

# BARRINGTON REVIEW.

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## JEWELER J. M. THRASHER TO LEAVE

Will Remove to Chenoa, Ill., on February 1st.

Mr. J. M. Thrasher, who for the past three years has been in the jewelry and optical business in Barrington, will on February 1st link his fortune to that of the citizens of Chenoa, Ill.

Mr. Thrasher has had over seventeen years practical experience in his profession, and is a gentleman of unquestioned veracity. During his stay here he has made many friends who sincerely regret to see him go, but who heartily wish him success in his new home.

Mr. Thrasher has fitted hundreds of our citizens with glasses, not a case coming to the ears of THE REVIEW which has not given complete satisfaction. He commands the esteem and good-will of all his fellow citizens.

THE REVIEW congratulates Chenoa on securing such a valuable addition to her business fraternity, and regrets sincerely that Barrington must lose such an enterprising and public-spirited citizen.

We wish him all the success possible in his new home, and in this his host of friends heartily join.

## DIVORCED BY FRAUD

Charge Against Mrs. E. L. Hill—Her Husband Asks to Have a Receiver Take Charge of Money in Her Possession.

William Hill in a bill filed in the Superior court asks that a receiver be appointed to take charge of a fund of \$1,215 which is in the hands of his divorced wife, Elma L. Hill, and her attorney, A. J. Redmond. Hill says his wife obtained a decree of divorce Nov. 11 and an order for \$700 alimony and \$100 solicitor's fees. He says he did not file an answer to his wife's bill for the reason that she was a resident of Lake county, Indiana, at the time she filed it, and he did not believe the courts of this county had jurisdiction. Soon after the decree was entered the wife's attorney took out an execution against him and sold a piece of property which he owned in the village of Barrington. The amount received for this property was \$1,215, which was given to the wife, and out of it she paid her attorney his fees. Now, Hill says, he has taken an appeal to the Appellate court and has obtained a supersedeas. He asks that the wife and Attorney Redmond be compelled to turn over to a receiver the money which they received for the property. If this is not done, he says, and the higher courts decide that the divorce was not legal, he will be compelled to redeem the property from an innocent purchaser, which will cost him a considerable amount of money.—Chicago Journal, January 23d.

### The Band Boys.

The Barrington Military band held their annual meeting Monday evening, Henry Schaefer in the chair. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved, with one suggestion, namely, that the treasurer be required to give bond for the large (?) amount of funds he has on hand. The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Henry Schaefer, president; Sam Landwer, vice-president; Frank Plagge, secretary; Geo. Stiefenhofer, treasurer; Emil Naeh, librarian; Fred Schaefer, sergeant-at-arms; (Faus schmeiszer); John Bieke, assistant sergeant-at-arms.

George Stiefenhofer was honored with the office of leader.

The boys have decided to get down to solid work by meeting every week, and practicing. That's right, boys, knuckle down to business and success will be yours. Barrington needs some one to blow its horn, and nothing advertises a town more than a real good brass band. Let's see whether we will not be able to have some open-air concerts next summer.

### RAILROAD SPECIALS.

Twenty carloads of ice are being loaded at Lake Zurich every day and taken to Joliet and points east. Wau-

kegan has been supplied with over 100 cars from that place.

Agent Powers' little boy is quite seriously ill with pneumonia.

J. G. Graybill made a business trip to the city Tuesday.

Quite a number of our railroad boys attended the masquerade at Lake Zurich last Saturday evening, and report an immense time. There seemed to be a good deal of discussion in regard to the prize for the best waltzer, "Ward McAllister" claiming that honor; probably it was owing to some misunderstanding with the judges, it was not awarded him—although he came in a close second.

### WAUCONDA.

The special services for the young will be held tomorrow morning in the M. E. church. Let all our young people be out.

Mr. Ambrose, Bangs and wife, of Odebolt, Iowa, are here for an extended visit among friends.

Mr. Hale, of Evanston, filled Rev. Davidson's pulpit last Lord's day morning.

Will Lamphere and A. Stevens were pleasant callers the first of the week.

Some of our young people enjoyed oysters and a pleasant evening with Miss Ruggles.

Elmer Monchan, Herman Maiman, Elmer Golding and Albert Reynolds called on the school teachers last Monday.

August Hapke has started to school. There are now thirty-six pupils in the principal's room. A few more can be taken care of.

Miss Lulu Sensor has gone to Algonquin to visit a brother; from there she expects to go to Chicago, where she will remain for some time.

One of the characteristics of innocence is modesty, another is bravery.

Miss Zoa Morse is still quite sick.

Mr. Wm. Clough has returned home.

Miss Wickie, of Fairfax, Iowa, is visiting here.

Mrs. C. L. Pratt and daughters have returned to our little village, probably to make it their future home.

Phillip Maiman is doing a rushing business with his machines.

It is feared that the Methodists and Baptists, both, will lose their pastors. This is not very pleasant news for our congregations.

Miss Clara Clough, of Minneapolis, is visiting with friends here.

Chas. Lamphere, of McHenry, was in town last Tuesday.

The following is the program for the next teachers' meeting, to be held in the Wauconda public school buildings: Psychology, 8th chapter, by Mr. Torrence; Psychology, 9th chapter, by Mr. Hubbard; Arnaud Berquin, by Miss Grace; Coleman, by Miss Tyrrell. The meetings have been quite interesting, and it is hoped the attendance will continue. Come and bring a friend with you. Do not forget the time—Saturday, Feb. 1, 1896.

L. B. Hibbard, editor of the Highland Park Gazette, announces that he is a candidate for the postoffice of Highland Park. The announcement is rather a novel one, and, of course, must have its comments. Is it bribery or the old spoil system in disguise, or an ingenious way of increasing the books in the public library? We do not doubt that Mr. Hubbard is a competent man for the position, but the same might be said of the other candidates. It will be interesting to know results. THOMPSON'S COLT.

In Hon. Henry Raab's first article upon the schools of Germany, we have the following, Mr. Raab writing from Frankfurt: "In conversations with citizens I learned that their schools were the best in the entire province, and that they had to pay heavy taxes for their maintenance. . . . When I asked what their school tax was, and how much the per capita tuition, they told me they did not know, only that the expense for the schools was exorbitant. They furthermore confessed that they had no insight into the or-

ganization; that they did not know much about the teachers; could not tell their names or residences, only, the schools were very expensive. I cannot understand how the schools, in consideration of the small salaries paid, and the large number of children allotted to each teacher, can demand large sums of money for their maintenance. I find that, on the whole, people are the same everywhere. For what I said above applies equally to the wisdom of the people in the United States. There they do not know how much the schools cost and how they are organized, yet the complaint that they cost too much and now they are the best, at other times, they are the poorest in all creation."

### SPRING LAKE.

Mr. H. Miller, sr., is digging a new well.

Charles Crawford who has been visiting at the factory for some time is now employed in the Barrington factory.

Miss Nettie Adamek, of Algonquin, visited with her friend, Mrs. Mary Vanderaue, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Louisa Schultz visited with a number of her friends here last week.

Mrs. Wm. Gibson was a Barrington caller Monday.

Among those that attended the dance at the Bohemian hall, Saturday evening, were: Messrs. John Suchy, R. Suchy, John Dworak, Joseph C. Peebles, Misses Kauka, and Adamek, and Mrs. M. Vanderaue. They report a good time but a small crowd, which was probably caused by the inclement weather.

Mrs. Wm. Gibson visited Elgin friends Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Campbell, of Jefferson, Wis., called on her friends at the factory last Saturday.

Andrew Forn made a business trip to Elgin Tuesday.

Dame rumor has it that two of our young people left home quite suddenly Wednesday.

Col. Church was a recent caller.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Cady spent Sunday at Barrington Centre.

Art. Runyan called on friends at Barrington Sunday.

C. Schwemm is convalescent.

Miss Lydia Weseman spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Henry Wolthausen.

Edward Smith is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. J. Brown is a visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Porter.

Miss Clara Cady spent Friday with Dr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Miss Ada Bignold was at Barrington last Saturday.

We understand Mr. Smith is to rent his farm in the near future and reside at Elgin with his mother.

E. Weseman was an Oak Glenn caller Wednesday.

H. Donlea made a flying trip to St. Charles.

Miss Kate Kampert spent Sunday at the home of Mr. A. Klein.

J. Applebee has returned to Elgin.

Vincent Davlin visited the Bluffs Sunday. Amber C.

### Another Fine Program.

The Crescent Literary society entertained another audience in Prof. Smith's room last Friday afternoon, January 17, by rendering an unusually fine program in a most excellent manner. The following was the program: Spice Box—Maud Osgood. Pen Picture—Ettá Kerns. Prophecy—Grace Otis. Query Box—Lida Pomeroy. Original Story—Ralph Vermilya. Charade—Myrtle Runyan. Debate: "Was Napoleon Bonaparte a Good Man or Not?"—Charlie Mansfield and Leila Lines. Song—"Our Side." Charade—Myrtle Runyan. History Questions—Johannie Sizer. Biography—Lida Pomeroy. Charade—Ralph Vermilya. Song—"Our Side."

If you know anything of interest let THE REVIEW know of it.

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Our Best is made from No. 1 Dakota hard wheat, and is the finest patent flour made, being superior to all other brands.

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### Best Family Flour SNOW FLAKE, per barrel, - only \$3.30

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Customers that have used our Buckwheat Flour say it is the best in town.

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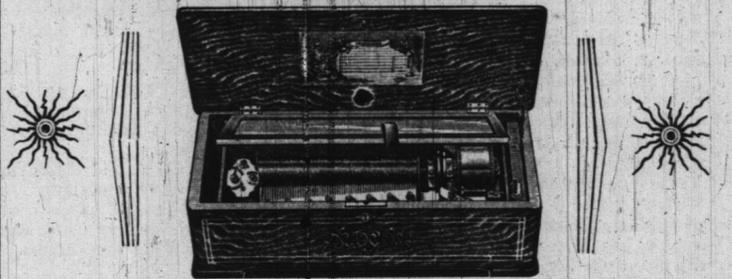
We have some 5-pound cans of Pure Vermont Maple Syrup that we bought direct from Vermont.

Stop and consider these prices and compare them with the prices you have been paying. It will save you money

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## REMEMBER



that all tickets entitling the holder to a chance on the elegant Music Box, must be presented on February 1st. Don't forget the date.

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Everyone knows that this flour is the best on the market.

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## HISTORY OF A WEEK.

THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

In the United States court at Springfield, Ill., W. H. Harper, of East St. Louis, was given a verdict for \$1,400 for slander against John Scullin, of St. Louis. He sued for \$100,000.

Rockford's delegation to the ninth annual convention of the Illinois commissioners and supervisors at Kankakee this week will try to secure next year's convention for Rockford.

In McPherson county, the center of the Kansas corn belt, the farmers have exhausted their resources for cribbing the enormous crop and are compelled to ship at 15 cents per bushel.

William Cummings, the saloon-keeper at Carbon, Ind., who shot and killed William Shaw in his saloon on Christmas Eve, was acquitted in the superior court at Brazil on the charge of murder.

Twenty-five owners of bottom land between Hannibal, Mo., and La Grange, Mo., have appointed a committee to urge congress to build a levee on the Missouri side of the Mississippi river between the towns named, to protect 40,000 acres of land.

At Superior, Wis., the trial began of the suit of A. E. Barclay to oust John Difor as receiver of the Barclay Milling Company, of which Mr. Barclay is the president and principal stockholder. He charges incompetency, mismanagement and dishonesty.

Mary E. Graham and her sons, Alfred, Jacob and L. H., Jr., were sentenced at Sioux City, Iowa, to eighteen months each in the penitentiary for wholesale robbery of freight cars in the yards there. L. H. Graham, Sr., and his son, Joseph, are serving terms for safe-cracking, while James, the only other member of the family, is at the state industrial school.

