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	Ar. at Brainerd	1:00 P. M.
	Leaves Brainerd	1:20 P. M.
	Ar. at Moorhead	8:00 P. M.
EAST TRAIN—	Leaves Moorhead	6:30 A. M.
	Ar. at Brainerd	1:10 P. M.
	Leaves Brainerd	1:30 P. M.
	Ar. at Duluth	7:30 P. M.
LAKE SUPERIOR AND MISSISSIPPI DIV.		
TRAIN—	Leaves Duluth	9:00 A. M.
	Arrive St. Paul	5:10 P. M.
	Leave St. Paul	8:10 A. M.
	Arrive Duluth	4:40 P. M.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor.
C. K. DAVIS, of Ramsey.

For Lieutenant-Governor.
A. BARTO, of Stearns.

For Secretary of State,
S. P. JENNISON, of Goodhue.

For Treasurer,
MONS GRENAGER, of Fillmore.

For Attorney General,
GEO. P. WILSON, of Winona.

For Judge, Seventh Judicial District.
JAMES M. McKELVY.

Legislative Ticket---30th District.

For Senator,
GEO. W. BENEDICT,
of Benton County.

For Representative,
M. C. RUSSELL,
of Crow Wing County.

A CALL.

Republican County Convention.

There will be a Republican County Convention, for the County of Crow Wing, Minn., held at Bly's Hall, Brainerd, on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10th, 1873, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following county offices, to wit:

Sheriff,
Auditor,
Clerk of the District Court,
Register of Deeds,
Two County Commissioners,
County Attorney,
Coroner.

The various voting precincts of the county will be entitled to representation in the Convention as follows—the basis being fixed at one delegate for each fifty voters or fraction thereof to wit:

First Ward, Brainerd,	5	delegates.
Second Ward, "	4	"
Third Ward, "	4	"
Crow Wing.	1	"

It is recommended that the several precincts hold their caucus at the usual place, on Thursday evening, the 9th of October, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

By order of Republican Central Committee for Crow Wing county.

H. G. COYKENDALL,
Chairman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

[Under date of Oct. 2, 1873.]

COUNTY AUDITOR.

Editor Tribune — Please announce my name as candidate for the office of Auditor of Crow Wing county, subject to endorsement by the Republican County Convention.
Yours, &c., C. B. SLEEPER.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

To the people of Crow Wing County.

At the request of numbers of my friends, irrespective of party, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Auditor, subject only to your action at the polls.—Believing that no party principles are at stake, as far as our local affairs are concerned, at the coming election, I shall not seek the endorsement of any party, nor if elected will I be the organ of any clique or party, but try by a faithful performance of my duties to justify the confidence reposed in me.
DAVID STEWART.

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

Mr. Editor.—Believing that partizan politics should have nothing to do with local offices, I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for County Attorney of Crow Wing county. If elected, I shall endeavor to do my duty, in every respect, faithfully and satisfactorily. If defeated, I shall "accept the situation" without grumbling.
JOHN W. STEEL.

CLERK OF THE DIST. COURT.

To the electors of Crow Wing County.

Gentlemen—I take this method of respectfully announcing that I will be a candidate at the coming election for the office of Clerk of the District Court. There will doubtless be other names presented worthy of this office, but I shall not seek the support of any particular party, as I consider it an office that should be filled irrespective of politics or party. I simply take this course that the fact of my candidacy may be generally known, and ask the support of all citizens who can consistently assist me, and I assure them that the same will be fully appreciated. Hoping to hear from you at the polls, I am, gentlemen, Yours respectfully,
W. W. HARTLEY.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

I would respectfully announce to the voters of Crow Wing county that, in response to the request of many friends, I have consented to present myself as a candidate for the office of County Auditor. I assure all that if elected I shall strive to discharge the duties of the office to the very best of my ability. Intending to be a permanent resident here, I shall take great pride in keeping the affairs of the office in proper shape, and my office where it will be convenient to all. Respectfully,
H. A. HILLS.

SHERIFF.

Mr. Editor.—Having been Sheriff of Crow Wing County for the past two years, I present my name as a candidate for re-election, and if elected promise to act in the future as in the past—for the benefit of the whole people of the county.
Respectfully, JOHN GURRELL.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Mr. Editor.—Will you please announce in your columns, that I respectfully present myself to the voters of Crow Wing County as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, and if honored by becoming their choice, will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office in the future, as in the past, faithfully.
C. W. DARLING.

FRESH Oysters at Trudell's Restaurant.

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

WE have just received a fine lot of Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, at the New Le Bon Ton. Come and try them.
FRENCH & HARE.

OUR POLITICAL EARTHQUAKE.

Probably none of the many political excitements through which Brainerd has passed, excelled in feeling the present one, in the selection of men to fill the half dozen vacant county offices. All are neighbors and friends, personally, yet there is danger of indulging in the very unnecessary and foolish "hurrah!" incident to the modern local political campaigns to such an extent as to injure, if not sever, very valued and warm friendships. As is generally known we, ourself, are a candidate before the good people of this district for Representative to the Legislature. We claim to have received the nomination fairly and squarely, and regularly, as we did unanimously. This being known to every one, we do not propose, nor will we, under any circumstances, consent to go out here at home, among those who know us well, and electioneer after the fashion that is too prevalent in these times. Of course, where we are not known so well, we shall expend more or less effort to become acquainted and secure our election during the campaign; AND IT IS ONLY where we are not personally well known among the people, that we ASK the slightest "work" on the part of our friends to set our claims fairly before the people. Of course, here at home, in our local politics, our friends probably expect us to launch out and "work" for the success of some one man, or set of men, over another; and right here we wish to say, that we shall VOTE for the men we think best suited to fill the various county offices, regardless of political lines, and we propose to let every other citizen do the same thing without endeavoring to influence a vote one way or the other—WHERE THE PARTIES RUNNING ARE WELL KNOWN TO THE VOTER. And now, we wish it distinctly understood among OUR friends, that we do not ASK THEM to work one iota for OUR election among those who are ALREADY ACQUAINTED WITH US. This leaves a clean balance sheet between ourself and our friends, and leaves no room for hard feelings among us as citizens, all working for the common good. Among those who know us, we ask that no "work" or influence shall be used in our behalf, and in our home political matters here, we expect our neighbors who are seeking office not to ask nor expect that we shall do any MORE for them, than we desire they should do for us. In our little community here in Brainerd, everybody knows everybody, and we believe that the only true principle is to let every tub stand on its own bottom, after all are fairly understood to be candidates. As for ourself we prefer defeat upon our merits, to success through contention and pot-house trickery. And WE SHALL NOT "WORK," beyond our vote, for the success of any of our neighbors over another, and POSITIVELY ask that our friends and neighbors will do the same so far as we are concerned, here.

THE St. Paul Daily Press, replying to the accusation that it referred to the Grangers as "Potato Bugs," says:

"The first use of the epithet 'Potato Bugs' in the PRESS in connection with the Farmers' movement was in the following passage of a leading editorial of the PRESS of July 29th last:

"But Donnelly is but one of a swarm of parasitic vermin that have fastened themselves on every leaf and twig of the order of patrons to blast it with the deadly blight of their ill-repute, and the poison of their evil councils and their mercenery self-seeking. These political bankrumpts, vagrants and adventurers are the POTATO BUGS and grasshoppers of the Farmers' movement. Whether they crawl into it from the ground, or light upon it from the air, they are equally its burden and its curse, seeking only for green things to devour, and the greenest things extant on this green earth are the gudgeons that become the prey of these corrupt and dishonest demagogues."

We accept the Press's apology with unfeigned pleasure; forgiveness is one our most prominent characteristics.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. — Elsewhere will be seen several announcements from different citizens, offering their services as county officers to the citizens of Crow Wing County at the coming election. "You pays your money and takes your choice."

THE editor of the TRIBUNE has been but barely able to remain out of bed this week, and he asks his readers, that if anything seems "sick" in this issue, they will be kind enough to put the blame "where it will be likely to do the most good."

STANSBURY'S Pioneer Brand Oysters on constant sale at French & Hare's New Le Bon Ton Saloon, Laurel street. These gentlemen have been appointed the agents for this celebrated brand of oysters, and will furnish them during the fresh oyster season to all parties at the closest business margin. Go for 'em.

LATEST DEFINITIONS.

From the Chicago Times, 29.

Definitions for the times:

Partial suspension—The condition of a bank in which the receiving teller is on duty, but the paying teller has gone around the corner to "see a man."

Total suspension—That condition of a bank in which both tellers are off duty, but the president posts a notice to the effect that the concern is solvent—if the assets are good for anything.

Failure—Both doors are closed, but the directors hope to open at least one of them—when the receiver gives up the keys.

Certified check — An instrument calling for money due from a bank on demand, which the bank, instead of paying, indorses as follows: "This is to certify that we are 'all in the same boat.'"

"ONE column of the last Brainerd TRIBUNE is devoted to the production of several full size and exceedingly life-like portraits of its editor, with explanatory notes, illustrating his probable career in the Legislature next winter. The illustrations are excellent, and any one having a personal acquaintance with MORRIS, will recognize the fidelity with which the artist performed his work. The only hitch in the arrangement and pithiness of the series, is likely to grow out of the fact, that his opponent, Mr. MOSES LAFOND, will be selected by the people of that district to watch their interests in the Legislature the coming winter, and that the illustrations mentioned will be all there will be of said editor's Legislative career.—[Pioneer.

Will the Pioneer please hold its "yawp?" Mr. Lafond and ourself are running this little old Representative campaign, up here, and "opinions" from outsiders are odious.

OUR friend, J. M. Martin, Esq., expects to open his fine stock of groceries, in Starcher's old quarters, opposite the TRIBUNE, between now and the 15th. Mr. Martin is having the premises fixed up in fine shape, and will keep a No. 1 institution, filled with the very best class of goods.

WE forgot to mention, last week, the departure of our old friend J. L. Starcher, Esq., who was so long our neighbor on Laurel street. J. L. was a good neighbor, and we are sorry to lose him. He has gone back to "Old Virginia," and we wish him luck wherever he may be.

THE new school building is now the scene of a well filled, and happy school of the little ones, under the care and tutorship of Miss Ladd. She only occupies the lower floor. The upper room is the larger and finer room of the two, and is designed for the higher grade of scholars. The building as now completed and turned over to the Board by the contractor, Mr. J. S. Campbell, is an excellent structure, and is built in the most substantial and approved manner, and is handsomely, yet plainly, finished off in all its details. The job is a high credit to Mr. Campbell, and is a substantial ornament to the town, and will prove a blessing to the little ones and older ones in quest of learning. We hope great care will be taken on the part of teachers in future charge of this fine structure, not to allow it to become defaced or marred in any way by scholars.

HOUSE for sale.—Price Forty Dollars. Metropolitan Hotel to rent, furnished. Apply to Thos. P. Cantwell.

