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THURSDAY, OCT. 20, 1887.

The fourth annual meeting of the Michigan School Teachers' Association, will be held at Ann Arbor, Oct. 22.

Hannah Tidder, a nine-year-old girl living at Jackson, was run over by a first train on the M. C. railroad yesterday and killed.

The course of many towns is always with a purpose. It is not something to be done, but a result of a process.

Dr. Kellogg, of Battle Creek, believes that katagins are very injurious to health, that the fumes arising therefrom cause all sorts of diseases, principally of the throat and lungs.

Blessed are they who pay for and read their own newspaper, for they shall hold their own when the lightning rod and bonded grain combine to make a paper sort down upon them, otherwise.

Notes drawing interest, unless otherwise specified, are at six percent instead of seven per cent, as heretofore in Michigan.

A new ruling of the postoffice department provides that postal cards that are unopened for the full year, after the expiration of the year, shall be returned to the writer at the end of 30 days.

The announcement has been made that a paper office has been invented and put upon the market. A man may now build his home on paper, and his wife on paper, and his children on paper.

A man shipped into Lansing a draught of baby chairs from Salem, Washburn county, and spent three hours upon the streets this forenoon in a futile effort to sell them.

The average law breaker never considers how his name will look in print until after he has committed some offense, when he begins to realize that he would rather be overlooked by the reporter and requests or demands that no mention be made of his name.

The frequency of accidents occurring through houses becoming frightened by the escaping steam of locomotives, is attracting a good deal of attention, and in some states the matter has been taken up by the railway commissions.

A stock company, composed of 47 persons, with a capital stock of \$200,000, has been organized at Jackson for publishing an evening newspaper in that city.

The Jackson police force weighs 2,882 pounds, is 60 years old and 24 feet in height. Its feet are 320 inches in length, its hands are 116 feet and its 321 buttons upon its clothing.

A shortage of \$1,000 has been discovered in the accounts of Sanford Hill, school, has paid for the school, and has been able to give his school a new building.

WAMPLER'S LAKE.

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WASHBURN COUNTY ITEMS.

Frederick Kevins, an old resident of Ann Arbor, was found dead in bed last Sunday, having died of heart disease.

Ann Arbor is to have another church, the colored baptists having decided to build, and a committee are soliciting money for the object named.

An Ann Arbor lady is in considerable trouble because a stout man, who she met at a party, is now in the city.

A sheep shearer's association has been formed at Chelsea, to hold a festival next week.

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KASKINE! More Strongly Vouched For than any other drug of Modern Times.

A POWERFUL Tonic. A Specific for Malaria, Rheumatism, Biliousness, etc.

CORN SHELTER. A new preparation for curing corn on the cob.

Take No Other. Stylish Furniture. Want Nice Bread.

Parlor Suites, Chamber Sets, Patent Rokers! Springs and Mattresses without number, and all of Latest Styles.

Standard. The only rotary mangle machine made. The only rotary mangle machine made.

FAUSEL'S. Where you will find Largest and Best Supply of Groceries, Boots, Shoes & Rubbers.

EVERYBODY! NECK CHAINS. School Books, CAKE BASKETS, School Bags, Call at my Store, JEWELER, Spectacles or Eye-Glasses, We Can Tell You, GEO. J. HAUSSELER, SCHOOL CARDS, TOYS, SUGAR TOYS, SCHOOL TABLETS, UNION SCHOOL TABLETS, Invitation Cards, RAGGED EDGE, HAUSSELER'S DRUG STORE.

WITH CASH

Trade is Booming! I AM PREPARED BOUND NOT TO LOSE A CUSTOMER. Square Dealing! Will give Satisfaction, and Sell I Will.

A. H. GREEN, THE LOW-PRICED CLOTHING. 200 New Garments including Plush and Astrican.

CLOAKS, FOR WHAT THEY ARE WORTH. NEW DRESS GOODS. AND THE BEST LINE OF LADIES AND GENTS' UNDERWEAR FOR 50 CENTS.

BOOTS, SHOES, & RUBBERS. Fine Line of Ladies and Cents Warm Boots & Shoes for Winter. MCOMBER BROS.