Arthur Jackson, of Ligonier, Ind., has been arrested on the charge of assaulting his 7-year-old sister.

The midwinter session of the Upper Des Moines Editorial association will be held at Boone Feb. 6 and 7.

Attorney J. C. Dean was arrested at Elwood, Ind., for embezzlement and was taken to Anderson for trial.

It has been decided to move the Solid Spoke bicycle works now at Morrow, Ohio, to Anderson, Ind., giving employment to 200 men.

Mrs. James Burdge, aged 75, was stricken with heart disease while taking a bath at her home, near Roarin, Ind., and was dead when found.

Lena, the 10-year-old daughter of James McHue, died at Muncie, Ind., from injuries received by falling on an icy pavement six weeks ago.

Citizens of Sterling, Ill., are gratified with the announcement made that the next state convention of the Y. M. C. A. is to be held in that city Oct. 14 to 18.

At Monmouth, Ill., the trial was begun of Shiloh McIntyre, aged over 50, who is charged with assaulting and causing the death of Lucila Merritt, aged 14, last fall.

At Saginaw, Mich., Sheriff Kerns demanded and received the resignation of Under Sheriff C. J. Fisher, who was charged by ten tenants of his farm with assault.

State Superintendent of Insurance Durfee granted a charter to the Original Order of Oaks of America, at Chicago, to do a fraternal beneficiary society insurance business in Illinois.

Senator Davis' resolution on the Monroe doctrine was reported to the senate Monday from the committee on foreign affairs. It was sent to the calendar.

The Textile Manufacturers' Association convened at Chicago Tuesday.

Joe Choyinski defeated Jim Hall, the Australian pugilist, in thirteen rounds at Maspeth, L. I., Tuesday night.

Spain has dispatched 17,000 more troops to put down the Cuban rebellion.

Edward Lankford of Sandborn, Ind., who shot and killed Blann B. Williamson, an aged constable, who was attempting to quell a disturbance, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Henry Rosenberger was sentenced at Ligonier, Ind., to five years in Indiana prison, north, for firing the buildings on the Kendallville fair grounds and destroying property and horses amount \$16,000.

The Tri-State Cider and Vinegar Makers' Association at Toledo, O., endorsed the pure food laws of Ohio and recommended the same to the legislatures of Indiana and Michigan. S. McFetridge of Ida, Mich., was elected president.

The American Berkshire Association met at Springfield, Ill., and re-elected N. H. Gentry of Sedalia, Mo., president; Charles F. Mills of Springfield, Ill., secretary, and H. J. Lovejoy of Roscoe, Ill., treasurer. The reports showed a prosperous year.

### CASUALTIES.

Willie Veau, 11 years of age, while attempting to draw a bucket of water at Stephenson, Mich., fell into the well and was drowned.

Lewis Bevington, who had just been appointed mail clerk and was to have made his first trip today, was killed by a train at Marion, Ohio. His home was in Hamilton, Ohio.

The house of John Wesley, near Muskegoe, I. T., was burned Saturday night and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Wesley, was burned to death. It is believed the house was set on fire by two drunken Creek Indians who were ordered away from the house the night before, and search is being made for them.

Peavy & Co.'s elevator at Grogan, about five miles east of St. James, Minn., was burned. Ten thousand bushels of grain and about 200 tons of coal were destroyed.

Thomas Roe, an old hermit, was found frozen to death in a house at Farley, Iowa, Thursday night.

Mary Foldenaur was fatally burned at her home at Waterford, Ind. Her clothing caught fire from a stove and her face, arms and body were frightfully burned.

Joe Dunn of Mount Sterling, Ill., accidentally shot Harvey Briggs with a target gun, the ball passing through the boy's liver. Young Briggs lived about two hours after the shooting.

Ed Mack, who was fatally hurt at Decatur, Ind., and who was reported as being a traveling man, has been found to be one of a band of crooks. He is wanted at Abanaka, Ohio, for robbing a safe of \$200.

Andrew Sheridan attempted to board a Wabash passenger train at Attica, Ind., and fell beneath the cars and was killed.

Albert Schwartz, aged 16 years, was drowned at Michigan City, Ind.

Ed Mack, a traveling man of Marion, O., was struck by a Chicago & Erie train at Magley, Ind., and instantly killed.

### FOREIGN.

General Martinez Campos is expected by the next steamer to return to Spain through the States and New York. There is some talk at Tampa, Fla., of giving General Campos an ovation when he arrives.

The Spanish cabinet at Madrid has deposed Gen. Campos from command in Cuba. Campos complains he has not received proper support from his subordinates in the island.

The failure to float the government loan of £4,000,000 is keenly felt throughout Chili.

A new municipal law has been published in Guatemala City, placing an exorbitant tax upon commerce.

President Boyes of the Chilian senate has announced himself a candidate for the presidency of the republic.

A committee of representative citizens of Granada, Nicaragua, has presented to the supreme court an accusation against the court of appeals of Granada, charging it with deciding cases in favor of those who pay the highest price, regardless of justice.

Manuel Jose Irarrazabal, a wealthy and well-known conservative leader, has left Chili for the United States, where he will make his home.

Representatives of a Scotch syndicate are at Guatemala City with a proposition to purchase the Central railway.

Advices from Apia, Samoa, say the business men have revolted against President Schmidt. The situation is said to be critical.

It is reported that King Premph of Ashantee has accepted the terms of the English. The Sudan authorities have not verified the report.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining water the fate of the Italian garrison at Fort Makaleh is sealed unless they are able to capture and retain a well now in possession of the Abyssinians.

### CRIME.

Burglars entered the house of Mrs. B. Laner, at Carlyle, Ill., and secured \$100 in gold.

H. P. Wilkinson, a prominent business man of Wheeling, W. Va., has mysteriously disappeared.

"Dutch" Nell, a St. Louis pugilist, was arrested there for participating in a prize fight with Owen Bartley, who was knocked out in the fourth round. The police were unable to locate Bartley.

Henry Rensberger, who set fire to the barns on Kendallville fair grounds last September, was sentenced at Waterloo, Ind., to five years in the penitentiary.

Frank Wilkerson, steward of the Sheridan Inn, committed suicide at Sheridan, Wyo., by filling a shoe with chloroform and lying with his face over it to inhale the drug.

John E. Martin of St. Paul pleaded guilty at Pierre, S. D., to counterfeiting. Paddy Shipman is on trial on the same charge. They attempted to coin \$5 gold pieces, at Madison.

John W. Russell, Clint Venters and John Osborn, farmers living near Centerville, Ill., became involved in a quarrel. Russell was beaten and kicked about the head and left by the roadside until found next morning. He died from his injuries. Venters and Osborn are in jail.

Ed Durant, alias Dupont, was sentenced at Hannibal, Mo., to three years in the penitentiary for burglary.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

C. F. Wenham, general steamship and railroad agent, has been appointed general agent of the Beaver line of steamships, with headquarters in this city.

It is said on good authority that General Manager McCain of the lake pool, with headquarters in Buffalo, and formerly general auditor for the interstate commerce commission, is a candidate for commissioner of the central freight committee when organized.

Reduced rates to New York for the visiting party from the Deaver Mining Exchange have been refused by the Western Passenger Association, owing to the refusal of the eastern lines to participate.

The salary of George R. Blanchard, commissioner of the Joint Traffic Association, has been fixed at \$20,000.

The cruiser Baltimore has arrived in San Francisco from Honolulu after an uneventful passage.

The flag of the Cuban insurgents was raised over the headquarters of the Cuban club at Galveston, Texas.

Managers of the pontoon bridge at Sioux City, Iowa, contemplate building a low wagon bridge and cutting rates to meet the opposition of the new Pacific Short Line structure.

The Massachusetts association met in Boston Central Congregational church. Major McClaughry, of the Pontiac (Ill.) reformatory, who was chief of police of Chicago during the World's fair, explained various methods of dealing with criminals, and said the Massachusetts system was behind the times.

The populist party will hold their national convention at St. Louis July 22.

In spite of the announcement of the Turkish government that the Red Cross society will not be permitted to distribute relief in Armenia Miss Clara Barton will sail for that country at once.

Eugene V. Debs has announced that he expects to sever his official connection with the American Railway Union within the coming year. His purpose was, he said, to devote his time to the labor movement in general, and not to any particular organization. He will, however, retain his membership in the A. R. U.

Illinois farmers have made arrangements to start a co-operative plant at Sangamon to manufacture farming implements.

It is learned that an agent in the war department had been making inquiries in Cleveland, Ohio, for an available site for the location of a fortification for the protection of the city in case of a foreign war.

It is officially announced that ex-President Harrison will marry Mrs. Dimmick shortly after lent. The children of the ex-President are said to oppose the match.

George Greenzweig & Co., wholesale jewelers in San Francisco, have failed. Attachments aggregating \$35,000 have been filed.

Henry C. West & Co., rice and coffee brokers in New York, assigned to Martin S. Katenhorn. The firm is composed of Henry C. West and Edwin S. Webster.

Elder S. Davis, dealer in general merchandise at Monroe, La., has asked for an extension of time. His assets are placed at \$97,000 and his liabilities at \$50,000.

The schedules in the assignment of Harriet R. Tracy, dealer in sewing machines in New York, show liabilities of \$11,842, nominal assets of \$28,610 and actual assets of \$7,250.

The Ketcham Lumber company, which failed a few days ago at Sandusky, Ohio, has been sued by the Columbus, Sandusky & Hocking railroad for \$3,109.35, claimed to be due the road for freight transported and dockage.

H. Kohn, whose dry goods store at Fostoria, Ohio, was closed by the sheriff Tuesday, has assigned to L. E. Sugerman, who gave bond for \$140,000. Another cognovit judgment was served against Mr. Kohn by Joseph Louchheim, of New York, for \$11,166.81.

B. G. Hudnut of Terre Haute, Ind., has bought the Vincennes (Ind.) electric street railway. He assumes control at once. E. F. Tindolph, who has been general manager of the line for five years, retires.

### LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

#### CHICAGO.

Cattle—Com. to prime	\$1.40	@ 4.70
Hogs	2.25	@ 4.00
Sheep—Good to choice	1.75	@ 3.65
Wheat—No. 2	.57	@ .58
Corn—No. 2	.26	@ .27
Oats	.17	@ .18
Rye	.36	@ .37
Eggs	.16	@ .17
Potatoes	.18	@ .23
Butter	.09	@ .23

#### MILWAUKEE.

Wheat—No. 2 spring	.57	@ .58
Corn—No. 3	.26	@ .27
Oats—No. 3 white	.18	@ .19
Barley—No. 2	.33	@ .34
Rye—No. 1	.38	@ .39

#### PEORIA.

Rye—No. 2	.36	@ .37
Corn—No. 3	.24	@ .25
Oats—No. 2	.18	@ .19

#### KANSAS CITY.

Cattle	1.25	@ 4.30
Hogs	3.10	@ 3.75
Sheep	2.00	@ 3.60

#### TOLEDO.

Wheat—No. 2	.67	@ .68
Corn—No. 2 mixed	.27	@ .28
Oats—No. 2 mixed	.19	@ .20

## SAVE PUBLIC LANDS.

### SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.

Prompt Action Needed in the Matter—House Passes Pension Bill—Monroe Doctrine Supported by Senate Foreign Affairs Committee.

The President has just sent a message to congress, calling attention to the necessity for prompt legislation in order to remove the limitation of the time within which suits may be brought by the government to annul unlawful or unauthorized grants of public lands.