RE-OPENED.—We are pleased to notice that the popular meat market next door to the Leland House has re-opened, under the firm name of Gilbert & Falconer. The gentlemen have started in with some 80 fat sheep and a corresponding quantity of fat cattle, which are now out on the "graze," and their meats are very choice, They sell for ready cash only, and as a consequence can sell at a very close margin. They solicit a share of our people's patronage, and as they are eminently deserving gentlemen, we doubt not they will receive it.

THE LELAND HOUSE.—This hotel is doing a fine business under the supervision of its deservedly popular proprietors, Messrs. Leland & Young. It is a finely appointed hotel, and is kept up in first class style. A fine barn is attached to the premises, and some six hundred dollars have been lately expended in making the house a comfortable and cheerful home for the traveling public. We are glad to notice that it is receiving the patronage that the enterpriising and liberal proprietors so well deserve.

FOR fine Smoking Tobaccos, go to New Le Bon Ton, on Laurel street.

THE engineer corps of the Yellowstone Expedition reached here on their return east on Sunday last.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Lessons Learned from the Panic—Something for Bankers to Digest—The Real Condition of Affairs in New York—Melange.

From Our Special Correspondent.

LOOSELY CONDUCTED INSTITUTIONS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2, 1873.—The duty of all legitimate banks and bankers is to keep ample reserve while the current of business allows it, but when panic is threatened, then it becomes a superior duty to lend, and to lend freely as possible on the best available security. The majority of business men are like the illiterate savings bank depositors, who, if he could not have it, wanted it all immediately. Bank customers who think they can get money as their needs require, wait to ask for it as their needs mature; but if they think they cannot get it, they try to fortify themselves in advance. The only safety in times of approaching panic is in making men think that they CAN have what they need, and that can only be done by drawing promptly and generously on the reserve. As modern business is done, no dealer and no bank can pay all their demands at once. The only safety in banks is in presenting demands upon them from being made all at once, restoring by bold action the confidence which is indispensable condition of transacting business.

THE FINANCIAL ASPECT GLOOMY.

In spite of hope and palliatives the financial crisis still continues, and we regret to say there is no sure indication when or where it will end. Well, the truth is we have brought it upon ourselves. We have spent too much borrowed money. We have built too many railroads on credit. We have lived too fast. We have made our houses palaces and banqueted on the luxuries of the world. We have exhausted our capital in great enterprises, and in the expectation of future profit we have fixed our resourses that should have been left movable for daily use. And along with all this, too many of the leaders and the people have become corrupt and dishonest. And now the settling day has come, and our trouble is extreme. We must now all wish that we had been more upright and wiser. But while the crisis continues and does its work, let no one forget that the country is still rich and sound; and that after all our trials we are sure to come out right in the end.

MELANGE.

The strike of the boot and shoemakers engaged in the down-town manufactories, which commenced on Monday last, is almost at an end, the majority of the men having succeeded in obtaining what they demanded of their employers—a return to the standard prices as fixed after the strike of 1870.

The Scythe, the Grangers' new paper, recently started here, has some terrible hits in its second number on the panic, and its causes. The Scythe takes the ground that there will be the greatest crash ever known before January, and shows why it is inevitable. The paper is a great success.

One of the most beautiful and perfect things to be seen in the musical line, is at the piano establishment of Horace Waters & Son, of 481 Broadway. It is styled the New Concerto Parlor Organ. Its specialty is in its concerto stop, which is produced by an extra set of reeds, so toned as to resemble the human voice in a very striking manner. MINION.

IMPROVEMENT.—We have omitted to mention heretofore the enterprise displayed by our good friends Messrs. Marshall & Campbell, in putting up a fine workshop addition to their boot and shoe establishment on Front street, Mr. Campbell, who is in charge of this branch of their business on the line, is one of our most enterprising and valuable citizens. He has put in a fine fall and winter stock of boots and shoes, and is fully prepared to also turn out the best custom work that can be had in the New Northwest. He is a liberal dealer, too, and besides keeping nothing but A No. 1 goods, sells at a close profit. Call around, and either buy your foot-gear for winter, or leave your orders for some of his unexcelled custom made work.

FOLLOWING close upon the heels of Jay Cooke & Co's failure, was that of Mr. Fockens of the Metropolitan Hotel, of this city. As to whether Mr. F's assets will compare with his liabilities as favorably as Cooke's is said to, we are not informed. Geo. Dyer, of this city, we learn, is Mr. Fockens' assignee, who we presume will pay all his liabilities and collect all debts due.

THE Crow Wing County Fair will probably fail to connect this year, owing to—well, on account of—we can't exactly say why; but it is well known that Jay Cooke has "bust," and to be ahead of our sister counties in the fashions—if not in the bigness of its bulls and things—why, the Crow Wing County Agricultural Society concluded to suspend, also.

PERSONAL.

Capt. N. H. Castle, of St. Paul, made us a pleasant call Thursday morning. He went west to Moorhead, and was to pass homeward via Alexandria. The Captain is good company and a highly cultivated gentleman, and one whom we shall delight to welcome to our royal sanctum at any time.

Capt. Houghton, of the steamer Pokegoma, was in town a day or two this week on business connected with his barge-building at Aiken. The Captain says the steamer "Pok-a-bogmy" is doing a good freighting business this season.

Our friend, the Brainerd Artist, Mr. Thompson, returned home on Wednesday night from a several weeks' visit to St. Paul, looking well and ready for business on an enlarged scale. Now, rush for good pictures.

Mark H. Kellogg, an old-time Brainerdite, spent a day in this city this week on his way from St. Paul to Bismarck, which latter place is his home now. Mark was down to our State Fair, in charge of a lot of N. P. products, including a large "bull-berry" tree loaded with fruit. It is needless to add that Mark swept the board with his Northern Pacific products. The managers of the Fair were too modest to call Mark's bull-berries "by their right name," and so gave the fruit some outlandish "cognomen" in latin, which we have forgotton. But Mark's fruit continued to stand "bull of the woods," just the same as though nothing had happened.

Mr. E. R. Perry, late of Brainerd, but now of Sauk Rapids, spent Thursday and Friday in town. Mr. P. was up on business, and reports all the good people of Sauk Rapids, right side up with care; and although he has a warm side for Brainerd, yet he likes the granite city very much, as an abiding place.

THERE will be preaching in the Baptist Chapel on Sunday next, by Rev. D. F. Webster. Morning subject, "The true man;" evening subject, "The glory of God."

THANKS.—Our friend, Moses Lafond, Esq., who is a trader at Little Falls, will please accept our thanks for a very choice box of honey received from him, by politeness of Mr. Goulet of this place, a day or two since.

NEW PATENT.—Mr. Thompson, the photographer, opposite the TRIBUNE office, is an inventive genius. Besides his famous fountain paint brush, he now comes out with something even more practical in the shape of a patent coal scuttle, or bucket, that must be recognized and admitted as a great improvement, and must speedily come into general use. We do not attempt a description, but it must be seen to be appreciated. Mr. Thompson has received his patent, and we can see no reason why he will not speedily realize on this last production of his inventive genius.

OPENING. — Mr. Ed. Morse, whom we mentioned recently as remodeling the American House building, has the same completed, and has opened out a fashionable saloon. The house, as it now stands, is a beauty in its inside arrangement, and is a fine looking building externally.

A CORPS of detectives were in town this week, from St. Paul, said to be looking after "Injun whiskey," and things—our friend, J. Brizzette, among the rest.

REPUBLICAN, Democratic, Independent or "Mixed" Election Tickets printed at the TRIBUNE office on short notice, and at reasonable prices. Leave orders early, and avoid the rush.

RETURNED.—We are pleased to welcome back to Brainerd, an old citizen of our city, in the person of H. M. Mixter, Esq., who has spent the last season at Bismarck. Mr. M. has again taken charge of his blacksmith shop, on Front street, where he will be found at all times during the fall and winter to discharge promptly all work in his line, in his usual workmanlike manner.

REV. MR. INGHAM, with his family, are about to leave Brainerd for Santee Agency, Nebraska. They will sell or rent their house, and offer for sale the following articles:

One good cow, price $30.
Hens and chickens.
One small coal stove, nearly new, half price.
One good cook stove, No. 7, with furniture and pipe, $15.
Half ton of coal.
One Piano-forte, worth $300, for $150.

We are delighted to hear, through Mr. [illegible], that Mr. S. S. Stone, a former well known builder of Brainerd, and who went to Texas to locate, has again returned to the Northern Pacific, and has located at Bismarck—better pleased than ever with the Northern Pacific country, and heartily disgusted with the whole "Texas business."

THE Sherburne County News puts in an appearance upon our table. It is a neat paper, published by Mr. John M. Thompson at Elk River and Princeton.

NEW GOODS.—Montgomery & Todd at their bee-hive store on 5th street, are receiving stacks of beautiful and stylish new goods for the ladies, gentlemen, girls, boys, or any other man. Rush around and see the goods and hear the prices.

THE news from the eastern cities from day to day, indicates a steady clearing up of the financial sky. All is well that ends well, you see, and in a month hence we expect to know no evil, but many good results from the "great financial crash" inaugurated by the failure of Jay Cooke & Co.

REV. E. S. WILLIAMS, pastor of the Congregational church here, returned to his charge Friday, and will now remain permanently among us.

SHERIFF Gurrell caused the arrest of a young man at Moorhead on Thursday, and he arrived on the train yesterday and was committed to jail to await an examination on the charge of stealing $196 from a section house east of here in this county.

THE person who holds ticket No. 79 in Mrs. Hanson's raffle, has won her house, and they must report to her immediately, as she goes away Monday next.

FIRST WARD CAUCUS.—The Republican caucus for the First Ward will be held at the Gravelle House next Thursday evening, the 9th inst., at 7 1-2 o'clock.

A LEGEND OF THE NORTHWEST.

A Jay-bird sung unto Daniel Drew;
"Buy up Erie—I'll see you through.
Buy it strong,
Buy it long,
And we'll 'sing the street' with my little song.
We'll 'skin' the street with tricks that are mean,
And we'll 'corner' the 'shorts' a bit, I ween."

So Gould appeared unto Daniel Drew
Like a mine of Gould without the "u;"
Like a mine of gold,
With his project bold,
And the song that he sung, and the tale he told;
And Drew bought Erie, early and late,
Eagerly taking the tempting bait.

But Erie went up, and little he thought
That Gould was selling the Erie he bought.
So he bought it strong,
And he bought it "long."
And Gould "unloaded" so runs the song;
Spouting his stock with "his uncle" so,
Was a cleverish sort of a trick, you know.

And again the Jay-bird sung his lay,
(Warbling his matin song for pay),
"Northwest you ought
To sell out 'short.'
It's sure to drop and we'll see the sport."
"It oughter be safe," says Uncle Dan,
"And We'll 'skin the street' with our little plan."

"We'll cover our tracks in Erie best
With a sort of a feint in faint Northwest."
"That's very true,"
Says Daniel Drew;
And again he saw Gould without the "u;"
So Daniel counsel o'er his morning session
The shortest course through the Northwest passage.

