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One Dollar a Year.

OLD LIBERTY BELL.

The Journey to Chicago of Philadelphia's Cherished Relic.

Thousands of People Along the Route Enthusiastically Greet the Bit of Metal Which "Proclaimed Liberty Throughout the Land."

HONORED BY ALL. CLEVELAND, O., April 28.—Liberty Bell was given a royal welcome by the people of Cleveland. The train pulled into the union depot shortly after noon Thursday. Its arrival was announced by the salute from the Cleveland light artillery, and as the train was backed



THE LIBERTY BELL.

upon a side track immediately in front of Lake View park the thousands of school children there assembled cheered again and again and waved little flags. There were also thousands of men and women in and about the park. A banquet was tendered the Philadelphia officials at the Hollenden hotel.

COLUMBUS, O., April 28.—Columbus welcomed the old Liberty Bell with the booming of cannon, a display of soldiers and an outpouring of people. The special train arrived from Cleveland at 8:30. At the depot short addresses were made. The train then departed for Indianapolis.

THROUGH INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 29.—The Liberty bell demonstration in this city was a grand affair. Twelve thousand school children participated. The buildings on the main thoroughfares, and along the line of march, were gayly bedecked with flags, and festooned with bunting. The train bearing Liberty bell arrived from Columbus, O., at 6 o'clock. When the eastern edge of the city was reached, the city's bells rang out, and a salute of thirteen guns was fired by the Indianapolis Light artillery. The car containing the bell was run to a switch on Tennessee street, west of the Union station, where it was viewed by the thousands of children and adults, and where it remained until its journey to Chicago was resumed. The committee on arrangements met at the governor's office at 9 o'clock, went thence to the station and escorted the bell's escort of forty-five, including Mayor Stuart of Philadelphia, who were the city's guests, to the capitol, where the school children and many thousand more were already assembled. Mayor Sullivan presided over the meeting. Here the children's chorus sang patriotic songs and a band rendered national airs. Ex-President Harrison received hearty applause, and delivered a patriotic address.

After the ceremonies at the capitol were completed the children, accompanied by the civic and military organizations, returned to the bell car, where the children marched single-file on either side. Later the citizens generally marched past the car, and at 3 o'clock the bell with its escort departed.

ARRIVAL IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Only one or two stops were made by the Liberty Bell train between Indianapolis and Chicago. At every town and hamlet, however, people were gathered to cheer the bell as it passed.

Not the least reception was that given by the people of Chicago when the train entered the depot Friday evening. The crowd filled the station. Men were in the majority, but there were hundreds of women and children present. Cheer after cheer went up as the bell was seen. A rush was made for the flat car and it took all the efforts of the Philadelphia policemen to keep the crowd from capturing their treasure there and then. The women in the background waved handkerchiefs and told the little boys and girls that the bell rang out the independence of America July 8, 1776, at the hour of noon. To-day the real reception will begin, when the bell will be drawn through Chicago's streets.

Two Wives Made Insane by Despair.

LONDON, April 28.—The wife of Capt. Roberts, of the White Star line steamship Narovic, which has been missing since February 11, when the vessel sailed from Liverpool for New York, and the wife of Chief Officer Wright, who was second in command to Capt. Roberts on the Narovic, have both gone insane through despair caused by the loss of their husbands and have had to be placed in an asylum for the insane.

A Young Girl and Her Misfortune.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 29.—Ella Day, who, when 3 years old, thirteen years ago, was kidnapped by gypsies, and who was not recovered until six years afterward, has again disappeared, and the police believe she has again been kidnapped to obtain the fortune of \$30,000 left her by her grandmother. The girl's father lives somewhere in Colorado.

Snowfall in Northwest Iowa.

MARSHAL TOWN, Ia., April 29.—A special from Rock Rapids says 10 inches of snow fell in Lyon county Thursday night, and all trains are delayed.

MILLIONS WERE USED.

Interesting Facts from the Final Report of the World's Fair General Director. CHICAGO, April 27.—Director General Davis in his final report upon the preparatory work of the world's fair says that \$33,243,930.55 have been raised for purposes of the exposition, exclusive of the cost and value of exhibits.

Mr. Davis shows the acreage under roof to be 200, 150 acres being covered by the exposition and fifty by the concession buildings, a total of 6,093,800 square feet of space covered. In addition to these are the state and several other buildings.

Work in the states has not been suffered to lapse. From the most reliable data obtainable Col. Davis estimates that \$6,020,550 has been appropriated by state legislatures or raised by popular subscription in the various states and territories as follows:

Alabama.....	\$3,000	Nevada.....	\$10,000
Arizona.....	25,000	New Hampshire.....	25,000
Arkansas.....	50,000	New Jersey.....	125,000
California.....	100,000	New York.....	600,000
Colorado.....	150,000	North Carolina.....	150,000
Connecticut.....	25,000	North Dakota.....	70,000
Delaware.....	20,000	Ohio.....	200,000
Florida.....	50,000	Oklahoma.....	17,500
Georgia.....	100,000	Oregon.....	60,000
Idaho.....	100,000	Pennsylvania.....	300,000
Illinois.....	300,000	Rhode Island.....	57,500
Indiana.....	125,000	South Carolina.....	80,000
Iowa.....	125,000	South Dakota.....	85,000
Kansas.....	165,000	Tennessee.....	25,000
Kentucky.....	175,000	Vermont.....	35,750
Louisiana.....	80,000	Virginia.....	75,000
Maine.....	57,000	Washington.....	100,000
Maryland.....	60,000	West Virginia.....	40,000
Massachusetts.....	175,000	Wisconsin.....	212,000
Michigan.....	275,000	Wyoming.....	50,000
Minnesota.....	150,000	Arizona.....	30,000
Mississippi.....	25,000	New Mexico.....	35,000
Missouri.....	150,000	Utah.....	50,000
Montana.....	150,000	Nebraska.....	85,000
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Turning from finance Col. Davis touches upon the extremely pleasant relations existing between the fair and its foreign friends. Well-nigh every country on the globe is shown to have made good its promise of participation.

BAD FOR TRADE.

Business Retarded by the Weather and Financial Uneasiness.

NEW YORK, April 29.—The weekly review of trade says:

"President Cleveland's decision about the redemption of legal tenders, all admit, has arrested what threatened to become a serious disturbance. Reports from all parts of the country indicate that trade has been much retarded by bad weather and unsettled money markets, and complaints of poor collections are general. The failure of the Pennsylvania Steel company causes much depression and makes it harder for other iron concerns to obtain accommodations."

