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MANCHESTER, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1922.

WHOLE NUMBER 1288.

MADE A BIG BLAZE.

LUMBER PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE AT LUDINGTON.

Butlers & Peters' Mill and Lumber Mill... \$200,000 a fire which does about \$300,000 damage.

Nearly the entire plant of Butlers & Peters' mill... destroyed by fire.

The wind blew the flames on to the company's general store... destroyed.

The mill was insured for \$700,000... the loss was about \$300,000.

Three men out of standing pay... the M. D.'s at Flint.

The State Medical Society... for the evening.

Burned After Three Attempts... the old factory that had been so long.

Ch. H. Godfrey's planing mill... has burned.

It has been discovered that several... of the legislature.

Gov. Whitman has appointed... as county commissioner.

While playing at Leeland... a fire broke out.

Patrol and Reed have marketed... a new kind of paper.

The silver question threatens... a new legislative session.

The body of Joseph Smith... was found in the bay.

The barn of James Clement... was burned.

Associate Justice John W. McGrath... has been appointed.

Three men engaged in a desperate... on the road leading to Leeland.

SELECT GERMAN... a new kind of paper.

SEND FOR CATALOGUE... a new kind of paper.

W. H. LEHR... a new kind of paper.

ABOUT THE CAPITOL.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

The Senate Rattled the Muds Vivendi... The House Rattled the Muds Vivendi.

RIVER AND HARBOR APPROPRIATIONS... The Senate Committee on Commerce.

The Senate Committee on Commerce... has reported a bill.

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CRISIS IN ITALY... The Royal Appointed Head Ministry.

The Royal Appointed Head Ministry... has resigned.

How Held for Trial... The Z. Ross examination.

CHINESE EXCLUSION BILL SHOWN... The act to prohibit the coming.

THE SILVER QUESTION AGES... The silver question threatens.

THE AGREEMENT REPEATED... The act to prohibit the coming.

CITY ITEMS... Mrs. Harrison is gradually improving.

RECEIVED... A letter to Chicago paper.

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NEGROES WILL USE BOMBS.

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FRIENDS AGAIN.

EMPEROR WILHELM AND PRINCE BISMARCK ON GOOD TERMS.

The latter's son to give a Place in the Diplomatic Service.

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By Mat D. Blosser

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1892.

SIX PAGES.

British oculists agree that the electric light is not injurious to the eyes.—Times. That settles it. Let there be light.

It will soon be the time of year to spray fruit trees. It will pay all who have apples, cherries, plums, etc., to spray them as this is the only way that a crop can be secured.

Says one who ought to know: In taking down the stove, if any soot should happen to fall on the carpet cover quickly with dry salt before sweeping and all traces of the soot will be removed.

Articles of association of the Norvell celery company were filed with the county clerk yesterday afternoon. The capital stock is \$5,000 and the purpose of the corporation is the shipping of celery. There are 22 stockholders.—Citizen.

The university calendar contains 261 pages and the work necessary in each department is thoroughly and correctly given, every course being clearly described. The book contains the names of 2,693 students in the different departments as follows: Literary, 1,324; medicine and surgery 370; law 651; pharmacy 81; homeopathic 79; dental 188.

Masonic Society News.

NAPOLEON.

Several members from here accepted an invitation and went to Liberty last Tuesday evening, and report a grand time, there being a large delegation from Jackson present. Brooklyn exemplified the 3rd degree. The more such visits we have to make the better instructed we become and the tighter are we bound together by the ties of friendship.

CLINTON.

The masons' wives and daughters of Clinton lodge F. & A. M. are taking steps to start a chapter of the eastern star at this place.

There will be a special communication of Clinton lodge No. 175, F. & A. M. on Friday evening, May 13. Work in the E. A. and F. C. degrees.

TECUMSEH.

Tecumseh lodge No. 69, F. & A. M. conferred the 3rd degree on two from Raisin Thursday evening, April 28. On Friday evening, May 6, received two petitions. Communication called for Friday evening, May 13, for work in the 3rd degree.

Tecumseh chapter No. 51 O. E. star balloted on 14 candidates, but there being considerable regular business as hand no degree was conferred.

BROOKLYN.

Tuesday evening, May 3, Brooklyn lodge went to Liberty and exemplified the 3rd degree. About 120 visiting brothers were present from adjoining lodges.

At a regular communication of Brooklyn lodge No. 169, three candidates were taken in and W. J. Blanchard took the 2nd degree.

Monday evening, May 16, there will be work in the 1st degree.

MANCHESTER.

The master senior deacon and secretary of Manchester lodge have been summoned to a school of instruction at Ann Arbor on Friday, May 20.

