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THE SEEKING OF THE WATERFALL. nothing on the subject, for he was a BY JOHN G WHITTIER.

They left their home of summer ease Beneath the lowland's sheltering trees, To seek, by ways unknown to all, The promise of the waterfall.

Some vague, faint rumor to the vale Had crept—perchance a hunter's tale— Of its wild mirth of waters lost On the dark woods through which it tossed. Somewhere it laughed and sang; somewhere Whirled in mad dance its misty hair; But who had raised its veil or seen The rainbow skirts of that Undine?

of his son John.

cottage ourselves."

I wasn't well enough educated to be a governess, and couldn't sew well enough

to be a seamstress, and, besides that,

mother and I couldn't bear the thought

question. I inclined to books, papers,

and stationery; but mother shook her head, and said, "You know that books

and papers are an almost irresistible temptation to you, Faith, and when you

the profits gained through larger buyers to the poor little things who had only

a penny to spend.'

better do.

They sought it where the mountain brook Its swift way to the valley took; Along the rugs,ed slope they clomb, Their guide a thread of sound and foam.

Height after height they slowly won; The fiery javeline of the sun Smote the bare ledge; the tangled shade With rock and vine their steps delayed. But, through leaf-openings, now and then They saw the cheerful homes of men, And the great mountains with their wall

The leaves through which the glad winds blew Shared the wild dance the waters knew; And where the shadows deepest fell The wood-thrush rang his silver bell.

Fringing the stream at every turn Swung low the waving fronds of fern; From stony cleft and mossy sod Pale asters sprung, and golden-rod.

And still the water sang the sweet, Glad song that stirred its gliding feet, And found in rock and root the keys Of its beguiling melodies.

Meanwhile-below the day was done; Above the tall peaks saw the sun Sink, beam-shorn, to its misty set Behind the hills of violet,

Here ends our quest!" the seekers cried,
The brook and rumor both have lied!
The phantom of a waterfall
Has led us at its beek and call." But one, with years grown wiser, said: So, always baffled, not misled,

The vision of the shining ones. Not where they seem their signals fly, We cannot keep, however fleet, The quick time of their winged feet.

From youth to age unresting stray These kindly mockers in our way; Yet lead they not, the baffling elves, To something better than themselves?

Here, though unreached the goal we sought, Its own reward our toil has brought; The winding water's sounding rush, The long note of the hermit thrush,

The turquoise lakes, the glimpse of pond And river track, and, vast, beyond Broad meadows belied round with pines, The grand uplist of mountain lines!

The best is that of which we dream.

"Then let us trust our waterfall Still flashes down its rocky wall, With rainbow crescent curved across Its sunlit spray from moss to moss, And we, forgetful of our pain, in thought shall seek it oft sgai Shall see the aster-blossomed so This sunshine of the golden-ro

And haply gain, through parting boughs, Grand glimpses of great mountain brows, Cloud-turbaned, and the sharp steel sheen Of lakes deep set in valleys green.

So failure wins : the consequence Of loss becomes its recompense; And evermore the end shall tell The unreached ideal guided well

Our sweet illusions only die Fulfilling love's sure prophecy; And every wish for better things An undreamed beauty nearer brings,

For fate is servitor of love; Desire and hope and longing prove The secret of immortal youth, And nature cheats us into truth.

MY FIRST CUSTOMER.

erty, after all. I might have known h

had just got nicely settled in our coun-

try home-that we were all waiting pa-

tiently for the cow grandfather had gone

cheese we had made—in imagination— when he returned, with no cow, and a

play on it. Grandfather said somebody

scanty parlor furniture the organ was,

orse, and brought our gentle, star-

There were four of us in the family; grandfather, a tall, straight, eccen-

Now you're thinking I added the last

utterly insensible to even the rights of

Grandfather was forever scolding and

finding fault about her, and wondering

how his grave, honest, elder son John

came to have such a good-for-naught

daughter, and always praising me, who

was the child of his second son William,

and saying that I was the comfort of his life, and should have the cottage and grounds when he died, but I "must

promise"-this was the invariable con-

married, which is sure to be before long,

as men are always taken with a pretty

usion-"to take care of Etta until she

pretty, selfish, idle, and vain.

until the morning grandfather suddenly made up his mind that he needed another

for my first customer. O kind allurers, wisely sent, Begulling with benign intent, Still move us, through divine unrest, To seek the loveliest and the best! Mother went into the tiny kitchen and began making cherry-tarts for dinnerwe had an enormous cherry-tree in the "Erelong the flitting glimpse of good Shall rest in full beatitude; And more than all to earth denied Shall greet us on the other side!" Atlantic Monthly, garden-and had just called to me to

come and see how splendid the cherries were, when the store-bell rang loudly, and some one came in and shut the door with a bang. I went out as quickly as I could, and

there stood a rather stout middle-aged gentleman, very red in the face, and Grandfather didn't leave me his propevidently in a very bad temper. "Look at that, ma'am, look at that," vouldn't, because he said he would. said he, as I came forward, holding out Grandfather always did something enhis hand, and directing my attention to tirely different from what he set out to do. the buttonless wristband of his shirt-sleeve. "No buttons, and I buy but-There, for instance, was the day-we

tons by the gross, and, by heavens, there's never one in the house. You keep buttons?"

to buy. Goodness gracious knows how many quarts of delicious milk we had "I'll take one-and you look as drunk, how much luscious cream and though you would sew it on for me."
"With pleasure," said I, going for a
needle and thread, with a smile, for it strawberries we had eaten, how many crocks of sweet golden butter we had hurned, and how many pats of cottage struck me as being somewhat odd that my first customer should want one shirtbutton, and almost demand my services handsome parlor organ. Nobody could as a seamstress, and it was with the greatest difficulty I resumed and kept a ould learn; but nobody ever did, and demure countenance while sewing it on. so we had to try and console ourselves "Um!" said the gentleman, half aloud, as I fastened the thread; "nice, for the disappointment by reflecting what a fine addition to our somewhat

though not handsome, and would wear well, I should think.' I looked up and saw his eyes fixed upon a crimson and green rose-and-bud tidy (one of mother's prettiest patterns), and thought that if it didn't suit him, he must be hard to suit in the way of

tric, obstinate old man; mother, the sweetest and dearest woman that ever After the gentleman had said "Goodday, ma'am," to mother, who came into the store looking as sweet as a roll (bylived-and who should know better than her only child?-myself, a plain, quiet the-by, he was a jolly looking, bluegirl of five and-twenty; and my cousin Etta, just of age, but looking about 17 eyed, rather handsome man when he ceased frowning), and "Thank you, miss," to me, and gone away, we had a dozen or more callers, among them two dear little girls, to whom mother—God three adjectives on account of the first one. But I didn't, upon my word, for I tried my very best to love the blue-eyed, bless her !- gave the two biggest cherry fair-haired, teasing thing when she first tarts, and altogether our first day o came among us, her father and mother both having died during the previous year; but I couldn't; she was so thorshop-keeping was a profitable one, al-though I had refused to take anything for the very first sale I had ever made no, it couldn't have been a sale either oughly wrapped up in herself, so sensible to her own wants and wishes, and so out it was the beginning of my busines

life, anyhow. We soon discovered that the jolly-faced gentleman was owner of the comfortableooking house across the way, Mr. Mul-ahney by name (though that blessed mother of mine always called him Mr. Mullagatawny, after a fashion she had of mixing up names in her mind, as, for instance, calling the baker, Mr. Black, "Mr. White," and our old lawyer, whom we had known for twenty years 'Mr. France," instead of Mr. Paris) and a widower with six children, the

dest only 9 years old. His wife had died nearly two years efore we came to the village, and the ousehold since that time had been in the charge of an old nurse, who, though Of course I promised, although I she loved the children as dealify as she loved their mother, was totally independent of the loved their mother.

hale, hearty man of 70, apparently good for another twenty years' lease of life, (she was sitting under the big cherrywhen one day, having started to build a tree, to which he had found his way in hen-coop, and beginning to dig a well instead, he had a terrible chill, and died in an hour.

And when his will was read, the day

hen-coop, and beginning to dig a well search of Mollie, his youngest—a darling with rosebud mouth and violet eyes), if the work of the work after the funeral, I for one, was very good at breaking hearts—never was, and room where she's fixing something, and little surprised to hear that all his pos- never will be; but, to tell the truth, sessions, with the exception of \$500 to ma'am, we're all at sixes and sevens at out, and the grocer forgot the raisins my mother and \$500 to myself, were left our house. Bless your heart, ma'am, I to "that good-for-naught," the daughter found Rosie and Frankie yesterday after- "Oh dear! oh dear!" said Mr. Mulnoon just about playing tea-party with the blue tea-set I bought here the day as though he meant to tear it out then And it was only a week after the reading of the will when my cousin Etta said before; and what do you suppose they to me, with a calmness and coolness had for tea and milk and pudding sauce, "I will

somewhat astonishing in such a babyish-looking little thing, "You must be look-ing for another home, Faith. I am go-"I'm sure I can't guess, Mr. Mullagatawny," said mother.
"Laudanum in the tea-pot, hydrate of ing to marry James Read"—a young man grandfather had detested—"in a chloral in the milk jug, and arnica in the sauce-boat! Yes, ma'am, they had taken the bottles from my medicine been short time, and we will want the whole So mother and I went up into our chest, which nurse had placed on the room—a fine large square room it was, right over the porch, where the branches ture the canary which Mollie had let out ture the canary which Mollie had let out

of a hundred-year-old oak-tree served us in summer for window-blinds and curtains, and the birds that made their "The darlings!" said my mother, nests there awoke us in the early morn-

ing with their musical chatter-and held a consultation as to what we had more because they are darlings, and I came nearer discharging nurse than I ever did before, and I've been devilish near it before, ma'am; but the young land went for her bonnet and shawl.

| Was frighted at the discount you would stay there forever in the street in the streets in the streets in the streets; houses filled with deal; hundreds stretching their hands ones set up such a hullabaloo that, to of being separated—we never had been since the day father died, ten years before; and we finally came to the constop it, I was glad to let her stay. And so, ma'am, the old confusion and misbefore; and we finally came to the conclusion that a small store was the very thing.

What kind should it be? was the next was the next what I don't know whether I'm eating my breakfast or my lunch, my dinner or my supper."

so, ma am, the old comusion and mission and mission and mission and my though he offer her ever so much, and it is only across the way."

"Please come too, Miss Faith, for my supper."

"I assure you I sympathize with you heartily," said my dear mother. "I believe you do, ma'am. Good-evening," said Mr. Multahney, carrying sleepy little Mollie away in his arms.

find one that interests you, you forget everything else. I think confectionery and fruit would be a good idea."

"Ah, yes," said I, shaking my head in turn; "but you know your weakness is children and now your weakness is children and now your weakness.

"Harry, the oldest, named after his is children, and you'd give away all father, was a frank-faced, merry-hearted boy, immensely pleased when I made him a gay neck-tie, or hemmed his new handkerchief, or arranged a bouquet for

"I'm afraid I should," confessed she, with a smile. "How would millinery his button-hole, "No one does such things for me but you, Miss Faith," he would say, "and I think you're a dar-"That requires some knowledge of ling." the business, and necessitates strange women about us," said I. "The only thing that I can think of as at all suit thing that I can think of as at all suit. I have ever known, brown as a berry. The second child was Lily-a bright she ain't half ssnice as Faith and Faith's able is a fancy store, with a great variable i Faith, Faith, Faithey," was the burden and away back to my ears. of her song; "and when I grow up I "My dear Faith," said Mr. Multahsupport us comfortably all our lives

wish it, and papa consents. store, and in less than a week had found it; a nice new little place in a thriving illage a few miles away from grandfather's-I mean Cousin Etta's-cottage, just completed the very morning the agent sent us to look at it. The street ing the new servant-girl how to can so much more attractive. When mother peaches, and thought he was safe in the returned: on which it stood was the main one of the village, and before the door grew a ing him stories, and reading to him from his favorite fairy-books, and teaching him pretty verses, which he was "Say yes, Miss Faith, Shouter "y, "and we'll have no end of fun." "Say yes, say yes, say yes, say yes, say yes!" teased splendid old hickory-tree, which made it less sad to part with our oak, and directly opposite was a large, comfortable looking house, sitting well back from the very fond of reciting. We had a small Lily.

Lily.