Oh, earnest and honest Daniel Drew,
Pray beware of the thing you do;
Mind the bears,
With their hugging airs,
Or they'll gobble your twenty-four thousand shares,
While vainly you seek to expand your chest
With the bracing breeze of the fair Northwest.

Northwest it went up, and Erie it fell,
And the "whipsawed" Daniel felt Mighty—well
It may be
Just a little at sea,
And his use of language was somewhat free;
And many a time throughout that day
He exclaimed "Nor'west's a risin,' they say."

Nor'west rose, and Daniel was short;
There was none to be borrowed and none to be bought,
With never a rest
They shouted their best
"Two hundred and thirty is bid for Northwest."
And one asked Daniel, "How's this for 'bis?'"
Is Nor'west risin'?" quoth Daniel, "It's ris."

So Daniel "lay down" in the lion's den,
And many a squeal he made; but then
He said, "I've been sold
By a Jay-hawker bold
With the songs that he sung and the tales he told—
A spellin' lesson," says Daniel Drew,
"A spellin' lesson I'll learn for true,
I'll never spell Gold again with 'u.'"
—New Ham.

GOOD NEWS.

The Pioneer of yesterday says:

Hon. J. P. Farley brings with him the gratifying intelligence that work will be resumed at once upon the St. Vincent extension. He has been notified by the Holland bondholders that the sum of $100,000 has been placed at his disposal for the prosecution of the work this fall, and more will be forthcoming if, in Mr. Farley's judgement, more money can be used to advantage before winter sets in, and he has also been given the assurance that all the money required for the completion of the entire line will be furnished next spring.

In an interview with Mr. Farley, last evening, he stated that he should commence work at once on the St. Vincent Extension. He will proceed to put the 60 miles of road already graded, from Glyndon north, and the 12 miles of road, from Glyndon south, in complete order so that it will be accepted by the Government. This work, in all probability, will be all that can be accomplished this fall, but Mr. Farley says, that if more can be done to advantage on other portions of the line, he will do it.

While this is not all that we hoped to see accomplished this year, we hail it as a hopeful sign that these dense pine lands, and these quarrels, and lands so to speak, the same, at least until another year will see both the St. Vincent extension and the Brainerd branch fully completed.

THE BRAINERD TRIBUNE.

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THE NEWS.

At Home.

GREAT excitement was caused in Eastern cities on Thursday by the announcement of the failure of Jay Cooke & Co., the well-known bankers. The immediate cause of the failure is said to have been large advances to the Northern Pacific Railway. The announcement of the failure caused a panic in the market for railway shares, and prices of some stocks fell ten cents.

A RUN on the German Savings Bank, at Leavenworth, Kansas, exhausted its available funds, and its doors were closed.

FROM a report just issued it appears the American Bible Society consists of 1,125 life directors and 4,200 life members. The receipts for the last fiscal year were $737,831, of which $10,789 remain unexpended. During the fifty-seven years of its existence it has published 29,981,212 volumes in thirty-five dialects and languages.

A SPECIAL from Fort Garry says: "Gordon-Gordon, who fled from Fort Garry for the Rocky Mountains, some weeks ago, has been captured 500 miles west by a Manitoba detective, and 'His Lordship' now finds himself behind the bars at Winnipeg."

THE Pittsburg Stock Yard Company's building at Fort Wayne was burned on Tuesday evening. Loss $45,000.

THE steamship Great Eastern has arrived at Portland, Me. Her failure to repair the cable of 1865 depresses the stock, and, it is said, no further reduction in tolls is probable.

BLOOMFIELD & MOORE'S paper warehouse, in Philadelphia, was damaged by fire to the extent of $70,000, on Tuesday evening.

A RAILWAY collision occurred near Columbia, S. C., Wednesday, smashing both engines, killing two men and injuring three others.

JAMES ENGLISH, William Spikes, alias Henry Davis, John Radford and Geo. Harrington, were arrested, Tuesday evening, on board a canal boat, in New York, while counterfeiting three and five cent pieces. A large quantity of spurious coin, moulds, &c., were captured. English and Spikes have each served five years in Sing Sing prison for counterfeiting.

REV. DR. PADDOCK was, on Wednesday, solemnly consecrated Bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts. The ceremony took place in Grace Church, Brooklyn, which was crowded. Several Bishops and a large number of persons participated in the service.

THE New York and Oswego Midland Railway is financially embarrassed.

A SAIL boat, having on board five persons left Sodus, on Lake Ontario, for Rochester, on Monday morning. That afternoon the boat capsized and three of the occupants were drowned. Tuesday afternoon the other occupants were found clinging to the upturned boat and rescued.

ANNA DICKINSON, accompanied by Prof. Hayden and party, walked to the summit of Long's Peak, Saturday, the 13th, making the ascent in three hours and ten minutes.

A FIRE at Manistee, Mich., Wednesday afternoon, destroyed the business places of Gardner and Bixly, jewelers; Russell Bros., harness dealers; Jas. Comerhill, harness dealer; P. Johnson, shoemaker; Wm. Baer, tailor; J. Burdick, barber. Insurance $12,000.

THE statistician of the Department of Agriculture, after a careful revision of the monthly returns, gives the following as the present status of the cotton crop. The indicated increase of area is a little over ten per cent. The condition of the crop is lighter than in September last year in Arkansas, the same in Tennessee and Louisiana. In each of the other cotton states worms have been more abundant, yet their ravages have been disastrous or sweeping but in few cases.

A MASTADON skeleton has been discovered on a farm eight miles from Richmond, Ind., near New Paris, Ohio. About a quarter of a ton of bones were exhumed, which, according to acknowledged proportions of the animal, indicate this one to have been very large, probably seven feet high and thirty-eight feet long. One tusk unearthed is twelve feet long and its weight 150 pounds. They hope to get the entire skeleton.

THE veterans of the Mexican war celebrated the anniversary of the capture of the City of Mexico in New York, on Monday. Delegations were present from Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and other cities.

THE Broadway Hotel in Lexington, Ky., was burned Saturday evening. Loss $14,000.

A DISPATCH from Havre announces the death, near that city, of the Duke of Kransores, husband of Queen Christine of Spain.

A NUMBER of emigrants who left England for Brazil have returned, bringing doleful accounts of their treatment. They declare that they have experienced great hardships ever since their departure from their homes, and that the promises made by agents of the Brazilian Government, were flagrantly broken.

A MISPLACED switch Sunday night threw the evening train from Saratoga, while entering Albany, from the track, and the engine, tender and baggage car went down an embankment into Patroon's Creek. The fireman was killed, and the engineer, baggage master and another employe injured.

EX-CITY TREASURER SPRAGUE, of Brooklyn, has been arrested on the charge of malfeasance in office.

VENDUN, France, was evacuated by the German troops Saturday morning. Immediately after they had left, the streets were filled with rejoicing residents, and numberless French flags were displayed from the buildings.

A FIRE in East St. Louis, Sunday night, consumed the flouring mills of Henry Schaffer & Bros., six tenement houses, a new house, saloon and stables belonging to the mill. The mill contained 1,200 barrels of flour and 2,500 bushels of grain. The estimated loss is $60,000. Insurance, about $30,000.

Abroad.

THE evacuation of the French territory by the German troops was completed on Tuesday.

THERE was a violent storm on the Black Sea last week, which proved very destructive to shipping. Seventy vessels were wrecked south of Bosphorus, and nearly all on board perished. At one point on the coast 200 corpses have been washed ashore.

ONE HUNDRED tons of American bar iron were sold at Liverpool, Tuesday, 11 pounds, 10 shillings, thus underselling the English market.

THE Mark Lane Express says the potato disease is spreading rapidly. The same paper estimates that England must import twelve million quarters of wheat yearly.

THE Earl of Hardwick, Lord Lieutenant of Cambridgeshire, died Wednesday, aged 74 years.

THE King of Italy arrived at Vienna on Wednesday, and was most cordially received, by the Emperor and populace.

CARNES, an iron merchant of Liverpool, in a letter to the press, admits that iron is profitably purchased in New York for shipment to England, and says he is convinced the American trade is lost to England.

MR. GRANDY, an English traveller, has arrived at [illegible], from Central Africa. He reports that he met Dr. Livingstone last June, and parted from him on the 1st of July, at which time the doctor was in perfect health.

A MAN on his way to the Columbus State Prison passed himself off as a member of the Ohio Constitutional Convention, and came near making his escape.

A Song of Age.

BY F. T. PALGRAVE.

Summer is gone, and Autumn
Is red on the corn, and heavy;
Yet skies are sweet and clear
As in the youthful year,
The forests full and leafy.
But in the northern cloud
Sits Winter dark and rude,
And Summer's golden glory
Who will remember
In the long, long dismal hours,
In the days of December?

The morning hopes of childhood,
The visions pure and tender,
To the broader day of youth,
To the keen, high light of truth
And reason we surrender:
But as we touch the goal
Black Winter numbs the soul,
And manhood's gleam of glory
Who will remember
In the long, long dismal hours,
In the days of December?

Ah! were such life life only,
Better not be than be thus!
To see through this brief day
Hope fall from hope away,
And to blank Nothing leave us.
O still our vague unrest,
God's voice within the breast!
For in God's eternal Summer
Who will remember
The long, long dismal hours
And the days of December?

ANOTHER TERRIBLE MARINE DISASTER.

Loss of the Propeller Ironsides Off Grand Haven, with Twenty-four Lives.

Lake Michigan has just been the scene of another marine disaster, attended with the loss of numerous valuable lives. The Engelmann Transportation Company's splendid propeller Ironsides left Milwaukee for Grand Haven on Sunday night with twenty passengers, a crew of thirty, and the following freight: 13,450 bushels of wheat, 500 barrels of flour, 110 barrels of pork, and a quantity of sundries—in all about 450 tons. Shortly after midnight the wind veered to southwest and blew very fresh, gradually increasing to a violent gale. A heavy sea was the result, and when the propeller arrived off Grand Haven it was deemed imprudent to attempt to enter the harbor—so she was again headed out into the lake, and kept dodging about. While thus engaged she sprung a serious leak, and filled so fast that the pumps could not keep her free. The water speedily put the fires out, and the steamer was tossed about by the mad elements, a helpless hulk, until she finally sunk. In the meantime all of the steamer's boats were lowered, and the passengers and crew placed in them, when they cut loose and steered toward the land. Most of the boats filled with water and capsized in the breakers, and at least twenty-four persons out of fifty on board the propeller thus lost their lives. The following is a list of the lost, as far as known:

G. H. Dennison, of Ada, Mich.
Campbell and Smith, deckhands, residence not known.
John Driscoll, Steward of the boat.
John Hiles, lumber and planing mills, Milwaukee.
Mrs. H. A. Valentine and son, five years of age, Milwaukee.
Captain Harry Sweetman, commander of the Ironsides, Milwaukee.
Robert McGlue, First Engineer of the boat, Milwaukee.
Charles Wetmeil, agent of S. E. Harling & Co., of New York.
Joe Smith, of Grand Haven, Mich.
T. H. Bitting and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albion Haselbarth, of Port Washington, Wis.
Mr. Harry Hughes, fireman.
Edward Fugle and James Brown, greasers.
A. J. Donelson, Grand Rapids, Michigan.
Mrs. J. B. T. Dewitt Milwaukee

The saved are as follows:

N. E. Watkins, clerk of the boat.
Samuel Watkins, Milwaukee.
Chris. Driscoll, cabin boy.
Dan Driscoll, head waiter.
M. Crosson, first mate.
A. B. Pitman, second mate.
Charles Bradford, look-out.
Geo. Cowan, second engineer.
Wm. Doleuson.
Andrew Falson, second clerk.
Riley, first porter.
H. West, A. Scuttler, Wm. Savage and G. Orton, deck hands.
Dan. Hines, John Gilbert and Charles Wilcox, oilers.
Maggie Young, stewardess.
B. Jordon, M. L. Chester, H. N. Ward, Miss Ward, F. N. Ripley, John Gee, Mr. Whiting, H. Krautbauer, O. Kitzinger.