In response to a cordial invitation, 31 members of Manchester lodge visited Olive lodge at Chelsea on Tuesday evening the 10th, and conferred the 3rd degree upon Mr. E. Vogel of Holmes & Co. We were warmly greeted upon our arrival in the village and royally entertained while there. Worshipful Master H. M. Woods and his lodge officers were ably seconded by George H. Kempf, John A. Palmer, Mr. Webster, Dr. Armstrong and others in entertaining us and showing us about the tidy streets of the busy village. An elegant supper was furnished at the Chelsea house, of which E. G. Hoag is the proprietor, and at 7 o'clock all assembled at the pleasant lodge rooms which were crowded by visitors and members of Olive lodge. We had the unexpected pleasure of meeting one brother from Boston, one from Indianapolis, two from Stockbridge, etc. Modesty forbids our making mention of the "work." At the close of the lodge we were conducted to the town hall where a great surprise awaited us. We had been informed that some refreshments would be served, and the old established mason's lunch is crackers and cheese, but judge of our surprise when reaching the hall, strains of sweet music greeted our ears and as we marched into the building we found it filled with tables richly adorned and literally groaning under the weight and variety of eatables and drinkables, and Chelsea's handsome daughters standing ready to hand upon us. It was a pretty sight to look upon. If, as the saying is, "the proof of the pudding is in the eating," our Chelsea fraters well know that we enjoyed their sumptuous fare and did ample justice to it. After the banquet we returned to the lodge room where an hour was spent in getting acquainted with each other, and then came the parting which to us was really the most painful for when one gets among such royal good fellows he wants to stay, but the best of friends must part. Long, very long and joyfully shall we remember our first fraternal visit to Chelsea.

Lenawee County

Adrian's boom is attracting the attention of people all over the state, and Wednesday next, May 18, will see the city filled with strangers to attend the great lot sale.

The heavy rains last Monday raised havoc with the celery farms. A large proportion of the plants already set have been washed out and must be replaced.—Tecumseh Herald.

Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Wells will not return to California, but have decided to again become residents of Clinton. Mr. Wells is now associated with A. B. VanDeMark in the hardware business.

The Adrian Press, one of the staunchest democratic papers in the state and a very spicy sheet withal, has XX following the word volume in its heading. We hope it may live to be XXX.

Don E. Palmer, who for the past ten years has been the obliging agent at the depot, left Tuesday for South Chicago to assume charge of that station. Don has been a faithful man and is justly deserving of the promotion. His many friends here will wish him success in his new home.—Clinton Local.

B. W. Steere the veteran fruit grower of this county, has laid upon our table some specimens of the "Willow Twig" apple, a variety that he says will keep nicely till the 4th of July. The fruit is certainly as firm and sound now as is the ordinary winter apple when put into the cellar in the fall. The "Willow Twig" is not a free grained apple, nor specially fine flavored, but it is very good now, both for eating out of hand and for cooking, being a pronounced "sour" and it commands a fancy price at the time when all other apples exist only in memory.—Adrian Press.

Washtenaw County.

The Washtenaw Times printed six pages last Saturday to accommodate its advertisers.

Stock to the amount of \$40,000 has been subscribed for the purpose of establishing a Keeley gold cure sanitarium in Ypsilanti.

W. W. Nichols has 300 barrels of Baldwin apples still on hand. They were preserved during the winter by a process of his own invention. He says that fruit prospects for the ensuing year are good.—Register.

Why can't Ann Arbor have a genuine old fashioned 4th of July celebration this year.—Democrat. Because, according to law the sidewalks have to be closed on that day, and a celebration in Ann Arbor with these sidewalks closed would be out of the question.

Mr. C. M. Fellows moved with his family to the old Chester-Parsons farm near Saline which Mrs. Fellows inherited from her father. We are sorry to lose Mr. & Mrs. Fellows from our city, and trust that they may find it to their interest to return after a season.—Ypsilantian.

"Our man about town" in the Ann Arbor Democrat says: I am told the farmers' wives and daughters on the motor line enjoy their rides to and from the city. That they do not have to stop and ask "are you going to use the horses today?" and get a gruff "yes, can't go to town to day, busy as thunder." The ladies vote for the line every time.

EDITOR ENTERPRISE:—I was surprised upon picking up a copy of your paper dated April 28, to see the statement it contained in reference to myself, and not more so, doubtless, than my most intimate friends, under whose observation I have continually been. From the idea your item would naturally convey, I think a word of explanation would not be out of place.

Nine years ago I was seriously injured by a runaway team. My lower jaw was fractured on both sides, besides numerous other cuts and bruises. It was necessary, on account of the inflammation causing the bandages to slip, to set the jaw seven different times on seven consecutive days. Upon the seventh day the attending physician considered it necessary for me to have a stimulant and gave me whiskey. Through the long days and weeks following, it was given me as a tonic, and I think saved my life. After there was no longer any need of a tonic I found that an appetite had been created which, if gratified, was liable to bring me to a condition more to be dreaded than death.

The nine years have been a struggle. At times I would think I had conquered what was now my enemy, and for a period of several months would not taste a drop of alcoholic drink of any kind, but I would still find that the appetite remained. About six weeks ago I learned of the Keeley institute at Northville, and being a firm believer that an appetite for spirituous liquors was nothing less than a disease, concluded to go there and take treatment. I went unhesitatingly and to the surprise of some of my most intimate friends, many of them knowing nothing of my "war within." Today I am a free man, and as much as I loathe whiskey do I sympathize with any man chained down with this dread disease which has formerly been looked upon as a crime. I am cured, and with over 70,000 others thank God for Dr. Keeley and his bi-chloride of gold.