By the act of March 3, 1887, the secretary of the interior is directed to adjust the railroad land grants which may be unadjusted; and it is provided if it shall appear upon the completion of such adjustment or sooner that the lands have been from any cause erroneously certified or patented by the United States to or for the use of a company claiming under any of said grants, it shall be the duty of the secretary of the interior to demand a reconveyance of the title to all lands so erroneously certified or patented; and on failure of the company to make such reconveyance within ninety days the attorney general is required to institute and prosecute in the proper courts

for it has uniformly been held that time did not bar the sovereign power from the assertion of its rights. The government, the president says, should not be prevented from going into the courts to right wrongs perpetrated by its agents, or any other parties, and by which much of the public domain may be diverted from the people at large to corporate uses. The message concludes:

"In these circumstances, it seems to me that the act of 1891 should be so amended as not to apply to suits brought to recover title to lands certified or patented on account of railroad or other grants. And I respectfully urge upon congress speedy action to the end suggested, so that the adjustment of these grants may proceed without the interposition of a bar, through the lapse of time, against the right of recovery by the government in proper cases."

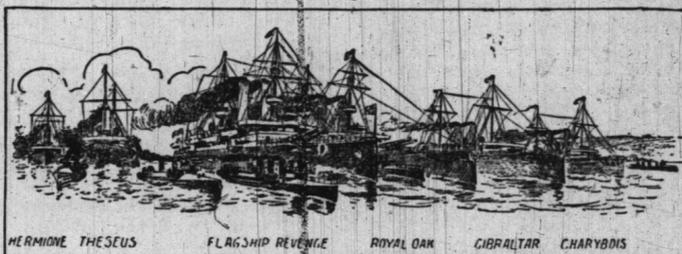
"GROVER CLEVELAND."

### LEAVES PORTSMOUTH.

British Flying Squadron Sets Sail Under Sealed Orders.

The flying squadron, consisting of the battleship Revenge, flagship, Rear Admiral Alfred T. Dale; the battleship Royal Oak, the first-class cruisers Gibraltar and Theseus and the second-class cruisers Charybdis and Hermione, together with six first-class torpedo boat destroyers, assembled at Spithead at noon Friday. It is reported that the destina-

### ENGLAND'S FAMOUS FLYING SQUADRON.



The above named war ships have sailed from England under sealed orders. It is believed that the squadron is destined for American waters.

necessary proceedings to restore title to said lands to the United States.

The demands made under this act have been numerous, and in some cases have resulted in the revestment of title to the lands in the United States upon demand; but in most cases the demand has been refused and suits have been necessary. In some of the grants, notably the corporation grants, the lack of surveys up to the present time has made the completion of the work impossible.

Decisions rendered by the interior department in numerous conflicts have been carried into the courts. The construction of the department has generally been sustained when final determination has been reached, but many of the cases are still pending in the courts, not yet having been decided. Some of these cases, while involving immediately the title to only one particular tract, will, when decided, furnish a rule of construction to control the disposition of the title to thousands of acres of other lands in the same situation. Until the courts pass upon these questions, final adjustment cannot be made.

By section 8 of the act of March 3, 1891, it is expressly enacted that suits by the United States to vacate and annul any patent shall only be brought within five years from the passage of this act. This period of five years will expire on March 3, 1896. Of course, no suit by the United States to secure the cancellation of a patent in this class

of this squadron, after leaving Bantry Bay, Ireland, will be the Bermudas. The ships sail under sealed orders.

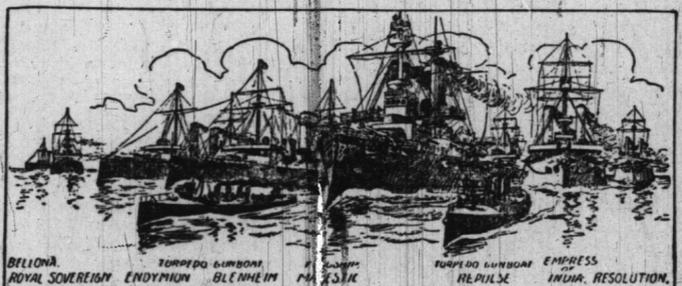
Washington Special: The cable reports from Portsmouth, England, whence the British flying squadron is about to sail, that its destination may be the Bermudas cannot be confirmed in any official quarter here and the report is taken with considerable allowance. No information on the subject has come to the departments or to the British embassy.

It is doubted whether Great Britain would send such a powerful fleet into American waters at this time, when its presence in force sufficient to overcome our North Atlantic squadron almost certainly would be regarded as a hostile demonstration certainly not called for as long as diplomacy has not yet exhausted its resources in the settlement of the differences between the United States and Great Britain. The Bermudas, lying between 600 and 700 miles off our coast, would afford an admirable base of operations against any point from Cape Cod down to Key West, and while the islands are part of the British Empire the assemblage of a powerful fleet there could not be regarded with indifference by the United States government, unless its presence was explained satisfactory.

### European Navies.

Great Britain now has in service 274 ships, with 42 under construction.

### ENGLAND'S CHANNEL SQUADRON.



The channel squadron has just sailed from Southampton under sealed orders. It is believed that its destination is Delgoa Bay, South Africa.

of cases arfter that date would be effective. Indeed, it is now too late to institute proceedings looking to any such suit, inasmuch as demand has to be first made on the company, and thereafter ninety days allowed for compliance or refusal, in accordance with the act of March 3, 1887. Before the expiration of the period the statute would bar the right of recovery by the government, and the benefits of anticipated favorable decisions of the courts would be lost, so far as they might determine the character and disposition of the grants similar to those directly involved in pending cases. Legislation establishing limitations against the right of the government to sue is an innovation not entirely consistent with the general history of the right of the government,

France has 144 effective vessels and is preparing to build 33 more. The total strength of the Russian navy is 100, with 15 armored and 3 unarmored vessels being constructed. Germany has 74 ships, Italy 71, and, with vessels now planned, Spain will have an effective strength of 52, half of which are armored.

### Worth Seeing.

The King of Portugal was a sight worth seeing when he appeared in public in London recently. He wore the orders of the Garter, of Christ, of the Tower and Sword, of Santiago, and of Our Lady of Villa Vicosa. An irreverent American who saw him said that he looked like a bargain counter on "ribbon day."

# NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

## A WEEK'S DOINGS IN THE PRAIRIE STATE.

Political, Religious, Social, Personal, Commercial and Miscellaneous Occurrences Gathered from Many Sections—Happenings tersely told.

Two men lost their lives while fighting fire at Wheaton.

Mrs. Hannah Danforth, wife of the pioneer banker of Minonk, died of heart failure.

Sheffield Masons organized an eastern Star lodge, Tis Kilwa members assisting in the work.

Mrs. B. F. Harris, wife of B. F. Harris, Sr., died suddenly at Champaign of apoplexy, aged 70 years.

The senate has confirmed the appointment of H. G. Carter as postmaster at Mound City, Ill.

David L. Hughes, aged 75 years, city and township ex-official, died at Decatur. He was buried with Masonic ceremonies.

Mrs. Jemima Staten, for the past fifty years a well-known resident of Cass county, and among its early settlers, died, aged 80 years.

Charles Yeingst, the Freedom mail carrier, started to drive his usual route, but was seized with sickness and died at a farmer's house not far from Earlville.

R. Van Bergen of Japan is said to be victimizing newspaper men on the Pacific slope. He shows contracts and gets the editor to act as his agent in placing correspondence. C. C. Davis of Leadville is the last. Van Bergen borrowed a small sum and disappeared. He recently visited Chicago, where, it is said, he left several mourners.

The last required amount to cancel the indebtedness of Westfield college, at Charleston, has been subscribed. This was a death struggle for the institution, and its life is now assured. Much is due the agents, W. C. Smith and A. W. Arford, who have labored incessantly to this end for the last two years. The friends of the college are greatly rejoiced over their success. The institution is an old one—almost a landmark in eastern Illinois.

William Jordan, who died Sunday at his home in Montgomery county, by his will created the William Jordan educational trust fund, devising to the trustee property valued at \$25,000. The net income from \$10,000 is to support the schools of his home district. The income from the remainder is to be divided among the various districts in Grisham township. As all of the schools are in country districts the funds will pay three-fourths of their expenses.

Governor Altgeld has again modified the plans of a proposed new state building to suit his preference for Gothic architecture. The board of trustees of the State University of Champaign at a meeting held three weeks ago adopted the design of D. H. Burnham of Chicago for the new \$150,000 library hall, to be erected on the campus, but in special session Saturday the action was reconsidered and the building committee was instructed to secure new designs at once. The action was forced on the board by the governor, who was present and made a long talk. It would seem that the more sensible plan for architects of proposed state buildings would be to plan according to the Gothic in the first place.

The United States Court of Appeals in the Sixth district has rendered a decision in the suit of the McCormick Harvester Machine company vs. Aultman, Miller & Co., involving the question of the validity of a patent on a grain binding machine granted to Marquis L. Gorman, of Rockford. The decision establishes Mr. Gorman as the inventor of the first device for the self-seizing of grain bundles, taking precedence of Appleby, who was heretofore supposed to be the original inventor of the binder. The decision means a fortune to Mr. Gorman. The litigation has been pending for some time. The twin knotter, which was the foundation of successful binding machines, was also invented by Jacob Behel, of Rockford.

In the United States circuit court at Springfield Judge Allen has rendered a decision on the intervening petition of the Wiggins Ferry Company of St. Louis in the suit of William King and others against the Ohio & Mississippi railroad. The case has been in litigation for over twenty years and has once been to the United States Supreme court. In 1858 the Wiggins Ferry Company and the Ohio & Mississippi railroad made a contract by the terms of which the former was to transport across the Mississippi river at St. Louis all passengers and freight handled by the railroad company. In 1874, upon the completion of the bridge, the railroad company abandoned the ferry. This, the ferry company claimed, was a breach of the contract. Judge Allen holds, in effect, the contract had exclusive reference to ferrying, and that inasmuch as the erection of the bridge was not contemplated when the contract was made the fact that the railroad company used the bridge for transporting its passengers and freight did not constitute a violation of the contract.

William Fowler, a former Chicagoan, has fallen heir to a \$7,000 fortune at South Bend, Ind.

Mrs. James H. Bergstresser, an old resident of Danville, was struck and fatally injured by a Big Four engine.

The Illinois State Board of Pharmacy met in annual session at Springfield and elected officers for the ensuing year.

George Mount, a Pana saloonkeeper, was closed by L. Franc & Co., wholesale liquor dealers of Toledo, O., on a mortgage.

The receipts of the secretary of state's office for the past six months of 1895 were \$53,819.33, as against \$30,642.52 for the last six months of 1894. The apparent increase is due to the new law regarding incorporation of companies for profit, which is based upon a scale regarding the amount capitalized.

The Masons of Winnebago county, Ill., have organized a relief association to furnish aid to the wives of deceased members by assessment. It has a membership of over 1,000, and the officers elected are: President, R. H. Ross; vice president, Frank Seaverns; treasurer, A. M. Hutchins; secretary, J. C. Winans.

An unknown woman was seen at the corner of Halsted and Twelfth streets with a month-old infant in her arms, says a Chicago paper. She stopped a school girl, and asked her to hold the baby for a few minutes. The girl took the child and the woman disappeared. A police officer noticed the girl after she had held the child for some time, and took the infant into the drug store near by. As the woman did not appear to claim it, it was taken to the St. Vincent orphan asylum.

A triple public installation of Masonic lodge officers was held at Turner last week. Many prominent Masons were present from all parts of the state. Rev. H. G. Perry, of Chicago, was the orator of the evening. The following officers were installed: Amity lodge, No. 472: Worshipful master, J. E. Norris; junior warden, Edward Goodwin; secretary, A. H. Mills. Doric charter, No. 166: Eminent high priest, A. L. Hamilton; king, Henry Bradley; scribe, Thomas G. Isherwood; secretary, Charles Voll. Henrietta chapter, No. 162, Order Eastern Star: Worthy matron, Minnie Norris; W. P. C. E. Norris; A. M., Alta Norris; secretary, Nellie Norris.