"Corn has risen a cent and pork one dollar per barrel, and the speculators at Chicago seem to have revived with the bad weather, which delays farming operations. Even wheat is a quarter of a cent higher than a week ago with sales of \$9,000,000 bushels here, though receipts at the west are still heavy and shipments by lake enormous. Produce exports have improved a little, but for the month all exports from New York are still much behind last year's, while imports here show an increase of \$6,000,000. This state of foreign trade is still the cause of danger to the money market, which no action of the administration, however wise, can entirely remove."

"The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 238, as compared with the totals of 208 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 211."

A CHURCH PANIC.

An Explosion in Fairview, Pa., Causes Injury to Several Persons.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 29.—During an entertainment at the Methodist Episcopal church at Fairview Thursday night a terrible panic was caused by the explosion of a mixture of powder used to produce colored lights in the tableaux. The church was packed with people. Men, women and children made a mad rush for the doors and trampled on one another in their wild rush to escape. No one was killed outright, but several are so seriously injured that their deaths are probable. Mrs. George Edwards was holding a baby in her arms, which was torn from her and stepped on and its skull fractured. Many were taken out unconscious.

THE EXTRA SESSION.

Congress to Be Called Together Early in the Fall.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Before leaving Washington for New York President Cleveland practically set at rest the rumors that he would call an extra session of congress to consider the financial situation. During a conversation with Representative Kilgore the president said that he would not call an extra session until September unless some unforeseen circumstance which was not now anticipated made such a course necessary. He stated that the call would be made for the assembling of congress between September 1 and 15.

Australian Bank Troubles.

MELBOURNE, April 29.—The Standard bank of Australia has suspended pending the reconstruction of the institution. The authorized capital of the bank is £1,000,000 and the reserve fund and undivided profits amount to a total of £125,000. The Standard bank has had a high reputation and has numerous branches.

Preferred Death to Marriage.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—J. D. Spencer, Pacific coast agent of the Leggett & Meyers Tobacco company, of St. Louis, was found dead in bed in his room at the Grand hotel Thursday morning. He was to have been married that night to Miss Nellie Wing. It is thought that he committed suicide.

The Youngest Tramp.

DENVER, Tex., April 28.—John Manners, aged 6 years, the youngest tramp on the continent, arrived here yesterday. Manners is a professional tramp and has been on the road two years. He claims Portland, Ore., as his home.

Married for Love.

PITTSBURGH Pa., April 28.—William T. Sterling, aged 74, and Miss Anna Reed, aged 30, were married in this city yesterday. Mr. Sterling said it was purely a love match, as he had no fortune to attract his wife.

A CYCLONE'S FURY.

It Causes Death and Destruction in Oklahoma Territory.

Human Beings to the Number of at Least Seventy-Five Are Killed—A Great Many Injured—Some Narrow Escapes.

AN AWFUL BLAST. OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., April 27.—Two distinct cyclones, a terrific hail-storm and a waterspout combined to wreak awful destruction in the newly-built towns in Oklahoma Tuesday night. It is reported that seventy-five human lives were sacrificed. It is positive that forty were killed, while several were fatally and scores seriously injured. The damage to property is inestimable.

SOME OF THE VICTIMS. The names of the killed, so far as known, are:

Nathan Banks, wife and two children, William Broughton, Rev. John Cole, Samia Ellis, Miss Finney, Annie Heddins, Edward Johnson, Mrs. William Mahoney and four daughters, Miss Nansinger, James O'Malley, John O'Connor, John O'Connor, Sr., wife and three children, John Peary, wife and seven children, Mr. Piemores, Mrs. John Rooney, Mr. Johnson and family of four persons. There were forty injured so far as known.

TOWNS WRECKED.

Orders for thirty-one coffins have been received here and at Norman, and supplies have been telegraphed for from other points. The brunt of the storm was laid upon the prosperous little town of Norman, on the Santa Fe railroad, about 20 miles south of here. At that point thirty-one people were killed, dozens injured and the town almost completely destroyed.

Farther on the towns of Downs and Keokuk Falls fared but little better. The towns were nearly devastated and scores of people injured fatally.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

The house of J. O'Connor, near Moore, was destroyed, and O'Connor and his wife and three children and five neighbors who had sought shelter in the building were crushed to death. The frame house of Nathan Banks was torn to pieces and he was killed, while others of his family of six were badly injured, three of the children and Mrs. Banks fatally. The home of Henry Dyer was demolished.

West of Norman eight houses were demolished and five people badly injured. East of the stricken town two men and two women were killed.

SWEPT AWAY.

At Downs twenty or more people were hurt, but none killed so far as known.

In Guthrie little damage was done, but 7 miles west of there three houses were swept away and one man killed.

In Pottawatomie county thousands of dollars of damage was done and a number of people badly injured, while the town of Keokuk Falls is reported swept away.

ALL KILLED BUT A BABY.

The Peary family lived in a substantial farmhouse southwest of here and all were seated in front of the hearth when the storm came. They had no warning and the entire building was lifted with its weight of occupants and smashed on the ground 80 yards away. When the search party found it Wednesday morning the mother, father and seven children were dead, but one wee infant 10 weeks old set up a wailing cry. It lay on a mattress unharmed. Mrs. Maroney was a near neighbor to the O'Connors and the Pearys. Her body, with those of her four little girls, were hauled from a pond Wednesday morning. They were mangled horribly.

MARVELOUS ESCAPES.

Two Chickasaw Indians who were on the open prairie were found completely denuded and with limbs broken. They will live to tell their story.

Cattle and horses were found 20 miles from the places where they were owned. One horse was discovered impaled on a telegraph pole above the cross arms.

Eight miles northeast of here Mrs. Henry Johnson, the wife of a Swedish section boss, was out of doors when she saw the storm coming. She could not raise the lid of her storm-cellar, and in her hurry, she grasped her two little boys and ran into a pond with them. The storm sucked the pond dry and left the woman and her charges unhurt.

A NEGRO TOWN RUINED.

At Langston, a negro town about 12 miles from Guthrie, thirty houses were carried away and fourteen people killed. The negroes are panic-stricken. They are overcome with a superstition that the last day has come and that Langston will be depopulated. They have no money and no energy and if they remain in Langston they can only do it by aid from the outside.

