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THE GREAT WRITERS OF THE PRESENT DAY.

W. S. GILBERT, the English comic opera librettist and sarcastic writer...

CHINA'S god of war has 3,000 names and nearly 400,000,000 worshippers...

ERRANDY has heard of the "Little Church around the Corner" in New York...

A CHICAGO woman took the part of a comedian at that city because of one of them shot her dog...

The German society for colonizing Jewish lands in Palestine and Syria has proved a great success...

W. D. HOWELL, the author of "The Rich and the Poor," "Rent," and "The Road to Nowhere," thinks of the great Frenchman as the hero of his country...

The French system of inoculation to prevent diphtheria and croup should be imported to America at once...

The did-it-know-it-was-lost leader who destroyed the eye-sight of a fellow member of his company by playfully pointing the eye of his victim at him...

The agricultural department at Washington has reported Europe that there is a great increase in the use of American machinery...

A factory of the insanity of Queen Elizabeth of late obtained some slight circulation, but it has not been verified...

When New York has been asped as many of her neighbors as possible she has had her reputation...

A TROUBLE car runs through the streets of Jerusalem, Jerusalem must have had some idea of this when it lifted up its voice...

PRESENT signs indicate that it is going to be a smaller and diphtheria writer for the world...

The latest news from the Sandwich Islands states that ex-Governor Lilliohookai is not expected to return...

There is hardly a figure among all the great writers of the present day...

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BRIDGEWATER

By MAT D. BLOSSER

Arthur Schmitt is on the sick list. Miss Emma Cleaver was on the sick list this week.

Frederic Sauter has gone to Adigan to attend business. Miss Florence Bulfinch of Hopedale was the guest of Miss Rockwell with the latter part of last week.

There is a social ball advertised for Friday evening of this week. Take part and enjoy the first dance in the new town hall.

There is a very glad to hear that Mrs. Geo. Higgin, who has been in rather poor health for months past, is improving, though slowly.

Wm. G. Ashby and family made a beautiful picnic at Jackson Monday and Tuesday, at the same time calling on Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Cobb.

The ladies of the baptist foreign mission society observed the day set apart for special prayer on Nov. 13, in the interest of mission work and workers.

There is quite a hustle here among some of our enterprising citizens in the way of securing a supply of lumber for the winter's needs. The lumber men are busy as ever.

Mr. John Sharp of Jackson is in town. Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Cook are visiting in N. Y. city.

Mr. E. H. Palmer, secretary of the B. W. Farmers' Mutual Fire Ins. Co. paid Wm. Herrington of Manchester yesterday \$400 for the loss of three head of cattle killed by lightning during the storm of Saturday, Oct. 20.

It seems an impossibility for some to vote correctly. Every election a number of votes must be thrown out because incorrectly voted. Several votes were found with the name of John C. Rich stamped on them and other marks, and were so found that on several tickets a stamp before his name was the only mark.

On account of the low price of wheat and stock this has been a notable year for side or supplementary crops. I will mention a few who have experimented with various crops in this township.

Mr. N. A. J. Arnold has about the same amount of the addition of 10 acres more of land to his farm. Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Lurvey raised about 20 tons of Hubbard squash and cabbage on the D. W. Palmer farm.

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MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE

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Local News Galore. Gabeared by Our Huzzling Penmen.

Muddy roads. Fashion your trippers. Thanksgiving occurs on the 29th. This is a beautiful, sunny day.

There is a demand for stove wood. Let us do your holiday printing now. This winter weather catches the farmers unprepared.

Mac's cloak sale is being largely patronized today. What has been coming in quite freely the past week.

Regular meeting of the macabees next Tuesday evening. The cornice on the savings bank building is in very pretty.

An effort is being made to organize a dancing class here. Haven't they got through voting yet? It keeps on snowing.

There seem to be but few snow troupes on the road this season. Business is good again now that people find time to devote to it.

We would like either sleighing or skating on Thanksgiving. There will be but two days vacation for Thanksgiving, Thursday and Friday.

The W. G. T. U. will meet at Frank Spafford's on Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The roads were quite rough when the snow came else we might have had sleighing.