Seventeen bodies had at last accounts been recovered.

The following statements of survivors of the disaster are interesting:

STATEMENT OF GEORGE M. COWAN.

"I was the second engineer on board the Ironsides. We left Milwaukee at about 10 o'clock Sunday night, with wind about northwest. I came on watch at 1 o'clock Monday morning, when the Chief Engineer said he would go up and get a lunch, instructing me to keep close watch of the engine. All went well. At half past two McGlue, (Chief Engineer) came down and asked how she was working. All was satisfactory, and continued so until about half-past 3, when the wind freshened and hauled around to the southwest. At about 5 o'clock the water annoyed me so that I used a bilge injection to force it out. This continued getting worse, until a little before 7 o'clock we began shipping water badly. The gangways were smashed in by the force of the waves, the bunkers got blocked up by the boilers so that the water couldn't run aft. Soon we began shipping water into the fire-room. I saw something must be done immediately. I sent one of the oilers up to the Chief Engineer, telling him to tell the Captain that we had better get before the wind in order to get the water out. The Captain said, "That's just what I'm trying to do." But the vessel was in the trough of the sea, and it was impossible to do it. We worked one engine back and the other forward, but it was of no use; we couldn't stir her. At this time the water came in and put out the fires. This was at about 10 o'clock. Previous to this—at about 9 o'clock—we had hoisted sail and had also put up the signal of distress. When the fires went out, then we began to think of saving ourselves in the small boats. There was no excitement among the crew; everybody knew his place and kept it. To the best of my knowledge Captain Sweetman did all that could be done. He was perfectly calm and cool. It seems queer that some of the boats at the Haven didn't come to our relief. Some say they saw the signal, other say they didn't. At about 11 o'clock we began lowering the boats. The boat which belonged to our crew we gave to the passengers—as also another one. We then took a metallic boat—No. 5—and launched her. As I stepped in, Driscoll and several others jumped in. A coal-passer jumped after our boat as we pushed away. He must have jumped at least twenty feet. He struck the side of the boat and clung to her. When we were about twenty-five feet away our boat capsized. I came up exactly under her, striking my head against the seats. We all clung to her for about an hour and a half. We did not leave the propeller until just as she sunk. After we capsized and were clinging to the boat we looked back, and there was Mike Crosson, the first mate, standing away up in the mast, waving his hand as the ship went down. The mast broke and he was struck by it in the face and across the back, injuring him somewhat. After that we lost sight of him for awhile. Then we drifted among some of the driftwood of the propeller and succeeded in righting our boat and still clung to her although no one got into her.

We drifted back toward the propeller, which was part above water yet, and got on the hurricane deck. Here we found a pail and some oars and bailed out our boat, and gave some oars to a few who found another boat. Then we picked Crosson off from the pilot-house, which had become detached from the propeller, and which he had managed to climb upon. We then made for shore and succeeded in entering the harbor, followed by the other boat. We had 16 in our boat. Seven of these died before we got in, and probably from exhaustion, as two or three were drowned while one-half of their bodies were in the boat. They hadn't strength to save themselves when they washed overboard. When Driscoll was washed out and drowned I seized his body and held on to it for about a mile, and it then washed away from us. Before we landed Senator Ferry's wife threw us a bottle of brandy, which we drank before getting out of the boat. The citizens of Grand Haven did everything in their power for us. I remember especially Ed. Killian, proprietor of the Milwaukee House, where we all stopped, Mr. Percival, the agent of the D. & M. Road, and Mr. Humphry, agent of the E. T. Line. They worked hard for us—as in fact did everybody. The statements about the boat leaking Friday night are all false. She was in a perfectly sea-worthy condition, and so considered by all the officers."

STATEMENT OF PETER RILEY.

I was first porter on board the Ironsides. I got up at about 2 o'clock in the morning. All was right at that time, and seemed so until about seven o'clock. The sea had been getting heavier all the time. Finally, the fires were put out by the water at 10 o'clock, and then we took to the small boats. I took charge of the third boat which left the propeller. There were 13 in the boat, including Maggie, the chambermaid, and a strange lady, one of the passengers. Our boat did not capsize. All were saved but one—and that was Mr. Wimmel, the New York traveling agent. He and Mr. Dundasher, the cook, were washed out. Dundasher swam in all right, but Wimmel seemed exhausted and made no effort to save himself. When we struck the beach a young machinist of Grand Haven, whose name I don't know, came out to us at the risk of his life and tied a rope to our boat, so as to haul us in. He was a brave fellow. I saved $700 of express money. There were ten people in the boat that got in ahead of us. There was'nt very much excitement; people all acted very calmly and did the best they could.

Mr. F. N. Ripley, of Lowell, Mass., who was one of the saved, gives the following additional particulars:

The sea became so rough before midnight that I could not sleep, though accustomed to the water. Before daylight the boat rolled so desperately that every movable thing was smashing about the vessel, and it was impossible to cross the cabin. It was between 7 and 8 when we came in sight of the harbor, and it was so rough that it seemed unwise to attempt an entrance. We could see the lighthouse and the vessels on the beach, and wondered that some one did not come to our relief. It was a sad sight to see the passengers standing in silence, with their life-preservers on, knowing that in a few moments they would all be at the mercy of the breakers. But all were calm and self-possessed. Captain Sweetman behaved with the utmost coolness and courage, and the crew obeyed every order readily. We were all washed out of the boat when within thirty rods of the shore, but were rescued by those on the beach in a most gallant manner. I was picked up unconscious, but am all right now. The Captain said it was the roughest sea he had ever seen on the lakes.

Those familiar with the shore say the Ironsides went down in not less than forty fathoms of water.

AN AFFECTING SCENE.

When the order was given for the passengers to prepare for danger, great excitement prevailed, naturally, and yet but few became thoroughly unmanned. Mrs. Valentine seemed to think only of her little boy. She ran to Mr. Kitzinger and cried, "For God's sake try and save my little boy at least, if you can't save me. Save my darling boy!" and this request she repeated many times. When the first boat was launched she and her child were put into it, the boat being in the hands of Hazelbarth, who was a splendid seaman. But as has been already told, the boat capsized, and all were lost except Sam Watkins, who swam ashore; a remarkable feat.

The propeller was officered as follows:

Captain—Harry Sweetman.
First Mate—Mike Crosson.
Second Mate—Alfred Pittman.
Acting Purser—N. E. Watkins.
Steward—John Driscoll.
First Engineer—Robert McGlue.
Second Engineer—John M. Cowan.

Perugia and its Relic.

The Italian Government has this year put its veto on the annual pilgrimages to Perugia, on the ground that the assembling of such crowds from all parts of the peninsula might breed the cholera. Perugia, the beautiful capital of Umbria, is not only proud of having repeatedly been the residence of Popes, but still prouder of being the custodian of the ring which the holy Joseph put on the finger of his bride, the Virgin Mary. No inhabitant of the town, of course, has the least doubt of the genuineness of the relic, much less its landlords, who fine it very profitable to entertain the devout pilgrims that come to see the ring. And this must have been the case in former times as well, for a splendid chapel has been built to keep the ring safe. The relic is, however, not of precious metal, but, as seems more appropriate for the wife of the humble carpenter, of stone, a kind of Eastern alabaster. To judge from the diameter, the Virgin Mary must have had a very large hand. Italy is exceedingly rich in relics of this class. In addition to the ring of the Virgin it also rejoices in the possession of her girdle, which is preserved at Prato, and her dwelling, that attracts every year thousands of worshipers to Loretto. Her veil is shown in several places—at least different pieces of it.

The Passion Flower.

We give the history of this singularly named and most beautiful flower: It was originally called "passiflora," or the flower of the passion, by the Catholic priests who followed closely in the path opened up by Columbus to the new continent of America, in order to attempt the conversion of the aborigines to the Christian faith. Many of these Catholic missionaries were men highly cultivated in all the learning of the time, and were consequently more or less naturalists. As such, they were very much attracted by the beauty and singular structure of this remarkable flower, which they found growing in wild luxuriance and abundance over the rocks of Hispaniola, Cuba, and Jamaica; and also climbing the great trees to their tops, and hanging their beautiful foliage and blossoms in thick festoons from the branches. The structure of the flower, upon careful analysis, appeared to them a "miracle," which seemed to foretell that these new countries were destined to Christianity; for the structure which they so much admired at a first glance was found, upon more careful examination, to contain, as they conceived, representations of the objects most closely connected with the crucifixion and the events which immediately preceded it.

Worthy Gifts.

The gift of $25,000 by Samuel A. Hitchcock, of Brimfield, for the completion of the new Congregational house at Boston (hereafter to be called Hitchcock Hall by vote of the Directors), is only one of many, and that among the smaller, of his donations to worthy objects. He has given $150,000 to Amherst College, $100,000 to Andover Seminary, $85,000 to endow a free high school in his native town, $25,000 to Knox College, $10,000 to Tabor College, and many liberal gifts to other worthy objects. Mr. Hitchcock was a poor boy, and in early life was a clerk for Mr. Samuel Slater, of Webster, the great woollen manufacturer. After several years' service in this capacity he went to Boston into the employ of Sayles, Merriam & Co., and became a member of the firm, with which he remained connected some fifteen years. He then removed to Southbridge, and was for years the manager of the Hamilton Manufacturing Company, and President of the Southbridge Bank.

THE thermometer went up to 106 in a Kansas town, one day last week, and the editor man said that he didn't care what happened to the old thing after that.

ANOTHER CONFLAGRATION IN CHICAGO.

Fifty-seven Buildings Burned, Covering a Portion of Four Squares—Loss $250,000.