TEXAS SUFFERS.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., April 27.—A death-dealing cyclone swept down in Montague county, 30 miles west of here, Wednesday night. The storm struck 2 miles east of Bonita, a small railroad town, and utterly destroyed everything in its path demolishing houses, twisting down trees and snapping off every telegraph pole in its path. The house of a farmer a few miles from Bonita was strewn for a mile around and the man killed outright. Three of his children were blown into a well and all of them were drowned.

IN ARKANSAS.

FORT SMITH, Ark., April 27.—A cyclone swept over the little town of Jensen, 14 miles south of here, about midnight Wednesday night, blowing down nine buildings and damaging several others.

Out of Its Hanks.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 28.—The Red river has overflowed its banks for 50 miles in Marshall county and spread 5 or 6 miles into the country on each side. Many farmers have lost all their stock and at least \$100,000 damage has already been done.

BIG HOUSES FAIL.

Sioux City, Ia., Astounded by Several Heavy Financial Suspensions.

SIoux City, Ia., April 27.—Three more extensive failures occurred yesterday, resulting from the Union Loan & Trust company's assignment. The Sioux City Dry Goods company, by A. S. Garretson, president, filed a general assignment, with liabilities of \$282,000 and assets of \$371,000.

The Sioux City Dressing Beef & Canning company, by its treasurer, Ed Haakinson, made a general assignment, with assets of \$264,000 and liabilities of \$215,000.

The Interstate Investment company deeded away about \$200,000 worth of property, mainly to its own stockholders.

SIoux City, Ia., April 28.—Thursday's developments in the financial situation here include the failure of the Union Stock Yards company and of Ed Hankinson, secretary of the company and a member of the syndicate that controlled the collapsed companies. Hankinson's assignment was to E. B. Spalding and was made without preference. No schedules of assets and liabilities were filed with the assignment, and they will not be ready for a day or two.

SIoux City, Ia., April 29.—The financial crisis here is believed to be about at an end. There were no failures Friday, though \$98,000 of mechanics' liens were filed against the Missouri River Bridge company's property. The liens are taken by Seay Smith & Co., of New York, contractors for the substitute.

WILL RESUME.

The Ingham County (Mich.) Bank Will Reopen Its Doors.

LANSING, Mich., April 29.—There has been no excitement in local banking circles, notwithstanding the action of the Ingham county savings bank in closing its doors. The citizens have confidence in the solvency of all the financial institutions of the city. The directors of the Ingham county bank realize that their decision not to open for business Thursday was entirely unwarranted, and are perfecting arrangements which will enable the bank to resume business not later than Thursday of next week. The bank has not rediscounted a dollar's worth of its paper, and with \$250,000 worth of gilt-edged securities will probably experience no difficulty in securing the necessary currency.

THREE SET FREE.

Five Others Accused of the Oliver Killing Are Held Over.

MORGANFIELD, Ky., April 29.—George Henry, the first of the defendants tried in the Oliver murder case, clearly established an alibi and was discharged from custody Thursday morning. Alexander Thomasson, who was implicated by the confession of Lewis Land, proved that he was not with the party until after the shooting and had no information as to its purpose. He was discharged in the afternoon. Will Holt, who was with Thomasson, will be released. The other five defendants waived examining trial and will be held for the grand jury.

A Sudden Call.

CHICAGO, April 28.—William C. Gouly, aged 69, the general counsel of the Chicago & Northwestern railway, died suddenly at the office of the company in this city yesterday. Mr. Gouly was regarded as one of the ablest members of the Chicago bar, and was one of the best known lawyers in this country.

Storm on the Atlantic Coast.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 29.—A terrific storm swept over Prince Edward Island Wednesday. The wind blew 40 miles an hour; it was bitterly cold with heavy snow and hail. A large number of lobstermen were blown out to sea and undoubtedly perished.

Double Execution in Texas.

BONHAM, Tex., April 29.—Jim Burke and Sam Massey (both colored) were hanged here at 2 o'clock p. m. Between 10,000 and 15,000 people witnessed the double execution.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 29.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	\$1 50 @ 5 50
Sheep.....	5 00 @ 7 00
Hogs.....	7 00 @ 8 00
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy.....	4 25 @ 3 65
Minnesota Patents.....	4 55 @ 4 70
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	79 1/2 @ 78 1/2
No. 3 Northern.....	80 1/2 @ 80 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	29 1/2 @ 29 1/2
Upgraded Mixed.....	30 1/2 @ 30 1/2
OATS—Mixed Western.....	37 @ 37
RYE—Western.....	55 @ 60
PORK—Mess.....	19 00 @ 19 50
LARD—Western Steam.....	10 15 @ 10 50
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	27 @ 33
CHICAGO.	
BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	\$1 10 @ 5 50
Cows.....	2 25 @ 4 00
Stockers.....	5 00 @ 7 00
Feeders.....	3 80 @ 4 60
Butchers' Steers.....	3 75 @ 4 25
Hulls.....	2 25 @ 3 75
HOGS—Live.....	7 40 @ 7 85
SHEEP.....	5 50 @ 6 25
BUTTER—Creamery.....	28 @ 30
Fair to Choice Dairy.....	24 @ 29
EGGS—Fresh.....	14 @ 14 1/2
BROOM CORN.....	
Hull.....	4 @ 5
Self-working.....	4 @ 5
Crooked.....	2 @ 2 1/2
POTATOES—New (per bu.).....	55 @ 77
POKE—Mess.....	10 20 @ 10 25
LARD—Steam.....	10 20 @ 10 25
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	3 75 @ 4 10
Spring Straights.....	3 50 @ 3 00
Winter Patents.....	3 50 @ 4 00
Winter Straights.....	3 20 @ 3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, Cash.....	79 1/2 @ 71
Do. No. 2.....	41 1/2 @ 41 1/2
Do. No. 3.....	28 1/2 @ 28 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	50 @ 50 1/2
Barley, Good to Choice.....	43 @ 55
KANSAS CITY.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	8 50 @ 4 65
Stockers and Feeders.....	3 50 @ 4 55
HOGS.....	7 15 @ 7 40
SHEEP.....	4 90 @ 5 65
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	8 00 @ 5 50
Stockers and Feeders.....	3 00 @ 4 25
HOGS—Heavy.....	7 30 @ 7 40
Light.....	4 00 @ 5 25
SHEEP.....	4 00 @ 4 50

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—New York News

HERE AND THERE.

