday from Southampton for New York, and $195,000 from Liverpool.

THE Cunard Steamship Company have determined to withdraw their vessels from the East Indian service at an early day, and establish a daily line between Liverpool and New York.

MISS FRAME, a young Quaker lady living near Springdale, Cedar county, Iowa, cut her throat and attempted to sever the arteries in her wrists Monday night while laboring under suicidal mania.

THE Superintendent of the Philadelphia mint reports to the treasury that private parties in Chicago have sent $50,000 in silver bars to be coined in halves, quarters and dimes. This is the first amount received from private parties in a great while. These bars will furnish change to the amount of $62,500.

IRON and coal operators in the Mahoning Valley report a very serious situation. The local banks are unable to aid them, and many are paying their men with three or six months' paper, drawing 8 per cent. interest. Unless relief comes speedily, the majority of the coal mines and iron mills in the Mahoning region will have to shut down.

SILVER is now paid out to a limited extent in Washington. Linderman, Director of the Bureau of the Mint, says silver will be in general circulation on November 1. All the mints in the country have been ordered to work to their full capacity in coining silver.

IN regard to the Treasurer's safe robbery in Andrew Jackson county, Iowa, on Sunday night, the evidence shows that the parties possessed the combination of the safe. A card was found on the floor with the figures on the back which opened the lock. In addition to the $20,000 money taken, several thousand dollars of bills paid by the Treasurer were taken. It is said the late county seat fight has been responsible for the robbery, but as yet no clue is obtained.

AT a meeting of the Western Bar Iron Association in Pittsburg, on Tuesday, it was resolved to reduce the iron 5-10 of a cent, making the present card 3 3-10 cents per pound. Under the existing arrangement as regards wages, this will cause a reduction of from 7½ to 12½ per cent. in the pay of all skilled workmen in iron. A reduction was also made of 10 per cent. on the wages of unclassified labor, such as engineers, firemen, roll hands, laborers, etc. Laborers who have been receiving more than $1.50 per day will now receive $9 per week. The employes who have been working under what is termed the sliding scale will be obliged to submit to a similar reduction.

A THIEF named Moses Williams, confined in the State Prison at Joliet, Ill., professes to know who murdered Hon. Sharon Tindale, at Springfield, Ill., in April.

A TRAIN on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad ran over a horse near Greenwich Point, Tuesday forenoon, and eleven freight cars were thrown from the track. The engineer was killed and the firemen badly scalded.

THE liquor rectifying and distilling establishment of F. H. Corning & Co., of Cleveland, was burned on Thursday; also the oil-still of Morehouse & Rockefeller. Loss $125,000.

THE National Board of Trade adopted a recommendation that a memorial be prepared praying Congress to revise the bankrupt law of 1867.

THE Comptroller of the currency is out with a statement to the effect that, he will in his next annual report to Congress urge the recall of the law authorizing the withdrawal of five million dollars of National Bank currency from the Eastern States for distribution amongst the Western States, they not having their just proportion. At the same time he will recommend that the National Bank notes be increased twenty-five million dollars; and that the whole of this amount be distributed among the Western and Southern States.

GOLDSMITH MAID trotted against time at Dexter Park, Chicago, on Wednesday. The following is the time of the heats: 2:28¼, 2:18, 2:17½.

C. C. COMSTOCK has been nominated for Congress by the Democrats of Grand Rapids district, Michigan.

A FIRE at Carrollton, near East Saginaw, Michigan, Wednesday, destroyed Ballentine & Co.'s salt works and over two million feet of lumber. Loss, $67,000.

SEVERAL railroads reduce wages November first. Since the panic eight to ten thousand persons have been thrown out of employment.

DEFINITE returns from Iowa show that Carpenter's majority is over 20,000. The Senate will be thirty-six Republican and fourteen opposition. The House will have an opposition majority of one or two.

EIGHT hundred and fifty thousand one dollar gold pieces were delivered, on Wednesday, to Superintendent Pollok, at the Philadelphia mint. The gold weighed over a ton and a half.

TEN MILLIONS, making $95,000,000 in all that have been delivered, were sent to the Syndicate in London last week, in charge of clerks.

DURING the year the number of domestic letters sent to the dead-letter office has been 4,133,928; foreign letters received from foreign countries, 268,420. Total, 4,402,348.

IN contradiction to the many reports concerning his forthcoming report, the Postmaster-General states that he has not written a single line as yet of it. He states that he will devote some portion of it to the recommendation of postal telegraphs, and the postal savings banks.

YELLOW FEVER is increasing rapidly at Columbus, Tenn. Calvert telegrams report nine deaths in twenty-four hours from the disease; two deaths and seven cases the past twenty-four hours. Business is almost entirely suspended.

IN the recent fight between the Sioux and Poncas, a Ponca squaw came upon a skulking Sioux, and by a dexterious movement drew a knife across his stomach, causing the Indian to double up. As the red came forward, she grasped his hair, and with another active movement relieved the Sioux of his scalp.

RECENT advices from Illinois and Iowa increase the previous estimates of damages done by the frost to the corn crop in those states from ten to twenty per cent.

THE total amount spent by the Chicago, Alton and St. Louis Railroad Company, consequent upon the Lemont disaster, will exceed the sum of $125,000.

THE post-office at Augusta, Eau Claire county, Wis., was burglarized Wednesday night, and $1,200 in currency and postage stamps, and several drafts on Chicago, were stolen from the safe, which was blown open. The contents of the office were undisturbed. No clue to the burglars.

A PRIVATE dispatch from Calvert, Texas, says: The fever here is worse than at Shreveport. Seven per cent. of the population have died.

A CRAZY man named Lloyd Bell, nearly chopped off Owen Gillen's head while he was sleeping on a bench, at San Francisco, Thursday.

THE Protestant Orphan Asylum at Memphis appeals for aid in providing for orphans under its charge—victims of the fever.

THE last issue of the postal cards show a marked improvement on the paper, finish, and printing. The daily orders are very large, amounting from a half to a million a day. On Saturday last 1,800,000 were issued to postmasters. All orders are filled now as soon as received.

THE American and Mexican Claims Commission have named Sir Edward Thornton to act as umpire. He has accepted the nomination provided his government will consent to his acting in that capacity, which consent he has asked.

THE Internal Revenue office is now conducted at an expense of $2,000,000 per year less than under the former laws. The Commissioner is satisfied with the law as it is, and therefore will make no important recommendation to Congress concerning it.

DR. LINDERMAN, President of the Mint, is in receipt of information from Carson City, Nevada, which shows that the trade dollar is going into pretty general circulation there, especially at the mining regions. For nearly all the silver brought in the miners take the trade dollars, and use them as a circulating medium.

AT Dexter Park, Chicago, on Thursday, Goldsmith Maid, Gloster and Bashaw, Jr., trotted for a purse of $5,000, mile heats. The Maid won in straight heats; Gloster second. Time, 2:23¾, 2:18, 2:22¾. The weather was misty and unfavorable; the track in fair condition.

Abroad.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Paris says it is practically settled that the Assembly is to meet October 23, and a meeting for the restoration of the monarchy will be made November 29th.

ADVICES from South America report that the insurgents of Enetreraries have been signally defeated. A whole batallion mutinied against the rebel leaders, Lopez and Jordan, and have submitted to the federal authorities.

