

SHOT TO DEATH.

Carter H. Harrison, Mayor of Chicago, Murdered.

Patrick E. Prendergast, an Insane Newspaper Carrier, is the Assassin—Story of the Crime—Life of the Dead Official.

KILLED AT HIS HOME.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Carter Henry Harrison, mayor of the city of Chicago, was assassinated at his residence, corner of Ashland and Jackson boulevards, Saturday evening. Three of the four shots fired by the assassin took effect in the body of the mayor. One bullet entered the abdomen, another pierced his body to the right of the right nipple, plowing its way through the axillary region, and a third lodged in the palm of the left hand.

Forty-five minutes later Patrick Eugene Prendergast, excited, out of breath, and panting from his long run, bounded up the steps of the Desplaines



CARTER H. HARRISON.

street station, and handing a revolver across the desk to Sergeant Barber, admitted the crime and was locked up for it.

Undoubtedly insane. The story of the murder seems to indicate that it was committed by an insane or partially demented man. The act was cold-blooded and deliberate. The man had come to the Harrison mansion bent on murder, and whether actuated by motives the birth of an unbalanced mind or not, he did his fiendish work well.

Death of the Mayor. In the meantime a sad scene was being witnessed at the home of Mr. Harrison. Attracted by the shots, Preston Harrison hastened from his room on the upper floor of the mansion to ascertain their cause. He found his father lying on the floor his life blood pouring from the gaping wounds. Almost at the same instant neighbors arrived and an attempt was made to raise the prostrate man. He was still conscious and moaning in his agony. He asked his son not to move him, saying that he knew he was dying. His friends tried to reassure him, but he was firm in the belief that he and was near. In a few minutes he lapsed into a state of semi-unconsciousness, not, however, before requesting that Miss Annie Howard be sent for. This request was repeated twice—in fact, his dying words were a desire to see her. Miss Howard was Mayor Harrison's affianced, and they were to have been married at Biloxi, Miss., November 16. She came to the house on being informed of the tragedy, but before reaching the side of her betrothed he had passed away. Her grief on realizing her loss was deep and the scene when she was shown his dead body was pathetic in the extreme, as was that on the appearance of his daughters, Miss Sophie Harrison and Mrs. Heaton Orwaley, and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carter Harrison, Jr. The sons, Carter, Jr., and Preston, bore up bravely for a time but finally succumbed as the sense of their terrible loss dawned fully upon them.

The Assassin. After giving himself up to the desk sergeant at the Desplaines street station Prendergast refused to talk. He was dressed in a shabby-genteel manner, is about 33 years of age and weighs about 125 pounds. His aspect is forbidding. Insanity was written both in his features and in the restlessness of his manner. Inspector Sheawoon arriving, the prisoner was placed in a patrol wagon, and heavily guarded, was transferred to the central station, located in the city hall. Around this place an immense crowd of angry citizens had gathered. There were loud threats of lynching passing from mouth to mouth as the patrol wagon with Prendergast arrived. The officers, however, had little trouble in forcing the crowd aside and entering the building.

Why He Did It. The prisoner was ushered into the presence of Chief of Police Brennan and a corps of shrewd detectives, where he was submitted to a cross-fire of questions which were calculated to secure from him the story of his crime, and detect whether or not his insanity was real or feigned. He was a most abject-looking person as he faced the officers, and his every look, word and action gave evidence of a disordered brain. At the conclusion of their examination of Prendergast the universal conclusion of officers, reporters and others who were present was that Mayor Harrison's assassin was undoubtedly an insane man.

Intense Excitement. As the news of the assassination spread throughout the city crowds flocked to the city hall, the newspaper offices, club rooms and hotels eager to hear the horrible details. The utmost excitement prevailed among the angry people, and expressions of indignation and horror and dire threats against the

assassin were heard on all sides. A big force of policemen guarded the entrances to the city hall and kept back the excited crowds which pressed forward, loud in their denunciation of the mayor's murderer. No scenes of violence occurred, however.