J. B. Goodsell came to the office.

M. L. Swice called on Lowell.

Or Hill is spending a couple of weeks at Mt. Clemons.

Earl Goss, of Ud. Rapids, is visiting Lowell friends.

Mrs. Fred Devendorf, of Chicago, is making their farewell visit before leaving for Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Devendorf has secured a situation.

Miss Mattie Wilson was in town yesterday (Tuesday).

Star Ward Mill, best in the market, at Brown & Seiler's.

The best line of fishing tackle to town at R. D. Stockings.

Ladies, call at the JOURNAL office and see our calling cards.

Miss Gb. Heath, of Hancock, visited friends here last week.

Miss Jennie Bell left Tuesday, for Battle Creek and Chicago.

Gypsum, in all things, Wall Paper in all varieties, at W. M. Clark's.

Mrs. E. Beck, of Sparta, is spending a few weeks with friends here.

Chester Dawson, of Pevanaw, is spending the week at J. C. Moore's.

Henry McCall, of Chippewa Lake, was in town the last of the week.

Mrs. M. Belmont, of Kalamazoo, is visiting relatives and friends here.

John Scott, of Gd. Rapids, was in town a couple of days last week.

Mrs. A. Gunn, of Shelby, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson.

Get your girl a tricycle and your boy a bicycle. R. D. Stockings has them.

Rev. Jas. Provan and Rev. Mr. Wan, of Saranac, exchanged pulpits Sunday.

Frank Barton, of Hastings, visited Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. B. Boylan.

Insure your property against winds and rains, tornadoes and cyclones with H. N. Stone.

Mrs. Chester Leary has a cousin, Miss Myra Tompion, of Detroit visiting her.

The "Solid Comfort" sulky plow at Brown & Seiler's, see it before purchasing.

Earl Zeigler, while playing football last season, fell and fractured his left arm.

Misses Nellie and Nettie McNaughton spent Saturday, visiting Bowne Centre friends.

Mr. F. W. Bitton, of Brighton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Boylan, Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Huggan and Mrs. B. C. Smith are spending a few days in Crystal.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Altien entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. Simpson, the first of the week.

D. A. Bissell leaves Thursday, for a visit with friends at Pevanaw and Shepardsville.

Mrs. Ben Terwilliger, of Ionia, is visiting daughter, Mrs. A. D. Oliver and other friends.

D. O. Shear, wife and daughter, Ora, of Smyrna, visited with Lowell friends, Thursday.

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The Editor would like to have all the correspondents send in their letters by Tuesday noon.

John McNaughton and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Burgess, of Chicago, last Friday and Saturday.

Chas. Westbrook attended the I. O. O. F. Anniversary at Grand Rapids, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. T. Earle and children, have returned from a visit with Greenville relatives and friends.

The eighth wonder of the world, the Denver trip and jointed platform. See it at Brown & Seiler's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson, of Greenview, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wilson the first of the week.

The Bissell Plow has shown itself the best plow ever brought into the market. At Brown & Seiler's.

Miss Ella Hogan spent a few days of last week visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. McCaul, of West Lowell.

Joseph Wright, of Smyrna, spent last week with his grandparents, Mrs. O. T. Hogan, and other friends.

The well of the late Thomas L. Lyle was probably Monday. Mrs. Lyle will have the life of the late Mr. Lyle engraved.

Why do other agents accuse the Deering jointed platform? Because they can't have one. See the point?

See the Bean Planter and Harvester (two separate machines) at Brown & Seiler's before purchasing elsewhere.

Miss Carrie Potter does dressmaking and plain sewing, satisfaction assured. First house west of engine house. 44 1/2.

Last Saturday, April 29th, a gold band ring inscribed "M. K." engraved inside. Finder please leave at this office.

Mrs. A. W. Peacock, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cortright the past week, returned home Saturday.

Some splendid bargains in second hand sewing machines, in perfect order and warranted Empire of R. D. Stockings or C. M. Devenor.

H. E. Hogan, of So. Boardman, was in town on Sunday. Mrs. Hogan, who has been visiting her, for a couple of weeks, returned home with her.

House and Lot for sale. A good home in a pleasant locality. Terms, part down and the balance in monthly payments. Apply at the JOURNAL OFFICE.

Mrs. Fred Devendorf, of Chicago, is making their farewell visit before leaving for Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Devendorf has secured a situation.

Miss Mattie Wilson was in town yesterday (Tuesday).

Star Ward Mill, best in the market, at Brown & Seiler's.

The best line of fishing tackle to town at R. D. Stockings.

Ladies, call at the JOURNAL office and see our calling cards.

Miss Gb. Heath, of Hancock, visited friends here last week.

Miss Jennie Bell left Tuesday, for Battle Creek and Chicago.

Gypsum, in all things, Wall Paper in all varieties, at W. M. Clark's.

Mrs. E. Beck, of Sparta, is spending a few weeks with friends here.

Chester Dawson, of Pevanaw, is spending the week at J. C. Moore's.

Henry McCall, of Chippewa Lake, was in town the last of the week.

Mrs. M. Belmont, of Kalamazoo, is visiting relatives and friends here.

John Scott, of Gd. Rapids, was in town a couple of days last week.

Mrs. A. Gunn, of Shelby, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson.

Get your girl a tricycle and your boy a bicycle. R. D. Stockings has them.

Rev. Jas. Provan and Rev. Mr. Wan, of Saranac, exchanged pulpits Sunday.

Frank Barton, of Hastings, visited Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. B. Boylan.

Insure your property against winds and rains, tornadoes and cyclones with H. N. Stone.

Mrs. Chester Leary has a cousin, Miss Myra Tompion, of Detroit visiting her.

The "Solid Comfort" sulky plow at Brown & Seiler's, see it before purchasing.

Earl Zeigler, while playing football last season, fell and fractured his left arm.

Misses Nellie and Nettie McNaughton spent Saturday, visiting Bowne Centre friends.

Mr. F. W. Bitton, of Brighton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Boylan, Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Huggan and Mrs. B. C. Smith are spending a few days in Crystal.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Altien entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. Simpson, the first of the week.

D. A. Bissell leaves Thursday, for a visit with friends at Pevanaw and Shepardsville.

Mrs. Ben Terwilliger, of Ionia, is visiting daughter, Mrs. A. D. Oliver and other friends.