THE sale of The Siecle in the streets of Paris has been forbidden, on account of its having published M. Gambetta's recent speech in Perigueux. M. Bourdeillette, Deputy Mayor of Perigueux, has been suspended during two months from exercising his office, for having allowed M. Gambetta to speak at a banquet, last Sunday, without making any protest.

THE Intransigent fleet has been defeated by the National Squadron, off Cartagena. The fight took place, Saturday P. M., and lasted about two hours. The insurgents' vessels were compelled to return to Cartagena harbor. The government squadron consisted of the Almango, Vittoria, Cormon and two smaller vessels. Admiral Lobos was in command. The Intransigent fleet numbered four vessels.

A Big Foot.

Bruce—we will call him—not long since kept a "general store" in the northern part of the State. A tall countryman stalked into his establishment one day, with his feet encased in moccasins, and planting one of them on a barrel, asked Bruce if he could fit him with a pair of boots.

"Certainly!" said the latter, and after glancing at the foot proceeded to pull down a box labeled "assorted brogans, 11 to 13." Selecting a pair of the former size, he handed it to the countryman with the polite request:

"Try that on."

The elevens were tried, but to no purpose; the combined pulling of a dozen horses wouldn't get those boots on his feet. Twelves were next tried, but with no better success. With an air of assurance Bruce handed him the thirteens, but they shared the fate of the others. The countryman looked blank—Bruce puzzled; but he was equal to the emergency. Quietly turning the box over so as to empty its contents on the floor, he smilingly handed the empty case to the astonished customer, with the request:

"Here, put on a pair of thin socks and try on the box!"

These Were His Jewels.

M. Rossel Bautte and David, of Geneva, the experts chosen by the administrators of the will of the late Duke of Brunswick, were occupied four days, from 8 in the morning until 5:30 in the afternoon, completing the inventory of his jewels. The jewels examined were contained for the most part in a sort of wadded roller case, and fixed and arranged in order—brooches, buttons, rings, &c. The richest diamond is estimated at 60,000 francs, another at 20,000 francs, but many worth only 1,000 francs. The yellow tinted Cape diamonds abound in the collection, whether mounted or isolated. A pair of epaulets and a hat band sparkling with brilliants are mentioned, but the stones are said to be not of the purest water. A very fine black diamond is set down at an immense value, but it will sell only to an amateur who can appreciate it, and should be purchased for a museum, as it is exceedingly old. There is also a statuette in rubies over three inches high.

A Cat Mourning at a Dog's Grave.

Mr. Morgan Hays of this place has a case of feline and canine love that is rather remarkable in the way of animal romance. Some time since a cat of Mr. Hays' commenced showing a strong attachment for a dog belonging to the same gentleman. Pussy was only happy when with the dog, and ate and slept with her canine lover. A few few days ago some ill-disposed person poisoned the dog, and when he was carried out for burial the cat followed to the grave, and sat sadly by during the ceremonies. But the strangest part of the story is yet to be told. Every day since the cat's bereavement she spends most of her time at the grave, and is evidently rapidly declining.—*Washington Review.*

The Old Bridge.

The following, by Miss Emily R. Page, who died in Chelsea in 1866, is the companion piece to "The Old Canoe":

Bowered at either arching entrance
By a wilderness of leaves,
Clustering o'er the slant old gables
And the brown and mossy eaves,
Is the dear old bridge which often,
Often in the olden time,
Echoed to our ringing footfall
And our voices' ringing chime.

Where, from out the narrow windows,
We have watched the day go down,
Till the air was full of twilight,
Soft, and shadowy, and brown;
Till the river, gliding past us,
Gloom upon its bosom bore,
And the shadows, deep and deeper,
Crept along the winding shore;
Till the pale young moon grew brighter,
And the silver-footed night
Scattered stars along the pathway
Of the eve's departing light.

Oh! the dear old bridge has echoed
To the tread of many feet,
Whose sweet music long has slumbered—
Muffled in the winding sheet!
Many voices, too, have sounded
Clear, and soft, and full of song,
Like the ripple of a bird-note
All the ringing roof along.

But the silent angel hushed them,
Many weary years agone;
Yet an echo 'mong its arches
Seemeth still to linger on.
And, as now, within its shadow,
I am sitting all alone—
Flows the river down beneath me,
With a sad and ceaseless moan,
As if grieving for the lost ones—
They who listened long ago,
Leaning from the narrow window,
To the light waves' lulling flow.

And the elm-trees swaying softly,
Let their shadowy dimness fall
Far in on the frowning columns,
And along the darkened wall;
Like the shadows which have drifted
From the death-damps of the tomb,
Wrapping up my glad young spirit
In the mantle of their gloom.

And the golden-fingered sunbeams
Sifting through the broken roof,
Weave upon the dusty flooring
Here and there their shimmering woof;
Seeming like the golden vista
Where my hopes reposed secure,
When the dew of life's young morning
On my heart lay fresh and pure.

Now, though years have swept me onward,
Down the hurried tide of life,
Leaving childhood far behind me,
Like a pleasant matin chime;
Yet from youth's deserted gardens
I am gathering up the flowers
Whose sweet fragrance floateth to me,
Cheering all the languid hours.

For again the shining pageant
Of the long-forgotten past
Floats before me with no shadow
O'er its sunny surface cast.
I forget the many grave-mounds
Which lie dark and cold between;
For the silver lining only
Of the frowning cloud is seen.

With the sunlight round about me,
Bright and glad as long ago,
And the river down beneath me,
With its soft continuous flow;
With the old familiar places
All about me everywhere—
Come again the pleasant faces
That made earth so bright and fair;
And, as then, each passing cloudlet
Seems to wear a golden edge,
As I muse within the shadows
Falling from the dear old bridge.

THE LITTLE LADY.

I was stopping at the Hotel Windsor, at Rue de Rivoli, Paris.

One morning I was smoking in the colonnade, when a tall, elegantly dressed gentleman asked permission to light his cigar by mine. I saw at once that he was a Frenchman, although his "English" was nearly perfect.

"Have you heard the news?" he inquired.

"No."

"Is it possible? Why, all Paris is alive with it at this moment."

"What has happened!"

"The Countess de Marville, the fairest of the fair, was found murdered in her bed last night, her bureau broken open and ten thousand francs missing from it. It was terrible! The brute who did the deed effected his entrance through the window of her chamber, near which, unfortunately, was a tall tree planted by the distinguished grandfather of the Countess years ago. Little did he imagine what a terrible use would be made of it."

"This is bad news. How any man could harm a woman thus in cold blood is more than I can imagine."

"Ah, monsieur, if you had ever seen the Countess you would wonder still more. She was beautiful—beautiful as an angel," he added, stroking his whiskers with an unmistakable air of vanity; "I knew her well."

"Indeed."

"Oh, yes. There are in Paris but very few popular women unknown to me."

His manner now was decidedly conceited, and I felt disgusted. My coldness evidently repelled him, for he soon left me.

Afterwards I heard from other accounts of the late tragedy.

Among the details of the affair was one which peculiarly impressed me—and which my first informant had not spoken of—an oversight which surprised me, as the occurrence he had not mentioned was of that kind which would be most apt to strike the fancy.

Upon the throat of the Countess the murderer, in throttling her, had left a mark from a ring he wore—the impression of a chariot wheel with a star in the centre.