Yours Respectfully,
Sylvan, May 9, '92.
I. A. GLOVER.

President Angell has kindly sent us a copy of the university calendar for 1891-'92. Like those of past years it contains all the information needed by one desiring to enter the institution, but it is printed on the free trade principle, that is, by a Boston concern, instead of at home as it ought to have been.

Nothing but rain must make Hillsdale county wet now.

NEW ARRIVALS.

SPRING GOODS

In the most desirable, newest effects in FANCY HIBBONS, VEILINGS, GAUZES, FLOWERS AND HATS. In all the latest and most approved shapes. MISS MARY BRADNER, Manchester.

JOHN REFIOR,

Merchant Tailor, has Received SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. And is ready to take orders for FIRST CLASS SUITS. Call and see cloth and get prices. Next door to Postoffice, MANCHESTER, MICH.

LADIES,

I have received the Spring Styles in Hats! and beautiful flowers and ribbons. I have something

FOR THE CHILDREN

as well as for yourselves. Call at my store and see them. MISS LOUISE PFISTER.

Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county Commissioner to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Manzo Porter, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date, are allowed by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased and that they will meet at the office of A. F. Freeman in the village of Manchester, in said county, on the 2nd day of July and on the 3rd day of October next, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine, and adjust said claims. Dated, April 2nd, 1892. SAMUEL H. PERKINS, JAMES KELLY, Commissioners.

Board of Review Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. Village of Manchester, as Assessor's office of said village. To the taxable inhabitants of said village: Please take notice that the assessment roll of said village of Manchester for the year A. D. 1892, is now completed subject to review; and that the Board of Review of said village will meet and continue in session for at least two days at the office of Charles E. Lewis, the Clerk of said village, in his store on the north side of Exchange Place street in said village on the 17th and 18th days of May, A. D. 1892, at 9 a. m. and continue in session until 6 p. m. each of said days, for the purpose of reviewing said assessment roll, and that all persons deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment as now made may then and there be heard. Dated Manchester, Mich., May 12, 1892. JOHN D. VAN DUYN, Assessor of the Village of Manchester.

One Dozen Denton's Tourist's Tags! For sticking to Trunks, Baskets, Packages, &c. 10c.

Without strings, ready to use on

Send by mail on receipt to six 2c stamps

or sold at the

Enterprise Office.

ATTENTIONS

LADIES.

Paints, Calsomine

Are now in demand as it is house-cleaning time, and the place to find them and

WALL PAPER

And Decorative Paints and in fact everything in that line, is at the

Peoples Drug and Book Store

Wall Paper at immense bargains.

Geo. J. Haussler.

HAVING BOUGHT

J. H. Kingsley's

HARDWARE!

I wish to announce that I shall keep a full time of

Shelf and Heavy Hardware,

TINWARE, OILS, & C.

I have a first class TINNER and one ready to execute all orders. Please give me a call.

FRED WIDMAYER.

ADRIAN'S

GREAT LOT SALE!

Adrian's Great Lot Sale!

—ON— WEDNESDAY, MAY 18TH.

1,200 Beautiful Residence Lots

Will be sold on that day by the IMPROVEMENT COMPANY at the uniform price of \$120 each. Lots 50 by 125 and 50 by 140 in size.

Good Residences,

Worth \$1,500 and \$800, and a fine Training Stable and Grounds worth \$2,000, will be included in this sale at the same price.

\$10 on the Day of Sale

And \$10 per month thereafter. The best investment ever offered by any Michigan city.

Four Months From Day of Sale

There will be a public allotment of lots, conducted by the purchasers, when to each will be assigned the number of lots purchased.

Three Large Factories

Will be under way by that time, greatly increasing the value of all Adrian property.

Ten Other Factories

Prepared to contract to locate in Adrian as soon as these lots are sold. All lots from six to ten blocks from the business center.

The Entire Proceeds From This Sale

Will be used in improving the property sold, and in building up additional manufacturing enterprises in the city of Adrian.

The Citizens of Adrian are preparing to make this the greatest holiday in the history of the city. Everybody is invited and expected to come. All military and civic societies will take part in the grand parade ever witnessed in Adrian. Grand display of industrial and commercial interests. One of the grand features of the day will be a regular old time

BARBECUE!

Two specially selected steaks, prepared by experts, will be roasted whole and served free with other refreshments to all visitors

Half Fare For The Round Trip.

ATTENTION, EVERYBODY!

CLARK BROS.

Contractors and Builders.

Are prepared to take contracts for buildings of all kinds. With our

STEAM PLANING MILL

We are prepared to manufacture on short notice

Sash, Mouldings, Etc.,

And do

TURNING, PLANING

Scroll Sawing, etc., in

First Class Style

Mill at Jayne's Lumber Yard, near Lake Shore Depot.