D. O. Shear, wife and daughter, Ora, of Smyrna, visited with Lowell friends, Thursday.

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John McNaughton and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Burgess, of Chicago, last Friday and Saturday.

Chas. Westbrook attended the I. O. O. F. Anniversary at Grand Rapids, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. T. Earle and children, have returned from a visit with Greenville relatives and friends.

The eighth wonder of the world, the Denver trip and jointed platform. See it at Brown & Seiler's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson, of Greenview, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wilson the first of the week.

Some sharps have resurrected the old scheme of advertising Uncle Sam's stamps as fine steel engraving, and reports from rural New England show that they are finding plenty of victims. A man living in Spencer, Mass., saw an engraving of the "Landing of Columbus" would be sold. He forwarded amount and received in return one of the Columbus two-cent stamps.—Ee

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Schurz, of Gd. Rapids, and McDaniell, of Lowell, performed the operation of Ligation for Appendicitis, on a woman. The operation is as difficult as it is unusual and was successful. The trouble came with a suddenness that was startling. Saturday, April 22d, Mr. Quack attended to his usual business pursuits and that evening took his bed by the doctor's orders. He felt well and when his physician asked for a consultant, could hardly realize its necessity, the consultant was called Tuesday and the operation could save his life, and Wednesday morning the deed was done. The patient is doing very well so far as the wound, but is suffering severely from inflammatory pneumonia.

Did you ever stop to think what a useless letter a good local paper is? Week after week reaching into your hands, telling of the marriages, deaths, and coming and going of the people of the town; the business success or failure; crops, improvement, meetings, in fact, events of all kinds. All a great deal that comes to the hopper of a good local paper. Why, if you understand to write a letter to your absent friend and tell him the news that your local paper does, you soon give up in despair. The support pressure becomes tiresome, the letters grow shorter, further apart and finally quit. Why is the difference? Because with a newspaper it is a business. People in a live town recognize this and take pleasure in giving the editor the news items you would never hear.—Ee

Topics Notes.

Theme for Sunday morning discourse, "Christ and His Men."

Subject for evening sermon, "The Philosophy of Life and Death."

Subject for young people's meeting at 6:00 P. M. Sunday evening, "Sowing and Reaping."

Cordial welcome to all these services.

E. H. STANES, Pastor.

The "Red Queen," now appearing in Harper's Bazar, is said to be the best story Mr. Bennett has yet written. So says The Bookman, London.

Persons claiming the above will please send "Advertised" and give date of issue. LEONARD H. HOPE, P. M.

Buy Dullans' Great German 15 cent Liver Pills 40 in each package, at W. M. Clark's.

You will find old papers at this office for sale at a discount.

There was a very pleasant party at the Music Hall last (Tuesday) evening. While the attendance was not large, those who were present enjoyed themselves hugely.

B. N. Keister has been in Freepost the past week, acting as cashier for B. E. Quick & Co. to give Bert a chance to come to Lowell, to assist in nursing his father.

When you shoot and see a feathered fowl flutter, you are sure it is hit; that is what all our competitors who try to talk about the Deering jointed platform. See it at Brown & Seiler's.

Please remember that we are always thankful for all the local happening you send us and we would be pleased if, when you have a guest or are out of town, you would kindly inform us of the fact.

Monday was the first day of the trout season, and the trout stream were thoroughly shipped and the fishermen thoroughly tired of their ill luck. Jas. Nicklin and Will Worden brought in the largest string.

Mrs. Elizabeth McGee, widow of Robert McGee, has applied to the probate court for a reasonable allowance to be set aside for her maintenance, during the settlement of the will. Mrs. McGee is a great sufferer from rheumatism.

F. E. Lovett, recently from Chicago, has opened a shop under Trans Opera House, where he will be pleased to talk with the people about paper hanging, painting, tinting, and everything in the painting line. Good work at fair prices. Give him a call if you want good work.

Our summer military has arrived and the boys and heavy armaments are being imported into Lowell before and at prices that will meet every one. Our show room, which is at the rear of the store is filled with all the leading novelties in trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Call and see us. M. J. O'HROCK.

The Seventh Regt. Mich. Vols. will hold their annual reunion in Lowell on Wednesday, June 13th. Shall we not make some slight effort to give our honored guests good cheer by decorating our places of business and in other ways honor our guests who honor us? What think you? Don't all talk but some one do something to set the ball rolling.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson were surprised by about 40 of their friends, it being their nineteenth anniversary. The evening was pleasantly spent and with the departure of the jolly crowd in the "new man" horns wishing them many happy returns of the day and leaving with them a gold head-cane and gold pin as a remembrance of the day.

Charles Manville has a lump of copper which he placed up on his farm in Leelanaw county last fall. Prof. Grawn has analyzed it and pronounces it unusually pure. It is a rough oval in shape, weighing over twenty three pounds and looks as if it had been melted in some upheaval of the earth centuries ago, and cooled in the mud. It is probably drifted here from the copper regions in the upper peninsula.—Grand Traverse Herald.

Those who were in Gd. Rapids since the last issue of the JOURNAL, so far as obtainable, are as follows: April 26th, Mrs. A. L. Coe, Mrs. Mrs. B. G. Wilson, Mrs. A. Church, April 27th, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson, Dr. J. E. Lee, Green, Miss Ella Winegar and J. E. Lee; April 28th, Mrs. T. Tate, Misses Maggie and Bessie Tate; May 1st, Mrs. C. C. Wilson, Mrs. O. A. Robinson, Pastor Shanks and Geo. Otis; May 2nd, S. P. Hicks; May 3rd, Miss Ella Wiley.

We record "for future use" the fact that since 1854, no such April weather was experienced as that of last week. It would be hard to find even in the more rigorous months any five days, equal to the last week from Tuesday to Saturday. The loss of lives and property by storm was never so great in the same length of time, nor covered so much territory.—Ee

James Robertson. Died, at Kinsley, Kas., April 28th, of catarrhal consumption, aged 33 yrs. 2 mo. 2 days.