"This," said my latest informant, "may lead to the discovery of the murderer. Jean Mosqueau is already visiting the jeweler's shops to find out from which and by whom a ring with chariot-wheel device was purchased."

"Who is Jean Mosqueau?"

"What, Mosqueau, our famous detective? Although his courage is well known, you would not, to look at his fair, delicate face and form, believe that he could fight a gnat!"

A week later I was aboard the steamer, bound from Calais to Dover.

Among the passengers I beheld one whose face looked familiar to me. I was not long in recognizing this person as the same I had seen in front of the Hotel Windsor, and who had first informed me of the murder of the Countess.

He was certainly a very handsome man, although his conceited air was a blot upon his good looks.

He moved languidly hither and thither, turning his brown eyes admiringly upon the pretty lady passengers, while stroking his whiskers with one white hand, upon the middle finger of which was a superb diamond ring.

I am rather of a suspicious nature, which combined with a lively imagination, had often led me into singular errors.

Now, a strange impulse moved me to advance and hold out my hand to the man whom I had involuntarily disliked from the first, in order that I might have a chance to glance at his ring. Somehow the idea possessed me that I should discover a chariot wheel device upon the glittering bauble.

The stranger did not at first recognize me. He soon did, however, and frankly extended his left hand, which was not the one containing the ring.

My brain fairly reeled; the man's behavior was a confirmation of my suspicions.

"The other hand, if you please," I said, in a low, stern voice.

"Monsieur will please excuse me; my other arm is lame with the rheumatism."

He beheld me glance towards the half-hidden ring, and I was sure I saw him start and turn pale, at the same time looking much surprised. He, however, opened his right hand, as if perfectly willing for me to shake it if I choose.

Then I had a good look at the ring, and felt ashamed of my suspicions. The device was a common heart, which certainly bore no resemblance to a chariot wheel.

After a general conversation to recover my self-possession, I turned away, resolved in the future to have a better opinion of my fellow-creatures.

The stranger's good looks seemed to attract the attention of a good many of the ladies. One especially, a modest-looking little thing, attired in black, kept directing furtive glances at the handsome passenger. Finally she glided so close to him that in turning he brushed against her.

An apology, similarly received by the little lady, a remark about the weather on the part of the gentleman, and the two were soon conversing with animation. Meanwhile the blushing cheek and bright eyes of the fair one seemed to betoken that she was well pleased with her companion, whose air was more conceited than ever.

"I am afraid we shall have a storm," she remarked, pointing towards a dark cloud upon which the captain of the boat was gazing anxiously.

"We may, but do not be alarmed, madame."

With an air of nonchalance he pulled a red cigar-case from his pocket and asked his companion if she objected to a smoke. Then he started, and quickly returning the red one to his pocket pulled forth another of a blue color.

"How many cigars do you smoke a day?" inquired the lady, amused at the sight of two cases.

The other colored, and it struck me that his voice slightly faltered and his hand trembled, as he made some laughing reply.

Soon the storm came pouncing down upon us. We were midway in the Channel, so that we caught the full force of the sea and gale. Both were terrific.

The sea swept the boat, which lay so far over that her machinery was soon damaged so that it would not work. The wind, screaming like a demon, threw her over still further.

Suddenly we observed the sailors endeavoring to loosen a long-boat on the davits at the stern. Meanwhile, there was an ominous grinding, smashing noise under the counter. The truth could not be concealed; we were sinking.

The ladies screamed; the handsome passenger lost his self-possession, and ran hither and thither.

The cool behavior of the little lady in black contrasted strangely with the agitated demeanor of those around her.

There she stood calm and immovable, her bright steel-blue eyes fixed upon the handsome stranger, of whom she did not lose sight for a moment.

"Keep quiet, ladies and gentlemen!" sang out the captain—"Keep quiet, and don't crowd around the boat so! There will be room in it for you all; and, besides, there is a schooner coming to our assistance," pointing to a vessel bowling towards us before the wind.

There was, however, a panic among those addressed. The moment the boat was lowered, into it they all bundled, among them the handsome passenger.

A huge sea coming along, roaring like thunder, parted the tackles, tearing the boat from the steamer before the lady in black or I could enter it. The handsome passenger, losing his balance, fell over the gunwale, and being unable to swim wildly threw up his arms.

I must acknowledge that I was so engrossed with the perilous situation of my fair companion and myself—now the only two left aboard the steamer—that I paid little attention to the drowning man.

The steamer was, in fact, going down fast—was already nearly engulfed in the stormy waves, her heated and half submerged boilers hissing as the steam came gushing out like the spout of a whale.

I was advancing to throw my arm around the little lady, fearing to see her washed away, when, quietly motioning me back with one hand, she seized a coil of rope and threw one end to the handsome passenger. He caught it, when, turning to me, the lady requested me to haul the man aboard. I complied, marvelling at the love and devotion thus shown by a woman to an acquaintance of an hour.

His power over the female sex must be great, I thought. He is conceited but not without reason.

The idea flashed clearly across my mind in spite of my danger. The schooner, however, was very near, and I had every reason to believe that we should be picked up.

I was right. We were all taken aboard the schooner, the handsome passenger among the rest. Then the lady in black pulled forth a revolver, pointing it at the head of him whom she had rescued.

"Out with that red cigar-case!" she said sternly. "I would like to see what monsieur carries in it."

"Why—why," stammered the stranger "what is——"

Before he could say another word, the little Amazon thrust her disengaged hand in his pocket, pulled forth the red cigar case, and opening it, a ring dropped to the deck.

The ring she picked up, and holding it up before us all exclaimed—

"I have found it at last. The jeweler assured me it was the only one of the device in Paris—a chariot wheel! This person is the murderer of the Countess de Marville!"

The handsome passenger stood as if frozen to the deck, making no resistance as the lady in black slipped a pair of handcuffs over his wrists.

"By what right," he then stammered, "do you——"

He paused as the other threw off her dress and false hair, revealing the person of a slender man with delicate, girlish features.

"I am Jean Mosqueau, the detective!" he quietly remarked, "and I robbed the sea of this man that the scaffold might not be cheated."

There is little more to add. The main proof having been obtained, other proofs on the prisoner's trial were brought forth, showing him guilty beyond a doubt.

Long before his execution his name was ascertained to be Louis Rosseneau, a noted adventurer and gambler, who, however, by cool effrontery and a winning address, backed by his good looks, had been enabled to move among the first circles of Parisian society.

IN consequence of not being officially advised of his death, the Bavarian court has not gone into mourning for the late Duke of Brunswick.

"ELI PERKINS" NOTES.

Happy Thoughts.

I SAW a man pulling his arms off trying to get on a new pair of boots, so I said:

Happy Thought—They are too small, and you will never be able to get them on till you have worn them a spell!

I HEARD an officer in the Seventh Regiment scolding a private for coming too late to drill, so I said:

Happy Thought—Somebody must always come last; this fellow ought to be praised, for, if he had come earlier, he would have shirked this scolding off upon somebody else!

I SAW an old maid at the Fifth Avenue, with her face covered with wrinkles, turning sadly away from the mirror, as she said:

Happy Thought—Mirrors nowadays are very faulty. They don't make such nice mirrors as they used to when I was young!

I HEARD a young lady from Brooklyn praising the sun, so I said:

Happy Thought—The sun may be very good, but the moon is a good deal better, for she gives us light in the night when we need it, while the sun only shines in the day time, when it is light enough without it!