Ed. Jaynes has only one office now and that is at his Ypsilanti branch lumber yard. Subject at the baptist church next Sunday. In the morning: Spiritual edification.

It is rumored that the morning train on the Jackson branch will run on its old time. The furnace will be put in St. Mary's church this week. It is from the Monroe foundry.

The savings bank building is the finest improvement made in this village in several years. Subject of discourse in the universalist church, next Sunday morning at 10:30: "The Fall of Man."

The young ladies are preparing their invitations for a party on "Thanksgiving evening at the Y. M. C. A. hall." In another column an advertisement to delinquent patrons. May we hope that it will be read and heeded by them.

If you have not paid your subscription to the Enterprise, do so before Thanksgiving and we will all give thanks.

The reasons have had a sorry time working on the savings bank building the past week, but have made good progress.

The methodists intend to move their church bell from the old building into the new building of worship-the presbyterian church.

Miss Emma Widmayer teaches the winter term of school in district No. 1. Mr. Samuel Remington of Dakota is visiting at his father's, Robert Green.

We wonder why those in charge of church affairs do not start meetings again. Fred Hall, who has been suffering from the effects of a fall, is much better.

Jacob Homing of Clayton was at this place on Monday, Monday at 2 o'clock next Sunday morning. Rev. Platt will preach at the Iron Creek church at 2 o'clock next Sunday morning.

Albert W. Dorr, a Hillsdale college student, spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

Rev. R. G. Sutton of Plainfield, Livingston county, came here last Thursday on hearing of his brother's death.

Winter weather set in this time with a number of freezes in this vicinity. Mr. J. A. Lurvey raised about 20 tons of Hubbard squash and cabbage on the D. W. Palmer farm.

The fall term of Rose Street school in district No. 7 closed last Friday afternoon. Winale Coleman and Mabel Austin received diplomas of honor.

S. S. Brewster, a former resident of this town died at his home in Haverhill, Mass. His remains were brought to Manchester Saturday afternoon and interred in Oak Grove cemetery.

The school board in the Iron Creek district has again changed being now constituted with Charles W. Tupper, district Wm. F. Martin, moderator and Albert D. English, secretary. Messrs. Cooley and Martin are the new members.

The B. Y. R. U. will hold a Business Men's Carnival at Art's Hall next Thursday, Nov. 28. Children Free Support from 5 to 7. Entertainment begins at 8. Admission 10c; Support 15c, Both 20c.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will give a luncheon and supper at Art's hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th. Orders in bulk direct from Baltimore at N. George's.

NOYBELL

County Treasurer's Shortage. The county treasurer's office was yesterday morning the scene of an estimated shortage of about \$2,000, but nothing definite can be ascertained until the books have been thoroughly examined.

Mr. Skelly has secured his bondsmen that they shall lose nothing and that the shortage will be made good. John R. Mince has been appointed deputy county treasurer by the boardmen and is now in charge of the office.

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NEWS OF ALL KINDS.

EVENTS OF GENERAL INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE.

The Japanese Capture Port Arthur and Two Other Chinese Strongholds.—The United States Offers Her Services as a Mediator for Peace.

Port Arthur Surrenders.

London: A dispatch received from Shanghai says that the Japanese captured Port Arthur after meeting with a feeble resistance on the part of the Chinese. Port Arthur was bombarded previously to its surrender. The Chinese laid down their arms and yielded themselves prisoners of war. The Chinese commanding officers abandoned Port Arthur during the night of November 15.

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Washington: The Japanese legation had not received official confirmation of the capture of Port Arthur. They say, however, that if Port Arthur has in truth fallen it will be the most disastrous blow to the Chinese since the capture of Port Arthur. Port Arthur has been pronounced impregnable by the first naval experts of Germany. Li Hung Chang has built there modern gun factories which rival those of the Krupp.