"Yes to what?" asked my mother, road, with half an acre of garden about it. Well that small store did look pretty ant sitting-room, and, when the noise smilingly. when mother and I put the finishing in the big house made him nervous and touches to the contents of the good-sized restless, he would limp over to us, and lie down, his head on a soft little pillow she would be my wife." window, and stepped out on the side-walk to observe the general effect. It was a lovely, sunshiny summer morning, and, feeling singularly hopeful curled up by his side. He was only 6 and sat down upon it, years old, but a wise little chap for his "Why, ma'am, the and cheerful after observing the general effect, I seated myself in the sitting-room at the back of the store and waited here. I was so sick, and papa had to

> sent you here-don't you?" Three more girls followed Robbicmother's tarts) and Mollie, the 2-year-

old baby. The shirt-button I gave away on opening-day" brought us luck, for the Multahney family bought more at our store than any other three families in the village—never going, as some of the well-to do people did, to the neighbor- "Mr ing city for things which we had equally good and cheap, but getting everything could get from mother and me. And, bless me, what a quantity of things hers yet, and perhaps never will be." they did buy !-pins, needles, stockings, handkerchiefs, ribbons, hats, ruffling, laces-all sorts of things. Yes, indeed, the Multahney shirt-button proved a

lucky one. Well, life went on smoothly and happily, mother growing prettier every day, and Mr. Multahney and nurse and the children in and out all the time, and before we were really aware that autumn had left us, behold, it was the day before Christmas!

Mother and I had bought a large assortment of toys and candies, and had been well patronized all day, but were disappointed and surprised when eveng came and 9 o'clock struck and Mr. Multahney had not made his appearance; for the dear, romping, laughing children had confided to us, weeks before, what gifts they hoped Santa Claus would bring them; and, of course, we had procured them all, with the exception of a pony for Harry and a diamond ring for Lily, which articles were a little eyond our means, and had laid them side to produce when the indulgent father asked our advice on the subject, as we were sure he would.

But the clock had scarcely ceased The small store looked uncommonly pretty, dressed in Christmas greens and bright paper flowers (mother had a is estimated at \$10,000.

great knack at making paper flowers, and had taught me so that I made them almost as well as herself), and we had four wax candles on the counter and two in the window besides the regular amps; and I wore my new gray merino dress with a blue bow at the throat and mother in my hair (my hair doesn't ripple and wave as much as mother's. it is the very same color), and mother wore her gray dress with a handsome black lace rosette among the waves "Very pretty indeed!" said Mr. Mul-

ais back upon it and smiling approv-

"But you see, ma'am," said Mr. Mul- of your excellent taste. The children two oldest children came running in,

"Oh, papa!" cried Lily, "nurse says if you don't come back immediately pound on the door when she locks us tahney, grasping his curly black hair

"I will go with you, Mr. Mullaga tawny," said my mother, distressed for the poor man, as she always is for any body in trouble, "and do all I can toward preparing a merry Christmas for

The fact is, mother and I had often been over in odd moments and smoothed things in this tangled household, and made the children presentable before "the master," as the nurse called him, returned home; so we knew the ways of the place as well as we did our own.
"Thank you, ma'am," said Mr.
Multahney. "It's very kind of you; kissing the dear little upturned face of the child on her knee.

"Certainly, ma'am," said Mr. Multahney. "It's very kind of you; and if any body can bring order out of discord, you can. I wish from the bot-

> and went for her bonnet and shawl.
> "Dear me," I thought to myself,
> "can he be going to ask mother to be his housekeeper? I'll never consent,

coaxingly; "we can come back to the store afterward, and-" "And 1 wish you'd stay forever," broke in that darling Harry, who bad been prancing about, flourishing a every aspect, I can scarcely bring my-wooden sword he had taken from the self to repeat the story of what has

"And so do I," said dear little Robbie, Harry, the oldest, named after his putting his arms about my neck. "Don't the horrors of the first few momentary you, papa?"
"With all my heart," said papa.
"Why can't she?" asked Lily drop-

ping the cat and looking earnestly up in her father's face. "We all love her dearly—best of any body but you." The Gray children have a new mam-

I felt the blushes rising to my face and to care for the wounded, even before the spreading all over it, until I must have town was surrounded. Of course the

support us comfortably all our lives long; for of course I shall never marry, being so plain and sensible, as grandfather used to say, and we will never, never be parted;" and I kissed her, and she kissed me in return, with a tensor of her song; "and when I grow up I mean to have a store zackly like this, if papa will let me; or p'r'aps you'll take me for a partner, dear Faith—papa has a partner," and she kissed me in return, with a tensor of her song; "and when I grow up I mean to have a store zackly like this, if papa will let me; or p'r'aps you'll take me for a partner, dear Faith—papa has a partner."

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I stood confused and silent; for, though I liked Mr. Multahney very, and she kissed me in return, with a tender look in her gray eyes, and the very next day we set about looking for the next day we set about looking Then came Robbie, a lame little fel- made up my mind to be an old maid, and, ow, with large, serious, brown eyes and in the next, never having suspected for Czar and the imperial staff; but this tale, wistful face, who had fallen from an instant that he thought of me save celebration of the event, however short the high porch one day (nurse was show- as the daughter of my mother, she being it may have seemed to the victors, was a

nursery) and broken his leg. Mother and I used to spend hour after hour telling him stories, and reading to him from his favorite felly books and tooch.

"Say yes, dear Fairy," whispered Robbie, kissing my cheek.

"Say yes, Miss Faith," shouted Har-

"To a question I've just asked her,

I had made, and on which I had embroidered his name, and his pet kitten er; and then laid her bonnet on a chair years old, but a wise little chap for his years; and I used to smile with a tear in my eye when he said, as he often did, "I don't know how I ever lived "Why, ma'am, there's nothing surprising about my part of the affair," said Mr. Multahney. "A young lady, sunny-faced, sweet-tempered, devoted to before you and Auntie Welton came her mother, endowed, in fact, with more

virtues than any woman I have ever met go away every day, and Harry and Lily before, comes to a country place where went to school, and the little children a poor devil of a widower is struggling teased me awful. I think the fairies along with six young children, and from the very first day she smiles on him his life seems brighter, and ever since that day she and her no less charming mother Rosie and Frankie (round, rosy, dim pled wee bodies, with a great liking for have quietly done all they could to promote his happiness and that of the children, and the children have grown to love them both, and so has the father, too. And I shall be honored, proud and honored, ma'am, if you will accept me for a son-in-law, and Faith for a hus-

" Mrs. Mullagatawny !" murmured my mother. "I never thought Faith would have such a queer name as that. dear me" (in a louder tone), "it isn't "Don't say that," said Mr. Mul-tahney, with emphasis, " or I'll go and

The children set up a howl, Robbie hanging around my neck, and Harry and Lily clinging to their father. "Oh! oh! oh! our darling papa going to drown himself! Dear, dear, DEAR, Miss Faith, you won't let papa drown

Pennsylvania is now engaged in pay ing the fiddler for the music of the July dance of her rioters. A bill has been introduced in the State Legislature providing for the payment of the military for services during last summer's riots, and other attendant expenses. The amount demanded for the payment of troops is \$200,000, and transportation, subsistence, quartermasters' and medi-cal stores, \$325,000. The estimates of the cost of the riots at the Adjutant General's Department exceed the above amounts about \$24,000. These amounts

paid to the three months' and indepen-

dent regiments from Philadelphia.

Paying the Piper.

The Use of Dynamite in Arctic Explorations.

The reports of Capt. Nares, commander of the English expedition to the North pole, point out several novel apwhile dynamite will open the way across barriers of ice hitherto regarded as implosion will rapidly create a passage. ahney, going up to the stove to warm When great masses of ice are encounhis hands a moment, and then turning tered they can be rapidly pierced by tunnels. By causing the simultaneous explosion of several charges, it is posHORRORS OF PLEVNA.

The Frightful Scenes Witnessed by a Newspaper Correspondent. The dispatch of MacGahan to the London Daily News, giving an account of the frightful scenes witnessed in Plevna on the entry of the Russians, a very brief extract of which was telegraphed by cable, is given in full below. It was written before the great snow-storm, which must have aggravated, in a great

and famishing men:
Plevna is full of horrors, and after the turmoil of the past few months the com-plete silence now seems strange and opessive. As I rode into the town along the Lovtcha road the other evening, just after susset, not a sound broke the dead quiet, and the only living thing I met was here and there a stray dog which slunk away to his horrible meal among the shallow graves in front of the redoubts on the hills. With all the vivid recellections of the various incidents of the siege, the most active imagination could not picture the thousandt part of the frightful suffering, the awful misery and wretchedness, that are found within the narrow limits of the town, nor draw the faintest outline of the sickening spectacle, the panorama of ghastly horrors, that is almost unparalheavenward for a morsel of bread or drop of water, and no help that could be commanded to alleviate their suffering or save the wretched creatures from their painful death. Even in the midst of these scenes, which the pen of Dante alone could render, with all the terrible rhythm of the poem attracting every ear with its irresistable force-even after days of constant contact with human suffering in every form, with death in passed in Plevna since the surrender. I have become in a measure callous now

impressions is still so vividly impressed upon me that I cannot refer to it without When the Turks made the sortie they left the sick and wounded, of whom there were thousands, entirely without attendants. There was never a regular ma," said that dreadful Harry, "and hospital in Plevna, the sick being transported to Sophia, and the small ambulance corps was at all times insufficient made, and they joined their lot with those who tried to break through the Russian lines. The day and night of the battle passed, and the sufferers received no food or water, and their fesone of rejoicing with the visit of the long season of horrible suffering for the wretched, helpless captives, who stretched their skeleton hands in vain

toward heaven, praying for a bit of bread or a drop of water. Neither friend nor foe was there to alleviate their sufferings, or to give the trifle needed to save them from a painful death, and they died by hundreds; and before the merning of the third day the dead crowded the living in every one of those dirty, dimly-lighted rooms which served to shelter the wounded from the cold and wet, but confined them in a foul and fetid atmosphere of disease and death.

It was only on the morning of the third day after these wretched, tortured creatures had been left to their fate that the Russians found opportunity and means to begin, first, the separation of the living from the dead, and then the care of the former. The mosques, the largest houses, and many of the small dwellings had been filled with sick and wounded. Overcrowded in every sense, and, as I have before said, from the first without proper attention, these temporary hospitals were, at the best, most filthy and pestilential, and the air was tainted with the stench of undressed wounds, and the corpses that lay unburied in the court-vards.

The first room entered in one of these charnel-houses contained ninety-odd Turks. Of these thirty-seven were dead, and many others on the point of death, Piteous groans came from between rigid lips, and painful cries for water, and some made feeble signs for food. or two of the strongest raised them- and seemed never to bave felt the brush. eyes with such a beseeching stare on with lace after every one else had abansmall room, dimly lighted by a high that in his speech he used valgarisms, window with one pane of glass, was crowded with the forms of thirty or forty instead of caught him, and we sot down, ragged, filthy human beings. Many of instead of sat down. these forms were motionless, and scarceor two who raised with difficulty their engaged in an important case, he prom-"I won't," said I .- Harper's Bazar. need of food. There were faint whispers of "Some water!" "Some water!" concentrated on the half-naked body an old man stretched across the entrance, whither he had dragged bimself in the last hours of his agony in | and his unfortunate appetite was satisthe air was thick with putrid odors, eausing them to turn sick and faint. The old man's hands were clutched in the rigor of painful death on his nude been and meager breast, and his head lay case. do not include about \$70,000 already against the very crack of the door, so that it opened only by rude force. Living and dead were lying together undiscost of the riots, therefore, is \$700,000. inguishable along the walls behind the The cost of the Governor's train, which door and under the window. This room he used in conveying him to Pittsburgh, Scranton and other points of the State, is one of fifty where a similar spectacle is presented. The pavement of the mosques is covered with crouching forms, some moving at intervals, others motionless and silent. Here and there the faces of the dead come out in ghastly relief, with a fixed expression of great agony. Three open oxen-carts began the removal of the dead at once, and as I write

plications of recent scientific inventions.
The electric light will transform into daily supply more freight of this kind day the unbroken night of five months, fection of the hospitals was promptly passible. It is only necessary to lay the cartridges on the surface, and their exwere emptied one after another. After out. Many persons almost put out the and geese, their breasts must also be compelled to serve in place of the sol-"We're trying to rig up a Christmas sible to open up free channels for the tree at our house, Mrs. Welton," he went on to say, "and I'd be pleased to have you and Miss Faith come over as have you and Miss Faith come over as have you and Miss Faith come over as have you and the house of the several charges, it is possible to open up free channels for the passage of ships. If Capt. Nares had in great the stairs by the legs, the heads bump-ing from step to step with siekening the fire is just when the new coal laid on is pretty well kindled. This method is averaged in the stairs by the legs, the heads bump-ing from step to step with siekening that the would have reached the lieved that he would have reached the filthy mud, where they sling them

to pile up the load with a score of half-

of the men who do this work. They perhaps bring out a body still warm, the heart still beating, and the flush of life on the cheek. One says, "He is still alive," and proposes to leave him without stopping to decide the question. The others cry, "Devil take him! He will die before to-morrow, any way. In with him" And so the living goes in degree, the sufferings of the wounded with him." And so the living goes in told me that he doubted not that such consume it. All these plans are useless, cases occurred several times daily. and would fail. The practical methods When the three carts are full they start are; to wait until they rot, to pull them away through the streets toward the ditches outside the town. The horrible out, or to blast them out. This last load jolts and shakes, and now and then method is the cheapest and a body falls out into the mud and is American Agriculturist. lragged into the cart again, and thrown down and jammed in solidly to prevent recurrence of the accident, heartless proceeding goes on in the pub-lic streets, crowded with the men, women and children of the place, the soldiers, the wounded and the sick; and, after so many days of the same spectacle, no one any longer pays any attention to the transport of the dead. Over a thousand

have been already carted away, and from

eyes since I came here. A long de

I have given but a slight outline of

the hospitals come about 100 daily.