The fourth earthquake shock since October 21 last was felt in Charleston, Mo., opposite Cairo, Ill., and vicinity at 3:40 o'clock Friday afternoon. The vibration lasted about fifteen seconds. As has heretofore been stated when the general seismic disturbance of October 31 occurred the vibrations were particularly violent at Charleston, and at Cairo. A peculiar phenomenon was observed not far from the former place, where large fissures appeared in the earth's surface, through which sand and water poured in great volumes. Residents have become accustomed to the shocks and little anxiety is felt, but from their very frequency it is evident that the shocks give the residents of these localities full warning of a calamity sometime in the future such as visited Charleston, S. C., a few years ago. Such activity is not a comforting assurance of no danger.

The estate of the late State Treasurer Rufus N. Ramsay is still in doubt. A suit has been filed against the estate by William H. Nichols and his daughter, Mrs. Louella Irwin. They had deposited in the defunct Ramsay bank \$1,121. Treasurer Ramsay carried insurance on his life as follows: Equitable of New York, \$10,000; Covenant Mutual of Galesburg, \$7,500; Knights of Honor, \$2,000; Bankers' Life of Iowa, \$7,500. The policies have all been paid in full. The suit is instituted to recover the premiums paid by deceased from 1889 to 1894. The complainants in the declaration aver that the Ramsay bank was insolvent between the above dates and that the funds used to pay the policy premiums legally belonged to the bank's creditors. A demand is made that the amounts thus paid for insurance be inventoried as assets of the estate. This insurance money is all the widow and children have.

The presbytery of Chicago does not care whether or not Robert Ingersoll fills the pulpit of Dr. John Rusk in the Militant church, and it is not likely any action will be taken. When it became known that Dr. Rusk had invited the famous infidel to preach from the former's pulpit it was suggested that the presbytery which has jurisdiction over Dr. Rusk might call him to account or discipline him in some manner. Dr. Zenous, moderator of the presbytery, did not take this view. "Dr. Rusk is still amenable to the jurisdiction of the presbytery in so far as his morals and his private conduct are concerned," said Dr. Zenous, "but as regards the Militant church and what may be done there, that is another matter. The presbytery may not recognize it as a church. The question has never come before the presbytery, but I do not think Mr. Ingersoll's coming would raise any discussion simply because the Militant church is out of our jurisdiction. We can correct the doctor only for his private acts. If he can consistently, with his vows of ordination, invite Ingersoll to fill his pulpit, the presbytery is not interested."

# FROM WASHINGTON.

## THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LIVTH CONGRESS.

A Brief Report of the Doings in Upper and Lower Houses of the National Legislature — The Work of a Week Condensed.

### Thirty-second Session.

There was an interesting episode in the house Thursday, inspired by Mr. Grow (Rep., Pa.), who declared that the New York chamber of commerce in a pamphlet printed by that body had cast reflections upon the good faith of the house. The pamphlet criticized the house for not paying Canadian sealers the \$400,000 it was asserted had been arbitrated and awarded the owners of the seized vessels. Mr. Grow demanded to be allowed to speak upon it, as a question of privilege, but Mr. Crisp (Dem., Ga.) made the point that the pamphlet presented no question of privilege. The speaker ruled that no question of privilege was presented, whereupon Mr. Grow took his seat. The house then resumed the considerations of the pension bill, and an order was adopted that general debate be closed.

Mr. Clark (Rep., Iowa) thought the names of pensioners should not be dropped from the rolls and said that if the pension office continued its present policy the government might soon have a surplus saved from pension payments.

Mr. Dovener (Rep., W. Va.) favored the amendment restoring soldiers to the pension rolls.

The consideration of the silver bond bill proceeded in the senate, Mr. Peffer continuing his speech. As yet no suggestion has been made as to bringing the measure to a vote.

Foreign questions received attention during the day. Mr. Hale spoke for an hour in favor of a Pacific cable connecting the United States and Hawaii. The senator expressed the opinion that the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to the United States is certain to be accomplished at an early day.

The Cuban question was briefly discussed in connection with Mr. Call's resolution calling on the state department for information on the status of the uprising.

The Monroe doctrine also received attention in a resolution by Mr. Sewell of New Jersey, declaring the limitations of the doctrine and stating that President Cleveland's attitude was an extension of the doctrine beyond its original scope.

A resolution was adopted asking the state department for further information.

Resolved, by the senate, the house of representatives concurring. That whereas President Monroe in his message to congress of Dec. 2, Anno Domini 1823, deemed it proper to assert as a principle in which the rights and interests of the United States are involved that the American continents, which they have assumed and maintained, were thenceforth not to be considered as subjects for future colonization by any European power.

Resolved, That the United States of America reaffirms and confirms the doctrines and principles promulgated by President Monroe in his message of Dec. 2, 1823, and declares that it will assert and maintain that doctrine and those principles, and will regard any infringement thereof, and particularly any attempt by any European power to take or acquire any new territory on the American continents or any islands adjacent thereto for any right of sovereignty or dominion in the same, in any case or instance as to which the United States shall deem such attempt to be dangerous to its peace or safety, by or through force, purchase, cession, occupation, pledge, colonization, protectorate or by control of the easement in canal or any other means of transit across the American isthmus, whether on unfounded pretension of right in cases of alleged boundary disputes, or under other unfounded pretensions, as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States and as an interposition which it would be impossible in any form for the United States to regard with indifference.

Mr. Call (dem., Fla.) secured leave to have printed the "constitution of the new republic of Cuba." Mr. Baker (rep., Kan.) offered an amendment to the pending silver-bond bill providing that coinage "shall be restricted to the product of the United States mines." At 4:25 p. m. the senate adjourned until to-day.

In the house the president's message in reply to the resolution calling upon him for information as to what steps, if any, had been taken in relation to the Bayard speeches at Boston, England, and Edinburgh, Scotland, was read. The message and correspondence were referred to the committee on foreign relations.

The house then went into committee of the whole (Mr. Payne of N. Y. in the chair) for the consideration of the military academy appropriation bill. The total amount appropriated was \$449,547, which was \$171,422 less than the estimates and \$14,714 less than the sum appropriated for the current fiscal year. The bill provoked little debate and was passed without substantial amendment.

## SOME LEADING MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS.



Thomas P. Egan. P. E. Studebaker. Thomas Dolan. W. S. Shallenberger. Robt. Laidlaw. L. D. Kingsland. Elwin Lovejoy. Pres. Mfg. Assn. John B. Kirk. E. P. Wilson. R. G. Salomon. Frederick W. Siver. Pitty Jewell. Warner Miller. John B. Howarth.

tion on Turkish-Armenian affairs. At 4:45 o'clock the senate adjourned till Monday.

### Thirty-third Session.

The house passed the pension appropriation bill, to the consideration of which it has devoted the entire week, and then adjourned until Monday. Mr. Bartlett (dem., N. Y.) raised points of order against all new legislation proposed in the way of amendments, such as looking to making a pension a "vested right," etc., and Mr. Dingley of Maine, who was in the chair, sustained them. In this way the clause in the bill changing existing law so as to allow widows to obtain pensions under the act of 1890, whose net incomes did not exceed \$500 per annum, was stricken out.

There was no session of the senate to-day.

### Thirty-fourth Session.

Two opposing phases of the Monroe doctrine were present in the senate—one from the committee on foreign relations, favoring a reaffirmation of the doctrine, and another from Mr. Sewell (N. J.), urging that the doctrine had been carried so far beyond its scope as to threaten dangerous consequences.

Mr. Davis (Minn.) presented the committee report as soon as the routine proceedings were disposed of.

Concurrent resolution relative to the assertion and enforcement of the Monroe doctrine:

## KILLED HIS BABY.

Fretful Child Drives a Father to Mardorous Frenzy.

A revolting and inhuman crime is reported from the little town of Brook, Newton county, Ind., where William Toolles crushed the life out of his infant child. The babe had been sick and fretful for several days, and the parents had lost considerable sleep, the father being greatly disturbed by it. In a fit of anger Sunday he took the child from its cradle, deliberately placed its head between his knees and crushed it to death. The mother rushed screaming in terror from the house, and when the neighbors arrived the child was dead. Feeling is running high in the county, and the jail at Kentland, where Toolles is confined, is being heavily guarded.

## Disensions in British Cabinet.

London, Jan. 21.—The Chronicle (liberal) says that there is a rumor that Lord Salisbury personally favored a strong measure against the sultan, but that the cabinet was unwilling to agree with the chief, and hence a milder policy was adopted.

# CHICAGO THEATERS.

## AMUSEMENT ATTRACTIONS FOR COMING WEEK.

What the Managers of the Various City Play-Houses Offer Their Patrons—Drama, Vaudeville and Operatic Engagements.

M'VICKER'S THEATER—"Pudd'n-head Wilson," Mr. Frank Mayo's successful play, remains at this house for one more week. The second week commences Sunday, Jan. 26, and there is every reason to believe the last week will be more successful than the first, if that is possible.

For one week, beginning Sunday evening, Jan. 26, Mr. Frederick Bancroft will make his first appearance in Chicago in a decided novelty.

The novelty is in the form of a spectacular production of magic. He has concluded that an evening devoted entirely to magic is apt to become tiresome alike to audience and performer, so in addition to the introduction of elaborate scenic effects, he has secured the services of a number of clever specialty artists, whose work is in keeping with his scenery and costumes.

While Mr. Bancroft is a comparatively young man, he has devoted nineteen years to the study and practice of the art of magic, and he certainly possesses an advantage in that he has the benefit of the experience of all who have preceded him. He says that he first set himself to the task of duplicating all of the feats performed by the magicians of today and then to invent new ones.

Creston Clarke, grandson of the elder Booth and nephew to Edwin Booth, will on February 3 begin a limited engagement at this theater in a series of a Shakespearean and classic plays.

## HOOLEY'S THEATER — Nat C. Goodwin

began his annual engagement at Hooley's theater last Monday evening, presenting for the first time here his latest success, "Ambition." Mr. Goodwin's appearance is an event always looked upon as one of the most interesting of the amusement season. His popularity can be easily understood, and is to some extent due to his thoroughly patriotic ideas. He is an American in all things. His plays are American, they come from the pens of American writers, deal with American situations and are presented by American players. His latest and by far most brilliant success has been "Ambition," from the pen of Henry Guy Carleton, which was first presented at the Fifth Avenue theater, New York, last September. "Ambition" is a story of love and politics, with its scenes located in Washington, the character essayed by Mr. Goodwin being that of Obadiah Beck, a United States senator and chairman of the committee on foreign relations.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE — Roland Reed, in "The Politician," is the offering at the Grand Opera House for this and next week. And what a refreshing, hearty, good-natured evening it is that one spends with Roland Reed. His performances possess the invigorating element to a remarkable degree; under the spell of Gen. Josiah Limber's breezy personality the dull cares of the world of everyday life seem to take flight, and one feels that it is good to have lived long enough to enjoy the three hours of hearty laughter so easily provoked by Mr. Reed and his associates in "The Politician."

## DRAMATIC NOTES.

Nat C. Goodwin and company will not play on Sunday night. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday and six evenings will constitute the week's work.

"For Fair Virginia," a play of vigorous dramatic qualities, imbued with subtle element of southern romance, will be the attraction following "Sinbad" at the Schiller theater.

Daniel Froham writes Harry J. Powers that the Lyceum company's production of Pinero's play, "The Benefit of the Doubt," is a positive success and sure to be a valuable acquisition to their repertory.

The Poland Comedy company will give a performance at the Auditorium, Kansas City, next Friday evening under the auspices of the Traveling Men's association. Over 1,000 tickets have already been sold.

The farewell performance of "Sinbad" at the Schiller theater will occur Saturday, the 18th, when Managers La Motte and Henderson will tender a benefit to Chicago lodge, No. 4, B. P. O. E. The entire house has been sold for the occasion.

The fourth complimentary semi-monthly recital of the Lyman School of Elocution and Dramatic Art took place last Thursday, and entertained a large audience. These recitals, which have become a regular feature of the institution, are held at Rehearsal hall, Kimball building.