Verdict of the Jury. The coroner's jury after hearing the testimony of several persons and the report of the physicians gave as their opinion that Mr. Harrison died as the result of the wounds he had received, and without discussion voted to hold Prendergast to the grand jury on a charge of murder.

His Career. Carter Henry Harrison was born near Lexington, Ky., on February 13, 1823, and may be said to have inherited his taste for political life. His great-grandfather was the ancestor of President William Henry Harrison, his grandfather a cousin of Thomas Jefferson and he himself a cousin of John C. Breckinridge.

His father died when he was 8 months old, and he was left to the care of his mother—a daughter of Col. William Russell, of the United States army, one of the pioneers of the northwest, of which Illinois is now a part. From his mother Mr. Harrison inherited those principles which in 1849 placed him in the front rank of the emancipationists of Kentucky. Most of his education, preparatory to entering the sophomore class of Yale college, he received from Dr. Marshall, brother of the chief justice, the father of Tom Marshall, the great orator. Graduating in 1848 he commenced the study of law, but did not enter into practice at once, as his mother needed his company and comfort.

In 1851 he went abroad, traveling for two years in Europe, Asia and Egypt. In 1855 he commenced a prospecting tour through the northwest, but reaching Chicago became so impressed with the young city that he invested all his means in real estate, expecting also to enter into the regular practice of the law, but his acute business foresight induced him to confine his efforts entirely to real estate transactions, thus laying the firm basis of an ample fortune.

Mr. Harrison did not actively engage in politics until 1870, being elected during the succeeding year a member of the first board of county commissioners. He held office until December, 1874, when he took his seat as a member of congress from the Second district of Illinois. His term in congress was marked by an earnestness and ability which made him one of the most prominent members in that body. A resolution, introduced by him, to fix the presidential term at six years with ineffectuality for reelection and making the retiring president a senator for life, drew the attention of the country to him as a man of broad and radical views. His efforts in behalf of the centennial appropriation bill exhibited him not only as an energetic worker and ready debater but as a brilliant orator.

Mr. Harrison spent the summers of 1874 and 1875 in Europe with his family. He was elected mayor of Chicago in 1879, 1881, 1883 and 1885. Against his own desire he was nominated for governor of Illinois in 1884, and during the fall of that year conducted a most energetic and brilliant campaign which resulted in cutting down the republican majority of 27,003, enjoyed by Gov. Cullum, to 13,000.

Mr. Harrison was married on April 12, 1853, to Miss Sophy Preston, who came from a distinguished southern family. His wife dying in Europe in 1874, he married in 1878 Miss Margaret E. Stearns, daughter of one of Chicago's oldest and most respected and wealthiest citizens. The second Mrs. Harrison died in 1883.

Mr. Harrison had received and accepted the nomination for mayor in 1879, but before the campaign had fairly opened his second wife died, and bowed with grief, he withdrew and started on his tour of the globe, leaving Chicago in the hands of Mayor Roche. His travels began July 26, 1879, and ended November 4, 1883. Everything of importance in connection with them was recorded by Mr. Harrison in his newspaper letters and his book, "A Race with the Sun." Returning, he was received with a popular ovation unique in its way, and retired to private life, devoting himself to literature and business interests.

Re-entering active politics in 1891, Mr. Harrison was nominated for the mayoralty by his personal friends, although Dewitt C. Creger had been renominated, by a democratic convention, and began a canvass against Hesperus Washburne, Elmer Washburne and Mr. Creger. He was defeated, and Hesperus Washburne was declared mayor of Chicago.

The election of Mr. Harrison as mayor last spring, in spite of the most fierce opposition he had ever encountered, is fresh in the minds of all, since his campaign was closely watched all over the country. His life ended in the midst of what Mr. Harrison considered the crowning honor of his career—the dignity of the chief magistracy of Chicago during the World's Columbian exposition.

The announcement of the wedding of Miss Annie Howard and Carter H. Harrison at Biloxi, Miss., November 16, was publicly made a few days ago, and one of the most distressing features of the tragic death of Mayor Harrison is the terrible grief of the fiancée.

