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THE STORY TELLER

THE CHIMES RING "ANTIOCH."

The bellows morning breaks in skies all brightly glorified... The bellows morning breaks in skies all brightly glorified...

JOE'S TREAT.

How Santa Clause Appeared to Master Joe and Miss Sis.

It was Christmas Eve and crowds of busy buyers and pleasure-seekers thronged Avenue A... It was Christmas Eve and crowds of busy buyers and pleasure-seekers...

THE WIND.

What Causes its Direction to Change Frequently?

The changing of the direction of the wind is due to the shifting of the situations of greatest heat upon the earth... The changing of the direction of the wind is due to the shifting of the situations...

AN INVENTED DOG

A Species of Hound With Which the Germans Hunt Badgers.

The dachshund, as his name implies, is a badger-hound, invented by the Germans... The dachshund, as his name implies, is a badger-hound, invented by the Germans...

THE TINKERS.

Notable Characters of America's Revolutionary Period.

Some time in 1793, a certain man had made himself obnoxious by entering his still at the excise office... Some time in 1793, a certain man had made himself obnoxious by entering his still...

THE MISTLETOE.

Its Use at Christmas Time—The Many Virtues Attributed to it in Olden Days.

The custom of decoration by green plants and flowers in all sorts of festivals is as old as history... The custom of decoration by green plants and flowers in all sorts of festivals...

WHERE GAME IS PLENTY.

A Down-Easter Tells a Story That Would Make Every Man a Sportsman.

His Christian name is unknown. No one would take his note, and he had nothing to be taxed for, so there was very little chance of finding him out... His Christian name is unknown. No one would take his note, and he had nothing to be taxed for...

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Traveler's Guide.

Table with columns for stations, mail, express, and accommodation rates for various routes like Ypsilanti Branch and Jackson Branch.

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LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES.

Wood is very high in this market. More snow and good sleighing. The pay car went over the road to-day. Ye who have plenty remain the poor. We wish our readers one and all a merry Christmas.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. L. H. Bush is in very poor health. Charles Sanford has returned from the east. A. E. Hewett Esq., of Jackson, was in town on Tuesday.

IRON CREEK.

Harvey Hall who has been suffering with rheumatism is able to be out. Dances are being held about the neighborhood. Holmes & Welch furnish the music.

BRIDGEWATER.

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Miscellaneous.

Oysters by the can or dish constantly on hand at the Bakery. The Fellows farms in Sharon are for sale. Enquire of P. V. Fellows.

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Having bought the Hardware Store of J. Wilborn in Manchester, I will be pleased to

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GLORIOUS NEWS! Read and Profit Thereby, by saving Money On Your

PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. R. Spencer has gone to Ypsilanti to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Hall. Mr. & Mrs. W. B. North, of White Pigeon are visiting at her father's.

IRON CREEK.

The Century for January presents a wide range of topics. Chief among these is the status of the negro of the south in a suggestive paper entitled "The Freedman's Case in Equity."

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There will be a regular convocation of Meridian chapter No. 48 B. A. M. on Wednesday evening next, Dec. 31st, 1884. A full attendance is requested.

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There will be a special meeting of A. O. W. N. No. 53 on Tuesday evening Dec. 30th, for election of officers and other business.

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John Engle, the shoemaker, sells Parker's Boots with rubber uppers and leather soles. They are a new thing warranted water proof, and will not sweat the feet.

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To Suit the Times, -AT- Bailey & Osborn's. Don't take our word for it, but Come In in a few days and see if we haven't the Finest Selection of

Side, Wall and Ceiling Papers!

CROCKERY!

Highest Market Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.

GREEN & GREEN'S

For the Next 30 Days

CHEAPER THAN EVER HEARD OF

CLOTHING IN THIS COMMUNITY!

IF YOU WANT A GOOD WINTER SUIT OR OVERCOAT,

Come In And see WHAT WE CAN DO FOR YOU.

GREEN & GREEN.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1884.

LOCAL TEMPERANCE COLUMN. In charge of the W. C. T. U.

It is not true that the roman catholic church are the enemies of temperance.

One of the most practical and influential temperance men in the country is Bishop Ireland, of Minnesota.

The fourteenth annual convention of the catholic total abstinence society, held in Chicago, Aug. 7th and 8th, was a notable meeting.

Archbishop Feehan pictured with terrible truth and realism the evils of intemperance, the desolation and guilt, the shame and tears, the cruelty, the delirium and blasphemy.