tailed account alone could give anything like an idea. Along the streets are frequently seen one or two wounded who have crawled out from the hospital and are dying in the mud. Out on the plain near the bridge over the Vid are bivouacked 15,000 or 20,000 prisoners, fighting for bread, miserable beyond description, in the cold, with hundreds of unburied dead covering the ground near the spot where the first attempt was made to break through. The story of the hospitals, of the prisoners, and of the Russian disasters, all hang on one thread. But the horrors of Plevna are not all in the town. Some are in the valley of the Vid. In the redoubts which the Russians stormed hundreds on hundreds of still-unburied stroy the beauty of the whole orchard. bodies lie; the whole ridge of the wooded | It is also much more difficult to cultivate mountain, the valley beyond and the hill further on, where stand the two remay easily be remedied while the trees doubts overlooking the town taken with are young by partly digging up and reterrible loss by Gen. Skobeleff on Sept. planting them. The roots will be found 30, are strewn thickly with the corpses smallest on the side from which the tree of the Russians who fell on those days. Some of these bodies have loosened from the earth, and the tree set been partly covered with four in a perpendicular position and carefully spadefuls of dirt, but most of fastened by stakes and guys, and the them lie as they fell. Not all as they earth replaced around the roots. It fell, for the dogs have torn away the would be well to add some rich compost limbs of many, and the birds of prey to promote their growth. If, as is very have pecked at the skulls. In the pools of water lie corpses half decayed; pale, one-sided, it should be pruned so as to mummified faces stare at one from every | through the stem; but the best way is to little hollow in the ground, and from look after the young trees and not peramong every clump of bushes. Some mit them to depart from the way of upof these bodies have been put in graves | rightness .- Ohio Farmer. within a day or two, but still the whole region is strewn thickly with these dreadful mementoes of the fight there

nearly three months ago. Around the redoubts the ground is It is interesting to observe how verses across the redoubts, and, under these, dug deep bomb-proof shelters, where they were as safe from harm from the shells as in Constantinople; but the riddled with holes large enough to bury horses in, and all about lie great unexploded shells. Even away back in the ravines where the soldiers' huts are, bullets, fragments of clothes and equipments cover the ground; and one fre quently finds, in the most unexpected spots, long unburied bodies, or, sodden in the path, one sees the limbs of human beings who fell and were left there thin layer of earth over them.

until many feet passing trod hard the Plevna is one vast charnel-house, sur-

passing in horror anything that can be

A Great Lawyer With a Weakness, Luther Martin was one of the most famous lawyers of his time. He was a of-tartar. Flavor with lemon. little above the medium height, and was r, and slovenly in appearance. His dress was One a compound of the fine and the coarse, selves, and fixed their hideous, sunken He wore ruffles at the wrist richly edged those who had come to free them from doned them. These ruffles were conthe company of the dead, that it would spicuously broad, and were always dirty have softened the hardest heart. The with tobacco juice. Judge Taney said

His genius was frequently clouded by ly audible groans were heard from one the excessive use of strong drink. Being bony hands to their lips, to signify their | ised his clients the day before the suit was to be tried not to drink any liquor. He retired to his room, but could not re piteous to hear. The dim light was sist his desire for stimulants. He sent for a bottle of brandy and a loaf of bread, and, after saturating the bread thoroughly with the brandy, he ate it, hope of succor, or at least of a breath fied, and he claimed he had kept his of fresh air; for in the unventilated room I romise not to drink. He tried the a use in the ablest possible manner, but, which burst out when the door was on being reproached by his clients for opened, overpowering strong men, and his virtual violation of his promise, he remarked, "I did not drink a drop; besides, say no more about it. Had it not been for the bread I would have lost the to its genuineness. - Cor. Exchange.

squandered his large earnings at the bar as fast as they were acquired, in his old age, under the goadings of penury, he removed to New York, and received the nospitalities and kind attentions of Aaron Burr, whom he had ably defended at Richmond. Before his death the Legislature passed a resolution that every one on being admitted to the bar should pay \$1 cash for his use. He died and, if the grease is still visible, try on July 10, 1826, when he was 82 years of age, -Baltimore Gazette.

How to Tend a Coal Fire. Replenish a coal fire as soon as the

of black coal covering the red. This when bent back; the birds must always day or two some of the Bulgarians were fire by stirring the grate as soon as fresh very plump, the feet flexible and yellow. coal is put on, thus leaving all the heat diers, and they set themselves about the in the ashes when it should be sent to the new supply of coal. The time to stir and coarse, they are old. For boiling,

oleomargarine.

and swelling, will keep the form good, prevent shrinkage, and dry the leather without hardening it. In the morning shake out the grain and hang it in a bag near the fire, to be ready for the next time of need. time of need. THERE is a current paragraph—with-out credit, but good enough to be true— to the effect that a Connecticut farmer

AGRICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC.

Around the Farm. "BULL BUTTER" is the not-inappropriate name bestowed by the trade upon

THE Chautauqua Farmer recommends

filling wet boots over night with oats, which will quickly absorb all moisture

turned down a rank growth of clover and sowed winter wheat, which yielded twenty-seven and a half bushels per into the cart with the heads or legs ized with clover, and harvested—a fair hanging over the side, and so continue crop of straw, that contained no grain. I FOUND one of my pullets with the aked corpses.

It is horrible to hear the conversation tips of her comb bleeding profusely, it having previously been frozen. She

THERE have been many foolish things with the dead, and is tumbled into the said and printed about saturating stumps grave. I have seen this myself, and the with oil or saltpeter, to cause them to nan who has charge of the disinfection burn out, or to set a length of stovepipe of the hospitals and burial of the dead on the stump to make a draught so as to

> method is the cheapest and quickest .-How to PLANT POTATOES. - My theory, which I have proved in my own practice is this: If the soil is wet and heavy plant shallow, and hill up heavily as the season advances; but if it is light and dry, plant deep, and hill lightly only during a wet season, or more heavily during a very dry one. The reasons are obvious. Never plant two years in suc-cession in the same place, because the

soil wants rotation, and because potato

bugs always are more namerous in last year's field.—S. Rufus Mason. the scenes that have passed before my An intelligent farmer of Northern Iowa spread a light covering of straw over his newly-sown wheat, thinking that the growing grain would readily find its way through, and that during the probable midsummer drought the mulch would help the crop to mature. In this he was not mistaken, for the average on ten acres thus treated was forty bushels to the acre, while on the same kind of land adjoining, with the same seed sown, and as carefully put in, the yield per acre was twenty-two bushels. The increase was thus nearly double, while the straw was in excellent condition to turn under the past fall, and a double benefit con-

sequently secured. OFTEN in a fine orchard we find one or more trees leaning over so far as to deleans; therefore, these roots should be

THE bones of all animal creation are composed of three substances-phosphoric acid, lime and gelatine or glue, three of the best fertilizing substances to produce good seed. But where do furrowed and dug with thousands of the bones of animals come from? Cershells, and tons of pieces cover the tainly from the soil, through the grass, earth. It is interesting to observe how few shells went into the redoubts, or struck the edge of the redoubts. The sheep and hog sent off the farm without majority plunged into the ground just returning a like quantity of bone to the in front. The Turks built great trans- earth causes our land to yield less and less every year, till the land becomes what is called worn out. Beside, every load of hay and every bushel of grain sold off the farm carwhole surface of the bills is literally ries away the same material, as it is the hay and grain that make the bones of cattle, horses etc. Five per centum of all plants are composed of ten mineral substances, of which bone forms a large part, and which comes directly from the earth, while the fat of the ani mals is composed of carbon, oxygen and hydrogen, three of the gases that plants take exclusively from the air, in the forms of carbonic acid and water, which constitute about 94 per centum of all

plants. - Boston Transcript. NUMBER CAKE. - One cup of butter; two cups of sugar; three cups of flour; four eggs; one cup of sweet milk; one teaspoonful of soda, and two of cream-

To KEEP ZING BRIGHT, -One of your correspondents asks how to keep zinc clean and bright. The best way I have ever seen tried is to pour boiling water over it, and rub hard immediately with a dry cloth.—Cor. Sacramento Record GINGER SNAPS.—One cup of brown

sugar, one cup of molasses, two eggs, one cup of fried meat gravy, one tablespoonful of cider-viuegar, two heaping spoonfuls of sods, one teaspoonful of ginger. Flour enough to roll.—Mrs. Nettie Skeels. COOKED CABBAGE. - Cut fine as for raw; put into a kettle and add water to cook until tender; then add one-half cup

of sweet cream; one-half cup of vinegar, in which mix one table-spoonful of flour; season with pepper and salt to suit the taste; let it boil up and serve. To GET RID OF BEDBUGS.-Wash the room and the furniture of the room t ay frequent with salt water, filling the cracks with salt, and you may look in vain for them. Salt seems inimical to bedbugs, and they will not trail through

it. I think it preferable to all ointments,

and the buyer requires no certificate as TAILOR'S CHALK FOR GREASE-SPOTS.-Tailor's chalk is one of the best things to remove grease from dresses. Simply rub the chalk on the spot and let it remain a few hours; or place the dress on the ironing-table with a brown paper underneath; cover the spot quickly with powdered chalk; place another brown onper and a warm iron over that, and let them stay until cold; brush off the chalk, again. - Household.

How To CHOOSE POULTRY FOR THE Table.—Young, plump, well-fed, but not too fat, poultry are the best. The skin should always be fine-grained, clear coals begin to show ashes on the surface; and white; the breast full-fleshed and then put merely enough to show a layer broad, the toes pliable and easy to break When they are red and hard, with bills

# 12 South Main St., on hand a large and well selected stock of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1878.

Congress gave yesterday and the and Morton, of Indiana.

HENRY A. CHANEY, Esq., of Detroit, has been appointed Reporter of the Supreme Court, vice Hoyt Post, resigned. He will enter upon duty April 1.

BEECHER has voluntarily accepted a reduction of his salary from \$20,000 to \$15,000. Cause of such voluntary gen-erosity: the pews did'nt sell as well as discharged, the whole load of shot striklast year into \$12,000 or \$15,000.

BILLY CHANDLER put in an appearance at the New Hampshire Republican Convention, and then an elephant stepped on him. Billy is not a candi- Detroit, was burned on Sunday evening as he was.

Ex-Gov. BAGLEY is reported as urging the re-appointment of "Judge" Edmunds as postmaster at Washington. And Edmunds one of the long-time henchmen of Zach Chandler. Have Baglev and Chandler buried the hatchet?

McCLELLAN AND PENDLETON: the from Ohio. Which cotemporary eleva- 31 and February 1. tion will call up some reminiscences of to the Democracy by the influence of the

breach of promise suit-in which Mulof the Rose-Douglas case of our city: with about equal bitterness.

In HIS lecture on "Charles Sumner' on Friday evening last, Wendell Phil- ment at Jackson. lips took evident delight in "raisin' the Detroit, of the firm of Nevin & Mills, cannot be successfully traversed the Kentucky. questions of veracity must be decided in favor of Sumner.

the only Republican member of the intendents of Poor, \$400 each. House who didn't shake in his boots at | The Jackson County Board of Superstanding committees to investigate the several departments of the Grant Administration. He courted investiga- der what law?

is the first President elected, not in the way contemplated or prescribed by the Constitution, but by counting the that city has been voted out of one of the churches for stealing provisions at a Fuel for office, Fuel for office, names on the tombstones in all the church social. Louisiana graveyards, or as he puts it: The Greenville Independent says that "The Returning Board gave voice to the murdered Republicans of the bull-Langston." five men with clubs and axes a few days ago killed a two-year old bear at Langston. dozed parishes of Louisiana, and made In behalf of Detroit business men Hayes President." What's the use of a Philo Parsons has inaugurated a moveballot-box or an election?