I SAW two men shoot an eagle, and as he dropped on the ground, I said:

Happy Thought—You might have saved your powder, for the fall alone would have killed him!

AN old man in Philadelphia, brought a blooming girl to church to be married to her. The minister stepped behind the baptismal font, and said, as he sprinkled water over her head:

Happy Thought—I am glad you brought the dear child to be baptized!

A YOUNG man was disappointed in love at Niagara Falls, so he went out on a terrible precipice, took off his clothes, cast one long look into the fearful whirlpool, and then—

Happy Thought—Went home and went to bed!

Two Mississippi River darkies saw, for the first time, a train of cars. They were in a quandary to know what kind of a monster it was, so one said:

Happy Thought—It is a dried up steamboat getting back into the river!

A POOR, sick man with a mustard plaster on him, said:

Happy Thought—If I should eat a loaf of bread I'd be a live sandwich!

As a man was burying his wife, he said to his friend in the grave yard: Alas! you feel happier than I. Yes, neighbor, said the friend:

Happy Thought—I ought to feel happier, I have two wives buried there!

A MAN "out west turned state's evidence, and swore he was a member of a gang of thieves. By-and-by they found the roll of actual members, and accused the man of swearing falsely; "I was a member," said the man; "I—

Happy Thought—"I was a honorable member!"

"ELI" says Miss Mollie Bacon, of Madison Avenue, observed, as she spread her paniers over four seats in the stage:

"I'm too delighted, dear Eli, to have something, at last, in the tip of the fashion!"

"How so, Mollie?" I asked.

"Why, 'Jennie June' says, 'High-heeled shoes are very much *worn* this winter,' and I've got a pair with six holes in 'em!'"

A Marvel Outdone.

Mr. Finlayson, Town Clerk of Stirling, Scotland, in the latter part of the seventeenth century, was noted for the marvelous in conversation. He was on a visit to the Earl of Monteith and Airth in his castle of Taba, in the loch of Monteith, and was about taking leave, when he was asked by the Earl whether he had seen the sailing cherry tree.

"No!" said Finlayson. "What sort of a thing is it?"

"It is," replied the Earl, "a tree that has grown out at a goose's mouth from a stone the bird had swallowed, and which she bears about with her in her voyages around the loch. It is now in full fruit of the most exquisite flavor. Now, Mr. Finlayson," he added, "can you, with all your powers of memory and fancy, match my story of the cherry tree?"

"Perhaps I can," said Finlayson, clearing his throat, and adding: "When Oliver Cromwell was at Airth one of his cannon sent a ball to Stirling, and lodged it in the mouth of a trumpet which one of the troops in the castle was in the act of sounding."

"Was the trumpeter killed?" said the Earl.

"No! my lord," replied Finlayson. "He blew the ball back, and killed the artilleryman who had fired it!"

Extraordinary Scenes at a Wreck.

A correspondent, describing the wreck of the steamer Agra, off Galle, bound from Calcutta to London, via the Suez Canal, says that after the vessel struck on the rocks the passengers and crew had barely time to escape into the boats, as the seas came tumbling over the sides, sweeping everything before them, carrying away one poor invalid sailor, and bursting open the cages and dens of an extensive menagerie on board going home for the Zoological Gardens. The escape and striking out amid the waves of a crowd of tigers, elephants, &c., and their roars and screams adding to the terror of the wretched passengers, presented a spectacle that will not soon be forgotten. One elephant managed to swim ashore, as did one of the tigers, creating consternation among the inhabitants of the adjacent coast, who are said to be living in a state of siege, not daring to venture outside their barricaded doors. The Agra, which sunk in deep water, belonged to the Red Cross line of steamers, plying between Calcutta and London, and was to have taken a number of passengers home from Ceylon. Her wreck comes on the heels of that of the Arracan, lost the other day on one of the Maldive reefs.

Extravagance and its Consequences.

In passing a house, recently, whose large bay window, filled with blooming flowers, always attracted the eye of every person who passed, I observed, instead of roses and choice plants, there was an ugly plebian card in the window, "For sale, or will rent to a good tenant; price moderate." This house was a miracle of beauty and elegance within. Sumptuous dinners and evening receptions were given there all the years since the war. Madame was very elegant and choice in her company and toilettes. Her husband was a superb looking man. Can it be possible that it was only last winter that they were enjoying such reputed wealth that people were not even astonished when a florist said that his bill for flowers for those rare entertainments were $700 a month? Mr. —— sickened and died in April. His widow and society were shocked when told that every piece of property he owned was mortgaged beyond its value.—*Boston Post.*

TROJAN ROCKING-HORSES.

Startling Discoveries Relative to the "Innards" of Children's Rocking-Horses.

To the vandal declaration which one often hears in these days, and which asserts that there is no practical utility in the study of the ancient classics, a singular and complete refutation has recently been made in France. The French police were struck this summer with the extraordinary number of wooden rocking-horses for children which were being imported into France. Now, in that country, however it may be in this, the policeman is a suspicious animal, having a provoking habit of being always around, of putting this and that together, and of thrusting his peaked official nose into other people's business. Seeing, therefore, this sudden invasion of France by vast herds of hobby-horses, and wondering at this extraordinary "demand of French babies for wooden equitation," he began to think what it could all mean. At this point, the policeman's well-known devotion to classical study served him in good stead. He remembered reading in his Homer, how Troy was ruined by one wooden horse; and he resolved that France should not suffer in a similar way from some hundreds of them. He captured one of the creatures, disemboweled it, and discovered that its body was full of fine foreign cigars—an ingenious, but short-lived device of the smugglers.

The Northwestern Farmers' Convention

The above convention, which assembled in Chicago on Wednesday, adjourded Thursday, after having adopted the following resolutions:

The duty of a Government is to protect its people. Capital directed by unscrupulous minds reaps the profits of this labor. Men of great wealth revel in luxury, while those who earned the money are destitute of many of the comforts of life.

Our State Legislatures have enacted laws depriving us of our land, for which we have a title from the General Government for the benefit of the railway companies, because it was deemed for the public good. Subsidies have been granted them, and Congress has, with a lavish hand, given them public lands, the people's inheritance, and the result is extortion and oppression; therefore

Resolved, By this convention, that we most respectfully, but earnestly, request Congress to pass without needless delay a maximum freight and passenger law, regulating traffic between States; and our Legislatures a law regulating it within the States; and we hereby protest against the further granting of any subsidies whatever to private corporations of any kind.

Resolved, That we demand the construction of railways and the improvement of water communications between the interior and seaboard, the same to be owned and operated by the General Government, for the purpose of affording cheap and ample transportation, and to protect the people from the exactions of monopolists.

Resolved, That to lessen the burdens of transportation is to, as far as possible, do without transportation, and therefore we ask and urge our people to do all in their power to create and sustain, by their patronage, home manufactures.

Resolved, That debt should be held as one of our greatest enemies, that it deprives us of manliness, and, in a measure, makes us slaves; that to live within our means, however small, to pay as we go, will contribute to our success. Recognizing the fact that the people are in earnest, we would urge them to free themselves of this curse, so that if a final struggle must come between the people and monopoly, our houses may be in order, and we the better able to withstand it.

Resolved, That no one industry can be be protected by legislation, except at the expense of all other industries, and that we are opposed to all special legislation.