Bishop Ireland told some plain truths. It is a fact he said not to be disguised, that in the large, Ohio catholics furnish the largest proportion of criminals and paupers.

Take away the cause and the change would come at once; moreover he said, many of the catholics are engaged in the saloon business.

Ordinary means alone, he argued, would not do, extraordinary measures are necessary. Example and moral suasion are powerful, but appeal should also be made to the just and fair laws of the land.

The duty of every citizen to do what he can to secure the enforcement of the laws, was insisted upon.

Bishop Eleber said: Any American citizen who refused to help enforce the laws on the statute books should abdicate his right as a citizen.

We say welcome, yes, thrice welcome to these noble and truthful statements from the leaders of the catholic church.

That selling liquor never made men sober or industrious, but buying and drinking it has made them sots, idlers and criminals.

He that buys it gets a bad bargain. It gives him sickness for health, a crust for bread, rags for clothing, the jail for a lodging house, poverty for wealth, remorse for happiness and driving idleness for God-given intelligence.

Rum robs men of health, wealth and reputation. It destroys the body and ruins the soul. Young man, beware!

That bottled whisky is bottled essence of crime. He who uncorks the bottle "unchains the tiger," is a foe to himself and an enemy to mankind.

That licensing, or taxing, and thus locally approving liquor selling was never intended to stop it, and never will stop it.

The only way to end liquor selling is to stop it. The liquor dealers won't stop it, for they are reaping rich harvests from it.

Prohibition and Whisky Politics. Old Mr. Temperance, to stop the ruin that Old King Alcohol is working, sent out her two daughters, Moral Suasion and Gospel Temperance.

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Workers in bleacheries where chlorine is largely used are singularly exempt from all germ diseases.

A burglar who went into a house in East St. Louis to do a little business complains that he was held up by the owner and robbed of \$30 and a gold watch.

The burrashuta, a carnivorous fly heretofore confined to South America, has made its appearance in Florida.

An Ohio widow refused to marry Clarence James, and Clarence put in the night girdling every fruit tree on her farm.

The destruction of all eucaalyptus trees has been ordered in Brazil, because the tree favors the generation of a terribly dangerous dragon fly.

In spite of the summer crusade against the Mother Hubbard, fashion boldly declares that the maligned garments are popular again this season.

The alarmist views as to the increase of insanity, which have lately been forced into prominence, are not countenanced by the Commissioners in Lunacy of England.

A citizen of Burlington, Me., many years ago promised his sons that if they abstained from the use of liquor and tobacco until they were twenty-one years of age he would give them each five hundred dollars.

This is the way in which the critic of a Montana paper described the prima donna of a Burlesque opera company.

Our scientific visitors will hardly be able to recognize the Canadian snow-shoe idiot in his summer clothes.

Dr. George E. Post, medical missionary from America to Beirut, Syria, has acquired an enviable reputation for skill among the Turkish officers.

A funny incident recently occurred in the New York Opera House after the performance of the play "The Pulse of New York."

That keepy's verses, beginning "The play is done," New York Sun.

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A piano-maker in Berlin has, by the insertion of a strip of felt between the hammer and the chord of his instruments, enabled the players to use them without disturbing any one.

Some men would never be able to pull through at all, if it were not for the encouragement given them by their faithful wives.

The peasant accepted the nomination, harnessed himself to the wagon, and started out to trot with it.

What you said was "too good for anything," was simply better than you thought it would be.

Dr. Lancaster, of Gainesville, in a letter to the Medical Record, says that many consumptives die in Florida.

The gentleman, disconcerted, thanks to the gentle ministrations of the wife, the family was provided with cheap wood.

The annual meeting of the state teachers association will be held at Lansing, on the 25th and 26th of December.

A famous European prima donna who visited this country not many years ago was exceedingly quiet in her tastes and her manner of living.

Did you know? MY OWN HORSE COLLARS. Light and heavy harness. My prices are low.

Light and heavy harness. My prices are low. Exchange Place, No. 10.

Don't fail! WALL PAPERS! G. W. DOTY'S. Free of charge. Groceries, crockery, boots, shoes, hats, caps, notions, etc.

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THE WATERBURY. Old Gentleman at the Ticker. My young friend, there are just two things that I can rely on implicitly.

My young friend, there are just two things that I can rely on implicitly. One is that little telegraphic indicator.

One is that little telegraphic indicator there, and the other is my Waterbury Watch.

My Waterbury Watch guides me. The ticker indicates how I ought to invest my money.

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