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Yokohama: Advice from the armies commanded by Field Marshal Count Oyama, now operating on the Liaoning peninsula, confirm the reports of Japanese victories at Chinchiu (Kinchin) and Taitienwan. The Chinese forces at Kinchin numbered 1,000 infantry and 100 cavalry, and at Taitienwan 3,000 infantry and 180 cavalry. The Chinese made little resistance at either place. They retreated toward Port Arthur. The Japanese lost only 10 men in capturing both places. The Chinese losses were not high.

Prospects of Peace.

Tokyo, Japan: United States Minister Dunn has communicated to the minister the substance of an important cable proposition received from Secretary Gresham at Washington. It suggests that Japan will join China in requesting the President of the United States to act as mediator in settling the war between the two nations.

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Washington: The United States has not offered herself as arbitrator, but has suggested that if both China and Japan join in requesting her services as a mediator they will be given. It is the belief here that China will readily accept the mediation of the United States and that Japan will do so after she is assured of the indemnity China will yield. China has already gone so far as to notify this government that it will join Japan in recognizing the complete independence of Korea, which would result in the Japanese evacuation of Korea and the re-establishment of the former reigning power. China has also made known to this government that it was willing to pay a cash indemnity to Japan. It has stated how much the indemnity will be and this promise to be a serious problem. Japan has expended nearly \$150,000,000. The situation now presents an interesting game of international diplomacy.

A NEW JESSE JAMES.

Mounted Bank Robbers Dashed—Killed a Wounded Comrade.

Three masked robbers held up the bank at Sylvan Grove, Kas. The men rode into town on fast horses. They were heavily armed, with masked faces and flying steeds, which attracted everybody's attention. They pulled their horses with a jerk in front of the bank, and while one robber remained seated, holding the other two horses, his two companions entered. The cashier was ordered to turn over what money he had, and to do it double quick. He looked into the muzzles of both revolvers for a moment, and then reluctantly complied with all the ready cash the bank had. The moment the robbers were out of the building the cashier secured his gun and rushing to the door opened fire on them as they were galloping away. The bullet lodged in the back of one of the fleeing men. He staggered in his saddle and swayed to and fro, and finally he fell heavily to the ground. His two comrades pulled their horses up and, riding up to the prostrate man, deliberately fired several shots into his body, then rode away. When the robbers were the deserted outlaw was dead. Over \$1,500 was found on his person.

SIX WERE KILLED.

An Express Train Remains Past a Waiting Place and Crashes Into a Cattle Train.

Train No. 7, Baltimore & Ohio limited, coming west, ran into the first section of a fast cattle train at Roseburg, Pa. Six men were killed in the collision and several others badly hurt. All were trainmen. Both trains were going at the rate of 40 miles an hour, and the collision was a most terrific one. Neither crew had time to jump or sound a warning. The meeting place of the trains was Pine Grove, five miles east of the point of collision, where the express should have taken siding for the freight. For some reason the engineer of the passenger train ran past the meeting place. The express and mail cars on the limited were telescoped and reduced to kindling wood. Only the heavy vestibules of the passenger cars were left. From the wreckage of the freight train a dozen cattle cars were piled up, the wreck, killing and maiming many of the dumb brutes.

Jack, the Strangler, in Denver.

"Stranglers row," Denver, is becoming as famous as Whitechapel, London, because of the mysterious murder of the young women. It has just been the scene of another murder. About 1:15 a. m. No. 1975 Market street was visited by the fiend whose strange hobby is to choke lewd women. The victim was a Japanese girl, who ran the place, with a corpse with the marks of the strangler's work upon her throat. This murder was committed in the same row of houses in which Lena Tapper and Marie Cassano were strangled recently. The scene of the death was exactly similar. The excitement among the women of ill fame in that part of the city where the three murders by strangulation have occurred rivals that produced by "Jack, the Ripper" in London.

Steamer Wetmore Wrecked.

The steamer Wetmore, coast laden for Milwaukee, was driven ashore in the gale near Cleveland, Wis. The Two Rivers life-saving crew arrived by special train to try to save the crew. The schooner Brunette, which the Wetmore had in tow, was sighted off Manitowish, and the big Arctic went and brought her in. The Wetmore is owned by J. H. Palmer, of Cleveland; was built in 1871, measures 819 tons, and is valued at \$35,000. The bottom where she lies is supposed to be rocky, and she is in great danger of going to pieces if the gale continues. LATER.—The life-saving crew of Two Rivers and Sheboygan bravely went out to the wreck and safely brought to shore the entire crew of the Wetmore—13 people.