Resolved, That we recommend the thorough organization of the farmers of the country in local, county, and state organizations, for the purpose of reforming the great abuses and dealing out justice to all.

A Love Tragedy in Illinois.

On the 7th of September Mr. Mack Wood, a wealthy farmer of Mulberry Grove, Ill., went with his wife to a wood near their house to pick plums, but the wife soon returned, saying that her husband had remained to look at his cattle. The following day, a pool of blood was found under the tree near which she had left him, but a careful search by a large number of people for several days failed to discover the man. A month after, a little girl was passing over a field near by with a dog, and the latter was attracted to a certain furrow in the plowed garden, by the odor of decaying animal matter. A search was made and the body of the murdered man was found. It had been plowed in by one Williams, a father-in-law of the victim. Another party to the affair was a young fellow named Henlon, who had been violently in love with Wood's wife, and whose passion had been returned. It is thought that he is the murderer, that Williams, who had a quarrel with Wood, was only an accomplice, while Mrs. Wood knowingly decoyed her husband to his death. Williams and the woman have been arrested, but Henlon is among the missing.

French Politeness.

There are many instances of French politeness current; the story, for example, of the old Duke de Doudeauville, the last of the old school which faded away in Charles the Tenth's time with legitimate royalty. He was slowly coming down stairs one afternoon from a visit, when he met a youngster of twenty bounding up, three steps at a time, to the drawing-room which he had just quitted. Both stopped short. The Duke, by right of age, stood against the wall; the boy, four stairs below him, stood against the banisters. Both bowed low, both were bareheaded, neither would pass the other. This deadlock continued until the young man stepped up, saying, "I obey, my lord Duke; obedience is the first law of youth." This story, however, is remarkably like one of Lord Stair and Louis XIV. The King signed to the ambassador to get into the carriage before his Majesty; Lord Stair bowed and obeyed without any fuss, whereupon Louis observed to his courtiers that a less polite man would have made a ceremony of declining.

The South Carolina Rice Crop.

A partial failure of the rice crop is thus expressed by the Georgetown (S. C.) Planet, of October 11: "The rice crop planted last Spring was a good one, and grew well and ripened ready for the sickle about the latter part of August. At that time the weather that had been quite unsettled, cleared up, and gave promise of fair weather for the harvesting of the crop, but it proved fallacious; for scarcely had the the planters commenced to harvest the grain before the clouds gathered and the rain fell and fell, almost without cessation, for weeks, and rendered the business very doubtful and irksome. Besides this, a heavy freshet, in the rivers adjacent to the fields, overflowed the banks and carried off large quantities of rice that had been cut and stacked ready for the barn-yard. The result is that about one-half of the crop of rice in this county has been lost, and while this comes hard upon the proprietors, it bears still more so upon the laborer, who had worked on contract for a share in the production. In all probability his indebtedness to the planter will absorb the little saved from the wreck."

The Dust of a Rose.

I turn the key in this idle hour
Of an ivory box, and looking, lo!
See only the dust—the dust of flowers;
The waters will ebb, the waters will flow,
And dreams will come and dreams will go,
Forever.

Ah, friend, if you and I should meet
Beneath the boughs of the bending lime,
And you in the same low voice repeat
The tender words of the old love-rhyme,
It could not bring back the same old time—
No, never!

When you laid the rose against my brow,
I was quite unused to the ways of men,
With my trusting heart; I am wiser now,
So I smile, remembering my heart-throbs
then;
The dust of a rose cannot blossom again—
No, never!

The brow that you praised has colder grown,
And hearts will change—I suppose they
must;
A rose to be lasting must blossom in stone;
Ashes to ashes and dust to dust;
Dead are the rose—the love—and the trust,
Forever!

Humorous Items.

A WOMAN'S AILMENT—The stitch.

A LEGAL ATTACHMENT—Matrimony.

LONG DIVISION—A perpetual divorce.

A VEST that should be doubled—The harvest.

WHEN is a man tied to time?—When he marries a second.

LADIES who light up well at night—Those who have lantern-jaws.

A KNIGHT ERRANT—Going for the doctor.

"How I prize you, my dear!" said the jimmy to the safe door.

ANALYSIS is the death of sentiment.—*C. D. Warner.*

MANTON MARBLE paid $100,000 for the last quarter of the World's stock.

WHEN Time shall hang up his scythe he will be no mower.

AN angry man opens his mouth and shuts up his eyes.—*Cato.*

DR. JOHNSON defines a ship as a prison with a chance of being drowned.

MUST a doctor have a license to amputate a game leg?

AMERICA is a fortunate country. She grows by the follies of our European nations.—*Napoleon.*

THE creditors of an absconded banker found, on opening his safe, that the only thing he had laid up for a rainy day was an umbrella.

UPON the marriage of Mrs. Wheat, of Virginia, the editor hopes that her path may be floury, and that she may never be thrashed by her husband.

A PRUDENT gentleman, unwilling to accuse a neighbor of lying, said he used the truth with penurious frugality.

AN Irishman having been told that the price of bread had been lowered, exclaimed, "This is the first time I ever rejoiced at the fall of my best friend."

A DANBURY man woke in the middle of the night to comment upon the extraordinary fact that the heaviest end of a match is its light end.

A GOOD-HEARTED but partially deaf old lady is much disturbed by the talk about the Kickapoo Indians. She doesn't see why anybody should kick a poor Indian.

M. THIERS has not altogether been forgotten. The "Five Milliards Polka" is the name of a patriotic effusion dedicated to him. It is said to be spirited, and is selling very rapidly.

THE man who wanted to take another person apart when he had something to say to him, lately asked for the private ear of a friend, and was told that privateering was illegal.

IT is reported that silver mines, yielding 90 per cent. of pure silver, have been discovered near Copiapo, in Chili. The fortune hunters are flocking thither in large numbers.

A GAY winter in Florence is predicted. The demand for rooms is large and increasing. The English and American elements will be unusually large. Receptions at the residence of the United States Consul will be resumed next month.

A SEA captain, invited to meet the committee of a society for the evangelization of Africa, when asked: "Do the subjects of the King of Dahomey keep Sunday?" replied: "Yes, and every thing else they can lay their hands on."

A CHINAMAN came down one of the main streets of Millerton, Cal., on election day, in a state of inebriation and of joyful exaltation, and thus delivered himself: "Hoop la! me all same Melican man. Hair cut short and dlunk like h—l. Hoop la!"

A PENNSYLVANIA CLERGYMAN has made a good hit by introducing "personals" in his prayers. For instance: "Lord have mercy on John Shanahan, who keeps a saloon near the old red bridge. Either lay him on a bed of sickness or have him removed from this town."

A SUNDAY SCHOOL teacher, explaining the first chapter of Genesis, asked: "Why did God command them to leave the fruit of one tree untouched?" A dead silence. At last a little girl spoke up and said; "Please, marm, I think he wanted them to leave some for manners."

AN inscription on a mural tablet, recently put up in a rural church, is amusing. It ends:

He was neglected by his doctor,
Treated cruel by his nurse.
His brother robbed his widow:
That makes the matter worse.

TWENTY tons of frozen beef were spipped from Melbourne to England in August in the ship Norfolk. The meat had been frozen by a new process patented by Mr. James Harrison, patentee of the method by which ice is manufactured in Australia.