Miss Marie Leddy, of "The Wife" company, which opened Thursday evening at the Lincoln theater, is a native of Chicago and a product of home instructors. This was not her first appearance before

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## CHURCH NOTICES.

**THE EVANGELICAL SALEM.**—Rev. T. Suhr, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. Teachers' meeting Sunday at 6:45 p. m. Children's Mission Band meets every first Sunday in the month at 2:30 p. m. Young people's meeting Tuesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meetings Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Choir practice Friday evening at 7:30. On Saturdays the pastor holds school for the children of the congregation. Young People's Missionary Society meets first Tuesday in the month at 7:30 p. m. Women's Missionary Society first Thursday of every month 1:30 p. m. Mission Prayer meeting first Wednesday of every month at 1:30 p. m.

**ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC.**—Rev. J. F. Clancy, pastor. Services every alternate Sunday at 9 o'clock a. m.

**GERMAN EVANGELICAL.**—Rev. J. B. Ehrlich, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:00 a. m.

**BAPTIST.**—Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school at 12 m.

**GERMAN EVANGELICAL ST. PAUL'S.**—Rev. E. Rahn, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**—Rev. T. E. Ream, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school at 12 m.; Junior League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.; Sunday school teachers' meeting Fridays at 7:30 p. m. at the parsonage; prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

## A Sign of the Times and a Good One.

The kind of books that boys and girls most call for is an index of the character of the men and women of the future. Judging by that test, the age of adventure and romance is over in this country, and the age of money making and success has set in powerfully even among school children. Publishers declare there is an enormous demand for books about girls who by their own exertions have carved out successful careers for themselves. The demand for volumes of this sort among girls is even more notable than the desire among boys for works of the same kind. The sentimental Angelina, waiting by a willow for the knight who is to come and lead her to affluence and happiness, is despised by the young girl of the period. She is ambitious to earn her own living and lead herself to affluence.

Boys are mainly after the same class of literature too. The Indian and dime detective romance have gone out. The little men and women of today have found out already that life is serious business, and that they must bear their share. It is well so. The best possible thing either a man or a woman can do is to stand upon his or her own feet and begin to do so early.

A late writer speaks sneeringly of the "greedy maxims of Ben Franklin." These maxims were based upon a sound and admirable philosophy, the philosophy that a man must take care of himself, with due regard to honesty and to a human helpfulness toward those in need. This Franklin always counseled. There is not a mean or a selfish maxim in anything he ever wrote. Boys and girls can learn nothing better than to provide for themselves financially. Fortunately there is enough for all. So good luck to the boys and girls who want to read about how young people have achieved success by their own exertions.

New York city will pay during the present school year \$55,000 for books that will instruct public school children on the physiological effects of alcohol. A state law requires that it shall be done. This is the best possible way to promote temperance—to catch the children young, before they have a chance to become drunkards, and teach them what alcohol will do to them if they yield up to it. By the law in question the nature of alcoholic drinks and their effects on the human system must be taught in the New York schools in as many as four lessons a week not less than ten weeks in the year. This teaching goes through all the grades up to the second year of the high school. A determined effort is being made to rid New York city and state of the curse of intemperance.

## A Rheumatic's Museum.

A Fiftenth ward man who has been a lifelong sufferer from rheumatism has a queer collection of alleged "cures" arranged in a neat cabinet. One shelf is devoted to a series of small, wrinkled objects which look and feel like large pebbles. They are not pebbles, however, but potatoes which have become almost petrified through being carried a long time in the pocket of the rheumatic gentleman. Each potato is marked with a small label bearing some such inscription as this: "Carried from Nov. 12, 1878, to May 18, 1880. Very efficacious." The collector claims that the potato carried in the trousers pocket has proved to be the best of the many remedies he has ever tried. He carries one potato until the return of his rheumatic twinges seem to testify to the decline of the tuber's curative properties. Then he takes a new potato, and locks the old one up in his cabinet. On the other shelves of the cabinet are several shriveled horse chestnuts, a string of amber beads, a dried up rabbit's foot, the right foot of "an eastern sho' crow," a number of iron finger rings, a few horseshoe nails, and several other odds and ends. "All these things seem to have given me more or less relief," says the collector.—Philadelphia Record.

It gives a strange feeling of kinship with the past to remember that to this day there are living in France direct descendants of the younger brother of Joan of Arc. When the birthday of St. Joan, the new patron saint of the third republic, is celebrated with pomp and ceremony in France, Jan. 6, one of the most honored of the participants in the fetes will be M. Edgar de Timseau, who lives in Metz. He is the representative of the family of the maid. Patents of nobility were granted to his family, and these peasants and rustic folk their place among the titled families of France. But the present representative D'Arc cares little for titles or public honors of any kind. He lives quietly, enjoying the respect and good will of all his fellow townspeople, and he is undoubtedly much happier than his wonderful relative ever was.

There is one way in which England can settle the present difficulty without any letting down of her dignity. She can follow out the line suggested by Senator Sherman and resume negotiations with Venezuela, ostensibly ignoring altogether the United States in the matter. She might propose quietly, to Venezuela to present her grievances to a joint British and Venezuelan commission without the interference of any outside nation, and that commission could go carefully over the whole question. If England should experience as much readiness to discuss the question with this weak little republic as she would with a nation that she was sure could trash her, that readiness would be all that was necessary to end the trouble peacefully. Venezuela is not likely to make factious difficulties.

The thought that continually comes uppermost in regard to the present international complication is the wonder why the English are unwilling to arbitrate the Venezuelan boundary question if they know for certain they are right. Those who are sure they are right are always willing to trust their case openly on its merits before all the world.

Young Victor Emmanuel does not seem to have inherited the lady killing powers of fascination of his grandfather, for whom he was named. Old Victor Emmanuel, "the gallant king," as his subjects called him, chiefly because he liked the ladies so well, could have taught the boy many a lesson in this not unimportant division of statecraft.

During the strike in Philadelphia the companies and the employees together lost not less than \$40,000 a day. The loss to the citizens of Philadelphia through inconvenience and delay cannot be computed. Is there not some better way out of these labor troubles than strikes?

The manuscripts of the fifth and twelfth centuries were written with very good black ink which has not shown the least signs of fading or obliteration.

All that is good in art is the expression of one soul talking to another, and is precious according to the greatness of the soul that utters it.—Ruskin.

Gallon was originally a pitcher or jar, no matter of what size.

The total number of applicants for pensions from 1861 to 1894 was 2,074,843. Of these, the number of claims allowed was 1,397,006; the total amount of disbursements during that time was \$1,717,275,718.20.

## "For Charity Suffereth Long."



Mrs. Laura C. Phoenix, Milwaukee, Wis.

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## LANGENHEIM.

The dance at the Bohemian hall was well attended, and all report a good time.

Mrs. Witt called on Mrs. L. Langenheim Monday.

Miss Celia Kotlauer is stopping with Mrs. Abbott, at Cary.

Mr. James Muska was an Algonquin visitor Monday.

Mrs. Strobach has been visiting with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kirmse, of Spring Lake, was a visitor at the home of Mr. J. Kirmse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kraus entertained Charles Strobach of Chicago, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Riley were Barrington visitors during the last week.

Miss Bertha Langenheim has returned to Palatine after spending a few week's vacation with her parents.

Messrs. Ed Riley, Wm. Antholtz, August Meyer, and L. Langenheim made a business trip to Waukegan Friday.

Mr. H. Schumacher, of Barrington, is helping his brother husk corn.

Misses Dora and Lizzie Langenheim spent Wednesday with Mrs. H. Kirmse.

Mr. and Mrs. Beck entertained Mrs. C. Kraus Sunday. **MOLLY.**

## CARY WHISPERINGS.

Cary Lodge, I. O. G. T., had a fine program Wednesday evening.

Lucy Garbin is very sick. Dr. Watson is in attendance.

W. P. Thompson was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Quarterly meeting was held at the M. E. church last Friday evening by Elder Hardin.

N. B. Kerns made a business trip to Chicago Tuesday.

Mrs. Geraldine Smith returned to her home in Chicago Monday morning.

M. B. Weaver is filling his ice house. For bargains call on Kerns & Son.

Two young men from Barrington were seen on our streets last Sabbath. Wonder what the attraction is?

Those who attended the teachers' institute at Nunda, Saturday, are: Misses Munshaw, Lawson, Osgood and Smith, and Mr. W. C. Thompson.

Chas. Ogbin was seen on our streets Wednesday.

Wm. Swartz has returned and opened a barbershop in Krupitzka's building on Main street. Give him a call.

Miss Cornelia Smith, who has been very sick with typhoid malaria, is now convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. "Joe" Dunn returned from Chicago last Friday evening.

## LAKE ZURICH

M. C. McIntosh has money to loan. Small amounts on short time preferred. Call at his Barrington office.

John, the barber, has been on the sick list.

Henry Schaefer was in the city of Joliet Monday.

Messrs. Forbes and Lemke, of Dundee, were in town Tuesday.

Hockeymeir & Pepper have purchased the Lake's Corners creamery.

Mrs. Herschlaag, of Plum Grove, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. Bergman, this week.

MR. EDITOR: The young man that made that remark which appeared in last week's issue in regard to all the bashful young men matrimonially inclined, has favored us with a list, as you suggested would be a good idea. The initials are only given of the eligible young men. Now girls, catch onto their names: H. P., H. S., L. C., J. M., C. K., C. S., E. B., G. W., W. H., W. S., J. H., G. B., H. K., F. A., A. S., T. F., R. K., B. S., W. G., L. T., H. K., J. B.

The masquerade ball was a grand success. All report a pleasant time.

Miss Amelia Kuckuck returned to Irving Park Monday.

Chas. Steffens entertained guests from the city this week.

The old Greber farm is offered for sale. For price apply to George Greber.

Burn Coal.

The first masquerade ball of the season was given at Ficke's hall Saturday evening. There was a very large

crowd of maskers present. Prizes were awarded for the two best costumes, which were captured by Miss Reika Wjenecke and Mr. P. Houghton. There were also prizes given for the two homeliest costumes. Miss Amelia Kuckuck, the best waltzer on the floor, was presented with an elegantly carved card bearing her name. To say that one and all had a good time is putting it mildly.

Joe Heimer, of McHenry, was here on business Monday.

Get your tax money ready for Fred Kuckuck.

For elegantly carved cards call on Al R. Ficke.

The Quinten Corners creamery ice house was filled last week with Zurich ice.

Lumber! Lumber! just received in many car lots at Hillman's lumber yards.

Limburger bright and early the other morning.

Emil Schaefer, of Barrington, called on friends in Zurich the first of the week.

Leave orders for fur mitts with Geo. Baker. All prices, according to material used in making.

## CUBA.

When the heavy-laden sigh,  
Deeming help and hope gone by,  
Oft with healing power is heard,  
Comfort-fraught, a kindly word.  
—Johann Wolfgang von Goethe.

Mrs. A. J. Cornwell is convalescent.

James Murray, of Volo, called on relatives in Cuba Thursday evening.

Miss Fitzpatrick, of Chicago, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

John O'Neil returned to his home in Waukegan the last of the week.

Jerome Courtney made a flying trip to Long Grove Friday.

Mrs. Beckman, of Chicago, was the guest of her father, John A. Gale, the past week.

A bashful young man was escorting a bashful young lady, when she said, entreatingly:

"Jabez, don't tell anybody you beamed me home."

"Don't be afraid," answered he, "I am as much ashamed of it as you are."

V. E. was down the line Sunday. "And the last shall be first, and the first shall be last."

John Miller, of McHenry, made a business call in Cuba Monday.

Miss Mary Courtney entertained a number of friends at her home Sunday.

I. Lyons, of Waukegan, is the guest of L. Wheelock this week.

Herman Maiman, of Valparaiso, was a pleasant caller in Cuba, Sunday.