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CASH FOR BUTTER AND EGGS. HARDWARE! Look at Our Stock.

G. LEHN & CO. WE LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW. WHY? Because we Buy More Goods, have Larger Patronage, and sell at Lower Prices than any firm in town.

GROCERIES! In Dry Goods We Excel! FRUIT CANS! KENSLE BROS.

Manchester Enterprise

THURSDAY, OCT. 20, 1887. LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES. Locals on 14th page. The tax suits have been settled.

We are having fine weather now. This must be our Indian summer. The cows are nearly all milked now.

Wm. Henson has built a new barn. Read the sheriff's sale in another column. Arthur Case was able to ride up town yesterday.

Our next meeting of the W. C. T. U. of Washburn county will be held in Manchester. We learn that Joe Groff, who skipped out and left his wife a few weeks since, has been seen in Canada.

Subject of sermon for next Sunday morning at 10:30, at the universalist church, will be "The Suggestions of Autumn." Pottoken has taken a drop of 10 cents per bushel and merchants are expected to be shipped to for less money than they can be bought here.

Ed. Pierce, who is teaching school at Perry, Shawanaw county, will keep posted on the home news, as the ENTERPRISE is sent to him every week. Township trustees will please bear in mind that the printing office is always prepared for their receipts in the best form and at lowest prices.

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Mr. Monday, of the Knickerbocker Works, Jackson, was in town on Monday forenoon, talking with Mr. Holt regarding the excellent matter which he has now always printed. We strive to give the most interesting reading matter, and to present it to our readers in a sharp, clean and even print, using good ink and paper. At a meeting of the Lutheran society last week, the following officers were chosen for the coming year: President—John Schlichter; Secretary—Lewis Green; Treasurer—F. K. Steinkohl; Organist—John Schlichter; Elder—Frank K. Kerkus; Trustees—Gerhard Kuhl.

PERSONAL.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Kay visited in Norway, over Sunday. Hon. J. D. Corey was in Jackson on business yesterday.

Miss Jennie Agens is visiting friends in Detroit this week. W. E. Passé left yesterday for a visit in Muskegon county. Ad Smith, of Napoleon, was in town on Monday on business.

Mr. W. Phillips, of Ypsilanti, is visiting his son, Prof. Phillips. Hon. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, was in town the first of the week on business. Miss Mary McMahon, of Ypsilanti, was in town over Sunday visiting friends.

J. B. Lewis, of the Rochester Axle Co. was a guest at Wm. Roberts' last Monday. Mrs. Crane, of Tecumseh, visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Robinson one day last week. Rev. W. L. Palmer, a former pastor, will preach at the baptist church next Sunday.

A. H. Green, the low-priced clothier, has something new in his advertisement this week. The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. of Washburn county will be held in Manchester. We learn that Joe Groff, who skipped out and left his wife a few weeks since, has been seen in Canada.

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FREEBORN.

Miss Alice Whelan will close tomorrow. She gives out about 15 cards of notice. The remains of Frank Vogel, who died in Kansas City of malarial fever, were brought here on Saturday last, accompanied by his mother and sister. The funeral was held at Bethel church, at 2 o'clock Sunday, and was largely attended.

Following is a list of scholars who have been notified about next term in district No. 3. Mrs. W. H. Schick, teacher. Mrs. W. H. Schick, teacher. Mrs. W. H. Schick, teacher.

There was considerable rejoicing in Manchester a year ago, when we learned that the Southern Washburn mill had been bought by a practical miller and would be overhauled and converted into a first class roller mill. Messrs. Holt & Co. took hold of the work on Monday, and have expended a large amount of money in the accomplishment of their object.

There is a new machine in the mill, embracing all the best and latest improved machinery, as can be found in the state, and they intend to keep it, Mr. Holt says. A new mill, a reclamation by Emma (Hall) own invention, which he thinks will eclipse all others in use.

The firm has already made and have in contemplation great improvements in the outward appearance of the property, which will make it much more attractive. We here present a photographic view which was gotten up by us for the firm.

Henry Schmitt has received a package of new shoes, which he has now on hand. He has now on hand a large quantity of shoes, which he has now on hand. He has now on hand a large quantity of shoes, which he has now on hand.