Chicago was visited on Wednesday afternoon by the most disastrous conflagration that has occurred since the memorable fire of Oct. 8, 1871. The fire originated in a two-story frame building at the intersection of Newberry avenue and the tracks of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway Company, and for a time it seemed as though the "great blaze" was about to be duplicated. The conditions were extremely favorable for such an event. The wind, being a southwester, almost approached to a gale; the buildings, being of frame, were like tinder-boxes, and the many tons of hay stored in the building in which the fire originated gave it a headway that very near defied the best efforts of our fire department. The flames soon swept through the block to Halsted street. The stemming of the flaming flood on the west of Halsted street, was not accomplished until it came to the packing house of Richard M. Oliver, at No. 598 Halsted street, corner of Wright street. When the furious gust of wind that had in the meantime arisen, and threatened to aid the fire fiend in licking up everything that stood in its way, were blowing their fiercest, and carrying the torches of annihilation from house to house, the fire leaped Halsted street to the east side of that thoroughfare, and laid hold of the buildings fringing it with the grasp of a hundred-handed demon. Quickly the first house on the northeast corner of Meagher street was in flamy folds, and then the second, third and fourth followed in rapid succession. The small cottages, barns, out-houses, etc., located on and in the rear of Meagher, Catherine, and Barber streets, speedily succumbed when the east side of Halsted street began to go. The northeasterly direction was still preserved, and, as the fire went on and on, jumping vacant lots, dancing on the shingled roofs in hellish glee, forced forward by the ever increasing wind, and lashed into a frenzy by every new object, it ate its way from Meagher to Catherine street, leveling the frames that were in its way, and taking about three eighths of the square from Halsted to Union streets. It then continued its march, and held on its way to Barber street. Inch by inch, in the face of flying sparks, blinding smoke, scorching flames, a suffocating atmosphere, and with tremendous odds against them, the brave firemen met their foe. A stand had been made on the flanks, and at Barber street the Fire Department did the work that proved the salvation of the West Division. There they stopped it by sheer pluck, and all the plunder it was allowed north of Barber street was comprised in the store at the northeast corner of that and Halsted street and a couple of dwellings in the rear. With this the fire demon seems to have been satisfied, and the city's annual sacrifice to the inexorable monster was declared complete.

The only loss of life, so far as reported, occurred about 3 o'clock, in a tenement building on the east side of Halsted street. A baby, belonging to a poor family that occupied rooms in the house, was left with some goods while the people were moving out. Several loads had been taken away, and as they were entering to remove the balance the roof fell in, and directly afterward the structure collapsed. Of course the infant must have been calcined in short order.

A careful inspection of the ground showed that some fifty-seven houses were destroyed. These will not average over $2,500 each in value, making a total loss of $125,000 on buildings. The loss on the contents thereof, damage done to buildings not destroyed and to their contents, will probably aggregate as much more, though many well posted are of the opinion that $250,000 will be an outside estimate.

The insurance will not exceed, as far as can be estimated, twenty per cent. of the loss.

Seventy-five families, numbering about 300 persons, were rendered homeless.

The excitement throughout the city during the progress of the fire was intense, and fears were at one time entertained that the fire would again desolate the city. Happily these fears proved groundless.

To Catch Rats.

A new manner of catching rats is exciting great interest. A barrel is filled half full of water. A layer of powdered cork is laid on its surface, and over this a layer of corn meal is sifted. A chair and a box or two are placed unobtrusively in the neighborhood, whereby the rat gains the edge of the barrel. He sees nothing but the meal. He has no innate ideas which teach him to beware of the treacherous foundation on which that tempting surface rests. He sniffs, he leaps, and goes gently down through meal and cork to a watery grave. If any of his friends see him disappear from the edge of the barrel, they hasten after him to get their share of the probable plunder, and are in turn taken in by hospitable death. The plan seems effective as against rats, but it is calculated to destroy their confidence in human nature.

"Miracles Will Never Cease."

During a meeting of the Concord Baptist Association at Owenton, Kentucky, last week, a certain preacher delivered a sermon that deeply touched a good old Democrat in the audience—and an Owen County Democrat, be it known, is of the purest breed. On being told that the preacher had once been a "Yankee" General, he seemed wonder struck. At the close of the sermon he approached the preacher, and taking him by the hand, said: "They tell me you were a 'Yankee' General in the Federal army?" "Yes" was the reply, "and I tried to do my duty." "A Yankee and converted?" "Yes." "And a preacher of the gospel?" "Yes." "Well, well," said he, "miracles will never cease."—*Macon, (Ga.) Telegraph.*

THE ship in the desert story, which has heretofore been attributed to a traveler's lively imagination, is verified by the James expedition explorers. In the Colorado desert, fully twenty miles from the Gulf of California, they found the mast of a vessel, doubtless cast there by some terrible storm. Another wonder was water running up hill. When the Colorado river is at its height its waters are propelled through the natural canal known as New river, up and over a high "divide." The Indians met with were friendly, though greatly alarmed by the report that their visitors intended to turn the ocean in on them.

A SUBMARINE cable is about to be laid by the Danish Great Northern Company between England and Sweden.

SUNLIGHT.

Its Sanitary Influence—Hints for Health.

The Providence Journal remarks that the importance of sunlight as a curative agent is not sufficiently appreciated. Sir James Wylie, late physician to the Emperor of Russia, made a careful study of the effect of light as a curative agent in the Hospital of St. Petersburg. He discovered that the number of patients who were cured in rooms properly lighted was four times as great as it was when they were confined in dark rooms. This led to a complete reform in lighting the hospitals of Russia, and was attended with the most beneficial results.

In cities visited by the cholera it has been found that the greatest mortality has taken place in narrow streets, and on the side of those having a Northern exposure where the rays of the sun are excluded. The inhabitants of the Southern slopes of mountains are better developed and more healthy than those who live on the Northern sides. The inhabitants of secluded valleys are often subject to peculiar diseases and personal deformities, partly caused, probably by the want of direct sunlight.

So far has faith in the efficacy of sunlight been carried, that its advocates have proposed to build sanitariums of glass on the upper stories of houses, where patients, divested of clothing, can take daily sunbaths. One reason given for the decrease of population in the Sandwich Islands, is the adoption of civilized habits, and the unhealthful restraint of clothing upon limbs accustomed to light and air. Great improvement can be made in ordinary practice without carrying the remedy to extremes. The most sunny and light part of the house should be occupied by the household, instead of being kept for occasional guests. Persons should sit at the windows where the sunshine comes directly upon them, and all the sunshine and air possible should be admitted within doors.

Instead of this, heavy draperies, shades, shutters and blinds shut out the life-giving influence; reception-rooms, even in these enlightened days, are oftentimes kept so dark that you cannot see where you stand; and as you enter them from the warm sun light, the close, damp air sends a chill through your whole frame, which has doubtless by a sudden check of perspiration been the cause of much illness, and the loss of many valuable lives.

This is especially the case at this season of the year. The mornings and evenings are chilly, and the doors and windows, after the morning airing, are kept tightly closed to keep out flies and mosquitoes, while the dwellers sit wrapped in shawls in their gaudy and stately prisons. A little painstaking will obviate these troubles. Almost all houses, imperatively those shaded by trees, need a little fire morning and evening. It will make trouble and dust, but that must not be thought of. Then let the draperies be taken down, and open blinds and windows to let in the sanitary sunshine. Protect the windows with screens of lace or wire to keep out the troublesome pests that are the bane of the careful housekeeper, and let in the priceless wealth of pure air. Let the carpets fade, and the upholstery grow dim. Nothing should be too costly for careful use, and of what consequence is furniture, when health and life are weighed in the other scale?

We know of deluded individuals who sit through the summer days in darkened rooms, where plants would either die, or lose entirely their green color. We know of houses that send a chill through you like being in a cellar, when you cross the threshold. We know, also, of sunny homes, where sunlight and fresh air play through the spacious halls, where the windows are thrown open to all healthful influences, and where on chilly mornings and evenings provision is made for that blessed influence, an open fire, cheerful, mirth-provoking and healthful-like sunlight and pure air.

It is said that during one day's healthful existence, sixty hogsheads of pure air should enter the human lungs. It would be an interesting problem to find out what proportion of the inhabitants of the city obtain the quota of pure oxygen necessary for keeping the lungs in the most healthy condition.

The Importance of Good Manners.

In illustration of the importance of good manners, a contemporary recalls an incident which occurred at a Scotch telegraph office some years ago. Lord Russell was the Minister in attendance upon her Majesty at Balmoral, and one evening there came a messenger to Aboyne—a little old man, buried in a great coat, with a telegram from his Lordship to one of his Ministerial colleagues in London. The message was handed to the clerk in charge, a peremptory person, who, seeing that it did not bear a signature—it was in the days of the old companies, when a signature was necessary—threw it contemptuously back, with the authoritative command, "Put your name to it; it's a pity your master doesn't know how to send a telegram!" The name was added, and the message handed back. "Why, you can't write either!" cried the enraged clerk, after vainly endeavoring to make out the signature. "Here, let me do it. What's your name?" "My name," said the little old messenger, very deliberately, "is John Russell." It was the veritable Lord John himself, and the unhappy clerk was removed from Aboyne forthwith.

Uses of Waste Paper.

Waste paper can be made to perform a variety of service in household economy. Any surface like a stove or grate requiring blacking can be kept bright for a long time by being rubbed daily with waste paper. Windows, or any glass surface that has been thoroughly washed, can be wiped and polished with pieces of white newspaper. Tin that has been scoured, or silver that has been rubbed, can be brighted in the same way. Several thicknesses of newspaper laid under carpets are an economical substitute for the material found at the carpet stores for the same purpose. House plants covered by newspapers will resist the frost on cold nights, and out-door plants can be protected in the same way. Newspapers placed between blankets have the effect of additional bedding. These are only a few of the uses of waste paper that could easily be enumerated. We recommend it as a household agent, because the supply is unlimited, and because, after having done duty once, it can be still available for use as kindling, or to be sold to the dealers in the article.

THE Japanese Government is anxious to have foreigners residing in the country made amenable to the laws of Japan. Although the island empire has made some progress in civilization, its code is too barbarous yet for Western people. Grabbers have their heads chopped off.

A New Rope-Walker at the Falls—Blondin and Balleni Outdone by a Hack-Driver.

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

The recent feats of rope-walking at the Falls have developed a new member of that order, who bids fair to eclipse all his predecessors. It seems he has been employed for some time by the gentleman in charge of the rope to attend to the guys, and has often expressed a wish to try his hand at imitating Balleni. The latter, however, has never given him a chance, and the management have been afraid that their "star" would be entirely eclipsed in affording him a chance to exhibit his ability. But circumstances created a little unpleasantness between the Signor and his employers, which resulted, last week, in a rupture between the parties, and a consequent conclusion of the semi-weekly exhibitions.