Miss Jane Conmee returned from the city Monday.

Thomas Grace, Maurice McDonald, Leigh and Raymond Murray, were Cary visitors Sunday.

Elmer Murray attended the masquerade ball at Lake Zurich Saturday evening.

W. H. Lamphere, of Elgin, made a visit in Cuba Monday.

Charles Given returned from Chicago Monday.

Miss Mary O'Neil is visiting relatives in Waukegan this week.

A Towanda (Penn.) sign reads thus: "John Smith, teacher of cowtillions and other dances, grammer tauts in the neetst manner, fresh salt herrin on draft, likewise Godfrey's cordial-rites, sassage and other garden truck. N. B.—A bawl on frida night—prayer meetin chuesday, also salme singing by the quire."

Miss Evelyn Davlin entertained a number of friends at her home Monday evening.

Wm. Toynton was a McHenry visitor recently.

Henry Courtney returned to his home in Chicago the last of the week.

Mrs. M. Beach made a flying trip to Barrington Saturday.

An Irish crier at Ballinsloe being ordered to clear the court, did so by this announcement: "Now, thin, all ye blackguards, that isn't lawyers, must lave the court."

A. V. Redmond visited relatives in Fremont Sunday afternoon.

**BEN BOLT.**

If you know anything of interest let THE REVIEW know of it.

An ad that induces people to think is sure to induce some to buy.

An Indiana woman wants \$50 for a cat. She is evidently much more in dread of mice than of insomnia.

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Camoron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Michigan. They say: "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we ever sold, and always give satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. L. Waller, druggist.

Sometimes it's the ad that's kept out of the paper that proves the merchant's wisdom.

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by A. L. Waller, druggist.

Emperor William will probably demand a withdrawal of Chamberlain's speech and of Alfred Austin's poems.

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In many instances the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. L. Waller, druggist.

The new Spanish re-inforcements should be hurried up or an actual battle may occur in Cuba before they get there.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowls, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances: "Last winter I had lagrippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it, so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. L. Waller, druggist.

It may be a government of lawyers, Mr. Depew, but it isn't a government of railroad presidents.

## A TRUE SAYING.

It has been said that habitual constipation is the cause of fully one-half the diseases that flesh is heir to. Keep your bowes regulated by Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and your system will be in proper condition to keep off diseases of all kinds. Get a sample bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of A. L. Waller, druggist, and you will bless the day you did.

Five men were killed in St. Louis Tuesday. It wouldn't take many more such accidents to let the republicans have the hamlet all to themselves next summer.

## THE HABITS OF CHILDREN

Should be closely watched and regulated by mothers. Carelessness in childhood often leads to serious troubles in after life. The digestive organs and bowels should be kept in the best possible condition to insure good health, not only for the present, but for years to come. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a harmless but potent remedy, corrects all such evils in children. Twenty doses (for children) 10c. at A. L. Waller, druggist.

The weather man is not going to predict any more cold waves until they get in hailing distance. If the weather man would confine himself to issuing a bi-weekly review of the weather his reputation as a prophet would be higher.

## A TRUE SAYING.

William Gilbride, of Assumption, Ill., writes: "Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy I have ever used for stomach troubles....I never felt better in my life, and I think every family should keep it on hand. It does more than is claimed for it." Sold by A. L. Waller, druggist.

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BY A. CONAN DOYLE



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CHAPTER X.—(CONTINUED).

"Guests! Whose guests?" he cried angrily. "What is the meaning of this exhibition?"

"We have been giving a little supper, papa. They were our guests."

"Oh, indeed!" The doctor laughed sarcastically. "You think it right, then, to entertain young bachelors late at night, to smoke and drink with them, to—Oh, that I should ever have lived to blush for my own daughters! I thank God that your dear mother never saw the day."

"Dearest papa," cried Clara, throwing her arms about him. "Do not be angry with us. If you understood all, you would see that there is no harm in it."

"No harm, miss! Who is the best judge of that?"

"Mrs. Westmacott," suggested Ida, slyly.

The doctor spring from his chair. "Confound Mrs. Westmacott!" he cried, striking frenziedly into the air with his hands. "Am I to hear of nothing but this woman? Is she to confront me at every turn? I will endure it no longer."

"But it was your wish, papa."

"But I will tell you now what my second and wiser wish is, and we shall see if you will obey it as you have the first."

"Of course we will, papa."

"Then my wish is that you should forget the odious notions which you have imbibed, that you should dress and act as you used to do, before ever you saw this woman, and that in future you confine your intercourse with her to such civilities as are necessary between neighbors."

"We are to give up Mrs. Westmacott?"

"Or give me up."

"Oh, dear dad, how can you say anything so cruel?" cried Ida, burrowing her tawny golden hair into her father's shirt front, while Clara pressed her cheek against his whisker. "Of course we shall give her up, if you prefer it."

"Of course we shall, papa."

The doctor patted the two caressing heads. "These are my own two girls again," he cried. "It has been my fault as much as yours. I have been astray, and you have followed me in my error. It was only by seeing your mistakes that I have become conscious of my own. Let us set it aside, and neither say nor think anything more about it."

### CHAPTER XI.

#### A BLOT FROM THE BLUE.

BY THE CLEVERNESS of the two girls a dark cloud was thinned away and turned into sunshine. Over one of them, alas, another cloud was gathering, which could not be so easily dispersed. Of these three households which fate had thrown together, two had already been united by ties of love. It was destined, however, that a bond of another sort should connect the Westmacotts with the Hay Denvers.

Between the admiral and the widow a very cordial feeling had existed since the day when the old seaman had hauled down his flag and changed his opinions; granting to the yachtswoman all that he had refused to the reformer. His own frank and downright nature respected the same qualities in his neighbor, and a friendliness sprang up between them which was more like that which exists between two men, founded upon esteem and a community of tastes.

"By the way, admiral," said Mrs. Westmacott, as they walked together down to the station. "I understand that this boy of yours in the intervals of paying his devotions to Miss Walker is doing something upon 'change.'"

"Yes, ma'am and there is no man of his age who is doing so well. He's drawing ahead I can tell you, ma'am. Some of those that started with him are hull down astern now. He touched his five hundred last year, and before he's thirty he'll be making the four figures."

"The reason I asked is that I have small investments to make myself from time to time, and my present broker is a rascal. I should be very glad to do it through your son."

"It is very kind of you, ma'am. His partner is away on a holiday, and Harold would like to push on a bit and show what he can do. You know the poop isn't big enough to hold the lieutenant when the skipper's on shore."

"I suppose he charges the usual half per cent?"

"Don't know, I'm sure, ma'am. I'll swear he does what is right and proper."

"That is what I usually pay—ten shillings in the hundred pounds. If you see him before I do, just ask him to get me five thousand in New Zealand. It

I had better transfer part of our private account to meet them."

"Quite so, my boy. All that's mine is yours. But who do you think this Pearson is? He is Mrs. Westmacott's brother."

"Really. What a singular thing! Well, I can see a likeness now that you mention it. They have both the same hard type of face."

"She has been warning me against him—says he is the rankest pirate in London. I hope that it is all right, boy, and that we may not find ourselves in broken water."

Harold had turned a little pale as he heard Mrs. Westmacott's opinion of his senior partner. It gave shape and substance to certain vague fears and suspicions of his own which had been pushed back as often as they obtruded themselves as being too monstrous and fantastic for belief.

"He is a well-known man in the city, dad," said he.

"Of course he is—of course he is. That is what I told her. They would have found him out there if anything had been amiss with him. Bless you, there's nothing so bitter as a family quarrel. Still it is just as well that you have written about this affair, for we may as well have all fair and above board."

But Harold's letter to his partner was crossed by a letter from his partner to Harold. It lay awaiting him upon the breakfast table next morning, and it sent the heart into his mouth as he read it, and caused him to spring up from his chair with a white face and staring eyes.

"My boy! My boy!"

"I am ruined, mother—ruined!" He stood gazing wildly in front of him, while the sheet of paper fluttered down to the carpet. Then he dropped back into the chair, and sank his face into his hands. His mother had her arms round him in an instant, while the admiral, with shaking fingers, picked up the letter from the floor and adjusted his glasses to read it.

"My Dear Denver," it ran. "By the time that this reaches you I shall be out of the reach of yourself or of any one else who may desire an interview. You need not search for me, for I assure you that this letter is posted by a friend, and that you will have your trouble in vain if you try to find me. I am sorry to leave you in such a tight place, but one or other of us must be squeezed, and on the whole I prefer that it should be you. You'll find nothing in the bank, and about £13,000 unaccounted for. I'm not sure that the best thing you can do is not to realize what you can and imitate your senior's example. If you act at once you may get clean away. If not, it's only that you must put up your shutters, but I am afraid that this missing money could hardly be included as an ordinary debt, and of course you are legally responsible for it just as much as I am. Take a friend's advice and get to America. A young man with brains can always do something out there, and you can live down this little mischance. It will be a cheap lesson if it teaches you to take nothing upon trust in business, and to insist upon knowing exactly what your partner is doing, however senior he may be to you. Yours faithfully,

JEREMIAH PEARSON."

"Great heavens!" groaned the admiral, "he has absconded."

"And left me both a bankrupt and a thief."

"No, no, Harold," sobbed his mother. "All will be right. What matter about money!"

"Money, mother! It is my honor."

"The boy is right. It is his honor, and my honor, for his is mine. This is a sore trouble, mother, when we thought our life's troubles were all behind us, but we will bear it as we have borne others." He held out his stringy hand, and the two old folk sat with bowed grey heads, their fingers intertwined, strong in each other's love and sympathy.

"We were too happy," she sighed.

"But it is God's will, mother."

"Yes, John, it is God's will."

"And yet it is bitter to bear. I could have lost all the house, money, rank—I could have borne it. But at my age—my honor—the honor of an admiral of the fleet."

"No honor can be lost, John, where no dishonor has been done. What have you done? What has Harold done? There is no question of honor."

The old man shook his head, but Harold had already called together his clear practical sense, which for an instant in the presence of this frightful blow had deserted him.

"The matter is right, dad," said he. "It is bad enough, heaven knows, but we must not take too dark a view of it. After all, this insolent letter is in itself evidence that I had nothing to do with the schemes of the base villain who wrote it."

"They may think it prearranged."

"They could not. My whole life cried out against the thought. They could not look me in the face and entertain it."

"No, boy, not if they have eyes in their heads," cried the admiral, plucking up courage at the sight of the flashing eyes and brave, defiant face. "We have the letter and we have your character. We'll weather it yet between them. It's my fault from the beginning for choosing such a landsark for your consort. God help me, I thought I was finding such an opening for you."

"Dear dad! How could you possibly know? As he says in his letter, it has given me a lesson. But he was so much older and so much more experienced, that it was hard for me to ask to examine his books. But we must waste no time. I must go to the city."

"What will you do?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Mountain-climbing in Switzerland is attended this summer with an unusual number of accidents. Since July 1 there were fifty-two deaths and thirteen cases of serious injury.

### Contempt of Court.

A publisher of a New York newspaper who had criticized the decisions of a judge of inferior jurisdiction was fined and imprisoned on a contempt charge. He appealed and the court of appeals reversed the decision and reprimands the judge for exceeding his just and legal powers. The upper court declares that no judge has the right to punish for contempt except where the act held to be contemptuous is committed in the court or where any person or persons willfully violate any order of the court. Going further, the appellate judges hold that no court has power to punish for contempt for criticism of its rulings or decisions.

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**A TRIP TO THE GARDEN SPOTS OF THE SOUTH.**

On January 28, February 11 and March 10, tickets will be sold from principal cities, towns and villages of the north, to all points on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Florida and a portion of Kentucky, at one single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good to return within thirty days and will allow stop-over at any points on the south bound trip. Ask your ticket agent about it, and if he can not sell you excursion tickets write to C. P. Atmore, General Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky., or Jackson Smith, D. F. A., Cincinnati, O., J. K. Ridgely, N. W. F. A., Chicago Ill., Geo. B. Horner D. F. A., St. Louis, Mo.