THE Republicans of the Ohio Legislature were unable to agree upon a candidate for United States Senator. Garfield led in caucus for eight ballots and who pardoned him out of jail a year then his name was withdrawn. After ago. The good man now nominates the eleventh ballot it was determined Grant for the Presidency and Roscoe to fire blank cartridges in the two houses on Tuesday. And so they did. Sadly demoralized are the Ohio Republicans.

WE CAN'T jubilate very much over the election of Hon. George H. Pendleton as United States Senator from Ohio. He is a scholarly gentleman, but posgaries for a really safe Senator. How- are names enough to form a powerful ever, he is off the same piece as the average Ohio Democratic leader, and it is to be hoped that assuming some responsibility will have the effect to tone him down and plant him on more conservative ground.

Nor exactly the best evidence of genuine civil service reform: re-appointing "Judge" Edmunds to be postmaster at Washington. The "Judge's" best hold is not in the reform line but as chief engineer of a political campaign: in the clerks and machinery of his office to distribute political documents,- Republican of course. There he is at home. All this talk about his chief sin being keeping Lew. Porter in office until his removal was peremptorily ordered is all bosh. Lew. was every way as respectable an office-holder

A NUGGET of wisdom: this from the inaugural address of Gov. McClellan, of New Jersey, delivered on Tuesday: "A government which has legal-tender coins of different and fluctuating values, and avails itself of fluctuations to the injury of its creditors and benefit of its treasury, becomes a speculator in the markets, loses its character for honesty, and in a pressing hour of need will be sure to find itself, like other distrusted speculators, bankrupt and disgraced." Which ought to shame the modern political demagogue.

Hayes "must take the back track or go to the bow-wows;" that is the way the Post and Tribune puts it. That means that Zach Chandler must be put in charge of the political machine and "hell let loose" again in the South. We shall see whether or no Hayes will c. o. d.—Ann Arbor Argus.

The fact is, His Honor, Mr. Hell, has not been tied up at all. But he has just been enabled to make himself the paramount power in the Southern States. He now rules everything without interruption, whereas, with such men as Chandler to cope with, he was partially checked in his demoniacal efforts to suppress the will of a people that would enjoy the liberty which our constitution guar-antees to all American citizens. — Marshall

Yes, and the following Charleston S. C. dispatch, dated January 11, shows how "he (Mr. H-ll) now rules everything without interruption : "

struction.

Under the old bloody-shirt regime, the "rule" of Chamberlain and the carpet-baggers, we should have heard of coercion, riot, bloodshed, etc. But | c now, in South Carolina and elsewhere through the South, the elections are EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF, Complainant's soli

peaceful and the negroes vote as they please. Isn't the new "Hell" better than the old one.

SAMUEL BOWLES, of the Springfield, Mass., Republican, died on Wednesday day before to the work of eulogizing evening, aged nearly 52 years. Indetwo dead Senators: Bogy, of Missouri, pendent journalism loses one of its most intelligent and indefatigable members.

STATE NEWS BREVITIES.

A singular accident occured in Adrian a few days ago. A young man named Van Sickle was going out hunting and laid his loaded shot gun down upon the table and was putting on his rubbers, when his dog leaped upon the table pulled the gun off and it fell upon the ing the sole of Van Sickle's boot near the toe, and though none of the shot entered the boot, his big toe was driven upward and back out of joint.

The wholesale paper warehouse of Barnes Brothers, 141 Jefferson avenue, date for United States Senator as much last with its entire contents. Loss on stock, \$50,000 with an insurance of \$46,000. The building was owned by Oliver Chaffee, and the loss was fully insured. The adjoining building occu-pied by Hazard and Brewster was badly damaged.

This week Farmers' Institutes, under auspices of the State Board of Agriculture, have been held at Marshall and Paw Paw. Other Institutes will be held as follows: at Tecumseh, January one is now Governor of New Jersey, at Saginaw City, January 28, 29; and the other United States Senator elect at Climax, Kalamazoo County, January

Diphtheria is raging to a considerable the campaign of 1864,—a campaign lost extent in various portions of Genesee County, many cases resulting fatally. A few days since Nathan Crossman, a res-Ohio Democracy in the Chicago Con-vention, and a misconstrued, shaky, and children, there being only one day's difrepudiated (by McClellan) plank in the ference between their decease. The disease has about subsided in Flint.

There were 672 male and 140 female AT Lansing and Mason, and through-out Ingham County, the Howe-Mulkins rection Dec. 31. Of the 812 prisoners now there are 390 vagrants.

kins mulcted Howe in the sum of was found drowned in a creek in Sher-\$3,500 -promises to be the complement man, St. Joseph County, on January 11. George Medler, the notorious burglar the public and the papers taking sides | who broke jail at Mason last summer but was recently captured in Chicago and brought back, was sentenced on the 12th inst. to four years imprison-

The will of the late Frank Nevin, of har" of Gen. Grant, ex-Secretary Fish, disposed of \$106,500 in cash, besides and Bancroft Davis. If his statements valuable real estate in Detroit and in The salaries of the Jackson County sfficers have been fixed as follows:

Judge of Probate, \$1,100; Clerk, \$1,000; Ex-Secretary Cox, of Obio, was \$1,200; Probate Register, \$300; Super-Treasurer, \$1,200; Prosecuting Attorney,

the proposition to authorize the proper visors has voted to pay off the indebted-

The Alpena Argus says that in Alpena According to Billy Chandler Hayes bolts is becoming an important industry. The Bay City News says a lady of

ment to secure the holding the next State Fair in that city.

The good man who owns and edits the St. Louis Globe-Democrat can never sufficiently show his gratitude to Grant, Conkling for the Vice-Presidency, and has no doubt sent marked copies of his paper to each of these illustrious men. It is easy to imagine that Mr. Conkling will not be entirely suited with this ticket, he wants to come first, and as Grant does not want to come second, why not put on Blaine, or make it Blaine and Conkling, or Conkling and Blaine-they're all on the same platform sessed of too many ultraisms and va- now-or Blaine and Kellogg? There

### combination with .- Philadelphia Times NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Estate of Warren Hamilton. State of warren hammton.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw,
ss. at a session of the Probate Court for the
County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Offiee, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the
fifteenth day of January, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Warren Hamilton,
deceased.

seeased. Alexander W. Hamilton, executor of the last will

Alexander W. Hamilton, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the twelfth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor in said county, and show ause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michigan Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearthree successive weeks previous to said day of he ing. WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, (A true copy.) Judge of Probate WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register. 1670

Real Estate for Sale time of the death of said deceased or at the time of said sale, and also subject to the right of dower of the widow of said deceased thereon), the follow-ing described real estate, to wit: Village lots num-ber nine (9) and number ten (10), in block four (4) in Ormsby and Page's addition to the city of Aun Arbor, also the following piece or parcel of land bounded and described as follows, to wit: being a part of lot number five (5), in block number four (4) north of Huron street, in range number six (6), accord-

ot number five; thence easterly along said nort ne ot said lot to the place of beginning. Dated, January'llo, 1878. 1670td OPIS H. OBERT, Administrator.

Chancery Sale. TATE OF MICHIGAN, The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, Frederick Schmid, Senior, complainant vs. Mary E. Ruckman and Silas C. Ruckman, defendants. In pursuance and by virtue of a decree made and entered in the above entitled cause, on the fourteenth Returns from the special election for county officers held in Georgetown County on the 8th instant indicate the election of the whole Republican ticket, which is composed exclusively of colored men. The negro vote was as solid as at any election held since reconstruction.

Dated, January 16, 1878.
FRANK EMERICK,

A NNUAL STATEMENT.

For the year ending December 31st, A. D. 1877, of the condition and affairs of the

WASHTENAW MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. Located at Ann Arbor, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, and doing business in the County of Washtenaw, in said State. ALLEN CRITTENDEN, President. NEWTON SHELDON, Secretary.

MEMBERSHIPS.

cember 31 of previous year, Number of members added during the present Deduct number of mem bers withdrawn during the year, and canceled policies by reason of sale or otherwise,

Number of members now belonging to Company,

Amount of property at risk December 31 of previous year, \$3,878,520 00 Amount of risks added during present year, 325,720 00 Total, Deduct risks canceled, withdrawn, or termi-nated, \$4,204,240 00 274,190 00

Net amount now at risk by Com-Amount of premium or deposit notes now in force, Amount of cash premiums or assess-ments actually on hand, Amount of outstanding assessments not canceled, Nature and amount of all other re-sources, viz.: \$ 782 28 1,365 02

LIABILITIES. Claims for losses due and payable, Joseph McGinness,
Claims for losses not matured,
Claims for losses resisted,
Nature and amount of all other claims,
viz.: Secretary's salary,
Rent of office, Total liabilities,

INCOME. Amount of premium on deposit notes taken during the year,
Amount of cash premiums received during the year,
Amount collected on assessments which were levied during the present year,
Amount collected this year on assessments which were levied in prior years. \$ 304 86 years, mount received from membership or policy fees: members, \$78.00, policy fees, 55.42 fees, 55.42
Amount received from percentage on increased or decreased insurance, income from all other sources, viz: from interest, Balance December 31, 1876,

Total income for the year, EXPENDITURES. years, mount of salary and fees paid to officers and directors as per items in Schedule A,

amount of all other expenditures dur-ing-the year as per Schedule B, Total expenditures during year, SCHEDULE A. President, Allen Crittenden, old account, NAME OF OFFICER OR DIRECTOR TO WHOM PAID. Director, Peter Cook,

John J. Robison,

H. M. Mowry,

E. A. Nordman,

N. Sheldon,

John Cook, services, T. B. Goodspeed, services, Total Schedule A. SCHEDULE B. ITEMS OF "ALL OTHER EXPENSES !

MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS. year? Ans. One.
What is the amount of all assessments made ring the year? Ans. \$6,759.11.
What is the rate per cent. of such assessments the property insured? Ans. .0175 per cent.

Does the Company, in making an assessment, vide therein for any surplus fund over the aclosses accrued? If so, how much? Ans. Yes;

their value.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Ss.
COUNTY OF WASHITENAW, Ss.
Allen Crittenden, President, and Newton Sheldon, Secretary of said Company, do, and each for himself doth depose and say, that they have read the foregoing statement, and know the contents thereof, and that they have good reason to believe, and do believe said statement to be true.

ALLEN CRITTENDEN, President.
NEWTON SHELDON, Secretary.
Sworn and subscribed before me, at Ann Arbor, in said State and County, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1878.

E. B. POND

E. B. POND. 1670 Notary Public, Washtenaw County, Mich.

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, John Blythe and Joanna Blythe, of the township of Manchester, Michigan, on the tenth day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, executed a mortgage to Watson Geer, of the township of Superior, county of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to secure the paymeet of certain principal and interest money therein mentioned, which mortgage was recorded in the oifice of the Register of Deeds of Washtenaw county and State of Michigan, on the seventeenth day of June, A. D. 1874, at five, and one-half o'clock p. m. of said day, in liber fifty-one of mortgages, on page 389; and whereas default has been made more than thirty days in the payment of an installment of said interest money which became due on the tenth day of June, A. D. 1875, by reason whereof and pursuant to the terms of said mortgage, said mortgages elects that so much of said principal as remains unpaid, with all arrearages of interest thereon, shall become due and payable immediately, and whereas there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of eighteen hundred and ninety dollars and eighty-six cents for principal and miterest, also fifty dollars as a reasonable solicitor's or attorney's fee, in addition to all other legal costs, should any proceedings be taken to foreclose said mortgage; and no suit or proceedings having been instituted either in law or equity to recover the same or any part thereof: Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the thirteenth day of April next, at two 'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the south door of the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said countained in said mortgage, to shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, to statisfy the amount of principal and interest claimed to be due, with the attorney's fee of fifty dollars and charges of sale, to wit. All that certain piece or parcel of fand situate and Mortgage Sale.

said mortgage, to satisfy the amount of principal and interest claimed to be due, with the attorney's fee of fifty dollars and charges of sale, to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the township of Manchester, in the county of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows: Being lot "B" on middle subdivision of the northwest fractional quarter of section, number seven (7), township number (4) south of range number three (3) east, containing eighty-one and fifty-five hundredths of an acre, except all lying north of the highway, supposed to be three acres, more or less.

January 18, 1878.