White John Strahle was attempting to break one of his horses, at Carr's cider mill in Manchester, last Saturday, and was killed by the horse and so badly injured that he had to be brought home in a hack.

Mr. & Mrs. Walt Peck rode to Jackson yesterday to visit friends. Mr. Peck informs us that he saw that valuable horse of Peck's, which has earned him \$30,000 in the past season on the race track. The horse is valued at \$12,000.

Lenawee county pays for six indigent insane persons in the asylum at Kalamazoo. An orchestra has been organized at Tecumseh consisting of Miss Woodard, Miss Paul Abner, leader and first violin; Prof. Skinner, clarinet; Harry Root, bass.

THE ENTERPRISE until January 1st for 25 cents.

The Champion Washing Machine only costs \$7. Jas. Field. Only one cent a word for advertisements in the West Column.

Why not subscribe for the ENTERPRISE and have it sent to your son or west? We have a new lot of Japanese napkins on hand at the ENTERPRISE office.

New dress goods arriving daily. Sample cheerfully sent. W. & S. W. Anderson & Co., Tecumseh. E. W. Freese & Son, Clinton, have the largest and most complete line of Cloaks in Lenawee or Washburn counties.

Cloaks, Newmarkets, Astrachan Wraps and Jackets and Seal Fish Scaques at reduced prices at Macomber Bros. Taken up—A grey horse with halter, blanket and surcing, D. M. Alford, 3 miles southwest of Manchester village.

We will save any person from 10 to 25 per cent if they will look at our cloaks before purchasing. E. W. Freese & Son. For Sale—A Hillside Road Cart. In use but two months. As good as new. Will sell cheap. Inquire at ENTERPRISE OFFICE.

Go to E. W. Freese & Son, Clinton, and see their Fall and Winter Cloaks, Wraps and Newmarkets before you purchase. John Engle, the shoemaker, sells Park's Boots and shoes upper and leather. They are a new thing, warranted water proof, and will not sweat feet.

WATERS—In Norvell, on Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1887, to Mr. & Mrs. John Waters, a son. WIEDMAN—In Manchester, on Friday, Oct. 13, 1887, to Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Wiedman, a daughter.

OVERSMITH—In Bridgewater, on Tuesday, Oct. 18, 1887, to Mr. & Mrs. George OverSmith, a daughter. DIED. REILLY—In Napoleon, on Sunday, Oct. 16, 1887, of Bright's disease, Mr. David Reilly, aged 69 years.

Commercial. Markets by Telegraph. DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 20, 1887. ONIONS—Steady at \$2.50 @ 2.75 per bushel. BEANS—Firm at \$2.50 @ 2.75 per bushel. POTATOES—Market well supplied and steady at 55 @ 60 c in lots, and 75 @ 80 c in small lots.

JUST RECEIVED

600 NEW CLOAKS. Jackets, Newmarkets, Wraps, Etc., Also Misses and Children's Garments. NEW DRESS GOODS. Arriving Daily.

New Carpets. Cloaks, Newmarkets, Astrachan Wraps and Jackets and Seal Fish Scaques at reduced prices at Macomber Bros.

W. & S. W. ANDERSON & CO., Tecumseh, Mich. SCHOOL DAYS ARE here again. The HEADQUARTERS for School Books and School Supplies is at the ENTERPRISE DRUG AND BOOK STORE. The first lot of school books is now on hand.

Second Hand Books! F. K. Steinkohl. South side Exchange Place, Manchester. NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court for the county of Washburn, in and for the probate office of the County of Washburn, on the 25th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, the estate of the late George L. Steinkohl, deceased, was sold to the undersigned, F. K. Steinkohl, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased.

W. H. Green, Dealer in Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Notions, Cigars, Tobaccos, Pure Wines and Liquors. FRESH LAGER. Always on hand. South side Exchange Place, Manchester, Mich.

BY YOUR HEAD AT THE Manchester City Bakery, where you will also find SECRET CARDS, OYSTERS, Colored Lithograph, WM. KIRCHGESSNER, Colored Lithograph, Plush Card Cases!

Enterprise Publishing House, Manchester, Mich., publish FRUIT WORKS! Select German Stories. To Rent. Enterprise Office.