Looking for a new job, Balleni visited this city one day last week, and during his absence the new claimant of funambulistic honors got possession of the balance pole and permission to use the rope. Several who knew him were aware that he could walk a very short rope, but looked on his proposition to walk a rope over a quarter of a mile in length, with the guys all slack, and a sag of over one hundred feet, as a serious joke, and endeavored to pursuade him from trying. He only laughed at their fears, and said that he was only doing it "just for fun," and started down on a trot instead of a walk. Getting towards the centre, the loose cable began to swing, when he came to a halt, and stopped the wavering motion by standing on one foot, and then proceeded to the centre, where he stopped. By this time quite a crowd had gathered on both sides of the river, and were anxiously watching the movements at this point, and wondering if he, too, was going to jump into the river, and that without the elastic cord, there being none at hand.

After laying down and fastening the balance pole, he sent a thrill of horror through the crowd by falling from the rope, but catching by his hands. He then went through several acrobatic feats, such as hanging by his feet, head and one hand and several other feats, after which he started for the other side. Nearing the terminus, he turned round and walked backward up the steepest portion. Residents of the Falls say that his feats have never been excelled by any who have walked there heretofore, and from the condition of the rope accord him the honor of being the best ever there.

He is a painter by trade, lives at Drummondville, Ont., and is generally known as Stephen Peer, the hack-driver. He walks again to-day for the last time, as the rope will be removed to-morrow. He agrees if the rope can be left till he secures elastic he will not only jump to the river below, but hang on it till its elasticity raises him again to the cable.

We learn that Signor Balleni was so much incensed at the laurels won by his rival that on Saturday last he attempted to cut the cable, but was arrested by the Prospect Park policeman before he had succeeded in severing but one strand.

Wasted Tears.

We paused this morning, says the Peoria Review, to watch a lonely hearse pass along the streets. Over it nodded the sable plumes, and silken curtains hid from curious eyes the casket of the friendless dead, and bullion fringe and silver lace-work could not detract from the solemnity of death. No carriages followed the hearse to man's last resting-place; no stifled sobs burst from the lips of stricken mourners; no eyes turned pityingly upon the scanty funeral; the great heart of the city throbbed unceasingly on, and the roar and clamor of traffic hushed the hollow rumble of the catafalque. Buried alone—ah! when might it come upon us, thus to pass from the Present into the eternal Future to commit ourselves alone to the bosom of the river, whose waters lave the hither shore in the dark, chill bitterness of death, and thitherward are forever veiled in clouds of the Mystic, which human eye hath never pierced! 'Tis a dreary fate to ponder o'er, and this friendless man should have at least one mourner, so with bated breath and uncovered head, whispered the driver, "who is, or was, the lonely dead?" and the driver said, "dead nothin'; I'm just taking the old bone trap over to the shop to git her springs fixed. She bounced the last stiff we took out in her clean out o' the coffin. Whoa, Bill! blast ye, or I'll cut your hair with a black-snake!" We ceased weeping.

A Surplice Story.

The editor of an Episcopalian contemporary prints the following story (as having been told by a friend in a private note) of a rural clergyman who had a very fine surplice, which he carried with him on a visit to a clerical brother in the vicinity of Boston. The Boston brother was so pleased with this garment that it was arranged that the rural brother should order one like it from the Philadelphia maker (who happened to be a sexton in that city), and have it sent by express, marked C. O. D. After some time had elapsed, the sexton complained to the country clergyman who had ordered the surplice that his city friend had not paid for it. At the suggestion of the former, who was not a little surprised, the bill was at once sent, and the payment was promptly remitted. Not very long after this, a second visit was paid to the Boston divine, when, on entering the vestry room and seeing him donning his Philadelphia-made surplice, the explanation of the misunderstanding about the payment was at once apparent, for there, on the back of the garment, were distinctly embroidered the letters C. O. D.! The sexton had taken the directions literally, and the Boston clergyman was happy in the idea that his handsome surplice bore some new "advanced" legend.

Curious Facts.

Recent experiments have shown very conclusively that cold blooded animals behave like plants with regard to freezing temperatures. Thus, they die at different freezing temperatures; the honey bee at one degree; the spider at three degrees; the flesh fly survives a temperature of six degrees; the silk-worm eggs at one of twenty-one degrees. And as there are plants in which the water may be frozen without their dying, there are some animals in which this occurs. The silk-worm eggs may be frozen solid without extinguishing life. In the spiders and flies exposed to freezing temperature, in the course of the experiments a part of the water was frozen; but as contraction of the muscles still took place in a temperature at which pieces of meat were frozen stiff, it is improbable that their muscles were frozen.

"He, now-dar; he, now-gin, from a furrin' sho-hore," is the way a Topeka belle renders the words of a popular song.—*Ex.*

Life's Prizes.

BY WM. A. [illegible].

"Keeter bite, papa! Just see there!"
The red speck swelled on the round arm fair,
The mosquito's kiss had been given there,
And the child was proud of her punctured skin,
And the right to fret like his grown-up kin.

"Keeter bite?" Verily, I've had mine
Puffing and swelling and smarting fine.
Scratch 'em and show 'em, then they'll shine.
Who would be singular, all alone,
With no red irritant boast of his own?

"She was a baby?" But who has met
The grown-up child who was satisfied yet,
Till his grievance gave him the right to fret?
Ah! we all come short of our perfect bliss,
Till we're able to show the mosquito's kiss.

N. Y. Post.

General Items.

A CIRCUS LICENSE in Omaha costs $200 a day.

A NAUTICAL MONOGRAM—The crest of a wave.

PARIS is given the palm for producing male flirts.

GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN has an income of $23,000 yearly from his rents alone.

THE Czar has started on a tour to the Crimea.

EDMUND ABOUT is the Paris correspondent of the London Athenæum.

J. B. McCULLAGH ("Mack") has retired from the St. Louis Democrat.

THIERS' volume on the "Arts in Italy" is soon to appear.

MRS. EDWIN M. STANTON, widow of the late Secretary of War, is seriously ill.

THE California University will explore the lava beds in the interest of science.

THE claimant's twitch has been described as a stuttering in the left eye.—*Judy.*

JUMBO, son of King Beroney, of Africa, is being educated in Liverpool, Eng.

MARY BATCH lately died in England at the age of 103, leaving a batch of sixty grand-children.

JAMES GORDON BENNETT, of the New York Herald, holds apples in his hand for Recorder Hackett to shoot at.

No matter how amiable a lady may be, fashion now demands that she shall appear ruffled in public.

A "HONEYMOON CAR" is run on the Pacific Railway for the accommodation of bridal parties.

THERE is a proposal before the British government that trees shall be planted in the streets of London.

NOTE by a Chiropodist (in the country for the first time). "Must be very painful—corn in the ear."

THREE new war vessels have just been added to the British navy, and twenty-five others are building.

M. D. CONWAY says the Empress Eugenie looks dispirited, worn, and old.

MISS MARMORA DEVOE has graduated at a regular theological seminary, and has devoted herself to the ministry.

"THE Old Prostitute," and "Our Dog Jakey," are pet names for editors in Arkansas politics.

PSYCHOLOGICAL novels is what the critics call those novels which are not logical in any other way.

THE last big story is about a rat, which comes out of its hole to keep the flies off a sleeping baby's face.

AT CLUG station, Wyoming Territory, four Indian squaws were taken to the polls, and their votes accepted.

THE Dubuque Herald is published by Ham & Carver, but they don't cut up as much as you might suppose.

"STAMPS" is the name of an editor of a North Carolina paper. He who filches from him his good name commits a larceny indeed.

MLLE. ANNA WALTER, a dancer at the Vienna Theatre, was burned to death when preparing to enter on the stage.

IT is reported that A. T. Stewart has bequeathed $1,000,000 to the National Law School at Washington.

POSTMASTER FILLEY, of St. Louis, demands an investigation into the charges against him that he has assessed his clerks.

ARTHUR HARDY, a graduate of West Point, has been appointed Professor of Civil Engineering in Dartmouth College.

COL. HENDRICKSON KORTRIGHT has been appointed Administrator of the government of the English settlement on the Gambia.

THE possessors of the Tichborne estate are already out of pocket about $800,000 by their fight with "the Claimant." But the lawyers don't feel particularly mournful over it.

THE churches were well filled, Sunday. The shape is an improvement, but the trimming is not wholly satisfactory. They set a little further back on the head than the summer styles, we think.

IT is announced in London that a marriage has been arranged between the eldest daughter of Premier Gladstone, Miss Agnes Gladstone, and the Rev. E. C. Hickman, Head Master of Wellington College.

THE Paris Court of Appeals has rejected the appeal of Gaudree-Boileau and others against the sentences passed upon them and General Fremont in connection with the Trans-continental, Memphis and Pacific Railroad Company.

A PHILOSOPHICAL Kentuckian, who had but one shirt, and was lying in bed while the garment was drying on the clothes line in the yard, was startled by an exclamation from his wife to the effect that "the calf had eaten it." "Well," said the Kentuckian, with a spirit worthy of a better cause, "well, then, who has must lose."

LORD HOUGHTON, in his sketch of Lady Ashburton, one of the brightest women of her day, with a fine dash of sarcasm in her chat, says: "Many who would not have cared for a quiet defeat shrank from the merriment of her victory. I remember one of them saying, 'I do not mind being knocked down, but I can't stand being danced upon afterwards.'"

AT Bavais, France, some very valuable relics have just been found. A working man has dug up a vase containing many gold pieces of the times of the Roman Emperors. Other vases have been discovered, and it is reported that there are more than ten million coins concealed in the neighborhood of the ancient city. Nearly one million have already been dug up. The proprietor of the land claims the treasure, as do also the workmen and the state.

HOST—"Nice party, ain't it, Major La Sponger! 'Igh and low, rich and poor—most people are welcome to this 'ouse! This is 'Liberty 'All,' this is! No false pride or 'umbug about me! I'm a self-made man, I am!" The Major—"Very nice party, indeed, Mr. Shoddy. How proud your father and mother must feel! Are they here?" Host—"Well, no! 'Ang it all, you know, one must draw the line somewhere."—*Punch.*

Humor and Learning.

A "LOOSE LEAF."

A lovely young lady bird sat on a tree,
Sing hie, sing ho, with a hey down derry;
She smiled as she said, "Don't you wish you were me,
To swing and to swizzle, and aye to be merry?"

Up jumped a grasshopper, and he said, said he,
Sing hie, sing ho, with a hey down derry:
"You can't speak good grammar, so off you'd best be,
Naught's worse than bad grammar, unless it's bad sherry."

At this she expanded her beautiful wings,
Sing hie, sing ho, with a hey down derry;
And saying, "I hate them there grasshopping things,"
Flew off to her lunch on a neighboring berry.

The moral of this isn't very absurd,
Sing hie, sing ho, with a hey down derry;
If you're a grasshopper you can't be a bird,
But if you're a bird—this is serious, very:

Why, if you're a bird you can ne'er be a dunce,
Sing hie, sing ho, with a hey down derry;
Because you can't be in two places at once,
Taking grammar in one, in the other have sherry.

—*London Fun.*

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Water in an Acre of Land.