**Hogs at the South.**

Farmers all over the south are busy hog killing now and there is strong competition for the honor of having raised the biggest pig. A Kentucky farmer of Scottville seems to have the record so far, with a hog weighing 800 pounds and measuring 6 feet 6 inches from nose to tail, 3 feet in height and 2 feet across the shoulders. Hogs weighing from 600 to almost 800 pounds are not at all uncommon this year.

**THE WORLD'S EARLIEST POTATO.**

That's Salzer's Earliest, fit for use in 28 days. Salzer's new late tomato, Champion of the World, is pronounced the heaviest yielder in the world, and we challenge you to produce its equal! 10 acres to Salzer's Earliest Potatoes yield 4000 bushels, sold in June at \$1.00 a bushel—\$4000. That pays. A word to the wise, etc.

Now if you will cut this out and send it with 10c postage you will get, free, 10 packages grains and grasses, including Teosinte, Lathyrus, Sand Vetch, Giant Spurry, Giant Clover, etc., and our mammoth seed catalogue. w.n.

**A Blighted Life.**

"Farewell forever, then," cried the weeping girl, "we part, but the sorrow of this shall sere my young life for aye!" In a paroxysm of grief uncontrollable she threw herself upon the couch as the street door slammed shut behind the haggard young man who had torn himself from her presence. Then, hastily arising, she brushed away the traces of tears and went down to match that lovely piece of heliotrope.—New York Herald.

**A Very Desirable Calendar.**

Calendars of all kinds and sizes herald the coming year. Many are to be had for the asking—many without asking—but to them as to other things the rule might be applied that what costs nothing is worth about what it costs. The calendar we always welcome has just reached us. We refer to the one published by N. W. Ayer & Son, Newspaper Advertising Agents, Philadelphia. This issue seems if possible even better than its predecessors. Handsome enough for the library, and yet carefully adapted for every-day use, it is naturally a great favorite. The firm's well-known motto, "Keeping Everlastingly At It Brings Success," appears this year in a new and very attractive form. The daily presence of this inspiring motto is worth far more than the price of any calendar. The date figures are so large and clear that they can easily be seen across the room. The reading matter on the flaps will also possess interest to the progressive. Those who have used this calendar in other years will not be surprised to learn that the demand for it is constantly increasing. Once introduced it becomes a welcome friend. Its price (25 cents), includes delivery, in perfect condition, postage paid, to any address.

**The River Euphrates.**

The river Euphrates flowed through the city of Babylon, and on each side of its banks the walls of the city were carried up to a height as great as at any other point, so that even during a siege the city was as formidably defended on the river as on the land side.

**HIGH, LOW JACK.**

Fine ice means very cold weather, then comes a high old time in skating rinks, and skating ponds, on slides and rides, and we go home tired and overheated. It's the same old story of cooling off; off with wraps and on with all sorts of aches and pains, rheumatic, neuralgic, sciatic, lumbagic, including frost-bites, backache, even toothache. They who dance must pay the piper. We cut up Jack and are brought low by our own folly. What of it, the dance will go on all the same. It is generally known that St. Jacob's Oil will cure all such aches and pains separately or collectively, and the cry is on with the dance.

**All Art Connoisseurs.**

Almost every leading male member of the Rothschild family is the happy possessor of a fine collection of works of art picked up with more or less discrimination and taste.

**COLORADO GOLD MINES.**

If you are interested in gold mining or wish to keep posted regarding the wonderful strides being made in Colorado, it will pay you to send fifty cents for a year's subscription to The Gold Miner, an illustrated monthly paper published at Denver.

**New Wisconsin Bird.**

A new bird has been added to the list of those found in Wisconsin. It is named the scissor-tailed flycatcher.

**OUR WIT AND HUMOR.**

**ORIGINAL AND SELECTED FUN FOR LEAN READERS.**

**A Tale of Last Winter's Coat—Why Clinchy's Goat Died—A Doughty Lover—The Crowning Sorrow—Timely Satire.**

Things that are sad  
In this world, to be had—  
And many are in the same boat—  
No fact can be worse  
Than, through a slim purse,  
You wear a last winter's top coat.

You may need a new hat,  
Or, worse still than that,  
Your pants, at the knee, start to bloat;  
It does not compare  
With having to wear  
A seedy last winter's top coat.

Just try all you please  
To seem at your ease,  
As round the old garment you tote;  
You cannot forget  
One instant, you bet!  
All know it's last winter's top coat.

You call on a girl,  
To meet there a churl  
Who, with his new ulster, will gloat  
At all that you feel  
As you try to conceal  
From view your last winter's top coat.

So, say what you will,  
No bitter pill  
To swallow exists, you can quote;  
Unless—awful thought!  
By poverty brought,  
You've pawned e'en last winter's top coat.

**He Found His Ideal.**  
He talked of all the troubles which in families have arisen, and vowed he would have none of such unhappiness in his'n. He'd never, never take a wife, though she be swamped with gold, until he was assured that strife would ne'er invade his fold.

His friends laughed long at his i-dee, they loudly did deride it, and said he'd know not what 'twould be until he'd fairly tried it.

He started forth resolved to find a woman of the model which was imprinted on the mind he carried in his noddle.

"She must not list to slander's tongue, nor see my indiscretions; she must not scold when I do wrong; must hold no 'Caudle' sessions."

He hunted high, he hunted low, through many a Christian nation; saw girls who'd grace a beauty show, and maids in humble station. Nor paused until he met success, he found his fair ideal, and what his friends called craziness they would now find his real.

He married her; she listened not when slander made advances; from out her eyes he never caught suspicion's cruel glances. She never spoke an angry word, but smiled when she would meet him, and oft by true affection spurred with kisses would she greet him. In short, she was the very kind of wife for such a chap, for she was deaf and dumb and blind.

Now, hadn't he a snap?

**A Doughty Lover.**



Maud—Them looks like Jimmy's legs!

Alphonse—Them is Jimmy's legs. What was I to do? He said he'd foller our footsteps night an' day afore he'd permit us to have a clandestine meetin', so I tied his hands 'hind his back, gagged him with a bottle o' ink, an' put a ice box on his stummick. (With deep feeling) Oh, Maud, darling, I have so much to tell yer!

Too Late.

"Call again," she said, as he took her hand at parting.

"Thank you, I will," he replied, "but not to-night."

"You couldn't call again to-night," she said sweetly.

And then for the first time he had an idea that it was after twelve.

**GROW RICH, EVERY FARMER.**

The editor thinks it to be the wish of everybody to grow rich, not for the sake of the money, but for the good that can be done with the money. Now, there are three new cereals recently created that will make money for the farmer. One is Silver King Barley, the most wonderful creation of the age, yielding 90, 100 to 116 bu. per acre in 1895, and there are thousands of farmers who believe they can grow 150 bu. per acre therefrom in 1896.

Then there is Silver Mine Oats, yielding in 1895 209 bu. per acre. Every farmer who tested it, believes 250 bu. possible.

Then there is Golden Triumph Corn, which produced over 200 bu. per acre, and 250 bu. is surely possible.

And potatoes, there is Salzer's Earliest, which was fit for table in 28 days in 1895, yielding tremendously, while the Champion of the World, tested in a thousand different places in 1895, yielded from 8 to 1,600 bu. per acre.

Now, in Salzer's new catalogue there is a wonderful array of new varieties of wheat, oats, barley, rye, potatoes, grasses, clovers and forage plants, and the editor believes that it would pay every farmer a thousand-fold to get this catalogue before buying seeds.

If you will cut this out and send it with 10 cents postage to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., you will receive, free, 10 grain and grass samples, including above and their mammoth catalogue. Catalogue alone, 5 cents postage. w.n.

We can honor God's name by doing nothing that will cause us to lose our own self-respect.—Ram's Horn.

**If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.**  
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.

Who can tell what men and angels lose on the day a young man takes his first drink?—Ram's Horn.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is the only cough medicine used in my house.—D. C. Albright, Millinburg, Pa., Dec. 11, 1895.

The new shade of blue, which is a deep, intense shade called Roman, belongs to the peacock family.

**THROAT TROUBLES.** To allay the irritation that induces coughing, use "Brown's Bronchial Troches." A simple and safe remedy.

God stands pledged to take care of the man who will trust in him and do his best.—Ram's Horn.

**Coe's Cough Balsam**  
Is the oldest and best. It will break up a Cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Hereafter telephone charges in France are to be 5 cents for three minutes within a radius of fifteen miles.

**FITS**—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fits after the first day's use. Nervousness, Trembling and St. Vitus' Dance, Fits cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

There are people who never hear any music that suits them unless they make it themselves.—Ram's Horn.

The more one uses Parker's Ginger Tonic the more its good qualities are revealed in dispelling colds, indigestion, pain and every kind of weakness.

There is a log jam in the Manistee river in Michigan just now which contains about 15,000,000 feet of lumber.

Walking would often be a pleasure were it not for the corns. These pests are easily removed with Hindercorns. 15c. at druggists.

No man is good who is not good for something.—Ram's Horn.

**shake it off**

The general belief among doctors is that consumption itself is very rarely inherited. But the belief is becoming stronger that the tendency to consumption is very generally transmitted from parent to child. If there has been consumption in the family, each member should take special care to prepare the system against it. Live out doors; keep the body well nourished; and treat the first indication of failing health.

**Scott's Emulsion** of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is a fat-producing food and nerve-tonic. Its use is followed by improved nutrition, richer blood, stronger nerves and a more healthy action of all the organs. It strengthens the power of the body to resist disease. If you have inherited a tendency to weak lungs, shake it off.

**JUST AS GOOD IS NOT SCOTT'S EMULSION.**

**Fried Potatoes Came High.**  
A good story is told of a party of Iowa hunters who recently visited northern Wisconsin on a hunting trip. They supposed they were going to a sparsely settled country and so took along a large quantity of supplies, including a quantity of potatoes, at 50 cents a bushel, expressed to Wausau at an additional cost of 30 cents a bushel.

**In Olden Times**  
People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

The only sure cure for worry is faith.

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Fine, luxuriant pastures and rich meadows, producing tremendous hay yields (4 to 6 tons per acre), are now made possible on every soil, in every climate, by sowing our Extra Grass and Clover Mixtures. You won't need to wait a lifetime for a good start of grass, for we have grasses which, if sown in April, will produce a rousing crop in July. Pamphlet on Grass Culture, etc., 2 cents postage.

**WE PAY \$400 IN GOLD PRIZES**

On Oats, Barley and Corn! The biggest yield on Silver Mine (Nameless Beauty) Oats in 1895 was 207 bushels; the next 200 per acre. You can beat that in 1896 and win \$200! Our new tested Barley, Oats, Corn and Potatoes will revolutionize farming! We are the largest growers of farm seeds in the world! Our seeds produce—as the editor of the Rural New Yorker says—Salzer's Early Wisconsin Potato yielded for me 736 bushels per acre. If an early sort yields 736 bushels, what will a late do! Potatoes only \$1.50 per barrel.

**EARLIEST VEGETABLE IN THE WORLD.**

Splendid sorts, fine yields. Onion Seed only 25c. per lb. 55 pgs. Earliest Vegetables, \$1.00, postpaid. 10 pgs. Flower Seeds, 25c. Everything to-hand—times—prices. Wholesale Market Gardener's List, 4c. postage.

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## THIS YEAR'S TAXES.