Enterprise Office. I HAVE RECEIVED a complete line of samples of LATE STYLES OF CLOTH. Suitable for SUITS, FANTS, OVERCOATS, FOR FALL AND WINTER. Lowest Living Prices! Enterprise Office.

Enterprise Office. BIRTHDAY CARD! Enterprise Office. STATE OF MICHIGAN—County of Washburn. In and for the Probate Court for the County of Washburn, on the 25th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, the estate of the late George L. Steinkohl, deceased, was sold to the undersigned, F. K. Steinkohl, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased.



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BY MAT D. BLOSSER

Traveler's Guide.

LAKESHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

YPSICANT BRANCH - LANSING DIVISION.

Table with columns for stations, times, and fares. Includes stations like Ypsicant, Jackson, and Buffalo.

W. G. MAIR, Ticket Agent.

JACKSON BRANCH - DETROIT DIVISION.

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEVITIES.

Subscribe for the ENTERPRISE.

Win. Refuss shipped a car load of stock to Buffalo last Saturday.

The Manchester marble works set up a fine granite monument in the Franklin cemetery last week.

The cornice has been placed on the council building, and the brick work will probably be finished this week.

We had a very hard frost last Friday night—the hardest one of the season. Also a heavy one Tuesday night.

The ladies society of the universalist church will meet with Mrs. M. B. Wallace, Friday afternoon of next week.

The ladies society of the M. E. church will meet at the residence of S. W. Lockwood next Wednesday afternoon.

John Braun, our highway commissioner has bought J. Louck's harness shop and stock of goods—Perry Nash will work for him.

A party of gentlemen from this village went to Wampler's Lake last Saturday night to spear fish and each returned with a good mess.

The Norvell boys came down on Saturday and played our boys a game of baseball, which was won by Manchester by a score of 22 to 9.

The ladies society of the baptist church will meet at the residence of Harmon Clark next Thursday afternoon. Young peoples social in the evening.

Frank Hall, of Norvell, brought to this office a mammoth sweet potato, weighing four pounds and three-quarters. He says they are a fine cooking potato, nicely flavored, and that two-thirds of the crop are of that size.

The last ball game of the season on our grounds is to be played on Friday, between the Clinton and Manchester clubs. It will be one of the best games of the season, and as it is calculated to be a "benefit" for the association, the price of admission has been placed at 25 cents; ladies free. The game will be called at 2 o'clock.

A party of young men of the village went out spearing a few nights ago. They speared a pickerel and several stinkers, then floated down the river in search of more, but the swift current carried them against a barbed wire fence which was strung across the river, nearly upsetting the boat; out went the light, and out went three of the boys into the river.

Some young reprobates "with evil intent and malice aforethought," took a small outbuilding from Clark Bros' planing mill and placed it in the front part of the union school grounds on Saturday night, and we understand a placard stated it was by order of the director. It was taken off the school grounds on Monday morning "by order of the director," and if the guilty scamps can be found out they will probably be punished.

One day last week a stranger came here and purchased a quantity of old bones from Refuss, and shipped them to Detroit. He then left town without paying for all of them, and Refuss, afraid that he had been cheated out of his pay, took the night train for Detroit where he secured the payment of the money to himself instead of the stranger. Tuesday he stopped at Detroit on his way home from Buffalo, saw the man and received his money.

We learn that a business man made the remark that the apple exporator did not amount to anything and wished that it had burned down. What foolish talk! The pay roll of the exporator amounts to \$100 per week and the apples bought cost about \$150. Suppose the concern runs 10 weeks. There is the snit sum of \$2,500 paid out. That same man is continually hard up, and has all he can do to keep his own business running, and why he should make such a remark is more than we can understand. Every industry, every manufactory and legitimate business amounts to something, and helps to build up the town.

LITTLE OLD FASHIONED.

Articles used in some quiet book. Shows that a man is not a fool for...

But such a man is not a fool for... that such a man is not a fool for...

When I bought the book I had... that such a man is not a fool for...

And Other Matters for the Hopper of the Second Hand Paper Dealer.

"Love letters, oh, yes, we come across them quite often in our stock; but we have no time to read 'em. You see business, not sentiment, is my motto," said a down town dealer in paper stock.