AN Iowa preacher said in his sermon the other Sunday: "Religion in the heart, my friends, is like four aces in the deck; without it no man can hold a certain hand." We have the highest confidence in the piety of that preacher, but we shouldn't like to play a game of poker with him unless we had more money than we know what to do with.

INQUIRING CHILD (reading about the Graphic balloon)—"Father, what does transatlantic mean?" Gruff Father (rusty in his Latin)—"Transatlantic, you simpleton, means, across the Atlantic ocean; *trans* means *across*." Child—"Mother, does transparent mean *a cross parent*, like father?" Scene closes with the boy across his parent's knee.

As a matter of fact, Gen. Butler is in Washington, overflowing with vitality, pugnacity, deviltry, versatility, subtlety, and all the other forces, powers and capabilities that go to make him the most conspicuous man in the country. He will let off a little surplus steam in some cases he has before the Supreme Court, but will have a full head on when Congress me

After Death.

BY M. ELLIOTT.

I.

After the joys of earth are fled,
After the last sad tear is shed,
After the earthly dreams so bright,
After the dark and shadowy night,—
What then?

II.

Only a last and sad farewell
To a world long loved too well;
Only a low and narrow bed
With the long-forgotten dead.

III.

After the Christian's prayers and tears,
After his hopes and cares and fears,
After his earthly work is o'er,
When he gains the heavenly shore,—
What then?

IV.

Oh! then a holy calm,
Resting safe in Jesus' arms;
Wearing a starry crown of gold
Safe within the heavenly fold.

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Silk Culture.

A new and important fact in silk culture has been developed by the Acclimation Society of France, namely, that silk of varied color can be produced by feeding the silk-worm on different leaves. Worms fed on vine leaves produced a silk of magnificent red color, while lettuce has been found to produce an emerald green colored silk.

The "Marshal Neil" Rose.

The "Marshal Neil," a beautiful climbing rose introduced about four years ago, is now foremost among the few that have sustained the reputation given them when first brought before the public. The rose is of a deep canary yellow, of very large size, and of exquisite fragrance. It has received the highest commendations and first-class certificates at all the English flower-shows, and must be regarded as a great acquisition.—*Horticulturist.*

Cleaning Wool.

Many of our farmers pay but little attention when cleaning wool to the kind of water used in the operation; but it will be seen that this should always be taken into consideration. Thus, waters containing lime should be carefully avoided, since this constituent combines with the suint, thus forming an insoluble soap, which seems to produce unpleasant effects in the process of dyeing. For log-wood, red-wood, and dyes of like character, the effect appears to be unimportant; but when quercitron, fustic, and madder are used the effect is quite different, and is often very deleterious.

East Indian Cattle.

Several varieties of these have been imported, and attempts made to naturalize them, but with varied success, and among them the Nagord cattle. They are used in India by the higher orders, to draw their state carriages, and are much valued for their size, speed, and endurance, and sell at very high prices.

They will travel, with a rider on their back, fifteen or sixteen hours in the day, at the rate of six miles an hour. Their action is particularly fine—nothing like the English cattle, with the sideway, circular action of their hind legs. The Nagore cattle bring their hind legs under them in as straight a line as the horse. They are very active, and can clear a five-barred gate with the greatest ease.—*Youatt.*

Canadian Wild Geese.

It has been stated on reliable authority, and we know it to be correct, that the Canadian wild goose has frequently been domesticated. It is interesting to note with what persistency it retains many of its original characteristics, even under the influence of domestication. The color, for instance is unchanged, even when bred for many generations in a confined state. A prominent characteristic of the Canadian wild goose which has been retained under the longest term of domestication to which it has been subjected, is that it will not breed until it is three years old, although it attains its full size in about three months.

Pairing generally takes place in the autumn of the second year, five or six months before the laying season, and we have heard of cases where the site for the nest was selected by the young couple many months in advance of the time when it was actually appropriated. The male is a monogamist—at least he chooses but one mate at a time, and the union is seldom voluntarily dissolved. The female lays from four to seaon eggs in a season—one brood only being reared. Every egg is almost certain to be hatched and every gosling to be reared.

Orchards in Poultry Yards.

No orchard that I have seen, writes a correspondent, surpasses one in which no live stock have been kept other than poultry—hens, geese, turkeys, guinea and pea-fowl. Here is an extensive range, inclosed by a high picket fence. The trees are mulched and manured every year—sometimes in the fall, and sometimes in the spring. Turkeys roost in the trees; so do the other fowls. The geese have a pond fed a brook in which to bathe All the fowls are kept in this orchard that can be with profit. The crop of fruit is bountiful and beautiful. The abundance is due to care in pruning, washing and feeding. Its beauty and perfectness is largely attributed by the owner to the vigilance of the fowls in hunting insects and destroying them. The profits from the fowls are large. It is claimed that they are the most productive and profitable live stock he has, in proportion to the investment. Eggs, chickens, turkeys always bring a good price; and the range he thus gives them, and the comparative freedom, diminishes the amount of care required, and the per cent. of loss from disease that ordinarily obtains where fowls are closely confined. Really, the orchard, with its fruit and poultry products, is regarded the most profitable portion of his investment in proportion to the expense involved in its care.

Water.

Water is the great mechanical power in nature. It is the great leveller; it moves mountains and fills valleys. All our stratified rocks, sandstones, slates, and limestones were formed by the action of water. To the solvent power of water and its chemical action we owe our useful minerals, our metallic deposits, our iron, copper, zinc, gold, and silver ores, and even coal. To its physical properties—we owe all the phenomena of clouds, dew, fog, snow, and frost. It supports the plants, brings them their mineral food from the soil, and protects them from excessive heat. Animals are equally dependent upon it. Yet after all, it is only the agent of the sun; it is sun power that makes flowers grow; it is sun power that makes everything move in the world, and water is merely the sun's agent. The loss of water would produce the same condition of things on earth thas we notice now in the moon. Although we have such a vast quantity of water, yet it is only 1 240,000th part of the earth or 0.0042 per cent. The crystalline rocks at the earth's surface now contain a larger quantity of water than this, and the moment our earth cools enough to absorb four-thousandths of one per cent. of moisture, the ocean will disappear. If we should lose our atmosphere also; the openings or pores in the rocks will receive it by gravitation.—*Boston Journal of Chemistry.*

Preserving Green Fodder.

A method of preserving green fodder, such as turnip-tops, beet-tops, or other succulent vegetables, has been in use for many years in Europe, by which this green fodder is kept in good condition for six or twelve months. A trench two to four feet deep is dug in a dry spot in the field, and the tops of the roots, carefully gathered when free from rain or dew, are thrown into it. They are very compactly pressed down and when the pit is filled, some straw is laid upon the fodder and the earth is heaped over the whole. In this manner this product, which is generally wasted in a great measure, is utilized. On one occasion the writer saw one of these pits opened in the spring which had been filled and covered up the fall previous. The fodder, which was leaves of sugar-beets, was as fresh to all appearance as when gathered, and the cows to which it was fed ate it with avidity. Salt is generally sprinkled upon the fodder and aids in its preservation.

It would be worth while when our root crops are being gathered to preserve the tops in this way as an experiment. It is not probable that there will be any difficulty on account of our colder climate in thus preserving for future use a very considerable amount of winter fodder. The principal requisites are to pack away the leaves when dry, to compress them as closely as possible, and to cover them so completely with earth that all access of air is prevented. It is by exclusion of air that they are kept from decay.—*American Agriculturist.*

Inefficient Farmers.