Of ten children born to Mr. Harrison by his first wife four survive, the others having died in infancy or in early youth: Mrs. Lisa Orwaley, the wife of Heaton Orwaley; Carter H. Harrison, Jr.; William Preston Harrison and Miss Sophie Harrison, all residents of Chicago.

Indicted. Patrick Eugene Prendergast was on Monday indicted for murder. The grand jury was in session, and, acting in accord with the universal wish that the assassin be brought to speedy justice, it took up the case and in a short time a true bill was found. At 11 o'clock Inspector John D. Shea appeared before the jury, filed his information and related briefly the circumstances of the crime. No other witnesses were asked for. The verdict of the coroner's jury and the written testimony of the witnesses examined on Sunday morning were reviewed, and a true bill was returned charging Prendergast with the murder of Carter H. Harrison.

Want to Colonize. WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—A committee appointed by a convention of negro lawyers recently held in Chattanooga, Tenn., has arrived in this city to urge upon congress the recommendation of the convention, in case the government does not protect the negro, that \$1,000,000,000 be appropriated with which the colored people of this country may be colonized. They seem to favor some part of South or Central America.

"Doc" Taylor Executed. MORRIS, Va., Oct. 28.—"Doc" Taylor was hanged Friday afternoon at Wise Court House, Va., a few moments after 2 o'clock for the murder of the Mullins family. He met death boldly, dressed in a suit of pure white linen, and preached his own funeral sermon to the crowd of assembled witnesses of his death.

Fire in a Prison. LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 27.—A fire in the foundry house of the state penitentiary yesterday caused a loss of \$100,000.

THE SENATE VOTES.

The Silver-Purchase Clause of the Keopul Bill Defeated.

A Majority of Eleven Against the Measure—The Vote in Detail—Other Proceedings in the Senate and in the House.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The senate yesterday adopted a joint resolution requesting the president of the United States to communicate to each foreign government that has participated in the quadri-centennial exposition held in Chicago in commemoration of the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus the acknowledgment of congress for its contribution. The silver repeal bill was further discussed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Each day adds new evidence of the completeness of the surrender of the silver forces. But they are dying hard. Most of the senators believed that the vote would be in their favor yesterday, but Senator Stewart was still speaking when the senate closed and there is no telling when he will quit.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—In the senate yesterday Senator Peffer's amendment to the repeal bill providing for silver coinage at a ratio of 16 to 1 was defeated by a vote of 39 to 23, which was taken as meaning that the Voorhees bill would become a law. The measure was further discussed and Senator Teller in the course of his remarks against repeal said: "To me this is the most terrible moment of my legislative life." He had tried to keep back the tears, but they forced themselves out and ran down his face. The senators bent over their desks and tried to busy themselves with trifles. There was not a man in the senate chamber whose heart was not wrung by this unaffected anguish. They knew the sincerity of Senator Teller's motives and how deep was his regret when the actual voting showed him that the silver cause was lost. His closing words were pathetically eloquent, as he said that it filled with terror to see the senate commit an act which, in his judgment, would lead to the enslavement of the American people.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The senate Saturday passed the urgency deficiency bill. Various amendments to the silver bill were defeated, and Senator Sherman closed the debate, saying, during his remarks, that the further purchase of silver and making it the standard of value would, it was believed, work irreparable injury to the business of the whole country, to the wages and property of every citizen of the land.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Unconditional repeal has carried the day in the senate. At 7:50 o'clock last night the Voorhees bill was passed by the decisive vote of 48 to 23. It remains now only to reconcile minor differences of phraseology between the senate and the house, and, this being done, President Cleveland's signature will make the repeal bill a law. The full vote is as follows: Yeas—Aldrich, Brice, Caffery, Camden, Carey, Culberson, Davis, Dixon, Dolph, Faulstich, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gorman, Gray, Hale, Hawley, Higgins, Hill, Hoar, Hutton, Lindsay, Lodge, McMillan, McPherson, Manderson, Mills, Mitchell (Wis.), Morrill, Murphy, Piatt, Proctor, Quay, Sherman, Sherman, Smith, Squire, Stockbridge, Tappan, Vilas, Voorhees, Washburne, White (La.)—43.