"When people are leaving a house they have filed in a good many years they don't care to be bothered with old papers, and they just sell them to us at so much a pound, whether it is love letters, or magazines, or whatever it may be."

"I did have rather a notable experience with a love letter once, though. I was sorting over a bundle which had just arrived from a house up town—for ever always sort over in case there should happen to be anything valuable—when a monogram on a letter met my eye. I knew that monogram, and I thought that perhaps it might be something that ought to be sent back. I glanced at the letter, and then I saw what it was. It was from a lady belonging to one of our first families, so called, to a well known actor, who made a furor in New York quite a number of years ago. The actor quite a number of years ago. The actor quite a number of years ago. The actor quite a number of years ago.

"And we have old checks and old telegrams by the ton. All business houses get rid of them as old paper after keeping them for a certain length of time, and sometimes the price of the waste paper is all they get out of a good many of the checks. It all comes into the hopper from a cent a pound, and is sold at a low price, it has never been lower."

"Those album covers? They come to us at a price a little above waste paper, and sometimes we get quite a good figure for them. You see, the wholesale houses that deal in albums send out only the covers as specimens, and when a cover is out of date it comes into the second hand dealer's hopper."

"At the new directory season we republish quite a crop of the last year's directories, all as waste paper, and sell them for \$1 apiece. A good many would just as soon have them as the new ones."

"But aldermen and other politicians are among our best customers in old, or rather second hand books. May seem queer, but it is a fact. They get heaps of books from Washington, besides state and city documents, and they just put them to one side until the heap gets inconvenient, and then they pack them off to the paper stock dealer. In many instances such books have not been even taken out of the packages. But it's all the same to us. We pay a cent and a quarter for them."—New York Sun.

Edwin Forrest at Washington. One night, during the war, Forrest was at Washington. The play was "Richard III." President Lincoln, accompanied by Forney, Seward and several prominent members of the administration, was seated in a private box at the left of the stage. In political opinions Forrest was directly opposed to them. When the grand apostrophe to the pen occurred Mr. Forrest rose, solemnly and deliberately, facing the president's box. With pen held majestically aloft, his eyes flashing fire, the tones of that wonderful voice vibrating through the theatre, and speaking with unusual deliberation and emphasis, he gave such a rendering of Bulwer's lines as must have astonished the president.

Beneath the rule of men entirely great The pen is mightier than the sword. Take away the sword, States can be saved without it.

We looked the whole party squarely in the face, as much as to say: "And that's my personal opinion, too." The shot hit its mark. There ensued some whispered remarks between Forney and Lincoln, and a deprecating shake of the head on the part of the latter, accompanied by dubious elevation of the eyebrows, as much as to say: "Well, I never heard that joke read that way before."—The Kane in Baltimore American.

The Diminution of Crime. More than five-sevenths of the population of the United States are committed to crime. Most of those who have given attention to the matter are now convinced that the national, and not the state and territorial governments, should enact and enforce the laws in relation to crime.—Chicago Tribune.

The Greek Inn. One enters the single large room, with naked walls, of which serves to accommodate the population of the house and its guests, night and day alike. The best chamber of the establishment is a gallery in one corner, over a heap of brushwood and a bed, whence a cock crows while he roosts. The body of the room is occupied by several heavy wooden tables and chairs, a glittering bar adorned with bottles of oil, lager beer and a pair of water, and a universal with glass doors, showing that it is filled with painted eggs to such a degree that infinite rain would be requisite to open it without the loss of a dozen or so.—Cornhill Magazine.

Overmeasurement of Dry Goods.

"Aren't you cutting that piece of muslin a trifle short?" asked a lady of the proprietor of a retail goods store. "It is not, madam," replied the proprietor. "I am giving you the exact amount of goods you bought."

"That may be so, madam, but I can't afford to give even that small amount of cloth away. I sell my goods at the lowest retail price, and if I overmeasured it in every case I would lose money."