Manchester, - Michigan.

SPRING, GENTLE SPRING!

THE

GRAND OPENING!

Of Wall Paper sales, from hand

made

ING RAIN

To cheap Brown Backs, at

STEINKOHL'S

DRUG AND BOOK STORE,

Manchester, Michigan.

DON'T FORGET

JACOB FILBER

When you want a nice fitting Latest Style SPRING-SUIT Samples of Cloth just received. Prices very Reasonable. Call on me at the old stand on Railroad street.

IF YOU WANT

A Beautiful - Birthday Card! - Plain or Fringed, go to the

ENTERPRISE OFFICE.

Second-hand buggies taken in exchange and for sale.

We are prepared to do Repairing, Wagon work, Blacksmithing, Painting and Trimming in first class style, on short notice and at

REASONABLE PRICES.



1 The true story of a Lover's leap. SCORED WEASEL—(the Chinook)—"Laughing Snap is no more" flashed on the Wan Chinook. He goes to join his fathers. Wough! here's for the dark depths of Lake Assassabit."

2 The true story of a Lover's leap. LAUGHING SNAP—(a moment later)—"The bravest son of a Chinook has made a beautiful bluff for the lake, but he doesn't seem to be in it." From Judge.

WHITEHILL & CLEVELAND, Factory and General Office: NEWBURGH, N. Y. New York Office: HOUSTON and GREENE STREETS. SOLD ONLY BY ROBISON & KOEBBE, Manchester.

ORGANIZED AND READY.

For the Spring Trade.

GEO. NISLE & SON Manchester, Mich.,

Make a specialty of building the best style of light

ROAD WAGONS,

Trimmed in No. 1 style, that will be Sold as Cheap as any outside firm can furnish them. We also build Single and Double Carriages and open Buggies, that for style and workmanship

CANNOT BE BEAT!

An experience of 25 years in the Carriage Business enables us to know the wants of the people and we are ready to supply them. Special attention will be paid

TO ORDERED WORK.

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that in Chewing Tobacco QUANTITY as well as QUALITY CUTS QUITE A FIGURE WE KNOW THAT



JOLLY-TAR PLUG Gives you more good solid chewing for your money



THAN YOU CAN GET IN OTHER TOBACCOS YOU KNOW THAT IS WHAT YOU ARE LOOKING FOR JNO. FINZER & BROS. Louisville, KY



BALLETT & DAVIS.

STEINWAY AND

ALMDINGLER ORGANS

—AND—

PIANOS!

Every style and finish at the Lowest Cash Prices

If you want a Piano or Organ let me know as I can save you money.

DR. C. F. KAPP,

MANCHESTER, MICH.

MICHIGAN SOUTHERN BREWERY.

—AND—

BOTTLING WORKS

MANCHESTER, MICH.

LAGER BEER!

By the Barrel, Keg or Case. Extra Bottled Lager for Family use.

J. KOCH,

PROPR.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor on Thursday, the 23rd day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

FREDERICK WILLIAM SEBASTIAN, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James M. Kress, deceased.

May C. Kress, the administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 31st day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be the highest bidder in the county of Washtenaw, in said state, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, A. D. 1892, at two o'clock in the forenoon of that day, (subject to all circumstances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the sale), the following described real estate, to wit: The undivided three-fifth of one-third of village No. three (3) of block number twelve (12) of the village of Manchester, Washtenaw county, Michigan.

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IN THE COURSE OF TIME.

When Maud and I were nine or ten, she showed me every grief and joy, played, quizzed, "made it up" again, as if she, too, had been a boy.

BREWER'S REVENGE.

While spending a winter vacation in a delightfully rural little village hidden away in the pine forests of North Carolina, I found the haunted house and solved the mystery that had enveloped it for more than a century.

"It's old Donald Thurston you want to year a-tellin' it," said the villagers, when I asked them for particulars of this mystery.

"Most of the people hereabouts know the story well," said the old man, "for it's been told by father to son these hundred years and many's the crying child as has been frightened to sleep by tales of the ghost of the pretty lady."

A few days later Thurston brought out the old tin box and then watched me in silence while I read the story of the mystery of the haunted house.

When the castlelike house was arranged to his taste, Brewer returned to Europe for a year, leaving the place in charge of his servants and slaves.

When he came home he brought with him a beautiful young bride, she seemed very much in love with him and quite contented in her new home.

The servants talked in whispers among themselves and said that trouble would come of such a mating, but for the time all went well, and the old man and the pretty young wife were happy enough so far as appearances indicated.

Before the ship that was carrying Martin Brewer to England was out of sight of land Thurston discovered that the young wife had been left in his care was not alone in the big house.

The old man kept the secret of the stranger's presence in the house from the other servants, but a few days later he went to his mistress and asked her who the man was and what he was doing there.

EVIL OF JEALOUSY.

DR. TALMAGE RETELLS THE STORY OF DANIEL.