In replying to an inquiry for some crop to raise in an orchard, Mr. J. Harris, in his Walks and Talks on the Farm, in the American Agriculturist, cites the results of experiments made in June, 1870, by Messrs. Lawes and Gilbert, of England, to ascertain not only the amount of water in an acre of land, but the difference in the amount of water in land lying fallow, and in that in which a crop of barley was growing. In making this experiment each nine inches of earth to the depth of four and a half feet were separately tested. These analyses showed that an acre of dry soil three inches deep, weighs 1,000,000 pounds, or 500 tons; fifty four inches deep weighs eighteen times as much, or 9,000 tons; when wet, about one-eighth more.

The following table shows the per centage of water in the land at different depths:

	Fallow land.	Barley land.	Difference.
1st nine inches	20.36	11.91	8.45
2d " "	29.53	19.32	10.21
3d " "	34.84	22.83	12.01
4th " "	34.42	25.00	9.23
5th " "	31.31	27.98	4.33
6th " "	33.55	26.83	7.17
Mean	30.65	22.09	8.56

From these figures it appears that the barley crop must have pumped up and evaporated 1,035 tons of water per acre.

Messrs. Lawes and Gilbert say: "As the excavation proceeded, barley roots were observed to have extended to a depth of between four and five feet, and the clayey sub-soil appeared to be much more disintegrated and much dryer where the roots had penetrated than where they had not."

Hence Mr. Harris concludes that, "during the summer months, while the trees are growing rapidly and producing fruit, they need abundance of moisture. Nothing should be allowed to grow among them—not even a weed. If anything is grown in autumn and spring it should be eaten off before the dry weather of summer, or else it should be mown and allowed to lie on the surface for a mulch.

Rearing.

Rearing is a coltish trick which is generally lost as the horse grows older. In slight cases it consists in the horse simply raising a little before and then dropping again, as if from play only; but in the worst form it is a systematic attempt to throw the rider, and sometimes the horse goes so far as to throw himself back as well. When in an aggravated form it is a frightful vice, and with an inexperienced rider may be attended with fatal mischief.

The remedy for this vice is the martingale, which may either be used with rings running on the snaffle-rein, or attached directly by the ordinary billet and buckle, or, again, by means of a running rein, which commences from the breast-strap of the martingale and then running through the ring of the snaffle with a pulley-like action it is brought back to the hand, and it may thus be tightened or relaxed according to circumstances, so as to bring the horse's head absolutely down to his breast, or, on the other hand, to give it entire liberty, without dismounting. With a determined brute nothing short of this last kind will prevent rearing; and even it will fail in some cases, for there are some horses which rear with their heads between their fore legs. Nevertheless, they are rare exceptions, and with the majority the martingale in some form is efficacious. It should never be put on the curb rein with rearing, and indeed a curb is seldom to be used at all to horses addicted to that vice; they are always made worse by the slightest touch of the bit, and unless they are very much inclined to run away, it is far better to trust to a straight bit or plain snaffle, which, by not irritating the mouth, will often induce them to go pleasantly, whereas a more severe bit would tempt them to show their temper by rearing.

Breaking a bottle of water between the ears, or a severe blow in the same part, may in some cases be tried but the continued use of the martingale will generally suffice. There is also a mode of curing rearers sometimes attempted, by letting them rise, and then slipping off on one side and pulling them back; but it is a dangerous feat for both horse and rider, and has often led to a broken back on the part of the horse, as well as sometimes to severe injury to the rider. It is scarcely necessary to remark that the rider should in all cases lean well forward, and relax the bridle while the horse is in the air.

Will a Good Milch Cow Consume More Food than a Poor One?

In the report of the Western New York Butter Makers' Association, printed in the Country Gentleman, of July 3, p. 427, occurs the following passage: "This single cow has made 310 pounds of butter in a single season. He (the owner) had to feed her extra well to get this yield from her. One of his neighbors said that it cost all the extra butter to get the extra feed. All present seemed to agree that good milkers are good eaters, and that more care is required to keep good cows in condition than small milkers."

This is precisely our experience, and we have no other. A brother of ours has tested the matter carefully, and invariably the best milkers were the greatest eaters, and the food consumed was in proportion to the milk and butter realized. This was with the common native breed. And yet it is held by men who stand as authority that it will cost no more to keep a good milch cow than an inferior one. It requires but little thought to see the fallacy of this. Is not the excess of milk from a good cow over a poor one obtained from the food she consumes? And thus, the flesh or condition the same in both cows, how will the excess of milk and butter be accounted for, unless there is an increase of food to furnish it?—for it has not been shown, we believe, that the excrements of a good milker are less rich than those of an inferior cow. If that were the case the thing would be but little altered, as the digestion and assimilation would be defective, and much of the strength would go to the manure heap, which is not the economical way of feeding stock.

But the increase of feed in a good cow is no argument against securing such a cow. It shows that the machine was all the better for converting food into the product of the dairy—the true object in dairying. It must therefore appear that the less machines that are employed to change into milk a given quantity of food, the less expense, and, consequently, the more profit.—*Cor. Country Gentleman.*

Cultivating the White Ash.

The value of the white ash for timber, says Mr. Fuller, is so well known that it may seem almost superfluous to mention it. There is scarcely a farm implement, from a rake handle up to a reaper or mower, of which the tough white ash does not form a part. But the cultivation of this valuable tree has been and still is sadly neglected. The time must soon come when the implements required for agricultural purposes on the far western prairies will be manufactured there, and good timber must be had. Therefore, it requires no great stretch of the imagination to see that a profitable market will soon exist far away from the present source of supply. The cultivation of such timber is like money put out at compound interest, and a man investing a very small sum at first will soon find himself the possessor of large and constantly increasing capital. The white ash is a tree easily grown from seed, which may be obtained in unlimited quantities and very cheaply. The seedlings may be easily transplanted without fear of loss, and they will succeed in almost any good, rich soil. At first the seedlings appear to make slow progress in comparison to cottonwoods and willows, but when fairly established their growth is rapid and every way satisfactory. As soon as the trees are a few inches in diameter the timber is ready for use, and thenceford continues to increase with age. Farmers who are in need or likely to be of good timber should not neglect the cultivation of this most valuable tree.

Manipulating Milk and Curds.

From the Rural New Yorker we extract the following:

Mr. B. B. Moon, of Herkimer, discussed before the American Dairymans' Association the effects of varied manipulation as influencing the quality of cheese. The temperature of milk when drawn from the cow must be raised or decreased, otherwise decomposition of the product will result. He had found the best temperature in cooling milk for cheese-making to be 65 degrees. At this temperature the lactic acid fermentation secures a sufficient start to insure its supremacy, while the mass is again heated to coagulate the milk and cook the curd. High temperature requires much less rennet, while larger quantities of rennet hasten the curing of the cheese. He contended that if the curds are allowed to settle to the bottom of a deep vat of whey, and are stirred only to prevent scorching, the mass will become more thoroughly expelled from the curds than when cooked in a vat of whey at less depth. To make a cheese to cure rapidly, he would set the milk at low temperature and use more rennet. To ripen more slowly, set at high temperature with less rennet; then return all whey in the vat, and perhaps add water to obtain a greater pressure.

Salt retards fermentation, and is the agent described as sharp. It is used accordingly, to hasten or retard the curing. Acidity aids in expelling moisture during the cooking process, and is relied on entirely for solidity. Aeration, too, of the curds in the sink gives solidity. Purity of air in the curing room is a necessity. He described three kinds of leaky cheese. Leaking soon after being taken from the press he remedies by increasing the depth of milk in the vat, his theory being that the curds cooked under light pressure of whey in the vat, will retain too much moisture.

Again, cheese sometimes leak from three to ten days after being taken from the press. This comes from cheese made from milk nearly sour. The remedy for leaky cheese throwing off an oily substance is, to reduce the temperature of the dry-room. This leakage, he thought, comes from allowing too much acid to develop, together with the cheese being too high salted, and cured in the high temperature.

A Corpse Exhumed to Kill a Slander.

A Canadian gentleman named Cameron ten years since returned home from British Columbia, bringing with him a coffin containing the dead bodies of his wife and child, who had died during his absence. They were interred near Cornwall, where Mr. Cameron resides. Recently, while he was absent, some of his neighbors got up a story that the coffin supposed to contain the corpse of Mrs. Cameron enclosed nothing but a piece of clay, that lady having been in reality sold by her husband to an Indian chief on the Pacific coast for a gold chain. Strange as it may seem, this monstrous tale found ready belief among the Canucks, and when Mr. Cameron came home he found it necessary to refute it. So he advertised that on a certain day the grave would be opened and the corpses exposed to view. When the time came several hundred people were present. The bodies were exhumed and exhibited to the gaping crowd. They were in excellent preservation, having been embalmed immediately after death, and the features of Mrs. Cameron were distinctly recognized by those who knew her in life. This, of course, exploded the story of the sale, and gave peace of mind to the gossips.

Monster Wooden War Ship.

The monster ship which England has christened the Shah, out of compliment to the potentate, has just been launched at Portsmouth and is regarded as one of the completest ships in the navy. She is built of wood, and is the fifth of the new wooden vessels which have been introduced into the navy. There is nothing remarkable about her construction, but considerable interest has been excited about ships of this class from the mere fact that they are wooden, and that in the present day it should be found desirable to recommence wooden shipbuilding. The Shah is a frigate of 4,000 tons and 1,000 nominal horse power, and is constructed to carry 26 guns from 6½ to 18 tons in weight.

A CURE to illegal voting—The check reign.

RAIN IN UTAH.

Remarkable Phenomenon in the Salt Lake Valley.

From the New York Herald, Sept. 5.

A brief dispatch from Salt Lake City informs us that on Tuesday last there was a heavy storm in that valley; that it extended generally over the territory; that the lightning was very severe, and several persons were injured by it, and that the fall of rain and hail was unparalleled in that region. This is a remarkable phenomenon, particularly in connection with the pleasant surprises of liberal rains which the people of Utah and the neighboring state and territories have experienced every month this year. In his "City of the Saints" (1862), by that famous traveler from Arabia and the lake regions of Central Africa, R. F. Burton, in speaking of the climate of Utah, he says: "Between April and October showers are rare; there are, however, exceptions, heavy downfalls, with thunder, lightning and hail. 'Clouds without water' is a proverbial expression; a dark heavy pall which, in woodland countries, would burst with its weight, here sails over the arid, sun-parched surface and discharges its watery stores in the canyons and upon the mountains." During the first few years after the arrival of the Saints there was little rain either in spring or autumn; in 1860 it extended to the middle of June. The change may be attributed to cultivation and plantation; thus also may be explained the North American Indian saying that the pale face brings with him his rain.

But while the planting and cultivation of trees, even in small groves, in desert regions, have brought down the rain, where rain was unknown before, the people of Utah and the adjoining Territories attribute the marked increase of their annual average rainfall within the last few years to those finds of iron of the main Pacific and its branch railroads, acting as electrical conductors. If this is true, we may reasonably count upon such an increased value of all our arid lands from the great plains to the Pacific, and from the British possessions to our Mexican frontier, from the building of our Northern and Southern Pacific Railways, as will a thousand times over redeem all the costs involved in the construction of these roads. In any event, in a region where for fifteen years and more a steadily increasing annual rainfall has been so generally noticed as in Utah, there is evidently a change at work in the climate, from which, within even a generation or two, we may count upon such a transformation of those arid regions as will make their former sterility and desolation appear incredible to the observing traveler.