"You have no idea," explained the reluctant customer, "when the lady had left the store, how great a loss there is in the over measurement of dry goods. Suppose I sell a thousand yards of goods a day, which is a great underestimate, but will serve as an illustration. We will say that I give away one inch on every ten yards I sell. That would be 100 inches, or about three yards. We will say that these goods cost me on an average thirty cents a yard. You see, that would be a total gift of ninety cents. Now, we will say that I sell these goods at thirty-three cents a yard on an average. That makes \$3.30, out of which I make a profit of \$30. Out of this I have given away ninety cents or 3 per cent. You can figure out the loss on a year's business at that rate. The loss is hardly as large as all that through the without being out. But I have no doubt that it will average 2 per cent. in stores where this pernicious rule is observed. As we only make about 8 or 10 per cent. on our goods you can readily see what a large loss this is to us."—New York Mail and Express.

The Gait of Criminals.

A curious study has been made by Dr. Perceval of the difference between criminals and law-abiding citizens, as exhibited by their walk. The author first made a number of observations to determine the conditions of normal progression, and found that in good people the right pace is longer than the left, the lateral separation of the right foot from the median line is less than that of the left, and the angle of deviation of the axis of the foot from a straight line is on the right side than on the left.

But this is not all. Dr. Perceval has not only shown us how we may distinguish criminals in general, but has laid the beginnings of the differential diagnosis between various sorts of evil doers. The following are the distinguishing characteristics which his observations have enabled him to formulate:

1. Thieves. In these cases are predisposed to appropriate the property of others there is a pronounced widening of the base of support together with a very long step.

2. Assassins.—In those who have murdered in their hearts the base of support is not as wide as it is in thieves, since the angle formed by the axis of the foot with the median line is less obtuse, but it is usually betrayed by their foot prints.

These discoveries are of a very interesting character, and if the criminal could be induced to walk before the honest man, instead of following him as he usually does, they might also be put to a practical use, for then good citizens could diagnose the rogue by his tracks, and might thus be enabled to escape robbery, or assassination, as the case might be.—Medical Record.

Studying the Customer's Face.

There are lots of men with outside as sensitive as proud flesh, who are quick to judge of the expertness of a person always study the face of his customer before he applies the lathe. Two seconds will suffice to tell him the nature of the haircut—whether it is soft, wavy, curly or straight; whether the hair is directed in one direction or twisted in different ways. This survey tells him how to shave, and the job is dismissed in a few minutes without treating the customer like a prisoner condemned to death by slow torture. You will frequently notice wealthy gentlemen with red blotches and pimples covering the neck with all the appearance of suffering from leprosy. This is the result of poor workmanship, which causes barbers to stretch and pinch the skin until the whole surface is inflamed.—Globe Democrat.

Titles of Semi-Barbaric Kings.

The titles of the king of Burmah include: The king of kings, the cause of the preservation of all animals, the regulator of the seasons, the absolute master of the ebb and flow of the sea, brother to the sun and king of the four-and-twenty universes. In the matter of titles those of the royal house of Burmah are not in the first rank, for the titles of the king of Achaia are far in advance. He is styled "Sovereign of the universe, whose body is as luminous as the sun; whom God created to be as accomplished as the moon at her plenitude; whose eye glitters like the northern star; a king as spirited as hell; a monarch as wise as heaven; states that his people—from under whose feet a sweet odor is wafted," etc.—New York Graphic.

Poisoned Arrows.

The Nomes were the only tribe in the vicinity of Round valley who used poisoned arrows. The largest rattlesnakes obtainable, and consequently the most venomous, were courted and killed, the poison glands carefully extracted and placed in the gall bladders of animals until the whole became thoroughly mixed and decomposed. The arrow heads were then anointed with some sticky substance, usually the pitch or sap of the pine, and then dipped into the composition and left for a fixed time. These arrows were always used in warfare, and also when the deer and other game were wanted for the skins only. The animal, even if only slightly wounded, would soon swell up and die, and not being able to run very far, would soon be come up with.—Overland Monthly.

Healthfulness of Open Fires.

The reason why the heat of the open fire is more healthful than that of stoves or furnaces is that it more nearly resembles the sun by radiation. Our bodies are better than the fire because they, like other bodies, absorb the heat and leave the air cool for breathing. It is supposed by a scientist that the ozone condition of the air is changed by passing over hot iron. This does not occur when rooms are heated by open fires, with which it is almost impossible to have stagnant air.—L. G. Cook, M. D., in Domestic Monthly.