Michigan Crop Look Fair.

The Michigan crop report for November gives the area sown to wheat at 86 per cent of the area of one year ago. In condition, the growing wheat is reported at 91 per cent in the southern counties, 98 in the central and 100 in the northern. The average condition is higher in all sections of the state than one year ago. Corn is estimated to yield in the southern counties and the state an average of 40 bushels of ears per acre. Compared with a full average crop, production is estimated at 53 per cent. Live stock is in fairly good condition.

Havemeyer et al Must Answer Questions.

Washington: Judge Cole, in the United States district court of the District of Columbia, ordered the five murderers in the cases of John W. MacCartney, of Washington, and E. M. Chapman, of New York, brokers, who refused to answer certain questions before the senate sugar investigating committee, and the defendants were committed for trial. This was in the nature of a test case, and the decision means that Havemeyer, Scaries and Seymour, who were recently indicted, and the newspaper men, Edwards and Shriver, who were first indicted, will have to stand trial.

Cook Gang Held-up a Train.

Passenger train No. 2 on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, was held up and robbed four miles north of Muskogee, Mo., by Bill Cook and his gang. The information received is to the effect that the robbers cleaned out the express car of its entire contents; \$286 in money and eight gold watches being secured. One of the train's crew claims to have recognized Bill Cook as one of the bandits.

Gov. Flower, of New York, has signified his willingness to permit the attempt to bring to life a man executed in the electrical chair in order to settle the controversy as to whether the electricity of the autopsy which follows was the cause of the criminal's death.

The United States iron and tin plate works at McKeesport, Pa., will make an attempt to start a new plant. The company has fitted up the old hotel near the plant and placed attendants in charge, which indicates that there will be outside men brought in to attempt to run the works.

The Chicago Times says: At the senatorial election the proper place for "Bob" Lincoln, which, by those interested in the proposed coup d'etat, is expected to land the son of Abraham Lincoln in the United States senate as the successor of Senator Cullom.

Talmage has resigned the pastorate of the congregation of the Brooklyn tabernacle. He says that the congregation has built him three churches and he must not ask them to build another. He says he will either accept another pastorate or go into general evangelistic work, "preaching the gospel to all people, without money and without price."

WANTED ELK MEAT.

HE GOT IT AND LIKEWISE GOT A GRIZZLY BEAR.

Sheldon's Great Shot and Its Extraordinary Results—He Killed the Shaggy Assassin of His Cattle, and With the Same Bullet Slaughtered an Elk.

"My friend Jim Sheldon of Cooper City, on the Pecos river, New Mexico," said a ranchman of that region to a Chicago Times writer, "never went hunting but once in his life, but he had a great day of it the time he did go. There were a number of elk hanging around in that vicinity, and Jim got it in his head that he wanted some elk meat. I don't know whether he wanted elk meat because a cheekey she grizzly and three cubs had been playing hob with his stock of beef cattle for a couple of weeks and he felt as if he couldn't afford to eat beef, or whether he wanted elk meat just for the fun of getting it. Anyhow, he mounted a burro one day and started out after an elk. He got on the track of one, and thinking he could sneak up on it and get a shot at it super by going on foot than he could by riding, he dismounted and led the burro take care of itself. The contrary little cuss went right on ahead of Jim, and wouldn't come back. In less than five minutes he was out of sight.

"If you never saw a burro when he's scared you've missed a sight. It isn't so much the sight of him, either, that's so funny, although that's funny enough to get him seven curtain calls. It's the hearing of him that's the side splitting part of a scared burro. The side splitting often takes a burro in a scared. When he is up goes his tail, his ears, and his bristly mane. His eyes bulge, and he tries to run in every direction at once. His utterances are what knock you, though. They are not loud, but mournful, and come in sudden spurts, for all the world like the queer noises a couple of deaf mutes make when in earnest conversation, only of more volume and of a wider range of tone.