John N. Gott, WATSON GEER, HN N. GOTT, WATSON GEER,
Att'y for Mortgagee. 1670 Mortgagee,

Mortgage Sale. DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made and executed by Vincent S. Taylor and Abigail Taylor, his wife, of on to the vilinge of Saline, county of Washtend State aforesaid, according to a recorded hereof. Dated, January 15, 1878.
td COMSTOCK F. HILL, Mortgagee.

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For the year ending December 31, A. D. 1877,

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SIMON F. HIRTH, President WM. F. BUSS, Secretary. MEMBERSHIPS. Number of members De-cember 31st of previous year, Number of members add-during the present year, Total,
Deduct number of Members withdrawn during
the year, and canceled
policies by reason of sale
or otherwise.
Number of members now
belonging to Company, 871

Amount of property at risk December 31 of previous year, mount of risks added dur-\$2,308,034 00 198,060 00 Total,
Deduct risks canceled, withdrawn, or terminated,
Net amount now at risk by \$2,506,094 (0 131,635 00

Company, RESOURCES. Amount of premium or de-posit notes now in force, Amount of cash premiums or assessments actually on \$1,160 22 hand, Amount of outstanding assessments not canceled, Nature and amount of all LIABILITIES. Claims for losses due and pay-

able, Claims for losses not matured, Claims for losses resisted, Nature and amount of all other claims, Total liabilities, Amount of premium on deposit notes taken during the year, Amount of cash premiums received during the year, Amount collected on assessments which were levied during the present year, Amount collected this year on assessments which were levied in prior years, Amount received from membership or policy fees, Amount received from percentage on increased or decreased insurance, ome from all other sources,

Total income for the year. \$2,380 07 Amount paid for losses during the year, of which none occurred in prior years,
Amount of salary and fees paid to officers and directors as per items in Schedule A.
Amount of all other expenditures during the year as per Schedule B, Total expenditures during year,

SCHEDULE A. \$3,639 22 Simon F. Hirth, President, William F. Buss, Secretary, John Schenk, Treasurer, Jocob Jedele, Director, A. L. Feldkamp, "Algach Rash, Agent, Jacob Rash, Agent, Jacob Rash, Agent, Jacob Rash, Agent, John Keppler, "John Keppler, "John Schenk, collecting fees, A. L. Feldkamp, "Jacob Jedele, Michael Schenk, "Jacob Jedele, "Jacob NAME OF OFFICER OR DIRECTOR TO WHOM

Total Schedule A. SCHEDULE B. ITEMS OF "ALL OTHER EXPENSES. Borrowed money and interest, Printing bill for advertising last year's report, Printing bill for advertising annual meeting.
New blanks for applications,
For the use of the house for annual meeting,
Stationery,
Collecting books for the agents,

Total Schedule B, MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONT. . How many a the year? Ans. One.
What is the amount of all the as 2. What is the amount of all the assessmeats made luring the year? Ans. \$2,124 32.
3. What is the rate per cent of such assessment on the property insured? Ans. One per cent.
4. What is the rate per cent. of such assessment on the premium or deposit notes? Ans. No per yent.

. What amount was re-assessed for as that were not paid? Ans. None.

6. What amount of losses are allowed to accumuate before an assessment is levied? Ans. No extrain amount. 7. Does the Company, in making an a royided therein for any surplus fund ov tal losses accrued? If so, how much?

3. What proportion of the actual loss sustained by a policy-holder does the Company pay? Ans. The company insures at three-fourths of the actual value, and pays accordingly.

Simon F. Hirth, President, and William F. Buss, Secretary of said Company, do, and each for himself doth depose and say, that they have read the foregoing statement, and know the contents thereof, and that they have good reason to believe, and do believe said statement to be true.

Simon F. Hirth, President.

WM. F. BUSS, Secretary.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Ann Arbor, in said State and County, this 14th day of January, A. D. 1878.

1670 Notary Public, Washtenaw County, Mich

Mortgage Sale. Mortgage Sale.

Defaulth having been made in the conditions of a certain purchase money mortgage, executed by Lorenzo Davis to Zacharias Schaal, bearing date Junuvir first. A. D. 1871, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, State of Michigan, on January seventeenth, A. D. 1871, at 10:250 celock a. m., in liber 45 of mortgages, on page 52, which said mortgage afterwards, to wit: on March fourth, A. D. 1871, duly assigned by deed of assignment, by the said Zacharias Shaad to Sarah J, Winner, which deed of assignment was recorded in said Register's office on

uarter section line to the place of beginning.

Dated, January 15, 1878.

SARAH J. WINNER, Assignee.

HENRY WADE ROGERS, Att'y for Assiguee. 1670 Chancery Sale. Chancery Sale.

In Pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Michigan, in equity, made and entered on the fifteenth day of October, A. D. 1877, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Charles J. Howell is complainant, and John W. Cowan, Dorcas M. Cowan, Christian Mack, Frederick Schmid, and John J. Clarkson, are defendants: Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, The Second day, at the front door of the Washtenaw County Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the township of Sharon, county of Washtenaw, and State aforesaid, known, bounded, and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the east quarter post of sec-

number three (3) east in said county, thence north 64° west nine chains and fifty-four links, thence south 35½° west sixty-four links in the road, thence north 29° west fourteen chains and sixty-seven links along the road, thence north 89½° west twenty-five chains and forty-five links along the road, thence south on the center line forty-six chains and sixty-seven links, thence north 65½° east nine teen chains and slxty-three links along the road, thence north 83½° cast five chains and twenty-five links along the road, thence north seventy-one degrees east five chains and thirty links along the road, thence south 14½ degrees west one chain and fifty-nine links along the road, thence north 75° east thirteen chains and twenty-one links, thence north on section line seventeen chains and twenty links to the place of beginning; containing one hundred and forty-four acres and forty-four hundredths. Detroit, January 12, 1878.

ADDISON MANDELL,
Master in Chancery of said Court,
JOHN N. GOTT, Solicitor for Complainant. 1670

Attorney and Counselor at Law.

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## Michigan Argus.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1878. LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Saturday last was a success. \_Mrs. E. M. Henriques and daughter have

gone to Washington to remain for some time. On Tuesday evening Theodore Tilton told a large audience what he knows or suspects about "The Human Mind." -Attention is invited to the new advertise

ment of Joe T. Jacobs. Joe means business. \_I. L. Grinell has removed his sewing -1,600 loads: that was the number Sweet

had dumped in the Court House square on Wednesday afternoon. And still there is room

-The engineers are running a line to determinate where the Toledo and Ann Arbor Railroad can best cross the M. C. R. and find

Stevens will play "Unknown "at the Opera House in this city, for the benefit of C. A. Foster of the Ann Arbor Daily Times. Company A completed its election on Monday evening last, with the following re-

sult: Captain, Sam. B. Revenaugh; 1st Lieu- \$118.92. tanant, William Kay; 21 Lieutenant, William A Hatch, Jr.; Board of Direction, Arthur Worden, Gilbert Bliss, Herman Pistorius Morgan O'Brien, Henry A. Hatch. -A meeting of the " Michigan State Sports-

msn's Association for the protection of Game and Fish" is to be held at Battle Creek Edenary, 5, at 10 o'clock a. m. Senator Barleigh, of this city, is down for a paper "On the necessity for game protection and how to

Mr. A. McReynolds started suddenly, while standing in front of Winslow's picture store, tipped over the carriage and threw out the roung daughter of Mr. McR. and dashed down

thing like this: "The work of laying iron on commenced at Dundee this week," and each time the Argus announcement has proved We are now able to say that the first bar was laid on Saturday last, Rev L. P. Tompkins made a speech to about 200 people | the Leader says: gathered to celebrate the event, and the first veteran of the war of 1812, and 98 years old. holding on to life to drive that spike and to enjoy a promised free ride by rail from Toledo to Aun Arbor-the only condition made by him for a liberal subscription.

Hon. Charles Tripp, one of our oldest busi-

ness men and most generally esteemed citizens iseases, either of which would have sooner arried off a man of less iron will. Mr. Tripp was born in Epsom, New Hampshire, Dec. 12, 1812. He came to this city in 1843, since which behas earned the reputation of a first-class nachinist, and has been a public-spirited and trusted citizen. He has been alderman, superrisor, member of the school board, and in 1854 he Congregational Church. He was well Some time ago a party of six young men of

- Mrs. Mary A. Slingerland, aged 73 years, taken to Ann Arbor Thursday morning. myive her-Mrs. S. D. Goodale, and Mrs. ous Nigger." coulet, wife of Louis X. Goulet, of the Lapeer

- John Kettner, a well-known German resdent for thirty years, died on Sunday evening

UNIVERSITY NOTES. -That Junior Hop - the great event of

wening, February 15. -Wendell Phillips had a very large audience m Friday evening last.

-The "Photographers of the world": those west figure is what the seniors are after. -Thursday next will be observed as the day

prayer for colleges. Prayer meeting at half past nine o'clock a. m. Dr. Cocker will preach in the chapel at 3 o'clock p. m. -The Cincinnati Gazette speaks in highly

ommendatory terms of Dr. Angell's course of ectures in that city, and says that a larger whence will greet him next time, and "would ax the utmost capacity of College Hall." Also that "His style was so clear and simple hat one scarcely noticed its exquisite polish." he Dr. is at home again, looking as if he was

On Wednesday evening next, January 23, eleventh concert in the M. E. Church, on which ecasion will be produced the world-renowned ratorio, "The Messiah," by Handel, under be direction of Prof. Pease, with a selected Whitney of Boston, who took the leading office by writing me. 188 parts at the opening of the Centennial at hiladelphia, and who is claimed to be "the Delroit. Tickets 50 cents; reserved seats now to trace his title to the original patent. low on sale at Samson's without extra charge. Ann Arbor parties desiring to attend can tea

turn on the Pacific. THE CHURCHES.

A Baptist Council was held at Manchester Vesterday to examine, license, and ordain (if passed) the Rev. A. H. P. Wilson. -Last Sunday forencon the subject of Rev.

was "Going! Going!! Gone!!! and in the evening, "Coming! Coming!! Come!!!" man Lutheran Church of Ypsilanti, preached

Mr. Wilson at the Baptist Church, Manchester,

-The Rev. Mr. Stein, pastor of the Gerhis farewell sermon last Sunday. He removes

-"The Doctrine of the Trinity, its Meaning and its Evidence," will be the subject of Rev. J. H. Allen's lecture on Sunday evening; after which questions upon the points involved will

The following is the "score" made by the Circuit Court since our last report: JURY TRIALS.

Simeon Mains vs. Henry B. Jones; endorsement of promisssory note; verdict for plaintiff for \$456 05. 30 days granted defendant to prepare and settle bill of exceptions. Lovatus C. Allen vs. Truman Carpenter; ttachment; verdict for plaintiff for \$437.17; adgment entered for amount of verdict and

Seth T. Otis vs. Lewis C. Risdon; assump sit; verdict for plaintiff for \$1,891.76. bate disallowing his claim against the estate of John Miller, deceased; verdict for appellant David Babcock vs. Oliver H. and Lucy R. Twist; ejectment; verdict for plaintiff for

David Babcock, administrator vs. Oliver H. Twist; trover; verdict for plaintiff for \$269.25. Joslin & Whitman vs. Myron H. Bumpus,

Detroit Stove Works vs. Lewis C. Risdon;

Buhl, Ducharme & Co. vs. Lewis C. Risdon; plea withdrawn, judgment for plaintiff for

\$3,202.06 and costs. Christian Schmidt vs. John A. Pfeifle et al.; udgment for plaintiff for \$621.30. Osband T. Bush vs. Richard O. Willetts and

George N. B. Renwick vs. Michael Fleming, undersheriff; judgment for plaintiff for verdict and costs. John D. Forsyth vs. Truman Carpenter; attachment; trial by the Court; judgment for plaintiff for \$360 and costs.

John W. Blakeslee vs. Truman Carpenter; attachment; plea withdrawn, judgment for slaintiff for \$224.83.

MISCELLANEOUS. Upon application Jacob Knapp and Valen-tine B. Doyle were each admitted to citizen-

William D. Simmons vs. Nathan Bordine; 20 days further time granted defendant to prepare and settle bill of exceptions. In the matter of the appeal of Mary Jane Culp from the decision of the Judge of Property allowing the account of James B. Gott,

guardian : referred to auditors. The panel of jurors was discharged from urther attendance yesterday.

- A special meeting of the Reform Club is day afternoon last by William Noble, of this city, and President Munroe, of the Lodi Club.

Medical College, will address the Reform Club the Toledo and Ann Arbor Railroad will be next Sunday, at 3 o'clock p. m. Subject: "The Riddle of the Sphinx." -The Reform Club didn't get much richer out of the "Streets of New York."