James Robertson was born in Paris, Ont., Feb. 20th, 1850, of Scotch parentage and in early childhood his parents returned to Scotland, where five years of his boyhood was spent, and again crossing the ocean, they settled in Lowell, Michigan, about 1870, and his life has been spent here. He got his education in the Lowell schools and an early-made his mark into the shoe store with his father, under the firm name of Robertson & Son and continued in a business until about a year ago, when they sold out to Clark & Winegar to give James a chance to seek for better health. In 1884 he was married to Mary Trumble and has made a model husband. He was a member of the Lowell Baptist church, having joined it in 1878 and was a devout consistent christian, carrying his religion into his business, he was just and true, he told no stories to sell goods. He leaves his devoted wife, a father, two brothers, John, a farmer near Saranac, and William, one of Ravenna's business men, and a sister. His remains were brought here Monday morning and his funeral was held Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Chas. Oldfield, who performed his marriage ceremony, officiating, preaching from the text to be found in I Cor. 13:5. Those from abroad who were present at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Robertson, of Ravenna, Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, of Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ionia, Mr. and Mrs. Carson J. Oldfield, of Cedar Springs, Claude and Ed. Dapton, and Robert Milne, of Gd. Rapids.

25th Anniversary Sale.

The Star Clothing House of Grand Rapids celebrates this week, the 25th anniversary of their commencing in business in that city, and in order to show their gratitude to their customers, will inaugurate a sale of men's and boys' clothing, Furnishing Goods and Hats that will be unparalleled in the history of the clothing business. They will save you from 25 to 35 cents on each dollar's worth of goods you buy by them. They have been buying goods for this sale for months, and they expect to have quite a rush of customers. They will offer 300 dozens fine 4 ply Linen Collars, torn down prices, (never before sold for less than 20 cts) three for 10c. Men's fine all wool Suits, light colors, retail at \$12.25, anniversary sale price \$9.38. Fine 5% cotton Half Hose, drab, fast black and mixed for only 10cts. Fine Cassimere \$4.00 pants, light colors, \$2.48. Good every day Cassimere Pants \$1.39 and other goods in proportion.

List of Uncollected Letters, Remaining in the Post Office at Lowell, Mich., week ending April 23, 1892.

LADIES—Miss Ethel Aldrich, Mrs. Will Condon, Mrs. A. J. Mauer, Mrs. F. J. Reed, Miss Winnie Wismer.

Persons—Mr. V. Kraft, Arch. Miller, M. P. Hill.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Alton.

Mrs Perry Purdy is gaining.
Mertie Condon has the measles.
Mrs Chas. Wilson is on the sick list.
Jessie Frost is setting out peach trees.
Dell Condon cut 9200 pickets last week.
Maurice Trumbull has a new drive well 63 ft. deep.
Thomas and Arthur Reid went to Gd. Rapids last week.
Mrs Oscar Scofield visited friends at Gd. Rapids last week.
Thos Condon went to Belting, Saturday after peach trees.
John Van denbroeck has erected a new wind mill with fixtures.
Charles Rennells goes this week to join the Salvation Army.
Weather cold, windy and rainy. Every one knows of that fact.
Dr. A. Ford, of Bowne Centre, was in Alton and attended the Grange.
Mrs L. M. Carl and daughter, Evah, visited friend in Alton, Thursday.
April has been the coldest with the greatest winds of any April in years.
Jas. H. Anderson set out 20 nice Maple trees around his house, Arbor Day.
Dell Condon had to stop sawing pickets, Thursday, on account of the wind. We learn that it is Fred Sayles, of Gd. Rapids, who has moved on the Reid farm.

Miss Cora Godfrey attended the ordination at the Ashley church, Wednesday last week.
Roy Jarstfer returned from Gd. Rapids last week, and now has gone to Honia as an attendant.
Miss Ida Cooper, teacher in the Hopough school dist., Sundayed with her aunt, Mrs John Hapeman.
It is reported that Mrs Christman, a former resident of this place, has moved from Lowell to Buffalo N.Y.
S. D. Godfrey and daughter, Effie, attended the funeral of Wm. Covert's son, Sunday at the Keene church.
Ernest Godfrey went to Gd. Rapids, with a load of goods for J. E. Reid who moved to that city, last week.
Messrs Fox and Anderson were in Alton last week Tuesday, and let the job of building the sluice to Wm. Condon.
Mr Everett, Asst. County School Supt. visited the Alton school, last Thursday, and visited Dorus church in the evening.
David Shearer has rebuilt his east side cellar, where it was torn out by a tree falling against it, which was struck by lightning.

At the annual church meeting held Saturday, at the Alton church, David Shearer, was elected trustee for 3 years. One of the three trustees are elected each year.
For bargains in ladies' and misses' lace shoes go to Robertson's closing out sale.

Chapel.

Rev. F. Crowell seems to be at home now.
The ferry boat seems to be liked very much.
The people, of Moffat neighborhood are talking of building a church.
Farmers are almost discouraged on account of the cold wet weather. They cannot plow on low land.
Uncle James Grant was around this week, making calls on his numerous friends. It is the first time this spring.
Roscoe Beach was surprised on his sixteenth birthday day and so were the parents of the young people who went, for they stayed until the "wee sma' hours."

Alto.

Mr and Mrs L. Belt were made the happy parents of a young son, last Friday.
Mr Mundell has the foundation ready for a new house.
Mr Tinkham and family will soon move to Indiana.
Ed. Clements and wife were at Grand Rapids, Saturday.
Mrs John Bradley, of Gd. Rapids visited relatives here last week.
Homer Bradford made a business trip to Gd. Rapids last Thursday.
It is reported that Henry Bradford will be our next Post Master.
Charles Crampton has been visiting his daughter, at Howard City.
Mr Olmstead and wife were visiting with Rockford friends last week.
Frank and Anna McKnight of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday, with their parents.
A. Clark and family will move into Mr Hooker's house this week. De Lewis has just vacated it.
Prof. Hill, of Des Moines, Iowa, gave a temperance lecture at the Baptist church, last Tuesday evening.

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W. J. Ecker & Son, make and have a full stock of wooden cavertroughs.

Bowne.

Aggie McGinnis is visiting friends in Gd. Rapids.
Alice Huntington is now a member of John Watt's family.
Frank Colson spent Saturday with friends in Gd. Rapids.
William Berridge returned to his home in Lansing, Monday eve.
Two new members were added to the Bowne Grange last meeting.
Web Alexander and wife visited friends in Grattan last week.
Charley Gardner and wife, of Freeport, Sundayed at Mrs Hiram Lowe's.
The sugar social at Sam Newman's was very well attended Thursday eve.
John Curley and sister, Lena, visited at Dan Murray's, of Lowell, last week.
Henry and Katie Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday with Ozi Pardee and wife.
Nellie and Nettie McNaughton, of Lowell, were the guests of Wm. Perkins, Saturday.