Jim's contrary burro had been out of sight probably ten minutes when Jim saw him coming back. He was scared, and no mistake. His ears were way up, and so were his mane and tail. His eyes were bulging, and the way he ran the mournful gamut of his terror-stricken voice when he came up to Jim was better than a negro minstrel first part. But he wouldn't let Jim catch him. He circled round and round, now and then stopping and gazing back in the direction from which he had come, and talking fearfully about what he had seen.

"I wonder if it's Injuns," said Jim. "It is Injuns, but then it struck him that it must have been the burro had run across the elk and that the elk had made a charge on him, so Jim concluded to go on and see. The burro didn't go with him, but struck a bee line for home, and that was five miles away. Jim sneaked along down the river for a quarter of a mile or more and then, rounded a sharp bend. The instant he got around that bend he squatted, for not more than 100 yards ahead of him stood a grizzly bear, and tumbling in the grass near her were three cubs.

"The blasted brute that's been slaughtering my cattle," said Jim, and he pulled up to give her the slugs. But as he pulled up and ran his eye over the gun barrel he almost fell over, for just beyond the big grizzly stood the elk, feeding away as peacefully as a cow. At first Jim didn't know what to do. He wanted elk meat, and he knew that if he fired at the bear away would go the elk and never stop inside of twenty miles. If he shot the elk the chances were that it would rob him of his revenge on the bear. Revenge came out of Jim's eyes. He pulled up and blazed away at the grizzly. When the smoke cleared away Jim looked to see what had occurred. The grizzly lay on the ground giving her last kick. The elk had dropped in his tracks and lay there as stiff and motionless as if he had been a stone elk. The three cubs were sniffing and whining around their mother.

"Pizen jumper!" said Jim. "What in thunder have I done?"

"He walked up kind o' slow and with his eye peered, but there wasn't any need of his doing it. He had aimed for the bear's heart, as he thought, but his bullet had severed the spine at the neck, and then kept right on until it was stopped by the elk's heart, which happened to be just in the dead before the bear. He hadn't gone home after help. He hadn't gone home, though, before he met plenty of help coming. His burro reaching the ranch before him had alarmed the folks and a party had started to look for him. They took in the dead bear and elk and the three live cubs and Jim would scarcely talk to common folks for a month. But he never went hunting again. He didn't want to spoil his record."

Beer in the United States.

The brewing of lager beer in this country was begun about fifty years ago in the outskirts of Philadelphia. Before that brewery products were entirely ale and porter. Now, however, nearly all the output, which last year amounted to 33,822,000 barrels, is of lager. Each barrel contains 248 pints or 496 glasses; therefore, according to the latest internal revenue returns, there was made and sold last year an average glass of beer for every working day to every man, woman and child in the United States.

His Terrible Fate.

A Scotch-minister, a few Sundays ago, held out as a warning to his congregation the case of an Aberdeen man who rode on his bicycle on Sundays with the result that he broke a blood vessel on Monday, went to hell on Wednesday, and was buried on Saturday.

The Liquor Tax.

According to the statistical abstract of the United States, the total cost of the liquors of all kinds consumed in this country is over \$16 per capita, about \$80 a year for every family, twice as much as the total amount of the federal revenue.

HE BOUGHT A BICYCLE.

But It Was Not Exactly in the Condition He Expected.

A young Buffalonian bought a bicycle. It was a good bicycle, and he was proud of it. He bought it on the installment plan, and for a month he was happy with it. One night when he was riding on an asphalted street he met a friend. "Ho," said the friend, "where'd you get the bike?" "Bought it," replied the wheelman, tartly. "Did you think I stole it?" "No, I don't know as I did. What'll you take for it?" The wheelman stopped and said: "Do you want to buy a wheel?" "I might if I got one cheap enough."