Nays—Allen, Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Butler, Call, Cameron, Cochrane, Coke, Daniel, Dubois, George, Harris, Fry, Jones (Ark.), Jones (Nev.), Kyle, Martin, Pasco, Peffer, Perkins, Pettigrew, Power, Fugh, Rosch, Shoup, Stewart, Teller, Vance, Yegor, Wadsworth, Wolcott—23.

An analysis of the vote shows that it was passed by twenty-three republicans and twenty democrats, while the negative vote was cast by ten republicans, nineteen democrats and three populists. From this it is apparent that both parties were badly divided.

The House. WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Bills were introduced in the house yesterday for the retirement of national bank notes and for the issue in their place of United States notes, and providing that no pension claim heretofore or hereafter allowed shall be annulled, suspended or set aside unless it is shown that the pension was obtained by fraud or perjury. The bankruptcy bill was further considered.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—In the house yesterday the death of the chaplain, Rev. S. W. Haddaway, of Maryland, was announced, and a committee of seven was appointed to attend the funeral. The senate resolution extending the acknowledgments of the United States to foreign governments for their participation in the world's fair was further considered.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The time of the house yesterday was entirely taken up in discussion of a resolution calling for information as to state banks, friends of the repeal of the state bank tax declaring that the resolution was an attempt to throw an obstacle in the way of the measure. Being brought to a vote, a roll call showed no quorum present, and the house adjourned until Monday. The vote is considered by both the friends and opponents of the repeal of the state bank tax a pretty good test as to the sentiment of the house on the main question.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Mr. Oates (dem., Ala.) called up his bill in the house yesterday to amend the naturalization laws, and said the object of the proposed law was to restrict the looseness existing in the naturalization of aliens. The bankruptcy bill was further discussed. Mr. Hunter (Ill.) submitted a resolution, which was agreed to, expressing the astonishment and sorrow at the news of the violent death of Carter H. Harrison, mayor of the city of Chicago and formerly a member of the house.

BUSINESS IS BETTER.

Factories Starting Up and a Revival of Trade Is Noted.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "Port is in sight after a long and stormy voyage, and the prospect of a speedy end of the struggle over repeal has brought bright hopes to business. It is still too soon to expect much effect in trade and manufactures, and, though monetary obstacles are to a large extent removed, there still remain other legislative questions which create uncertainty. A fact of real encouragement is that railway earnings for the third week of October show an increase of 3 per cent over last year, the first increase for a long time. Wheat rose 2 cents, but corn declined 1/4 cent, with better reports of yield; coffee declined 2-1/2. Pork products made only slight gains and cotton fell 1/4 cent.

As yet there is seen only a continuance of the faint and slow increase in distribution of products which has been noticed for some weeks. Nor does this gradual revival in demand extend to all branches. Most of the increase yet seen in cotton and shoe manufacture may be explained by mere exhaustion in stocks of dealers, as frequent requests for immediate delivery show, but there is also reported a somewhat better demand from consumers, and four more cotton mills have started and seven increased force, against seven stopping or decreasing. A similar demand has increased by six the number of hosiery and anti-goods works reported in operation.

Two additional iron furnaces have gone into blast, and the present output may be a little larger than at the beginning of the month. Some rail mills have resumed manufacture, apparently to provide for future rather than present wants of their customers, and there is some addition to the number of mill and wire works and machine shops employed. But the demand for most products is small.

The number and magnitude of failures decreased less than had been expected, the liabilities in three weeks of October amounting to \$11,075,920, against about \$7,800,000 for the same week last year. This week there have been 202 failures in the United States, against 187 last year, and 44 in Canada, against 30 last year. During one bank and two western failures for \$1,000,000 or more, there were 65 of liabilities including \$5,000 each."