Whose Sudden Rise to Fame Created Such Jealousy Among Demagogues—The Crime of Rising Above Your Fellow an Excusable One.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 8, 1892.—Dr. Talmage took for his subject to-day the character of Daniel and drew from it lessons of sound practical value for the young men, of whom so large a number are always to be seen among the most eager and attentive listeners in the Tabernacle congregations.

Where in romance can you find anything equal to what Daniel was in reality? A young man, far away from home, introduced into the most magnificent and most dissolute palace of all the earth.

Brewer brought with him from England many presents for his wife, and some more furniture for the big stone house. Among the latter articles was a strange-looking, old-fashioned bedstead, in which he seemed much interested.

"I brought it over for you," said her husband, while a strange, cruel-looking smile played about his thin lips.

"She is hearing him in that room!" Thurston heard the master say to himself as he turned away.

"My brother! Oh my brother, speak to me!" cried Mrs. Brewer, as she threw herself on the bed and placed her arms about the neck of the dead man.

At these words a guilty, startled look passed over the face of her husband, but only Thurston noticed it.

Starting disclosures followed close on the heels of one another that day. The dead man had been murdered. A rusty, sharp-pointed dagger had been plunged into the top of his head and had entered the brain, causing instant death.

Two days after the funeral of her brother Mrs. Brewer went to the room where he had been killed and threw herself down on the bed, weeping bitterly.

When the husband came and looked at the face of his murdered wife, Thurston who was watching, saw him tremble and turn pale, while a look of horror came into his eyes.

Again the officers of the law were called, and when a week later old Martin Brewer was found lying dead on the Norman bed of his ancestors, with the same strange wound in the head, they declared that human hands had not wielded the instrument of death.

Then the big stone house was closed. Relatives of Brewer came from England to take possession of the property, but when the ghost of the old man and his pretty wife appeared they went away and returned no more.

Such was the story of the tragedy of the haunted house.

"What became of the old Norman bed?" I asked of Donald Thurston when I had read the story to the end.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON VII—MAY 15—A SONG OF PRAISE.

Golden Text: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and Forget Not All His Benefits.—Psalms, 103: 1-22.

I. Praise for God's manifold Personal Mercies.—Vers. 1-5. 1. "Bless the Lord." Praise, with a strong implication of devout affection.—Alexander: "Bless His holy name." The name is the outward expression of all that is in God.

2. "Forget not all His benefits." The sum, which is infinitely great, of His benefits. Forgetfulness is the secret spring of much ingratitude.

3. "Who forgiveth all thy iniquities." Till iniquities are forgiven, healing and redemption are unknown benefits. "Healeth all thy diseases." Primarily, at least of the body, though maladies of the soul may be included.—Perowne.

4. "Redeemeth thy life." Redeeming means delivering with cost and risk. "From destruction." A state of death in which the body returns to corruption. "Crowneth thee with loving kindness." Makes His children kings and weaves their crowns out of His own glorious attributes of loving kindness and tender mercies.—Perowne.

5. "Who satisfieth thy mouth." The word rendered "mouth" is of doubtful meaning, but probably means "soul" as the highest glory of man. "With good things." Not rich things, not many things, not everything I ask for, but "good things."

6. "Who cleanseth thy lips." The Lord executeth righteousness. Habitually and constantly doing that which is righteous. "And judgment." Justice. "For all that are oppressed." God is against all oppressors everywhere.

7. "He made known." Generally by his revelation of himself. "His ways unto Moses." By giving his laws on Mount Sinai, and by what he did for Moses personally, and for him as the leader of Israel. "His acts unto the children of Israel." He had fully revealed his nature to them.

8. "The Lord." Jehovah. "His merciful and gracious." Mercy pardons sin; grace bestows favor; in both the Lord abounds.—Spurgeon. "Slow to anger." He lingers long, with loving pauses to give space for repentance. "And plenteous in mercy." As a circle begins everywhere and ends nowhere, so do the mercies of God.

9. "He will not always chide." But will cease his punishments as soon as it can be safely done. "Neither will he keep his anger forever." He punishes his children as children for their correction.

10. "Hath not dealt with us after our sins." His retribution has fallen far below our deserts.

11. "For as the heaven is high above the earth." Even in the days of the psalmist the heavens were the highest things known. "So great is his mercy." The more we learn of his mercy, the more infinite it seems. "Them that fear him." His loving, obedient children.

12. "As far as the east is from the west." If sin be removed so far the trace, the scent, must be entirely gone.

13. "Like as a father pitieth." His compassion. The Hebrew word is peculiarly appropriate in speaking of parental love.

14. "For he knoweth our frame." He knows how we are made, for he made us. "He remembereth that we are dust." Our heavenly father never overloads us, but gives us strength equal to our day.—Spurgeon.

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By MAT D. BLOSSER.

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1892.

GREAT wealth in a woman tends to keep at a distance both the proud and the humble, leaving the unhappy live bait to be snapped at by the hardy and the greedy.