Cossack Capacities.

This is the way the Turquisians take their meals:

"First they make away with a gallon kettle of hot tea. Then they prepare a four quart pailful of boiled fish and soup. Just as this was despatched, their comrade returned, and the pail was twice filled with boiled beef, all of which was devoured by the three, the bones being cracked for the marrow. They then rinsed out the pail, and cooked it full of "crupa," a kind of mush, which went the way of the fish and beef. Then they fell upon "ukale," or dried salmon, devouring even the skin, after broiling it over the fire. Then they built their own camp fire, and began to cook another meal. We did not keep any account of the dishes, but the last thing we heard after retiring was the cracking of beef bones to get at the marrow. Swartz told us that a few months before a number of horses had been sent to Ajan, under charge of half a dozen Cossacks. One of the horses broke his leg, and had to be killed. At evening the six Cossacks sat down to the carcass, and in the morning there was nothing left of it but the hide and bones. Even the head and entrails had been eaten."

CAN IT BE TRUE?—Within the last few months a considerable number of persons have called upon Dr. Walker, the proprietor of the popular medicine known as VINEGAR BITTERS, and assured him that, in their belief, his preparation is an infallible antidote for rum and tobacco. The minute details which have been furnished him forbid him to doubt the accuracy of the statements. This new claim of a great remedy to the confidence of the public will give a vast and well deserved impulse to its popularity. Heretofore the Bitters have been recognized as a pure vegetable tonic and corrective, devoid of alcohol, and thoroughly adapted to the cure of stomach and bowel complaints, nervous disorders, bilious affections, muscular diseases, and, indeed, a majority of the ailments within the reach of medicine; but if it will also cure the craving for liquor and tobacco, philosophers, statesmen and theologians ought to unite their voices in its praise. Can the good news be true? It is easy to test the question.—Com.

On Sunday, a vaquero named Jose, near Anaheim, was kicked in the face by a vicious horse. Soon after, while he was drawing water to wash the wound, he lost his balance and fell into the well, which is sixty-two feet deep. He was taken out dead.

WE would not recommend the frequent or constant use of any medicine. It is important to take even a good article judiciously. *Parson's Purgative Pills* are safe, prompt and reliable as a laxative or cathartic.

BASE BALL is undoubtedly good exercise and capital amusement, but it often occasions bunged eyes, broken skins, and blistered hands. We can tell you that in all such cases, if *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* is resorted to, it will reduce the swelling and stop the pain.—Com.

WE see by the Chicago papers that PROCTER & GAMBLE have reduced the price of their long-established and popular brand MOTTLED GERMAN SOAP; its present price and superior quality makes it the cheapest as well as the best soap for consumers.—Com.

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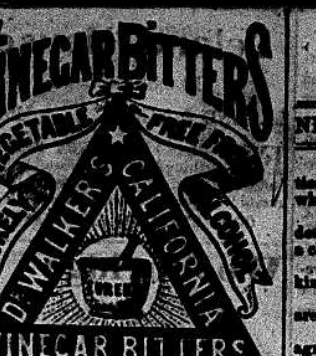

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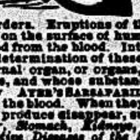

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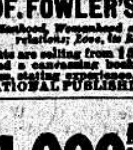

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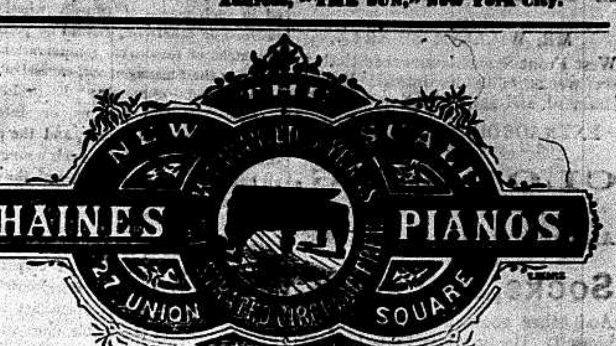

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Passed September 22nd, 1873.

Attest: F. X. GOULET, City Recorder.
H. D. PETTIBONE, Pres't Com. Council.
Approved: H. D. PETTIBONE, Acting Mayor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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

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

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

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

JOHN B. CONANT, Justice of the Peace.

RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Brainerd, that sidewalks be constructed on the south side of Front Street from Third to Fifth Street, of good material, not less than twelve (12) feet wide, with not less than four (4) sills or sleepers to be covered with oak or pine plank not less than two (2) inches thick, to conform to the grade established by the City Surveyor, all to be done at the proper cost and charge of the owners of lots, said walks to be built within thirty days after the passage of this resolution, and that the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to notify all of said owners to complete said walks within the time herein specified.

Passed September 17th, 1873.

Attest: F. X. GOULET, City Recorder.
H. D. PETTIBONE, Pres't Common Council, EBER H. BLY, Mayor.

THE PLATFORM.

Resolved, First, That the Republican party continues to be the first party of progress and reform; that while pledging itself anew to the great principles of universal freedom and equal rights with which it has triumphed in the past, and which it has permanently incorporated in Government, State and national; it meets boldly new questions as they arise in the spirit of devotion to the rights of the people, irrespective of class or condition, and that it presents the first example of a great party, wise and just enough to correct its own errors and abuses.

Second, That whereas the Republican party has ever been the tried friend of the oppressed—securing freedom for the slave, giving a home to the landless, obtaining from European countries a recognition of citizenship here for adopted citizens—it now greets with hearty sympathy and an extended hand every movement to secure to agriculture and labor their due influence, interest and rights.

Third, The producing, commercial and industrial interests of the country should have the best and cheapest modes of transportation possible, and while capital invested in such means of transit, whether by railroad or otherwise, should be permitted the right of reasonable remuneration; all abuse in their management, excessive rates, unjust and oppressive discriminations against localities, persons or interests, should be corrected by law, and the people should be protected from such wrongs and all improper and arbitrary use of the growing power of railroad and other corporations.

Fourth, That in our opinion, no rights should be vested in railroad corporations beyond the control of future legislation, and that such laws should be enacted as will limit to just and reasonable rates all tolls, freights and charges of railroad transportation companies, and protect the people from imposition, and that the Legislature should attach such conditions to all new grants and amendments or extensions of old charters, as will place the rights of legislative control over such corporations beyond all question.

Fifth, That we heartily applaud the active measures of the late Congress in ferreting out and exposing corruption. We have seen with profound regret, in the developments made thereby, evidence of official and political corruption and the use abuse of responsible positions by men of all political parties to further personal ends, and we demand pure official conduct and the punishment of unfaithful public men, State and National, who have betrayed the confidence freely extended to them, shall not be shielded from disgrace by any partizanship of ours, and we denounce all Credit Mobilier transactions whatever be their form.

Sixth, When retrenchment is required to lighten the burden of taxation and to continue the reduction of the public debt, an increase of salaries is unwise. We condemn without reserve the voting for or receiving of an increased pay for services already rendered, and demand that the provisions of the late act of Congress by which the salaries were increased should be promptly and unconditionally repealed.

Seventh, That the wise, patriotic and efficient administration of Gov. Horace Austin entitles him to the unqualified approbation of the people of the whole State. That the able and faithful discharge of the responsible duties of the office of Attorney General by the Hon. F. R. E. Cornell merit the highest public commendation.

Eighth, That we heartily endorse the action of the late Legislature in investigating and reforming the abuses in the office of State Treasurer.

Ninth, That in view of the recent decision of the Land Department at washington in favor of certain Railroad companies, and against a large class of settlers upon a portion of the public lands in this State, whereby great injury and suffering is likely to result to such settlers, this Convention earnestly requests such action on the part of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, as shall secure the honest settler against any loss and injury as far as possible.

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Sept. 20, 1873. 2-32

NOTICE.—You and each of you are hereby notified to construct a sidewalk in front of the several lots described below, and owned by each of you, at your own proper charge and expense, and to have the same done by the 20th day of October, A. D. 1873.

Block 47.—Mrs. Sarah Mixter, owner of lot 12; David Stewart, owner of lot 13; W. M. Falconer, owner of lot 14; Edward Morich, owner of lot 15; P. H. Trudell, owner of lot 16.

Block 40.—H. A. Hills & Co., owners of lot 8; Ward and Sanders, owners of lot 10; E. B. Lynde, owner of lot 11; J. C. Oswold, owner of lot 12; Morrison & D——, owners of lot 13; Wm. Schwartz, owner of lot 14; John Bishop, owner of lots 15 and 16; S. J. Styles, owner of lots 17 and 18.

A. N CHASE, Street Commissioner.

SUMMONS.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, Crow Wing County, Justice's Court—ss

The Brainerd Lumber & Manufacturing Co., plaintiffs, against D. S. Myres & H. A. Keely, copartners—as D. S. Myres & Co., defendants,

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said county, on the 4th day of October, 1873, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in the city of Brainerd, in said county, to answer to the above-named Plaintiffs in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid judgment will be rendered against you upon the evidence adduced by said above-named Plaintiffs for such sum as they shall show themselves entitled to.

Given under my hand this 8th day of September, A. D. 1873.

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

Dated at Brainerd this 4th day of October, A. D. 1873.

HORACE A. HILLS, Mortgagee.
SLEEPER & HOLLAND, Attorneys.
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STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF CROW WING. } ss

The State of Minnesota, to James Fleming, Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County, on the 20th day of October, 1873, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in the City of Brainerd in said county, to answer to Geo. B. Bryant in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you upon the evidence adduced by said plaintiff for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this 19th day of September, A. D. 1873.

DAVID STEWART, Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MINNESOTA—CROW WING COUNTY—PROBATE COURT—ss.

On reading and filing the petition of Christopher Nelson, of Maple Grove, representing among other things, that John Anderson, late of Brainerd, on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1873, at Brainerd, died intestate, and being a resident of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels, and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is brother-in-law of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to Geo. W. Holland granted, it is ordered that said petition be heard before the Judge of this Court, on Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1873, at 9 o'clock A. M., at the office of Judge of Probate, in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Tribune, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd in said county.

Dated at Brainerd, the 22d day of August, A. D. 1873. D. O. PRESTON, Judge of Probate.
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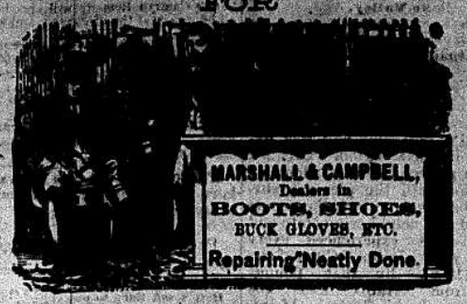

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