BIG FIGHT DECLARED OFF. Corbett and Mitchell Will Not Meet at the Coney Island Club.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—The proposed fight between Jim Corbett and Charley Mitchell for the championship of the world before the Coney Island Athletic club, in December, has been officially declared off. Judge R. V. Newton, who succeeded in signing both Mitchell and Corbett, met the former Wednesday night and informed him that the authorities of Kings county had notified the club officials that the fight could not take place at Coney Island. He added that the club would recompense him and Corbett for the time lost in training. Mitchell was greatly disappointed over the failure of the club to pull the fight off and he intends to start for England in a few days.

IDLE COLLIERIES. Sad Condition of Miners in Parts of Pennsylvania. HUNTINGTON, Pa., Oct. 27.—The bituminous coal trade in the Clearfield and Broadtop regions is duller now than it has ever been before. The largest collieries are idle and there are no prospects of resumption. Fruitless efforts have been made by leading operators to solicit orders from eastern dealers. Information from both districts shows a sad condition among the miners, who dread the privations of the coming winter unless a favorable turn in the mining business shall take place.

Columbian Museum Assured. CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Out of the passing glory of the exposition Chicago will receive a grand museum, and everything indicates that it will be located in the grandest building in Jackson park—the Palace of Fine Arts. Marshall Field set the ball rolling yesterday with a donation of \$1,000,000 toward furthering the plan, and George M. Pullman has promised another \$100,000.

The President's Choice. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate: Edwin F. Uhl, of Michigan, to be assistant secretary of state, vice Josiah Quincy, of Massachusetts, resigned; James R. Roosevelt, of New York, to be secretary of embassy at London, vice Henry White, resigned.

One Hundred Women Seek Matrimony. CANTON, O., Oct. 30.—Levi H. Ross, of West Lebanon, Wayne county, two weeks ago advertised for a wife to share with him a fortune of \$10,000. Up to date he has received 100 offers. His daily mail is growing enormously.

Struck the Rocks. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—The Pacific Mail company's steamer City of New York went ashore on the rocks yesterday in a fog in the bay and was wrecked, the loss being over \$500,000.

It does the work. Mr. Chas. Gocha, Gaylord, Michigan, says: "I am asked, 'Did Brant's Balsam do you any good?' Well, I should say it did! LaGrippe left me with a serious cough and lung trouble, for which I took about all the cough remedies I had ever heard of, without benefit. Mr. Russell, our druggist, suggested Brant's Balsam. As it was a large bottle for 25 cents I took one. It helped me; I used six bottles and was cured completely. (Cost \$1.50) Can heartily recommend it; it's a great medicine." 25 and 50c bottles at D. G. Look and Hunter & Son.

THE WORLD'S FAIR Photographed and described. Wide awake Agie wanted for our new World's Fair book by Director General Davis, Mrs. Potter Palmer and other officials. Over 500 pictures, nearly all photographs. 628 pages. Low price. Big commission. Freight paid. 30 days' credit. Selling fast. Men or ladies make \$10 a day. Send for circular; or send 50 cents to-day for large outfit, containing over 100 photographs. F. W. Ziesler & Co., 527 Market St., St. Louis, Mo.

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If you would advertise to influence others you should prepare such an advertisement as you think would influence you. Have it set in a sort of type that is easily read. Place it in the best paper available, and advertising will always pay.—Yonkers Statesman.

Word It for Business. When you expect an advertisement to create business, word it for business. An advertisement has no life in itself—it depends for its efficiency upon the vigor with which you endorse it.—"When."

A Bureau of Information. In large and ever growing communities wants of one kind or another are perennial, and advertising columns are a bureau of information never to be closed.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Study the Art. You can educate yourself to be a critic in the matter of advertising. Study the art.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

A Mathematical Fact. The man who takes the ad. out of the newspaper takes the add out of his cash box.—Exchange.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

CASCADE.