-Of Ald, Bower's recent address at Dexter.

"H. E. H. Bower's address before the Reform Club, on Sunday evening, was fully up to our expectations. Being known to many of our citizens, as a drinking man, his earnest words in tayor of total abstinence carof this railroad, and has been tenaciously ried the greater weight. He expressed, also, filled, and the address, an hour in length, was

> -H. E. H. Bower will address the Delhi Reform Club next Sunday evening.

next-and will keep up a continuous fire for a week upon King Alcohol and his squadrons. On Monday evening H. E. H. Bower, of this city, will be the speaker.

-On Sunday evening last Messrs L. G. North and T. H. Wilcox, of the Department of Medicine and Surgery, addressed the Lodi

SALINE SLIPS.

On Wednesday and Thursday of last week | now ! iss of these several positions to the satisfaction attempt to burn a small barn belonging to of the public. At the time of his death he Wm. Tolliver, was examined before Justice E. sident of the Gas Company, a director B. Clark. He was held for trial in the sum of

of strong convictions, a warm this town forcibly entered the saloon of Vollnend, in short such a citizen as our city can mer at the depot, in the edge of Lodi, and lafford to lose. His widow and daughters frightened the proprietor considerably besides are the sympathies of the entire community. breaking up some furniture. They settled for George Granville, for over forty-seven | \$5 each, then entered a complaint against the ears a resident of this city, and the oldest saloon-keeper for selling liquor to minors. The luggist, died yesterday morning, January 17, saloon-keeper was to have been examined f brain disease. Mr. Granville was born in Thursday of last week but the case was ad-Sagland. He has been an active citizen and journed. In return the saloon-keeper had the parties arrested under the old warrant and

nd widow of Col. Peter Shingerland (once -The Saline Literary and Dramatic associations) beriff of this county), died at 6 o'clock a. m. | tion give an entertainment at School Hall Fria Monday morning last, having been in usual day evening, January 18. Subjects: "The last ealth up to within an hour. Two daughters | Loat" followed by the farce "The Mischiev-

The sons and daughters of gentlemen and ladies in Ann Arbor can be as insolent and illbred as those of the so-called lower orders which we despise. I saw a company of welldressed boys and girls, from 12 to 15 years of be Junior year - is now set down for Friday age, looking on amused, while their volunteer and extemporaneous ring-leader flung bits of frozen ice and snow at the back of an old man as he passed on the sidewalk of one of our streets on Thursday last; and when I remonstrated, one of them, with much sarcasm -On Wednesday evening Prof. Prescott mad a paper before the Detroit Scientific which seemed real wit to the rest, judging by association on "The legal Suppression of day. "Indeed," I answered to this superfluday. "Indeed," I answered to this superfluday. are the fellows a senior committee propose to accommodate me with your names to report to your parents?" But they all became cowards at that point, cowardly and ill-bred as with immediately." Class pictures at the they had already been in abusing the old man, Do we not want education, indeed MORAL as

Important to Real Estate Owners.

To the Editor of The Post and Tribune; I saw in your paper this morning the record of a patent to Charles Spencer, issued in 1835, which has lain in the Land Office in Detroit ocated. The counties embraced in this land Washtenaw, Macomb, Oakland, Livingston, east part of Ingham, and south tier of towns of Genesee and Shiawassee, St. Clair, Sanilac, Huron and part of Lapeer. The title of every city lot and of every farm is worthless unless it can be traced back to a United States patent. Parties owning the land can obtain the patent from this office to put on record by making affidavit of ownership. Any person who cannot find a patent on record in the Register's eventy voices. The "Stars" are Mr. M. W. can ascertain whether the patent is in this office by writing me.

J. B. Bloss,

By request of Register Bloss, of the Land est base singer in America;" Mr. Charles D. Office at Detroit, we give place to the above. oilin, the popular tenor of Detroit; and Miss It is important that every land owneranny S. Cooper, the favorite contralto of whether of village or city lot or farm-be able

CHROMOS GIVEN AWAY, -A pair of choice thome, go down on the 5:20 train, and re- 6x8 chromos is given free to every reader of this notice who will send fifteen cents (postage this notice who will send fitteen cents (postage stamps taken) for a three months' subscription to Leisure Hours, a large 16 page family paper, filled with the best stories, poetry, etc., by the ablest writers. The paper sent will contain the opening chapters of a charming story entitled, "Holden with With the Cords," by the author of "Shiloh;" "My Winter in Cuba," etc. In order to make known this publication to all, the publishers, J. L. Patten & Co., 162 William Street, New York, offer the above subscription at about half price, and also give free such a beautiful pair of chromos as will adorn any dwelling. Double value of money is guaranteed to all who send. \$1,500 is given free to agents.

This from the Manchester Enterprise:

"Sheriff Case, of Ann Arbor, was in town on Monday, having walked from Bridgewater.

We are under obligations to the State Board of Geological Survey for vol. III of the "Geo logical Survey of Michigan, 1875-1876." The volume contains the report of State Geologist Rominger on the Geology and Palmontology of the Lower Peninsula, and is from the pres of Julius Binn, N. Y. In text and illustration it is a superb volume, -creditable alike to the printer, Dr. Rominger, and to the State.

- From Adjutant-General Robertson we

have "The Flags of Michigan" a beautiful and valuable volume, in flexible covers, compiled and printed by request of the Legislature. It In the matter of the appeal of Ignatz Fore-shee from the decision of the Judge of Pro-gives the date of organization, list of battles. date of discharge, and summary of losses of each Michigan regiment serving in the recent of the several regimental flags. - "Out of the World," or "Fables by G. Washington Æsop," extracted from the col-

umes of the N. Y. World, illustrated by F. S. Church, is a unique, humorous, and witty volume. Both text and pictures will command many a hearty laugh at the expense of politicians, Wall Street brokers, and sundry othe plea withdrawn, judgment for plaintiff for classes. And each fable has a moral or so to match. 50 cents. The World, 35 Park Row

- From the Post and Tribune, Detroit, we have "The Michigan Almanac" for 1878, full of information for the State and local politician or business man. Compiled by C. K. Andrew Smith; judgment for plaintiff for Backus, assisted by H. A. Chaney. Astronom ical calculations by Prof. Watson. Price 15

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We are wanting money to pay our Taxes buy our Winter's supply of Wood, and C. H. MILLEN & SON meet first of January bills. Will not our, subscribers and other patrons help us

QUERY: "Why will men smoke common tobawhen they can buy Marburg Bros. 'Seal of North Carolina,' at the same price?"

MARRIED.

CUNNINGHAM—WATERS—Jan. 16, at the redence of the parents of the bride, by Rev. R. dence of the parents of the bride, by Rev. R. I Pope, Mr. William C. Cunningham, of Bay City and Miss Amelia J. Waters, of Lodi.

DIED.

TRIPP—In this city, Jan. 16, Charles Tripp, aged 65 years. Funeral from his late residence, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. FRANVILLE—In this city, Jan. 17, of disease the brain, GEORGE GRANVILLE, aged 63 years, months, and 11 days. Funeral Saturday (to-more) at 2 o'clock p. m. at the house.

WRIGHT—In Ann Arbor town, Jan. 16, of dia-betes, ROYALC. WRIGHT, aged 73 years, 9 months, and 13 days. Funeral from the resipence of H. M. Hicks, at 11 o'clock a. m. to-morrow.

of the condition of the First National Bank of Ann Arbor At Ann Arbor, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business, Dec. 28, 1877. RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, - - -4.725.00 \$492,060,37 LIABILITIES. apital stock paid in, - -

National bank notes outstanding, Indivić ual deposits sub-ject to check, Demand, certificates of 32.806.62 Notes and bills re-discounted. -

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, 1878. W. A. TOLCHARD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest, E. WELLS, PHILIP BACH, H. ARNOLD,

Estate of William Crosby.

Estate of William Crosby.

JTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw,
Jes. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the
Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made
on the 14th day of January. A. D. 1878, six months
from that date were allowed for creditors to present
their claims against the estate of William Crosby,
late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their
claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office
in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 15th day of July
next, and that such claims will be heard before said
Court on Saturday, the 13th day of April, and
on Monday, the 15th day of July next, at ten
o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.
Dated, Ann Arbor, January 14, A. D. 1878.
WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
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Estate of Catharine Pidd. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the twelfth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Catharine Pidd, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Catharine Pidd, deceased.

Edward Drake, administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the ninth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in saidestate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michigan Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,

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Judge of Probate.

WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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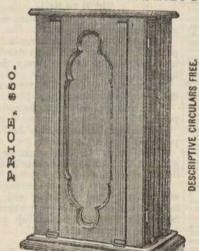
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Ann Arbor, Jan. 2, 1878.

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any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine to be imposed by the Justice of the Peace trying the offender, not to exceed ten dollars, or in the discretion of the said Justice by imprisonment in the Washtenaw county jail for a period of time not exceeding thirty days.

SEC. 7. This ordinance shall be published for two weeks successively in the Michigan Argua, a newspaper published in the city of Ann Arbor, and shall take effect at the expiration fifteen days after the first insertion in said paper.

Made and passed in Common Council, this 7th day of January, 1878.

ADAM D. SEYLEIR,

Recorder. 1669w2 Mayor.

Estate of Aaron B. Vanatta. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for th County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the secon-day of January, in the year one thousand eigh hundred and seventy-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate In the matter of the estate of Aaron B. Vanatte decreased.

In the matter of the estate of Anron B. Vanatta, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Albert F. Vanatta, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that Albert F. Vanatta and George B. Vanatta may be appointed executors thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the fifth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forence, be assigned for the hearinged said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michagan Aryus, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy.]

Wh. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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Estate of Fidelus Sekinger.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fourth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michigan Argus, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. vious to said day of hearing.
WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN.

Estate of Justin Kellogg. TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the county
of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the
city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the fifth day
of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.
Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Justin Kellogg,
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law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michigan Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

said day of hearing.
WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, (A true copy.) Judge of Probate Wm. G. Dory, Probate Register. 166 Estate of Calvin T. Burnett. State of Carvan L. Burnett,
S. S. At a session of the Probate Court for the
County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the
fifth day of January, in the year one thousand
eight hundred and seventy-eight.
Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Calvin T. Burnett,
deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Calvin T. Burnett, occased.

Ann E. Burnett, administratrix of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administratrix.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the second day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said administratrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by of said account and the hearing thereof, by of said account and the county and the members of this order to be published in the Michigan Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIAND HARRIMAN

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, (A true copy). Judge of Probate. Wm. G. Dory, Probate Register. 1669

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw,
s. At a session of the Probate Court for the
County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office,
in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the
second day of January, in the year one thousand
eight hundred and seventy-eight.
Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Frederick Miller,
deceased. eceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified

Noah W. Cheever, the guardian of said ward,

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the second day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Schneeberger, decreased

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

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Michael Haab, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that John G. Feldkamp may be appointed executor thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the twenty sixth day of January, inst., at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said peritioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Michigan Aryus, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,

(A true copy)

W. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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Estate of Henry Depew.

day of hearing. WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
WM. G. Dory, Probate Register. 1667td

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE of MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of Hamilton Vanatta, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the twenty-seventh day of July, A. D. 1877, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the residence of J. B. Vanatta, in the township of Salem, in the county of Washtenaw in said State, on Tucsday, the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1878, at one o'clock in the atternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, and also subject to the right of dower of Nancy C. Vanatta, widow of said deceased therein, the following described real estate to wit: Forty-three and three one-hundredths (43 3-100) acres off from the east side of the west half of the northeast qurret of section eighteen (18), except five (5) acres off from the south end of said parcel, being in town one (1) south, range seven (7) east (Salem), Washtenaw county, Michigan.

Dated, December 24, 1877.

NEWLAND C. CARPENTER,

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igan, cember 24, 1877. NEWLAND C. CARPENTER, Administrator

remises are situated), on the ninteenth day uary. A. D. 1878, at 2 o'clock in the after

aid day.
Dated, January 4, A. D. 1878,
JOSIAH S. CASE, Sheriff. MILLARD & BEAN, Atty's for Plaintiffs, Adrian, Mich.

Chancery Sale. STATE OF MICHIGAN: The Circuit Court for Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancer made and entered on the third day of July, A. 1877, in the above entitled cause therein pending Notice is hereby given, that I, Charles R. Whiman, one of the Circuit Court Commission ers in and for the County of Washtenaw at State of Michigan, will sell at public auctic or vendue to the highest bidder, at the from the county of Mashtenaw at City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw on Monday, the twenty-register of Washtena on Monday, the twenty-register of Washtena and D. 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of sa day, all that certain piece or parcel of land situal in the Village of Saline, County of Washtena and State of Michigan, described as follows, to will Lot number eight and the east half of lot number seven, in section eleven, in said Village of Salin according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated, December 11, A. D. 1877.