You may build your own churches, you may set them on prominent corners and flush them with beauty and thrill them with music and eloquence, but the essence and power of the Christian life lies in the touch of soul upon soul. Everything else is machinery. Get rid of the power and the machinery tumbles to pieces.

Our condition of our morality, therefore, it is quite evident, is regulated by the care we bestow upon it, and by the regard we give to it; and we have every necessary visible and positive assurance that if we treat it with indifference or negligence it must collapse and tumble into a melancholy ruin and mockery of the divine radiance it was designed to guard.

Our course will be broken by the courts but the wills that are not broken outnumber those that are by hundreds to one. We hear nothing of the wills that pass the probate clerk, but only of those that reach the surrogate's court. The average will is simple; if the testator would remember in his will only those whom he remembered in daily life, there would be little trouble with wills. To make one's will is a duty every one who has any property to dispose of owes to his relatives.

Honor is the sentiment of self-respect. It is the higher and unwritten law which is more binding on the consciences of men than the legal requirements of the state. It is of a distinctly religious character, its essence being the obligation to follow right and truth for themselves, and not simply because of any human penalties for their infraction. It regards the spirit rather than the letter of the law, and it establishes an ideal standard of duty by which the individual measures himself and his fellows.

The one great fact remains that throughout the whole country the number of insane is increasing. Since the close of the war, the demoralization that it caused, the haste to get rich that it inspired and the passion for speculation that grew out of the superabundance of money which the expenditures of the war set afloat at the North and West, have all conspired to produce a condition of feverishness and unrest. The methods of doing business have undergone a radical change, and in the strenuous competition to which it has led and to the factitious exaltations and sudden reverses that have so often succeeded each other may be traced, at least in part, that increase of insanity which is one of the marked features of our time.

The great increase of insanity in the United States, an increase far in excess of the increase of population, is justly attracting attention. An illustration of this increase is given in the statistical tables of the New York board of charities. The figures show that the number of insane patients in New York asylums has increased from 5,587, in 1883, to 16,647. It is further estimated that counting the insane not in the asylums the total number in the state will reach 20,000. But restricting the computation to the official tables it will be observed that the increase of insane patients over the number recorded in 1880, has been 7,110, or nearly 75 per cent, while the increase in the population of the state during the same period was only about 19 per cent.

The degree of bachelor of arts, of sciences or of medicine, theology or law, is first in the category of college honors and must precede the doctor's cap. The term doctor is appropriate equally to the taxes because it is a common gender grammatically. But the term bachelor is not even in its special collegiate sense, and as women rejected the word "alumna" and chose after graduation the true term "alumna" and call their post-graduate societies "alumnae," there is no reason why they shall not correct the Latin parchments and insist on adoption of the true term when the baccalaureate distinction is conferred upon them. The word itself is modern Latin and vulgar at that, but it is susceptible of correction so that the degree added of it shall be to some degree modified in the right direction.

English emigrants to Brazil and other Latin South American countries are arriving home disgusted and disheartened at the lack of opportunities and freedom which they expected. The English are not good colonists, except where they can come in as masters, dispossessing former savage occupants of the soil. In such cases they form communities of their own and dominate the country. To expect that those going to lands already settled with civilized people having different languages is hardly reasonable. But Germans, Swedes and other foreigners find no such trouble in the United States. In fact, it is now said that Germany is about to abandon its new territory in Africa, those emigrating from the fatherland preferring to make their home where so many millions of Germans have gone before, among the English-speaking people of the United States.

GOLD GETTING SCARCE.

THE SUPPLY RUNNING OUT ALL OVER THE WORLD.

Probable That Enormous Masses of the Precious Metal Are Gathered About the Center of the Earth—Why It Is Rare.

"How is the gold going to get along when all the gold has been exhausted?" said a metallurgist to a Washington Star writer, interrogatively. "There is no joke about it. The gold production of the world is steadily decreasing from year to year, and it will not be very long before the supply is practically used up. Not more than \$100,000,000 worth of the precious metal is now mined annually, and this is not nearly enough to meet the requirements of expanding commerce. Of course new deposits will be discovered from time to time, but they will soon be exhausted.

"Why is gold so rare? Simply because it is heavy. There are only two metals that are heavier, namely, platinum and iridium. Remember that at the beginning the earth was a body of gas. By gradual condensation it became liquid, while now the whole of its mass save only an outer crust, much thinner in proportion to the whole ball than is the shell of an egg, would be a fluid but for the fact that it is held together by tremendous pressure. Naturally, in the course of its formation about a center of attraction, the weightier particles composing the globe gathered about that center. Accordingly we find that the earth as a whole weighs five times as much as water, while the rocks forming the crust are only about two and one-half times as heavy as water.

"From this it is evident that the materials composing the globe near its center are very heavy, and it is to be presumed that they are chiefly, if not wholly, weighty metals. Gold and platinum being, with only one known exception, the heaviest metals existing, it seems highly probable that enormous masses of these precious substances are gathered about the center of the earth. What a pity it is that such colossal treasures should remain forever inaccessible to greedy mankind! At all events it is unfortunate that more gold is not to be discovered on the surface of the planet, because no other metal is equally available for use as money.