An Ohio farmer, writing under this caption, makes some very good points, He says: It is an undeniable fact that there is as great a variety among tillers of the soil as among men of other avocations, including the professional. The name farmer does not always imply efficiency. There are a great many owning farms and living on them who are only pretended farmers. If a good crop is obtained, no matter of what it consists, it is no credit of theirs. They are always cutting their wood from day to day through the Summer and Winter, and when the time comes to put in Spring crops there is nothing ready. Their stock is ready to go to the fields, but their fences are all down, and there is no time now to put them up, for their oats must be sown. So their stock is kept in confinement in muddy yards, uneasy and longing to range through fields. Their hogs are fed in the mud, when a few plank put down would add much to their comfort. Oftentimes you will see stock of every description, none of which is fit for any market (save the pelt market). They seem to think if life is sustained, growth will take care of itself. Their calves get lousy, and the sheep have tick, and in their shiftlessness they allow these obstacles to remain.

Now, a thoroughly live farmer can't live in this way, and if obliged to put up with such a state of things, sleep would depart from his eyes, and slumber from his eyelids. "If I can't keep my stock well, I won't keep any," says he, "for poor stock and those poorly kept are worse than none." His wood for the Summer is prepared in the Winter and early Spring, so that as early as possible in the Spring his fences are all put in order before the crops want attention. When the time comes and the ground is ready to work, the crops are ready to put in, both oats and corn. The corn will be hoed and out of the way for clover haying, which comes in June, before wheat harvest. He is now ready for wheat and oats, then for general haying, which consists of timothy and other grasses that mature later. Thus out of the way, and the second crop of clover is ready to cut, from which all the common red clover seed is obtained.

Right here let me suggest that this crop need not lay until nearly rotton to obtain the seed, thereby losing much good feed, but may be stacked or hauled to the barn just as soon as thoroughly cured or dry, In this way much is saved, as the hay after being thrashed will be worth half or more than that of the first crop for feed.

Italy and Germany.

The Berlin Deutsche Nachrichten of the 3d gives the following official definition of the present state of relations between Italy and Germany: "A formal basis of agreement had already been fixed before the visit of the King of Italy to Berlin took place. An eventual offensive and defensive alliance can only be concluded on a well-defined basis, and two military conferences have taken place between Field Marshal Count Moltke and General Bertale Viole, in the presence of other officers of high rank. This will show pretty nearly the nature of the preliminary negotiations. No definite resolutions have been taken by the two allied governments with reference to the steps eventually to be taken by them at the next Papal election. Signor Menghette declared to his diplomatic friends here that the governments looked at papacy from different points of view; that the German Government was guided by reasons of state, while Italy occupied herself with the cardinal points of papacy, namely: the question of the property of the Church, and Switzerland combated the rebellious priests with the aid of the democracy. We believe ourselves to be justified in supposing that the statesmen have discussed the question of an eventual monarchical restoration in France. It has been pointed out that the next election of a Pope may possibly take place at a time when the Bourbons are occupying both the thrones of France and of Spain. In that case a holy alliance of the Jesuitic governments would make it necessary that doubly strict measures should be taken with reference to the next papal election.

OBITUARY poetry is the chief affliction of the Jersey City Journal. "Language," it says, "is inadequate to describe its utter worthlessness. If the friends of dead people don't know any better way to honor their memories than to scribble doggerel rhymes about them, then the 'dear departed' are to be congratulated on having got safely beyond the reach of such friends."

FOUR years ago England imported from Australia £300 worth of preserved meats; last year it was a million in value, and is expected to increase rapidly in amount as the prejudice against preserved meat wears off.

A Wonderful New Geologist.

London Correspondence of the Cincinnati Commercial.

A young geologist has appeared of such wonderful knowledge in certain difficult regions of his science as to have caused great astonishment. This young man's name is Miall, and he is a nephew of the famous non-conformist member of Parliament. He has for some time been the curator of a sort of scientific museum in Leeds, and I believe he has not hitherto contributed anything to the association. But it would seem that he has explored, with singular completeness, all the manifestations upon this planet of a certain animal known to paleontology as the "Labyrynthodon." It is this animal which (as Cherropodion) is supposed to have left its sign manual and pedal in time of the great strata—a supposition which Mr. Miall has exploded. He has searched out this extinct monster, and searched into all its living relatives and descendants, and by so doing solved so many knotty points that old geologists like Sir Philip Egerton and Sir J. Phillips are in ecstacies. Miall had no notes. He spoke off all the histories and dates and figures relating to the "Labyrynthodon" as if it had been his prattle from early infancy. And when he sat down Phillips, the President, arose and said: "This scientific statement places its author at one step in the foremost ranks of geological investigators." The geologists instantly resolved to request Mr. Miall to allow their society to publish at its own expense—and illustrate by suitable engravings—a monograph which they allege will revolutionize their science at an important point.

Funeral of Louise Muhlbach.

A letter from Berlin of the 2d inst. gives a brief account of the funeral of Clara Mundt, better known as Louise Muhlbach, which took place September 30th. The funeral service was very impressive. It was attended by prominent literary men and publishers of the city, Baron von Hulzen, royal impressario, Baron von Koff, son-in-law of Mr. Ihbeer, and other distinguished persons. The large front hall of the dwelling so recently occupied by the deceased was decorated with plants and shrubs. In its centre, on a platform draped in black, stood the coffin, almost hidden by flowers and wreaths of evergreen and laurel. The Rev. Mr. Sydow delivered a touching sermon. He said that, though the deceased had her own religious conceptions, she expressed to him, twelve years ago, at the death-bed of her husband, Prof. Theodore Mundt, with whom for twenty-two years she lived in the most happy wedlock, her firm conviction of the existence of a future life. Then she exclaimed, in the depth of her grief, "It cannot be otherwise. A mind like his, which originated so many sterling works, cannot pass away to nothingness."

Scotch Sewerage in Germany.

An enterprising Scotchman named Aird has lately undertaken to introduce the sewerage farm system into North Germany, and has leased for thirty years, at £1,200 a year, 2,000 acres of the sandy waste which lies between the Baltic and the port of Dantzig. On this hitherto barren spot—which has never been used since Napoleon surveyed it with the visionary design of erecting a Polish Liverpool at the mouth of the Vistula—he is now carrying on operations vigorously. Two hundred acres have been already leveled off, supplied with sewerage in the liquid form, and put into root and garden crops. The ground is visited daily by curious crowds, and the success of this experiment will, no doubt, cause its extension to other towns along the dreary coast, whose bad sanitary condition has been enhanced by the level country around them, the unproductive nature of which makes the experiment peculiarly suitable.

The Last Midnight Sun.

The days have now commeneed to shorten with us, though we are able to read at midnight without the aid of candle-light. On the 3d inst., a party of us climbed the hill so we might look at the midnight sun for the last time; for on the next night it hid its lower limb below the horizon. An island prevented us from seeing the horizon. The sun commenced to disappear behind it, and at midnight all we could see was the upper limb; it then began to rise again. The sun, instead of rising in the east and setting in the west, as we were taught at school, rises here in the north by east, and sets in the north by west. It is now rapidly changing its place of rising and setting, and in six months will rise and set in the south; then it will begin to travel north again.—*Uppernavik Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

Narrow Escape from a Dreadful Disaster.