CHAS. R. WHITMAN.

Circuit Court Comm'r, Washtenaw Co., Mich.

A. J. Sawyer, Solicitor for Complainant. 1665

DEFAULT has been made in the conditions of a John W. Maynard and Mary J. Maynard, his wife to Alfred B. Wood, on the second day of N.

of hearing. WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, (A true copy.)

WM. G. Dory, Probate Register.

Estate of Sarah Hubbard.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the second day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Hubbard, incompetant.

Noah W. Cheever, the greatless of Sarah Hubbard, incompetant.

Noah W. Cheever, the greatless of Sarah Hubbard, incompetant.

JOHN N. GOTT, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Be it ordained by the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the city of Ann Arbor, as follows:

SECTION I. It shall be unlawful, within the city of Ann Arbor, for any person, firm, or corporation to print, publish, sell, offer for sale, give away, circulate or distribute any book, pamphlet, ballad, printed paper, or other thing, containing obscene, immoral, indecent or scandalous language, or obscene prints, pictures, figures or descriptions, or articles or advertisements of a scandalous, indecent or immoral nature, tending to the corruption of the morals of the residents of said city; or to introduce into any family, school or place of education, or to buy, procure, receive or have in his possession any such book, pamphlet, ballad, printed paper, or other thing, either for the purpose of sale, exhibition, loan or circulation, or with intent to introduce the same into any family, school or place of education.

SEC 2. Any nerson who shall violate any of the BREAD, CRACKERS, CAKES, ETC., DELHI FLOUR,

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Made and passed in Common Council this 7th lay of January, 1878. ADAM D. SEYLER, Recorder. 1669w2 D CRAMER, Mayor. E state of Louis Kellogg.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1877, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Louisa Kellogg, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the first day of July, next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Monday, the first day of April, and on Monday, the first day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

Dated Ann Arbor, January 2 A. D. 1878

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THE EAST.

M. RADER & SONS, tobacco dealers, New York, have failed, Liabilities, \$180,000; assive dealers in clothing, Springfield, Mass., are "embarrassed." Their liabilities are \$250,000.... Theodore R. Wetmore, late Vice President of the Security Life Insurance Company, has been convicted on a charge of conspiracy, in making false reports of the condition of the

THE Great Barrington (Mass.) Savings Bank has suspended, pending investigation by the State Bank Commissioners, Its deposits are

State Bank Commissioners. Its deposits are \$407,000, and its total liabilities, \$414,000.

Rev. Dr. J. C. Eccleston, of Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., the Bishop-elect of the Episcopal Diocese of West Virginia, has finally determined to decline the office tendered him.

John F. Henry, Curran & Co., of New York, one of the largest horses in the patent medicine business, have suspended payment. The firm has been reputed worth over \$500,000, but much of this was in patent-medicine rights..... A heavy storm and gale occurred last week on the coast of Maine, doing much damage. At Camden trees and fences were prostrated, barns blown down and house sunroofed, the damage in the village exceeding \$10,000. At Eastport forty chimneys were blown down, and several small fishing vessels went to pieces. The schooner Nightingale was ashore in Broad cove, and full of water. At Oldtown the steeple was blown from the Baptist church. Two schooners of the Returning Board, in which these to the Lovant, whither the Alexandria and all the ships in port will follow when revictualed and refitted"... Constantinople from details and that the size are numerous printed statements to the effect that a number of members are coming back, determined to revise the electoral count, and to have an involve that the Prince of Reuss, the German Minister, and Count Corti, the Italian Minister, have in-nople dispatches say that refugees in large numbers are arriving there from Adrianople, and that the Prince of Reuss, the German Minister, and that the Prince of Reuss, the German Minister, and Count Corti, the Italian Minister, and count of the Chi-age of Tribune says: "There are numerous printed statements to the effect that a number of members are coming back, determined to revise the electoral count, and that there is great distress among them... It is reported from Counting them... It is reported from Co

THE bark Antioch, from Cuba for New York, lost five of her crew from different diseases on the voyage....Judge John R. Franklin, an THE Republican State Convention of New the voyage...Judge John R. Franklin, an ex-Congressman, died lately at Baltimore....

A Harrisburg dispatch says a resolution was offered in the Pennsylvania Legislature by Representative Long, for the appointment of a joint committee of the Senate and House to inquire into the circumstances of the riots, and to ascertain the causes, as well as results of the same, and report the result of their investigation to the Legislature. A very spirited debate followed, after which a motion to indefinitely postpone the subject was carried by a small majority. Notwithstanding its defeat, the supporters of the resolution are confident of securing a reconsideration and passage within a few days. The dispatch says the resolution was offered as the beginning of an effort to make the State responsible for the payment of damages by the riots of last summer.

The Republican State Convention of New Hampshire met at Concord last week, and nominated B. F. Prescott for Giovernor. Resolution seems approving the remoderation of silver, opposing approving the remoderation system to the public debt, disapproving the remoderation of succession tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoderations, condensing any legislation tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration of silver, opposing approving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration of silver, opposing approving the remoneration tending to repudiate the public debt, disapproving the remoneration of the sudject the public debt, disapproving the remoneration of the sudject the public debt, disapproving

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Another item of proof of the folly of leaving loaded firearms within the reach of children is afforded by the following dispatch from Pitts. burgh, Pa.: "A terrible affair has occurred in the family of Mrs. E. Hepburn, residing at No. 867 Penn avenue. As the time to prepare supper drew nigh, Mrs. Hepburn left her two children, a boy aged 2 years and a girl of 3, in an up-stairs room, while she went to the kitchen below. She had been gone but a few minutes when she heard the report of a pistol in the room occupied by the children. Hastening thither, a terrible sight met her gaze. Her little girl was lying on the floor insensible, its face covered with blood from a pistol-ball wound in the head. The little boy, it appears, seeing a revolver lying on the table, took it up to play with it, and in doing so it was discharged, the contents lodging in his sister's the first summer of the Southern section of the Uncon; redemption of United States notes in each by a continuous and steady progress to spece payments; that Scenators and Representatives who may be judges and accusers should not dictate appointments to office, the invariable rule for appointments to office, the burgh, Pa.: "A terrible affair has occurred in the family of Mrs. E. Hepburn, residing at No. 867 Penn avenue. As the time to prepare sup-per drew high, Mrs. Hepburn left her two chilper drew nigh, Mrs. Hepburn left her two children, a boy aged 2 years and a girl of 3, in an up-stairs room, while she went to the kitchen below She had been gone but a few minutes when she heard the report of a pistol in the room occupied by the children. Hastening thither, a terrible sight met her gaze. Her little girl was lying on the floor insensible, its face covered with blood from a pistol-ball wound in the head. The little boy, it appears, seeing a revolver lying on the table, took it up to play with it, and in doing so it was discharged, the contents lodging in his sister's head."

THE Second National Bank, of St. Louis, has gone into voluntary Equidation....Gen. John O'Neill died last week, st Omaha, of paralysis. He was a prominent Fenian, and took a leading part in the Fenian movement in 1865 against Canada, and thus acquired national fame, especially among Irishnien.

THE Board of Trade of Chicago has adopted a memorial urging Congress to extend the time for completing the Northern Pacific railroad...A Bannock City (Mont.) dispatch says: "The Bannock Indians are alarmingly aggressive. Bands are rosming over the Beaver Head country, tearing down corrals, and feeding farm.rs hay to their horses. The people are moving into Bannock from Horse prairie, fearing an outbreak. Several companies of troops are needed now at the head of Horse prairie, and, if we don't get them immediately, our ranches will be deserted and destroyod."

running me as its candidate for Governor the the Porte has determined that a defense cause would be strengthened. I would be of Adrianople is virtually impossible." cause would be strengthened, I would be greatly tempted to leave any position I might occupy, to answer the call thus made for me." of Adrianople is virtually impossible,"....
It is officially stated that the term of armistice proposed by Turkey is six weeks....A Constan-A Washington dispatch says: "The Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day heard Lieuts. sets, \$87,000...D. A. Brigham & Co., exten-Bullis and Shafter, the two army officers who ducted on a basis of eventual peace conditions. The reply of the Grand Duke Nicholas to the Turkish Commander-in-Chief, that he would had been summoned here from the Rio Grande had been summoned here from the Rio Grande border, together with the commercial agent stationed near the scenes of the troubles. Their statement is substantially the same that was made to the Military Committee. The most noticeable fact of the testimony seems to be that, while there is no doubt of the desire of Diaz to be entirely friendly to the United States, there is great doubt as to his ability to so strengthen his administration as to execute his friendly purposes." refer the latter's overture for an armistice to St. Petersburg, states that negotiations could only be conducted with himself direct, and that

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pole dispatch of the 11th says:

were parties as members of the board, and that the bargain made with them has not been fulfilled. The name of Gen. Grant is also used

A CORRESPONDENT at Pera says it is calculated that 20,000 fugitives have arrived in Constantinople from Roumelia during one week. A train crowded with fugitives ran off the track near Tchataldja recently. About fifty were killed and wounded....The Turkish Parliament

tional administration.

A call is issued for a National Convention of the National party, to be held in Toledo, Ohio, on the 22d of February next. It reads as folon the 22d of February next. It reads as follows:

The undersigned, believing the present financial policy of those in control of the Federal Government is destructive of the best interests of the people, and that if continued it will bring general run and unprecedented suffering on the industrial leases, and also believing that thorough organization and unity of action may induce those in power to take such steps as will avert such camitous results, call upon those, regardless of political affiliations, who will unite for independent tection to select one delegate in each Congressional listrict, and afterwards, by proper authority, two lelegates for each State at large, to meet in national convention, in the city of Toledo, on the 22d day of February, 1878, there to take such action as wisdom may dictate.

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The Methodist ministers of Chicago have concluded to enter upon an interchange of views regarding the question, "How Shall We Teach the Doctrine of Future Punishment?"

The Blackburn England) mill-owners have abandoned their attempt to reduce the wages of operative. Wm. Cobbett, well-known for New Jersey, Alexander Campbell, of Illinois; Blanton Duncan, of Kentrcky, and Moses W. Field, of Michigan... The Democrats and Greenbackers in the lower house of the Wisconsin Legislature formed a coalition and captured all the offices—the Greenbackers and desired the power house of the Wisconsin Legislature formed a coalition and captured all the offices—the Greenbackers in the lower house of the Wisconsin Legislature formed a coalition and captured all the offices—the Greenbackers are the Greenbackers are taking the Speakership and the Democrats the remainder..... In the lower house of the Maryland Legislature formed a coalition and captured and the Determinant of the Leith district. The Blackburn England) mill-owners have abandoned their attempt to reduce the wages of operative. Wm. Cobbett, well-known for Punishment Cobert, and the Cobert of the Strench of the Stren

Teach the Doctrine of Future Punishment?

... State Senator Buehler, of Chicago, was assaulted lately in a street of that city, by a Bohemian named Michael Marso, who stabbed him three times with a dagger, but without fatal effect. Mr. Buehler is a banker, and the trouble arose from the foreclosure of a mortage on Marso's property.

THE SOUTH.

At Concord, Ky., recently, Deputy Sheriff Ruggles, with a posse, overtook the notorious Underwood brothers, who had been stealing horses from farmers, and demanded their surfaceder. The Underwoods immediately fired at the party, instantly killing Ruggles. The fire was returned, wounding both outlaws. It is thought the Underwoods would be lynched by the excited farmers.

He Domocrats the remainder... In the lower house of the Maryland Legislature, last week, Montgomery Blair introduced a memorial asking Congress to investigate the title of Rutherford B. Hayes to the office through correlations and Intervention of the Question Hayes obtaining the Liebh Lieth Lieth district, has resigned his seat.

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whether ary, and if any what, legislation is necessary or expedient to increase the annual appropriation for arming and equipping the militia of the States and Territories to correspond with the increase in population since the passage of the act of 1808, such increase to take immediate effect.... has received the Russian answer to the Turkish communication proposing an armistice, inti-mating that the negotiations must be con-

House.-Under the call of States, bills were intro duced and referred, fixing rates to be paid for pubic advertising; providing for a commission on the St. Petersburg, states that negotiations could only be conducted with himself direct, and that there could be no question of an armistice without a basis for peace."

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EDMUNDS TO HAYES.

The Subject of Executive Appointments Considered by the Vermont Senator. A letter to President Hayes, from Senator Senator gives his views on that important sub-

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ITALY.