Mr Holt is no better.
School closed in Dist. No 3 Friday.
Miss Agnes Muir spent Sunday in Cascade.
Harley Ansley visited the World's Fair, last week.
Mrs Eliza Palmer, who has been ill for some time, is improving.
We hear that Frank Quiggle is learning the blacksmiths trade at McCords.
Ernest Bates returned, Satu day, from visiting his brother, Howard, in Chicago.
Miss May Snow is staying with Mrs A. D. Brown while her husband is in Chicago.
Mr and Mrs Finley entertained a nephew from Portland, Oregon, for a few days.
Miss Pearl Bates returned, Saturday, from a two weeks visit with her brother, Fred, in Detroit.
Marcus Ansey, of Penn Yan, N. Y., visited his cousins, James and Frank Ansey, recently.
Mr McCord is making some repairs on his house here, better known as the De Witt Thomas house.
Morris Danforth, of the Valley City, came out on his bicycle and visited old friends here, recently.
A goodly number from here attended the county Grange, at Whitteville Grange hall, the 25th.
Bert Aule and Miss Annie Brown spent Saturday and Sunday with their cousin, Mrs Ralph Seekins, of near Middleville.
Harry Boughner has abandoned his work on the G. R. & I. R. R. and gone to work at dentistry with his brother in Grand Rapids.
Mrs Effa Rogers has gone to work in the straw factory in Gd Rapids. Her mother, Mrs McJullough, is taking care of her little boy at present.
George Duncan, who has been sick with consumption since July at the home of his sister, Mrs J. H. Withey, was buried Sunday. Funeral at the residence.
As we look from our homes and admire the beautiful autumn leaves, although we know their beauty is a token of decay and that they will soon fall to the ground, let it remind each and every one of us that we can at least do some acts of kindness and love that will be admired after we, too, have fallen by the way.
Following will be found the program of the Sunday School Convention to be held at Cascade, Nov. 5:
2:00 o'clock—Sunday School opening exercises.
2:10—Sunday School lesson, by E. K. Mohr, Secretary of County Ass'n.
2:40—Singing, led by H. G. Holt.
2:50—Remarks by E. R. Johnson and others.
3:30—Singing by Holt sisters.
3:40—Election of officers.
4:00—Closing exercises as usual.
EVENING SESSION.
7:00—Remarks by president.
7:20—Singing by congregation.
7:25—Prayer by Elder J. J. Finley.
7:30—Normal drill on the book of Acts, led by A. S. Musselman, Pres. of County Assn.
8:15—Song by Whitteville school.
8:25—Recitation.
8:35—Paper by Mrs H. G. Holt.
8:50—Closing song by congregation.
9:00—Benediction.
Grattan gatherings.
Snow Saturday and hard freezing since.
Messrs Prince & Beebe, of Grand Rapids, have been in this vicinity on business recently.