The New York Evening Post tells a story of a narrow escape from a terrible railroad disaster. An Albany passenger train and a New York passenger train reached Tivoli bridge almost simultaneously Monday night. The night was intensely dark, and a heavy storm of wind and rain swept over the country. The signal light had been extinguished by the wind, and each engineer was ignorant of the presence of the other. Both trains started over the bridge, and when near the centre came into collision, smashing the headlights of the locomotives and parts of their machinery. A truck was also thrown violently against the girders of the bridge. None of the passengers were hurt.

IT RUNS LIKE A PRAIRIE FIRE!—DR. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS runs like a prairie fire. The fame of the Temperance Tonic is, however, but poorly exemplified by this figure of speech; for a prairie fire runs only in one direction, whereas the reputation of the Bitters spreads toward all points of the compass. There is not a square mile of inhabited territory in the United States, where this meritorious preparation is not appreciated. If any theoretical gentleman thinks he is prepared to show that there is "nothing in it," we advise him to go to the Prairie States, in the Mississippi Valley, to the deltas of the Southern rivers, to New England, in fact anywhere within the limits of "Uncle Sam's real estate," and ventilate his views. By so doing he can raise a heartier and more general laugh than has ever yet shaken the sides of an intelligent people. Persons who have been cured can't help laughing at other people, who tell them that the medicine which saved their lives is a failure.—Com.

THE other day a Dublin tutor who had repeatedly to reprimand a youth for inability to find an article if it was the least out of its usual position, came out in a passion with the following: "I suppose if you found your head not on in its usual place some day, you wouldn't know where to go and look for it."

A Cat Cure.

The latest and most approved cure cure for whooping-cough is a kitten. A little boy in Collinsville, Ct., had the disease badly. For his amusement he was given a little kitten, which he held most of the time. The kitten "took sick," grew thin and pale about the gills, and began to whoop and cough in a most distressing manner; the boy rapidly got well, and, after a while, the kitten, also. The remedy is pleasanter than a dose of squills or squalls—pleasant for all except the kitten.

FEVERS seldom make an attack without warning, and may often be thrown off by soaking the feet in warm water, wrapping up warm in bed, and taking two or three of *Parson's Purgative Pills.*

A MISSIONARY, just returned, says he regards *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* as beyond all price, and efficacious beyond any other medicine. It is adapted to a great variety of special cases, and is the best pain-curer in the world.—Com.

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OUR readers should be careful to notice that PROCTER & GAMBLE'S STAMP is upon the bars of their MOTTLED GERMAN SOAP, as all good articles are imitated, and this Soap being so popular, other manufacturers have copied their stamp.—Com.

THE 100th anniversary of the destruction of the tea in Boston harbor comes on the 18th of December, and will probably be noticed in a quiet way.

SAMPLES FREE.—The *Saturday Evening Post*, 319 Walnut St., Philadelphia, gives a beautiful CHROMO to every yearly subscriber.—Com.

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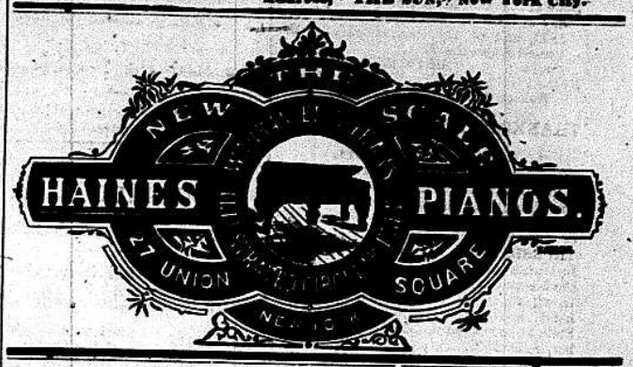

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I therefore recommend that on THURSDAY, the 27th of November next, the people meet in their respective places of worship to make their acknowledgements to Almighty God for His bounties and His protection, and to offer Him prayers for their continuance.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1873, and of the independence of the United States the 97th.

(Signed) ULYSSES S. GRANT.

By the President.
HAMILTON FISH, Sec'y of State.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to law and Proclamation of the President, and conformable to the usages of our forefathers, I, Horace Austin, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do appoint THURSDAY, the 27th day of November instant, a day of thanksgiving to God for the blessings of the year.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed this first day of November, A. D. 1873.

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SUMMONS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Crow Wing County, 7th Judicial District, District Court.

W. W. Hartley, plaintiff vs. E. L. Swaney, defendant.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendant: You, E. L. Swaney, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint in this action, which is on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court aforesaid, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscribers, at their officee in Brainerd, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated October 16, A. D. 1873.

SLEEPER & HOLLAND,
n36 Plaintiff's Attorney, Brainerd, Minn.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by Edward Selander, Robert Kassman, and Salvine Kassman, on the first day of August, A. D. 1872, and running to Horace A. Hills, and which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the first day of August, A. D. 1872, at 9 o'clock p. m., in book "A" of Mortgages, on pages 270, 271, and 272. Said mortgage was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note given for the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, which is over due, and upon which there is remaining due and unpaid at the date of the first publication of this notice, the sum of four hundred and thirty-four and ninety-nine one hundredth (434.99) dollars. Said Horace A. Hills is still the holder and owner of said mortgage, and by virtue of a power of sale therein contained, and the statutes in such cases made and provided, the property in said mortgage described, to wit: lot No. eight (8), in block No. forty-nine (49), in the town of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, according to the recorded plat thereof on file in the office of Register of Deeds of said county and State, will be sold at the front door of the Sheriff's office, in the City of Brainerd, county and State aforesaid, on Tuesday, the 25th day of November, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said sum of four hundred and thirty-four and ninety-nine one hundredth dollars, together with interest thereon from the date of this notice, and costs of foreclosure, and fifty dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA—COUNTY OF CROW WING—ss.

To Thomas Reilly and Margaret Reilly, defendants.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County, on the 12th day of November, 1873, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in the city of Brainerd, in said County, to answer to M. McMahon, in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you upon the evidence adduced by said M. McMahon for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand, this 9th day of October, A. D. 1873.

JOHN B. CONANT,
35-3t Justice of the Peace.

RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Brainerd, that the Fire Warden be, and is hereby instructed to examine into the condition of all stoves, stove pipes, ovens, chimneys, fireplaces, hearths, boilers and apparatus used in and about any buildings within the city limits, and to order such changes therein as he may deem necessary for the safety and protection of the city from fires.

Passed September 22nd, 1873.

Attest: F. X. GOULET, City Recorder.
H. D. PETTIBONE, Pres't Com. Council.
Approved: H. D. PETTIBONE,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of John Anderson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the Judge of the Probate Court of Crow Wing county, has fixed upon the first Monday of each and every month for the next two months, and the Probate Office in said county, as the times and place when and where he will receive, hear and adjust all claims of all persons against said deceased, and that two months have been limited as the time for creditors to present their claims against said estate.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA—COUNTY OF CROW WING: } IN JUSTICE COURT.

Patrick H. Kelley, assignee of the estate of H. A. Hills & Co., bankrupts, plaintiffs, against Nelly Thurston, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1873, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Brainerd, in said county, to answer to the above named plaintiffs in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgement will be rendered against you upon the evidence adduced by said above named plaintiffs, for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this 2d day of October, A. D. 1873.

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