Wooden cavertroughs at J. W. Ecker & Son's, 3, 5, and 7 cents a foot.
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South Lowell.

April went out with a storm.
L. Post is setting out 1,200 apple trees this spring.
L. Beeher is making preparations to build a new house.
Wm. Murphy has built a basement and moved his barn on it.
Dewitt Fero is being kept indoors with a severe attack of tonsillitis.
Mr and Mrs Kinsey, of Caledonia, visited their nephew, Daniel Erb, and wife Saturday.
Moses Ringier was suddenly called to Reed City, to see his brother, who is seriously ill.
There was a family gathering at John Christie's Saturday. All of his children being present.
Chas. Yeller is making improvements by the way of cleaning up swamps and putting in some new tile ditches.

Lewis Ward finished the wall of his new house built.
Have you seen McKee's line of straw hats. It is up to top.
Mrs Eugene Bryant and Mrs Jones are both on the sick list.
Mr Hunt, of Middleville is visiting his niece, Mrs J. W. Dennis.
Mrs E. Higbee has been visiting in Detroit for a week past.
McKee has a full line of men's shirts, overalls and pants on exhibition, call and get his prices.
About twenty five members of the Alto Lodge attended the I. O. O. F. anniversary at Gd. Rapids.
Mr Woollett, the furniture man is living over his store at present, but intends to build a new house soon.
Milton Streeter has so far recovered from his accident, which happened last winter, that he was out to lodge last Saturday night.

The business men of Alto are laughing out of the lower corners of their mouths, to the tune of \$2.50 each. A smart young lady from Lansing was going to write up the town. The result is, she has the money and they have the experience. Better patronize the Lowell Journal.

H. S. Grant, R. E. Agt. at McCords, will sell his house and lot, cheap, address all communications to him at McCords, Mich. 43-5
Highway Commissioners and Pathmasters Orders at the JOURNAL. Office East and see them.
Anybody can put up our wooden cavertroughs sold by W. Ecker & Son.

Lowell.

Wm. Edwards, of Freeport, was in town Saturday.
Willie Glasgow, who is at work in a furniture factory at Hastings, spent Monday at home, returning to his work Tuesday.
Noah Blough and Mattie Glasgow spent Sunday, April 23rd, in Hastings, the guest of the latter's aunt, Mrs. Woolcott, and brother, Willie.
A few of the young people of this place gave Mr and Mrs Jerry Blough, nee Annie Walton, a pleasant surprise Tuesday evening. All report a pleasant time.
Noah Lute had the misfortune to sprain his ankle quite badly while coming home from Freeport Friday evening. He is unable to step on the injured foot at present writing.
Arbor Day was celebrated in an appropriate manner at the school of this place. The enthusiasm of Messrs E. Laoy, N. Ford, S. Heintzelman L. Tyler Chas. Hooper was roused to such a degree that they came to the grounds armed with shovels, spades and several young trees, and as the result of the day's work, 86 young elm, maple and black-walnut trees adorn the school-ground to shade and shelter rising generations. The enthusiasm of the pupils and pupils and teacher, Miss Teeple, was by no means of a small amount. They spent a part of the day in gathering flowers, after returning from the woods they entertained the assembled guests with a few recitations, essays and singing. The day passed pleasantly all feeling that the day had been well spent.

BRIDGET.

Four Corners.

Quite a spell of weather for the past few days.
John Hartley and Earl Curtiss have built a picket fence this spring.
Charley Boyce had his hand quite badly bitten by his father's shepherd dog.
A. J. Watson had two sheep killed and two more badly bitten by dogs, a few days ago.
To-morrow (Monday) is trout day, but the chances are, a better day for the fish than for the sports.
The dance at Frank Clark's last Friday night was a success and a good time is reported by those who attended.
Out of a school which used to be 44 scholars, Frank Fairchilds and Chester Parrott are the only two boys that remain unmarried. This was the Morse Lake school district No. 4.

Grattan Gatherings.

Mrs E. F. Lessiter and baby Ruth, of Rockford, are visiting friends here.
Miss Ola Pond, of Greenville, who has been visiting here, has returned home.
Communication of Grattan F. and A. M. Lodge, April 29th, with visitors present.
Lodge Hall has returned from Dimons, where he sold several carloads of potatoes.
Henry Mooney is building a new house and the cellar wall of Mrs T. Byrnes' new house is being laid.
Many Grattantes attended the burial services held for the late Henry Watson, of Greenville, April 28, who has a large circle of friends here.
The maple sugar social held with Mrs Wm. Desiter, April 28, was a success. After the literary exercises, a parlor full of friends learned the mysteries of progressive spelling.

The remains of pioneer Thomas Lally were brought from Lowell and laid to rest in the Grattan Catholic cemetery, April 27. The deceased was among the workers for the prosperity of Grattan in its infancy and had a host of friends here.

Mrs Will Henry, from girlhood a resident here, departed this life April 27, in the 51st year of her age. Two daughters mourn the loss of one of the best of mothers, and compose the family, the husband and father having passed on before. Hattie, the eldest daughter was was united in marriage with Elmer Lattie, of Cannon, April 24, in the presence of and with the full sanction of the dying mother, by Rev. I. B. Lillie, of Cannon, who also officiated at the burial services held for the deceased, April 29, at the Westwick Lake church. For many years Mrs H. has known the joys of a christian life and at the approach of death, could say "All is well." The text chosen by Rev. Lillie as the basis of his excellent sermon was Rev. 14:12. The church was crowded with sympathizing relatives and friends.

The ordination of Milo P. Smith took place at Ashley church April 26, and although the day proved rainy, a goodly number of ministers were present. The church being filled with friends. The following is a brief outline of the exercises: Rev. E. H. Shanks, of Lowell, was chosen to act as secretary. The candidate made a statement of christianian experience, call to the ministry and views of the Bible doctrine that was highly satisfactory to the council and all others. The vote to proceed to ordination was unanimous. Rev. Milo Smith, of Cheboygan, father of the candidate, delivered a fine ordination sermon; prayer by Rev. D. E. Hills, of Greenville; charge to the candidate by Rev. Benschaw, of Alto; charge to church, Rev. N. P. Barlow, of Greenville; hand of fellowship, Rev. A. N. Stillwell, of Rockford; and benediction by the candidate. The church feels to rejoice in the promptness and wisdom shown by our Pastor in his answers to questions propounded by the council.