"One naturally asks how it has happened that any gold and platinum are found on the surface of the globe. The answer is very easy. Both of these metals are always discovered among rocks which have been upheaved by volcanic action, or causes out of the interior of the earth. Platinum, which has only been found in abundance near the Ural Mountains, comes from serpentine a rock thrown up from the depths. Gold occurs chiefly in quartz veins. When the earth was contracting, great cracks were formed, and these were filled from below by the action of hot springs or otherwise with gold-bearing quartz. Occasionally this quartz contains so large an amount of the metal that the vein is called a 'bonanza.'

"But such deposits are soon worked out and fresh regions must be resorted to for supplies of gold. Thus the available mines of the world are being rapidly exhausted. They are usually discovered at the extreme limits of civilization. In ancient times gold was obtained abundantly from the rivers of Asia. The sands of Paeonia, the golden fleece secured by the Argonauts, the yellow metal of Ophir, the fabled of King Midas, all illustrate the Eastern origin of gold. Alexander the Great brought nearly \$500,000,000 of gold from Persia. Gold also came from Arabia and from the middle of Africa by way of the Nile. But all of these famous sources of supply were long ago exhausted.

"Likewise Brazil, which only a century ago was the richest of gold-producing countries, has now become largely unproductive. The total output of the metal from that part of the world from the end of the sixteenth century until now is estimated at \$700,000,000. All the famous gold coast of Africa does not at present yield as much as \$40,000 a year. Yet the dark continent was formerly noted as the country of gold. Mummies have been numerous found in Egypt with massive necklaces and other ornaments of the metal. Herodotus tells us of a king who loaded his prisoners with golden chains that substance being more common than bronze. Copper was even worn for ornament in preference to gold. The treasures brought by the queen of Sheba, to Solomon's temple must have been of enormous value. Since the year 1500 Africa has produced about \$800,000,000 worth of gold, but the supply is nearly used up now.

"The supplies of gold drawn from the United States are steadily diminishing. It is the same with Australia, which has yielded for the world's use about \$1,500,000,000 of the metal. Not less than \$7,000,000,000 of gold has been dug in all countries since Columbus discovered America, 400 years ago. The amount is vast, but to produce it so far from home has cost up the available deposits. The time is nearly approaching when the yellow metal will be hoarded much more than it is at present and we may reasonably expect that it will attain before many centuries are past a value several times greater than that which it now possesses."

The German Empire.
The case of the Grand Duke of Hesse and his brother potentates forms one of the most interesting phases in the German situation of to-day, and one must know something about it in order to understand the current of German affairs. Germany, as well as the United States, has a dual system of government, though hers is in other respects very unlike ours. There the big state of Prussia has three-fifths the area of the whole, and in round numbers about thirty millions out of fifty million population. Her king is at the same time German emperor. Consequently Prussia is the cock of the walk in Germany, and one must know something about it in order to understand the current of German affairs. Germany, as well as the United States, has a dual system of government, though hers is in other respects very unlike ours. There the big state of Prussia has three-fifths the area of the whole, and in round numbers about thirty millions out of fifty million population. Her king is at the same time German emperor. Consequently Prussia is the cock of the walk in Germany, and one must know something about it in order to understand the current of German affairs.

HOW ANIMALS BEAR PAIN.

Their Mate Heroism in Suffering Puts Man's Endurance to Shame.

One of the pathetic things connected with this kaleidoscopic nonsense people call life is the manner in which the animal kingdom endures suffering, says the Florida Times-Union. Take horses for instance in battle and after the first shock of a wound they make no sound. They bear the pain with a mute, wondering endurance, and if at night you hear a wild groan from the battle-field, it comes from their loneliness, the loss of that human companionship which seems absolutely indispensable to the comfort of domesticated animals.

The dog will carry a broken leg for days wistfully but uncomplainingly. The cat, stricken with club or stone or caught in some trap from which it gnaws its way to freedom, crawls to some secret place and bears in silence the pain which would not endure. Sheep and other cattle meet the thrust of the butcher's knife without a sound, and even common poultry endure intense agony without complaint.

The dove shot into death flies to some far off brook, and as it dies the silence is unbroken save by the patter on the leaves of its own life blood. The wounded deer speeds to some thick break and in pitiful submission waits for death. The eagle, struck in fatal lights to the last against the midair summits. There is no moan or sound of pain and the defiant look never fades from its eyes until the lids close over them never to uncover again.

Here is an example of this splendid endurance right before us. A proud man in vain tries to emulate. A mule halted to a post awaiting treatment, one of his hind feet a suppurating sore, the frog festering and his eyes are stained and agonizing. The veterinary surgeon standing by says that the lightest touch of that foot to the ground causes the most intense pain, and there is no sound, nothing but that patient endurance that astonishes and appeals.