"Well, what will you give for this one?" "Forty dollars." The wheelman got on his wheel and rode away without saying a word. A day or two later the friend came around and made some inquiries about the wheel. The wheelman told him confidentially that he was hard up and was having difficulty in keeping up his payments and that he had concluded to sell out for the \$40. "Nixie," said the friend, "I have changed my mind, too. I can't afford to give you more than \$25 for that wheel now."

The wheelman laughed at this offer. The friend came around every day for a week after that and asked him if he was ready to take \$25, reminding him that he would lose the wheel altogether if he wasn't prompt with the payments. One day the friend made his usual proposition. "I'll give you \$25 for that wheel," he said. "You'd better take it, too. It's your last chance."

"Well," replied the wheelman, "I guess I will take it. Money's interally close with me."

The preliminaries were arranged and the friend counted out the \$25. "Where's the wheel?" he asked. "Up at the house." "I'll come up to-night and ride it away."

"All right." Then, as the friend was about to go out, the wheelman said: "On second thoughts, I would bring up a wheelbarrow for that bike if I were you."

What's the matter?" gasped the friend. "It isn't broken, is it?" "A little," and the wheelman smiled sardonically. "You see, a fire engine ran over it this morning."

The fanitor of the building stopped the fight.

BECOMING SCARCE.

Blonde Men and Women Will Vanish as a Type in Time.

Women with blue eyes and light hair are gradually, though surely, passing away as a type. In each successive generation there are fewer of them than in the last. Already such a thing as a red blonde, purely such, is so rarely seen in this country as to excite remark. Golden tresses are so very frequent that a real one is usually suspected of being bleached. In short, Spare Moment thinks it has become evident that before very long there will be no blonde women any more. Among their sex light hair and blue eyes are fast disappearing. We may judge how rapidly they are going when we consider the fact that whenever a brunette man marries a blonde woman, or vice versa, 66 per cent of the children born have dark hair and eyes. At that rate not very many centuries will be required to wipe out the blonde type altogether.

Some may wonder how this matter has been determined with such accuracy. Simply by including such statistical observations in the census of nations in Germany and France, where the very school children are examined, and have their characters recorded from an anthropological standpoint. Observations made in this way, so as to cover millions of persons of both sexes, have resulted in the discovery that the dark people bring more children into the world than the light people. Furthermore, they have greater vigor and they live longer.

Brilliant in Daylight.

A daylight meteor was seen recently near Ayrshire, Scotland. Its movement was very slow and it shown with a brilliant, intense light which was concentrated in itself and did not leave a train behind it. It got gradually smaller and smaller, and just before disappearing broke into three or four pear-shaped portions. During its course, although the massy head was always brilliantly white, the little tail varied in hue, crimson and a rich ultramarine blue being most noticeable.

What He Put on It.

Scene: Barber's shop. Tonsorial Artist, surveying his victim—"Your hair is getting very thin, sir. Victim—"Yes. I've been treating it with anti-fat." "I never liked stout hair on it." Artist—"You really should put something on it." Victim—"So I do—every morning." Artist—"May I ask what?" Victim—"My hat. The rest was silence.—Judge.

A Servant Who Knew Her Place.

"Did you tell her I was out?" "Yes." "What did she say?" "She sez, sez she, 'Do you say that on yer own responsibility or on the responsibility of yer mistress?' and I said on 'yer mistress', for sure it's not me, and be doing anything on my own responsibility."

Human Nature.

She—George. He—Yes. She—Why is it that most weddings are sadder than funerals and most funerals jollier than weddings? He—Well, in the first case everyone knows what misfortune has happened to the contracting parties, and in the second they don't.

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Lackawanna is an Indian word, meaning the "stream that forks."

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Greene river, Kentucky, was named after General Nathaniel Greene of the revolution.

The Kentucky river was first named the Louisa, in honor of the duchess of Cumberland.

The translation of Potomac is "Place of Burning Pine," an allusion to a grand council.

The Atchafalaya river, in Louisiana, was so named from two Indian words meaning long river.

In Sika, when an Indian wife has lost her husband by death she goes into mourning by painting the upper half of her face a deep black.

Every Flemish town has a square called the "egg market," where on certain days the country people resort and offer their produce to the inhabitants.

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