Victor Emmanuel, King of Italy, died on the 9th of January at Rome, aged 58 years. He was the eldest son of Charles Albert, and was born in Turin in 1820. The modern history of his family is a brilliant one. In 1813 Victor Amadeus II., Duke of Savoy, was, by the treaty of Utrecht, made King of Sicily, but in 1820 was compelled to exchange Sicily for Sardinia, and became the first King of Sardinia, and his branch of the family ran out in 1831 and was succeeded by the younger line of Carigan in the person of Charles Albert. This Prince strongly favored the unifacation of Italy, After a defeat in July, 1848, at Custozza, a truce was agreed upon, but in March, 1849, the war having been renewed, the King was defeated at Novarra, whereupon rapidly make off, but many, in their conhe abdicated and left Italy. Victor Emmanuel succeeded as King of Sardinia, and though compelled to make peace he adhered to his liberal policy and never lost sight of the great end, the unificities of the great end of cation of Italy. He called to his Cabinet | or three of the ants clinging to its legs Cavour and other leaders of the constitutional policy, and liberalized the interand that moment would be fatal, for the tablished commercial relations with other and, after a few more ineffectual strug states. He joined France and England gles, it would succumb to its fate, an in the Crimean war. In 1859 Austria soon be bitten to pieces and carried or Edmunds, of Vermont, in regard to official declared war against the aggressive to the rear. The greatest catch of the patronage has been published, in which the Italian, who, with France as an ally, reconquered Lombardy, and the credit of some fallen brushwood. The cock ject. Below we give the full text of the document:

UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER, Massingson, Dec. 29, 1877.

Mr. President: Returning from a absence throughout all Italy. In 1860 Cavour was there, while the host of anis were occu-

Death of King Victor Emmanuel.

and Venetia. Count Cavour died in manner in which Mr. Webster became 1861, but his successors continued the engaged to his loving and devoted wife

ated Rome, and the demand for the incorporation of that city into the kingdom was revived. All overtures to the Pope were rejected, and in September, 1870, the city was occupied by Italian troops. A plebiscite resulted in the analysis of the city was occupied by Italian troops. A plebiscite resulted in the analysis of the city was occupied by Italian troops. A plebiscite resulted in the analysis of the city was occupied by Italian troops. A plebiscite resulted in the analysis of the city was occupied by Italian troops.

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The doctor had never seen her before, and has not seen her since. A sick cat?

"Kaise taint gwine ter do! Yer jess

make er nigeer belebe dar aint no heaharter an' see what yer comes ter. Ebery houses twixt 'em'll be jale-houses. Hit's moughty hard ter keep 'em strate now wide de Sheriff an' hell bofe 'fore dar

"Den you'se on de side ob de fiah an' or brimstone?"

dans, 40,867,125; Buddhists and Jams, 2,832,851; Christians, 897,682; others, 5,417,304, and "religion not known,"

An Army of Ants.

Mr. Belt gives the following graphic ecount of the excitement caused by a marching column of ecitons in the primeval forests of Nicaragua: "M tention was generally first called to by the twittering of some small birds belonging to different species. On ap-proaching, a dense body of the ants, three or four yards wide, and so numerous as to blacken the ground, would be seen moving rapidly in one direction, examining every cranny and underneath every fallen leaf. On the flanks, and in smaller columns would generally first fusion and terror, would bound right in-to the midst of the main body of ants. nal government of his kingdom, and es- tiny foes would swarm over their prey again placed at the head of the Ministry, and soon after Parma and Modena were annexed to Sardinia, and Tuscany also following every branch, and driving be fore them their prey to the ends of the small twigs, where nothing remaine for them but to leap, and they would baldi, resulted in the expulsion of Fran-cis II., and in October the Two Sicilies | with the result of being certainly caugh voted for annexation to Sardinia, and Victor Emmanuel entered Naples as King in November, 1860. Umbria and Monthly for January.

The following has been related as th same policy. Negotiations were opened with the Papal Government for a peace-lawyer at Portsmouth, and she was ful reconciliation and for the annexation Miss Grace Fletcher. At one of his of that city, but all offers were rejected. Visits he had, probably with a view of The city of Rome had been occupied by utility and enjoyment, been holding French troops from 1849. The first skeins of silk thread for her, when sudcurrencies imported on or after Jan. 1, Parliament of the new kingdom of Italy | denly he stopped, saying: "Grace, we | 1878. I am, very respectfully, met at Turin, Feb. 18, 1861, which was have been engaged in untying knots, let opened by a speech from Victor Emanuel, and an act was passed confering upon him the title of the King of Italy. The Government was under an knot of peculiar kind, gave it up to her to obligation with France not to disturb the Pope in his authority, and the capital of the kingdom remained at Turin the little box marked by him with the until 1864, when it was removed to words "Precious Documents," contain-Florence. The King succeeded in es-ing the letters of his early courtship, tablishing many and general reforms.

As the local government of the various States had been more or less under ectal earliest affection, irrst saw them he took one square look clesiastical control, the establishment of an exclusively civil government was a work of difficulty, and constantly brought tained to the end of life an unfaltering until his eye-balls felt pointed. In the Government into conflict with the devotion. He could never speak of his that supreme moment he felt that he was church, but the work of separating first wife without visible emotion. paid ten times over with compound inchurch and state went on thoroughly Grace Fletcher Webster was a person and completely.

In 1866 Italy united with Prussia in cally and intellectually; yet she was enhotel experience since he left the old the war against Austria, and a result of ergetic, and, when occasion required, she farm. this war was the cession of Venetia to exhibited a rare fortitude. To her hus-In 1870, in consequence of the Franco-she presided over his household with chairs and say, "Roast beef, roast pork, lamb,

The editor of the Brunswick (Me.) for the protection of the Pope and for Telegraph is fond of telling stories with our knives and forks.' the support of the Paral Government. Italian unity was now complete; a new National Parliament was convened; the capital was removed to Rome, and no the 1st of January, 1871, Victor Emmanuel entered Rome as King of all Italy. There has been no official or political to the support of the Paral Government. Telegraph is fond of telling stories with our knives and forks. "So we will, bonny-blue-eyes—I never thought o' that. What do you say to roast beef, then, huxy-puxy? Can we go some o' that, sweety?" asked the happy man. druggist, while sitting quietly in his druggist, while sitting quietly in his convenience. we well entered Rome as King of all Italy.
There has been no official or political store, heard a scratch at his door, which reconciliation between the Papal and the he took to be that of the dog of a friend our clothes, don't you see, honey-dew? Royal Government, the Pope submit- who often visits him. He did not rise Let's take lamb, pootsie, that's ting, as he claims, to superior force, and protesting against all the acts of the Government since 1860, and especially against all the legislation disestablishing the church. The Pope has fur her protected that he is a prisoner in his face. The cat the bride.

Who often visits him. He did not rise left stake him, pootsie, that's always for the moment, and heard the scratch repeated. He opened the door and in walked a strange cat, which looked up in a friendly way in his face. The cat the bride.

"Well, I don't care, pussy; whatever the bride in the bride."

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do, into all the cdd nooks and corners, you say, for I s'pose we've got to keep up appearances; but durn my buttons, where the doctor was waiting upon a cussugar-lrmp, if I hain't got a confounded While they were resting from work at noon yesterday, Amos said:

"I neah'd er white man readin' in de paper dis mornin' dat folks was 'batin' now whudder dere wuz enny hell or not!"

"Shucks!" said old Si; "you'se got dat wrong eend fo'must, sho!"

"No, sah; dat wuz what he red in de paper!"

"Whudder dere wuz enny hell?" repeated Si.

"Yas, sah; whudder, when er man tomer. Turning round he found the big notion to peel off these mittens an' cat seemed to be in ecstacies. He gave wouldn't that be awing:

"Yas, sah; whudder, when er man give out up hyar he went ter hell, or jess a second dose, and puss had her give out up hyar he went ter hell, or jess fill, very soon after leaving the store.

"And the young wife had her own way about it, as they always do.—Cincin-The doctor had never seen her before, nati Breat fast Table.

Copies of Newspapers.

of Congress relative to postage on newsportant questions to be raised. Among them is one in regard to the sending of was a corpse! complimentary copies of newspapers to Government officers and others who are "You'se right, honey! Ef you tink not actual subscribers. The Solicitor you'se gwine ter leebe dis wurld ter for the department has given it as his play snow-ball somewhar, you'se 'rong. private opinion that the publisher of a Dar's er warm place jers beyant healifer der manigers ob de Freedman Bank an' chickin-lifters ginrully, else I'se gwine ter swap my him-book fer er pack er kyards."-Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution. States, or for any one else who does not actually pay for it, incurs the risk of The Eads Jetties.

Capt. James B. Eads is apparently making a success of his jetty system of deepening the mouth of the Mississippi river and rendering navigation more practicable and secure. About Christmas he reported to the Secretary of War that he results and secure in the results and secure in the results and secure. About Christmas he reported to the Secretary of War that the results and secure in the results and secure in the rate of 2 cents for every four ounces or fraction thereof. This opinion, it is understood, is not shared by the Postmaster General himself, who holds that a person receiving a free paper is an actual subscriber. This question is actually pay for it, incurs the risk of having to pay postage on the entire lot, at the rate of 2 cents for every four ounces or fraction thereof. This opinion, it is understood, is not shared by the Postmaster General himself, who he had established a channel in the tion is likely to come before the depart-South pass of the mouth of the Missis-ment within a few days in regular form sippi river of a minimum depth of twenty-two feet and a minimum width of 200 be looked for with interest, not only by feet, as required by the act of March 3, all the publishers of newspapers, but

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VALUE OF MONEY.

Report of the Treasury Department Showing the Comparative Value of the Coins of All Other Nations and the United

The following circular has open sent to the parties concerned by Secretary

Washington, Jan. 1, 1878. 3, 1873, Statutes at Large, volume 17, page 602, reproduced in section 3,564 of the Revised Statutes, provides "that the value of foreign coin, as expressed in the money of account of the United States, shall be that of the pure metal of such coin of standard value, and, in 1840 grante l a liberal constitu-tion to several states in this kingdom-This involved him in a war with Austria. every fallen leaf. On the flanks, and in advance of the main body, smaller col-tumns would be pushed out. These the world shall be estimated annually by the Director of the Mint, and be pro-claimed on the 1st day of January by the

The estimate of values contained in the following table has been made by the Director of the Mint, and is hereby proclaimed in compliance with the above

1			1000 30 100	Value
	Country.	Monetary Unit.	Standard,	United States Money.
ŀ	Austria	Florin	Silver	.45,8
ı	Belgium	Franc	Gold & sil.,	19.3
ļ	Bolivia	Dollar	Gold & sil	.95.5
l	Brazil	Mil. of 1,000 reis	Gold	.54.5
۱	Brit, Pos-		CT ILL LINE	\$
1	Amer	Dollar	Gold	1.00
l	Bogota	Peso	Gold	.96.5
ı	Cen, Amer	Dollar	Silver	.91.8
ı	Chili	Реко		.91.2
١	Denmark.	Crown	Gold	.26.8
ì	Ecuador	Dollar	Silver	.91.8
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ı	ALL STREET, ST	tres	Gold	4.97.4
ı	France	Franc	Gold & sil	.19,3
ı	G. Britain	Pound sterling	Gold	4.86,63
1	Greece	Drachma	Gold & sil	.19,3
ł	Ger.Em	Mark	Gold	.23.8
1	Japan	Yen	Silver	.43.6
1	India	Rupee of 16 annas	Gold & sil	,19,3
1	Laberia		Gold	1.00
1	Mexico	Ddlar	Silver	.99.8
ı	Neth Thds		Gold & sil	,88,5
ł	Norway	Crown	Gold	.26.8
1	Peru	Dollar	Silver	.91.8
ı	Portugal	Milr. of 1,000 reis	Gold	1.08
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d	Islands.			1.00
ı	Spain	Peseta of 1,000 c		.19.3
	Sweden	Crown		.19.3
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J	Tripoli	Pias, of 16 caroubs.	Silver	.11.8
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JOHN SHERMAN,

Secretary of the Treasury.

Love's Young Dream. A bridal couple, with more style about terest for all the trials, vexations and unpaid board bills encountered in his

When the dining-room girl got her face straight enough to get behind their

any o' that; for, don't you know, pidgy-widgy, 'twould muss your gloves up? We'll have to have something we can eat

A young man attended one of the wid noboddy, but ef enny man come foolin' 'round me wid dat sorter skriptur, he's gwine ter heah me git up yander inter shouting tones!" said Si.

In pursuit of medicine? If so, how did she learn where to go and just where to look for it? We state plain facts."

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