The River's Bed Dried Up.
Bolivia, in Southern Russia, is famous for the battle in which Peter the Great of Russia conquered Charles XII. of Sweden near that city in 1709. The country around the city is to a great distance, a bare prairie except where a river changes the ground into a fruitful garden. Such was done until a short time ago by the river Volnska, the bed of which is at present dried up. It was not a small stream, but a deep navigable river which has there disappeared. No one knows what has become of the mighty current of water that used to run to swell the mighty Dnieper. It is supposed to have been sucked up by the sandy soil through which it had dug its bed. The whole region is sandy, and it is only to the rivers that the inhabitants are indebted for whatever fertility there may be. No much the greater is the loss which the disappearance of so large a river must have caused.—Chicago Herald.

When He Is Dangerous.
Humorist's wife—You must not trouble your pa just now, dear; in his present mood he is not to be trifled with.

Humorist's child—What is he doing, ma?

Humorist's wife—He is writing things to make people laugh.—N. Y. Press.

Unlimited Credit.
Merchant: "I regret that I can't have these goods charged, as I don't know who you are."

Mrs. Meter:—"My husband is the plumber who is repairing the leak downstairs now."

Merchant:—"I beg your pardon, madam. Your goods will be sent home at once."—Cloak Journal.

A Similar Course of Treatment.
Patient—What shall I do when my stomach aches?

Doctor (brusquely)—Fill it.

Patient—What shall I do when my head aches?

Doctor—Same.—Kate Field's Washington.

ODD AND NEWSY.
A steamer which recently arrived in New York, from India passed twelve immense waterpots clustered in an area of a few miles.

In a New Hampshire graveyard there is a large marble shaft on which the following words are inscribed: "Sacred to the memory of three twins."

In the Old Testament, although great numbers of women are mentioned, there is but one—Sarah, Abraham's wife—whose age is recorded.

The choir of a Western church resigned the other day because in the course of the sermon the preacher remarked that the sinners in the church must be converted, and they understood him to say "singers."

In Italy, France and Spain it is common to ring a hand bell a short distance in advance of a funeral procession. The object of this custom is said to be to clear the way for the procession and to remind passengers and loiterers to take of their hats.

The Saratoga Miracle.

FURTHER INVESTIGATED BY AN EXPRESS REPORTER.

The Facts Already Stated Fully Confirmed—Interviews with Leading Physicians Who Treated Quant—The Most Marvellous Case in the History of Medical Science.

A few weeks ago an article appeared in this paper copied from the Albany, N. Y., Journal, giving the particulars of one of the most remarkable cures of the Nineteenth century. The article was under the heading "A Saratoga County Miracle," and excited such widespread interest that another Albany paper—the Express—detailed a reporter to make a thorough investigation of the statements appearing in the Express report. The facts as elicited by the Express reporter are given in the following article, which appeared in that paper on April 16, and is one of the most interesting stories ever related.

A few weeks ago there was published in the Albany Evening Journal the story of a most remarkable—indeed so remarkable as to justify the term "miraculous"—cure of a chronic case of locomotor ataxia, or creeping paralysis, by the use of Pink Pills for Pale People, and in compliance with instructions, an Express reporter has been devoting some time in a critical investigation of the real facts of the case.

The story of the wonderful cure of Charles A. Quant, of Saratoga County, N. Y., is a story that has been copied into hundreds of newspapers and other daily and weekly papers, and has created such a sensation throughout the entire country that it is deemed a duty due all the people and especially the thousands of similarly afflicted persons, to give a full and complete account of the case as made in "The Albany Journal," and copied into so many other newspapers, and, if true, be verified, or, if false, exposed as an imposition upon public credulity.

The result of the Express reporter's investigations authorizes him in saying that the cure of locomotor ataxia by the Pink Pills for Pale People, a popular remedy, prepared and put up by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Morristown, N. Y., and Brockville, Ont., is TRUE, and that all its benefits are not only justified but verified by the fuller development of the facts of the case.

Perhaps the readers of the Express are not all of them fully familiar with the details of this marvellous restoration to health of a man who after months of treatment by the most skillful doctors in two of the best hospitals in the State of New York—the St. Peter's hospital in Albany, N. Y., and the Albany Hospital in Albany, N. Y.—was deemed incurable, and because of this fact several other persons to whom application was made at the Albany Hospital, and who were cured, and published in the Albany Journal, is as follows:

"My name is Charles A. Quant, I am 37 years old. I was born in the village of Saratoga, and excepting when traveling on business, and a few weeks in Amsterdam, have spent my whole life up to about eight years ago I had never been sick and was then in perfect health. I was fully and strongly built, and weighed about 150 pounds, and was a traveling salesman for a piano and organ company, and had to do, or at least did so, a very irregular and unhealthful kind of work in country houses, and in my ordinary life, got my meals irregularly, and when I was in the city, I ate at restaurants, and was very irregular in my habits, and was very nervous, and had a great deal of trouble in my stomach, and consulted several doctors about it. They all said it was indigestion, and advised me to take a course of medicine, and I took a course of medicine, and it seemed to aggravate my disease, and I was very nervous, and had a great deal of trouble in my stomach, and consulted several doctors about it. 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