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Fallsburg Facts.

Ira Pottraff is confined to the house by a lame back.
Ira Pinkney was in Gd Rapids one day last week.
Roy Whedon, of Lowell, is the guest of Arch Sherrard.
Luella Richmond, of Lowell, Sundayed in this vicinity.
Will Scott and wife visited friends and relatives at Lincoln Lake.
Wesley Falls visited friends and relatives in Gd Rapids last week.
Mrs Van Wort, of Bowne Centre, visited her many friends at this place last week.
Mrs John Kellogg, of Lowell, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Milliard Sayles.
Allie Pinkney, who is working in a picket mill near Alto, was home over Sunday.

E. Sayles, of Grand Rapids, visited his father, Elias Sayles, last week.
J. O. Sage attended the I. O. O. F. convention at Grand Rapids last week.
Mrs Wm. Rexford entertained Ransom Abbey and wife, of Otisco, one day last week.
Byron Hoag and wife, of Cannonsburg, visited the former's brother, B. Hoag, last week.
Rev. N. E. Gibbs and wife, of Greenville, are spending a few days here, the guests of Rev. E. Lyon and wife.
M. R. Covert died at his home in Keene, Friday, April 28th, of typhoid pneumonia after an illness of four days. The funeral services were held at the Keene Church Sunday, Rev. L. B. Kenyon, of Saranac, officiating. The deceased was 18 yrs. and 6 mo. old. He leaves a host of friends to mourn his loss.

A salary with expenses paid will come handy to anyone who is now out of employment, especially where no previous experience is required to get the position. If you want a position, see advertisement on page 3d, headed "A Chance to Make Money."

Town Line Tidings.

Mrs Wm. F. Rector is on the sick list.
Mrs Nancy Thibos is working at Elm-dale.
The sugar party at Mr Reynolds was a success.
James Green bought a horse of Ed Stinton.
Orville Reynolds went to Iowa Friday to visit his son, Fred.
Seward Moffat and wife visited Chas. Buttrick, one day last week.
The Ladies Aid meet with Mrs James Lewis next week Wednesday.
Miss Hattie Sargent is visiting friends in Lowell and Grand Rapids.
Frank Andrews, of Cannonsburg, visited at Wm. Stapleton's Sunday.
Mr Brown, of Rockford, will be one of S. Sargent's nearest neighbors, moving into the house just across the way.
Fred Westbrook is able to be around again, after an illness of two months.
Mrs Wm. Stinton spent last week with her daughter, Mrs H. Gregory, of Lowell.

CLAY.

A new arrival at Jesse Long's.
Chas. Richardson raised a barn Saturday.
C. H. Farnham was on our streets Saturday.
Mrs W. Young has quite a bad sore throat.
A great deal of dampness prevails about here.
One more boy is reported at Jay Trowbridge's house.
Wheat in many fields is looking very thin and far between.
Feeter Bros. and Berkey are about ready to move their mill north.
The doctors have decided that Mrs Geo. Plummer has a tumor and an operation will be necessary.
C. S. English had a telegram Friday, stating that he could secure a nice fat position if he would come.
Riley King and Wm. Lee left their picket mill at Jay Livermore's Friday morning, waiting for clear weather.



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and your cough may end in something serious. It's pretty sure to, if your blood is poor. That is just the time and condition that invites Consumption. The seeds are sown and it has fastened its hold upon you, before you know that it is near.
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South Boston.

The roads are not even dusty yet.
Miss Sisbury was out as well Saturday.
Glen Gould went to Chicago last week.
The weather is better for ducks than for young chickens.
Rev. Mr Gibbs, of Greenville, preached at the M. E. church, Sunday p. m.
Chas. Tomlinson, of Lowell, has moved into Herbert Tucker's house, north of the school house.
The last report from Maurice Leek, of Dakota, whom we mentioned last week, states that the doctor says "his back bone is broken."
J. B. Pike lost a mare, colt and a half interest in a cow recently and a very good horse last October, and has been unfortunate in other ways.
There was a good attendance at the M. E. Sabbath School, Sunday, considering the bad condition of the weather, nearly every officer was present.

Inspect Yourself.

The advice which Bob Burdette gives to boys may be taken not only by them, but by older persons.
"Get away from the crowd for a little while every day and think. Stand on one side and let the world run by, while you get acquainted with yourself and see what kind of a fellow you are. Ask yourself hard questions about yourself. Ascertain from original sources if you are really the manner of man people say you are; and if you are always honest; if you always tell the square, perfect truth in business deals; if your life is as good and upright at 11 o'clock at night as it is at noon; if you are as good a temperance man on a fishing excursion as you are at a Sunday school picnic; if you are as good when you go out of the city as when you are at home; if, in short, you are really the sort of a man your father hopes you are and your sweetheart believes you are. Get on intimate terms with yourself, my boy, and, believe me, every time you come out from these private interviews you will be a stronger, better, purer man. Don't forget this and it will do you good."

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A clever story of another kind is that of the new English novelists, Gilbert Parker, in the same number. "American Society in Paris" is an article of another kind, but one which will interest all who have had occasion to make even a short residence in the French capital. The Cosmopolitan scores a success in producing in its May number, almost simultaneously with the daily papers, an elaborate description of Professor Gray's marvellous invention, the Telutograph, which reproduces the handwriting, or the work of the artist, simultaneously, thousands of miles distant from the place where the writer or artist is sitting. Mr Howell's purpose in "The Traveller from Altruria" is, month by month, becoming more evident, and is now receiving wide attention at the hands of the critics all over the world.

Lowell Markets.

Wheat, white,	\$0.64
Wheat, red,	64
Corn,	45
Oats,	35
Eye,	50
Barley,	1.00-1.15
Flour, per hundred,	2.00
Bran, per ton,	16.00
Middlings, per ton,	17.00
Corn Meal, per ton,	30.00
Corn & Oats,	23.00
Butter,	22
Eggs,	18
Potatoes,	55
Apples,	40-70
Onions,	1.25
Beans,	1.00-1.60
Pork,	7.00-7.50
Chickens,	11
Turkeys,	18
Cabbage, per doz.	40-75