The taxes levied against the Town of Cuba this year, are the highest they have been in years, \$8,116.27 being the amount to be collected. There is but little change in the tax on farm property over that of last year. The personal property tax is somewhat lower, while real estate in the village can be figured about 50 per cent. higher than the amount collected last year. The total amount collected in this town last year, was \$7,587.55

The following shows the amounts as levied for the different purposes in the Town of Cuba:

REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL.	
Assessed valuation, \$558,503. Equalized value—State, \$227,046.	
State tax, .....	\$1180.89
County tax, .....	1271.50
Town tax, .....	522.08
Road and Bridge tax, .....	1362.69
Village tax, .....	879.47
School tax, .....	2770.64
Dog tax, .....	129.00
<b>Total, \$8,116.27</b>	

## SCHOOLS.

District	No.	Total
"	2, .....	\$ 49.17
"	3, .....	160.25
"	4, .....	332.77
"	5, .....	172.65
"	6, .....	200.84
"	9, .....	15.17
"	10, .....	193.27
"	10, (Union), .....	1339.93
"	11, .....	250.78
"	12, .....	55.81
<b>Total, \$2,770.64</b>		

## GOOD BOYS AND GIRLS

The Honor Roll of District No. 11, Flint Creek School.

THE REVIEW this week has the pleasure to give its readers the names of the pupils who are working hard to make the Flint Creek school one that will be a credit to their accomplished and popular teacher, Miss Nellie M. Donlea.

The names of the pupils who have neither been absent nor tardy during the week ending January 17th, are: Lena Ludtke, Louis Peterson, Bertha Ludtke, Leigh Wells, Martha Ludtke, Myron Wells, Rosa Peterson, Freddie Ahlgrum, Mary Shoemaker, Charley Ludtke and John Shoemaker. The school has twenty-eight pupils enrolled. Whose names will appear in our next?

## BARRINGTON CENTER.

William G. Waterman was pleasantly surprised by a party of friends on Wednesday, January 22d.

He was the recipient of many handsome presents and heartfelt congratulations. A sumptuous dinner was served and the day was one to be remembered by all. Among those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames George Waterman, Chas. Hawley, A. D. Church, G. H. Benton, George Jencks, E. D. Prouty.

Mesdames C. R. Church, M. B. Williams, Horace Kellogg, T. L. Gage and Kate Prouty.

Mr. Chas. Church, of Iowa. Masters Hawley and Church.

Mr. Waterman has lived on a farm in this township for over fifty years, and is one of the wealthiest men in the community. During his early residence here he was engaged in teaching school.

Before he came to Illinois he had served a term in the Massachusetts State legislature, at the same time Ben Butler was a member of that body.

Mr. Waterman is a cousin of our townsman, Mr. G. W. Waterman.

THE REVIEW wishes the gentleman many happy returns of the occasion.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Minnie Thies, wife of Henry Thies, of Plum Grove, died on Monday, January 13, 1896, at 2 o'clock, of rheumatic troubles and heart dropsy.

Mrs. Henry Thies was born in Hannover on July 6th, 1838, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brandis. When 17 years of age she emigrated to America, with her parents, settling near Palatine.

In 1857 she married Mr. Henry Thies, eleven children blessing the union, eight daughters and three sons. One son died in his infancy, leaving eight daughters and two sons to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted mother. Two of the daughters reside in this town, Mrs. H. F. Landwer and Mrs. Henry Hobein, jr. One daughter, Mary, is living in Michigan, and the oldest son, August, is a resident of Minnesota, the rest of the children living with their mother at the time of her death.

The funeral was held Friday of last week, Revs. F. W. Landwer of Northfield, and Theo. Suhr, of the Salem church, of this town, officiating. The choir of the Salem church rendered some choice selections at the funeral, which was largely attended. Interment took place at Plum Grove cemetery.

Jacob Wienecke died Saturday at his home in Palatine, at the age of 50 years. Mr. Wienecke was a carpenter by trade, erecting several large structures the past summer, among which are the church at Plum Grove and the M. E. church at Palatine, as also the mammoth Wilson barn near Palatine. Mr. Wienecke leaves a son and wife to mourn his loss. Funeral took place on Tuesday at 1 o'clock.

THE REVIEW extends its sympathies to the bereaved families.

## BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Try those home-made mince pies at Waterman's.

Mrs. P. Heise had a fall recently hurting herself severely.

Mrs. Robert Purcell was a Chicago visitor Friday.

Edward H. Sadt returned to Oswego, Friday, after a few days visit with his parents.

Jas. Regan of Chicago was on our streets Thursday.

Dress goods in plaids 18 and 27 cents a yard at A. W. Meyer & Co's.

Charles Hutchinson and Carl Ernst spent Sunday afternoon at Palatine.

Mrs. Ella Harrower of Englewood is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Church.

Mrs. P. W. Gates of Chicago is visiting at the home of her brother C. O. Winter.

Handsome dress patterns 45, 50, 65 to 75 cents a yard at A. W. Meyer & Co's.

Mrs. Nellie Dunning Hawley, wife of the late M. E. Hawley, was a recent visitor in this village.

Mrs. M. A. Brockway has been on the sick list for the last week, but is now showing a marked improvement.

Fresh candy always on hand at Waterman's.

Miss Jennie Jayne was a Barrington visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Wright, of Chicago, attended the funeral of Mrs. Creet last Sunday.

Mr. Lou Bennett, of Woodstock, was the guest of his brother, Manford, Saturday.

Mr. Olney DeVol, was on the sick list last week.

The Standard sewing machine is the only rotary schuttle sewing machine made. Sold only by A. W. Meyer & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, of Mayfair, were guests at the home of W. H. Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa Golden, of Chicago, is visiting with her daughters, Mesdames E. Rieke and Frank Hollister.

Mrs. Chas. Rochow has been out to Cuba caring for her sister Mrs. John Koffen, who is dangerously ill.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach next Sunday evening on the topic: "Run and Repair." All are invited to attend.

F. Wolthausen was an Elgin visitor Wednesday.

S. Peck visited Aurora Thursday.

John Hatje was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

Bishop Dubs of Chicago, visited among friends here Wednesday.

M. C. McIntosh has for sale a few good notes of \$100 to \$500 each, well secured, which will net the investor 6 to 6 1/2 per cent.

Miss Minnie Meyer, who has been visiting with her mother the past few weeks, returned to Elgin last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Yost and son, Grant, of Naperville, Ill., visited at the home of Mrs. Yost's brother, N. Stenger, this week.

Roy Myers spent Sunday with his parents.

Henry Boehmer started on a trip to Lomira, Wis., Wednesday.

The question as to who will get that diamond ring is perplexing the minds of several of Barrington's fairest daughters.

A Barrington gentleman has recently discovered a specific for rheumatism in wintergreen essence. He says it will knock it out at both ends and in the middle.

L. R. Lines of Des Plaines was a caller in our village on Wednesday.

Geo. W. Foreman was in Chicago Tuesday.

Remember the bread sold by F. L. Waterman is guaranteed full weight.

Mr. John Robertson returned from Boston last Saturday.

Mrs. Leroy Powers took dinner at Cary Thursday.

Rev. T. E. Ream spent the forepart of the week with his wife at So. Elgin.

The Thursday Reading Circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. A. J. Redmond Thursday.

FOR RENT—For cash, farm containing 200 acres. Address, or inquire of Chas. Schufeldt, Barrington, Ills.

Dancing slippers at \$1.50 per pair at the shoe store of Theo. Schutt.

Mr. Theo. Schutt made a trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Rev. Leo Schmidt, of North Northfield, has been assisting Rev. J. B. Elfrink conduct the revival services at the German Evangelical church during the past week.

The suit of Henry Hobein vs. Hasse, to recover rent, which was tried before Justice Frank Plagge, came up for a hearing Wednesday evening. His Honor reserved his decision for one week.

There will be an entertainment and basket social given at the Honey Lake school house, Friday evening, January 31, the proceeds to go towards getting a bell for the school house. Admission 10 cents, ladies bringing baskets admitted free. The doors will be open at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring their friends. BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Peters & Collen will leave Monday for another lot of choice cows, which will be offered for sale next Saturday.

Wolthausen & Landwer report a sale of thirty barrels of Pillsbury's Best in four days. For two more weeks they will continue to sell this standard flour for \$3.50 per barrel.

The Young People's Missionary Society have induced Rev. W. H. Fouk, of Chicago, to give a lecture in the Salem church next month. "Africa" will be the subject, and a magic lantern will be used in illustrating the subject. Admission free. Exact date later. This will be a rare treat.

Lawyer M. C. McIntosh made a business trip to Deer Grove Thursday morning, and of course got the best of the argument. He is fast gaining a reputation as a successful lawyer.

The Barrington Pleasure club were disappointed in not having Mr. Tilden with them at their first dance last Wednesday evening, a telegram being received at noon on that day stating that he was unable to get a piano player, consequently he would not come. Arrangements were then made with the Barrington orchestra to furnish the music, and a most pleasant evening was spent by those participating. In a letter received from Mr. Tilden yesterday he states that he will be here next Wednesday evening to give the first lesson. All desiring to join the club should take advantage of the opportunity at once.

THIS IS SOMETHING ALL THE LADIES NEED—The best automatic washing machine in the world. No washboard needed. This machine will be sent to any address on receipt of \$2.00. Address, MRS. ERMA BEUCHAT, Dundee, Kane county, Ill.

All members of the Knights of the Maccabees are earnestly requested to be present at the next regular meeting, Tuesday, January 28th. Important business to transact. Installation of officers will take place at this meeting.

Peter Fackelman left Friday for Madison, Wis., where he will work for the C. & N. W. Ry. Co. They are building a double track north from Madison.

Go to F. L. Waterman's and get some of that old fashioned salt-rising bread, such as our mothers used to make.

Messrs. Chas. Oaks and Frank Wienecke and Misses Emma Diekmann of Chicago, and Miss Ida Diekmann of Oak Park, were guests at the home of H. Diekmann Sunday.

Miss Carrie Kingsley has been promoted to the position of private secretary to the 2nd vice-president of the C. & N. W. R. R. with a salary equivalent to one thousand dollars a year. The position was well earned and shows what perseverance and a close application to business will accomplish.

Leroy Powers received a letter recently from Dr. Zahn who is spending the winter with his family at Connsstadt, Germany.

Ladies' stylish, fine shoes, \$1.45 a pair, at A. W. Meyer & Co.

Barrington camp No. 809, M. W. A. met in regular session at their hall, Tuesday evening, with all the newly elected officers at their posts. The meeting was well attended by the neighbors, which shows the great interest they are taking in this noble order. Three applications were presented and voted upon at this meeting, and the outlook is good for considerable work at the next meeting. The order now has a membership of 85, and at the present rate of increase will soon have 100 members.

Mr. R. A. Webb and Miss Nellie Gray took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Brown, at Woodstock, Sunday.

Leroy Powers has perfected arrangements with an Eastern toilet soap manufacturer for the sale of a complex soap containing buttermilk and vaseline, which makes it the finest soap for the skin and complexion that has ever been produced. The soap comes packed, three cakes elegantly wrapped in a box that cannot be excelled for beauty, and will be sold at the popular price of 25c a box. Every purchaser of a box of this soap will be presented with a set of six silver-plated tea spoons, plated on white metal, and worth at least three times what you pay for the soap. This offer is for the purpose of introducing the goods and is the bargain of a life time.

George Hanson is now open for engagements where the services of a competent interpreter or attorney-at-law are required. Motion for continuances a specialty.

Buy the new style in ladies' shoes—\$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, and \$3.00, at A. W. Meyer & Co.

In our item of last week, stating that the Thursday Reading Circle had organized a club, we are informed we made an error, as the club is said to have no connection with the Circle.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—After February 1, 1896, I will be at L. F. Schroeder's hardware store, Barrington, Tuesday and Saturday of each week, to receive taxes for the town of Cuba.

WM. LEONARD, Collector.

# Low Prices

are what most people look for nowadays. Knowing this, I have endeavored to supply this popular demand. I keep only GOOD GOODS, and my prices have been shaved down until they have actually reached the bottom of LOW PRICES. If you want to convince yourself come in, get my prices and examine my large stock of

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