A New Sleeping Berth.

A berth for emigrant vessels, which is constructed of iron, and is capable of being taken to pieces and folded up, has recently been brought out. It is put together in a few moments, like an iron bedstead, and when taken down, can be stowed away in the compass of a few rods of iron.—Casell's Magazine.

Dogs in Bavaria.

Bavaria has succeeded in doing what no other country has yet been able to do, and that is to stamp out the hydrophobia. During the last seven years there have been only three deaths of human beings from hydrophobia in a population numbering close upon 6,000,000; and since 1876, when the present severe dog laws came into operation, there has never been more than one death in a year. Previously to that time deaths were very frequent. Between 1803 and 1876 the death rate from hydrophobia in Bavaria was never less than fourteen in a year, and once it reached the high percentage of thirty-one. The regulations which have banished this terrible malady from a whole kingdom are very minute, and perhaps some little vexatious; but it is assuredly worth while to take a little trouble for so desirable an end.

Every dog in the country is found upon pain of instant death to bear around his collar a metal tally, upon which is inscribed his number upon the register of his district. The color and shape of this tally, which is really the dog's passport, are changed every year, and the police are thus able to see at a glance if a dog is "in order." Once a month all dogs have to be examined by a veterinary surgeon, and if they are not in good health they are detained in a kind of dogs hospital until they recover. If an animal brings hands, the transfer must be at once notified to the police, and any breach of the regulations, even a delay of a few days in the payment of the tax—is visited by a heavy fine. The tax varies from three shillings a year in the country districts to fifteen shillings in the large towns.—St. James' Budget.

New Anchor for Steamers.

Experiments have been made during the week in the harbor of Hays and on the Seine with a new cable anchor, which will bring to a standstill the largest steamer going at the greatest speed within a space of ten feet. Large steamers were subjected to the experiment, which in all cases proved successful, and the government commission present recommended the new anchor for use on government ships. This new anchor is described as a huge cloth parachute, cable-shaped, attached to the ship by cables, with a huge iron weight in the middle. This balloon shaped anchor resists the onward movement of ships with tremendous power, assuming very much the singular balloon or bucket shape of "old maid" flounders on the New England coast, which, by so doing when hooked, generally succeed in breaking the line.—Chicago Tribune.

A Connecting Link.

The barramunda proves to be a connecting link of primary rank between the oldest surviving group of fishes and the lowest air-breathing animals, like the loaches and salamanders. It breathes its native streams at night, and sets out on a foraging expedition after vegetable food in the neighboring woodlands. It has both lungs and gills. It can breathe either air or water at will, or, if it chooses, the two together. Though covered with scales and most fish like in outline, it presents points of anatomical resemblance both to salamanders and lizards, and is a connecting bond between the North American mud fish on the one hand and the wonderful lipodiscus on the other.—Chicago News.

Ingredients in Old Lace.

Light and lustrous, it seems, are expensive ingredients in lace, but though they come high the fashionable must have them. In an account of the lace trimmings of a cradle, where lies the hopeful offspring of a millionaire household, we are told that the fabric was costly by reason of its peculiar color that told of the patient hand work upon it.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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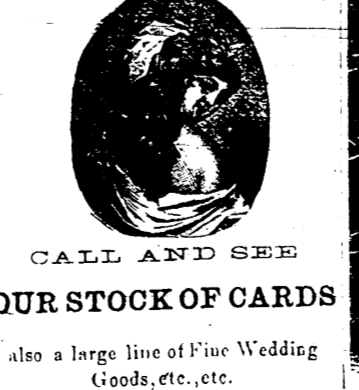
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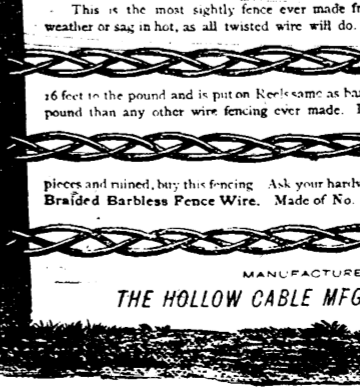
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