Guention Madison, of Groton, S. D., is visiting old friends here.
Mrs Geo. Youngs, Bert Lessiter and wife and Eber Smith started for the World's Fair, Friday.
Our citizens had three runaways last week. Fortunately no one was injured. Two baggies were somewhat damaged.
Silas Ward has taken his son Willie to Ann Arbor for medical treatment. Willie is an only child and has been ailing for over a year.
Bert Lessiter had 1248 bushels of potatoes on nine acres, and 1426 in all; Willie Lessiter had 1080 bu. on ten acres and 1401 bushels in all.
P. McCauley has sold to Eos & Bradford, of Lowell, the timber on 30 acres of land. We hear they intend putting in a tie mill in the near future.
Mr and Mrs W. L. Hough, of New Baltimore, O., nee Elsie Lambertson, have been to the World's fair and are visiting Mrs H's parents, Mr and Mrs Nelson Holmes.
Mrs Mary Denise, of Alto, visited her nephew, S. D. Norman and Mrs L. M. Carl, last week, and with them visited Mrs M. A. Lessiter, and family. Mrs D. has many warm friends wherever she is known.
Married, at the residence of the bride's parents Oct. 26, Lou West and Miss Lulu Benham, both of Grattan. Rev. Brownell, of Cannonburg, officiated. A number of relatives were witnesses, presenting congratulations and usual gifts.
Our pioneers all remember Mrs Lucinda Mudge, a former resident here—wife of Andrew Mudge—whose home at the time of her death was at Grant, Newwaygo Co.. She passed away Oct. 28, aged 60 years. She was beloved by all who knew her.
Mr Knight, of California, is guardian of a son and daughter of the late Mr and Mrs McLean of that state, and he is now here with the children on a visit to relatives. Mrs M. was the adopted daughter of Mr and Mrs John Rodgers, of the Centre.
A young gentleman with an unusual fondness for cake, but too modest to see his name in print, has received an elegant large silver cake knife from sympathetic friends, and now if some one will supplement this gift with a spoon of equal dimensions, for his sauce, his heart's desire will be granted.
MAUD.
A penny saved, etc. \$100 for 50 cents in the Building and Loan Ass'n.
Attend R. O. Church's auction Nov. 14, 1 1/2 miles west of Clarksville.
Alton.
Mrs Geo. Barnes is improving.
Mrs Geo Moon is visiting her son, A. L. Moon.
Wm. Bliss is among the many at the big fair.
Oscar Schofield is putting up a new building.
Mrs Otis White visited at Geo. Barnes' last Friday.
Mr Claffin, of Saranac, visited at C. Francisco's last week.
Mrs Effie Sherman returned last Friday from the World's Fair.
Mr and Mrs John Andrews have returned from the World's fair.
Richard Huckleberry will move from his farm near Alton in a few days.
Mrs Andrew Mudge, of Grant Station, was buried at Alton last Thursday.
Richard Willetts and wife, of Fairplains, Sundayed with A. L. Moon.
Otis White started Wednesday for the White City to take in the last days of the fair.

A. M. Barnes returned from the World's fair last Wednesday, well pleased with the gorgeous.
Fred Ford and wife, John Waltz, Jud Hapeman and Geo. Lewis, from Dakota, are supplementing their World's Fair trip by visiting friends here.
One dollar and four cents in cash and the JOURNAL one year for One Dollar in advance. See our premium offers on another page.
W. J. Ecker & Son, make and have a full stock of wooden evertroughs.
Keene News.
Morgan Titus is suffering from rheumatism.
James Trednick and wife spent Friday in Saranac.
Geo. P. Taylor and wife, of Lowell, took dinner Sunday at Will Trednick's.
Owen Sayles and family, of Vergennes, Sundayed with his parents, Mr and Mrs Chas Sayles.
Mrs Russell Anderson, of near Lake Odessa, has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs Morgan Titus.
What is the use of having a game law when men from Lowell and Saranac have been slaughtering the game against the law.
Miss Nora Kirby, of Keene and Mr Stephens, of St. Johns, have been taking the marriage vows. Their future home will be at St. Johns.
John Gaben has promised to protect and care for Miss Fr. stine in future years. Their home will be on the Wm. Gardner farm, near Smyrna.
Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs W. A. Gardner, in Vergennes, Truman Raymond, of Keene, to Miss Gertrude Gardner. We extend to Mr and Mrs Raymond our best wishes for their future happiness and may their pathway be strewn with flowers.
PANSIE.
H. Naah is the agent for the Bedwell Bean Thresher.
Attend E. O. Church's auction Nov. 14, 1 1/2 miles west of Clarksville.
Elmdale.
R. Loveland has finished drying apples for this season.
J. Lusk returned from the World's Fair, Thursday eve.
Theodore Foster is plastering his building at Elmdale.
C. S. English and wife of Lowell, were with his parents over Sunday.
Prof. J. D. Stannard and wife, of Col. arrived from the World's Fair, Saturday. They remain about a week.
J. C. English and wife, Mrs J. Lusk and daughter, Belle, attended the Kent grange at Whitteville the 25th. The hall was well filled.
There are some astronomers in this vicinity that claim to have seen in the south west each evening, just at twilight, an electric star sent up from the World's Fair electric exhibit. If they will examine their almanacs they will find they have been robbing Venus of the honor which she has been permitted to hold since the morning stars sang together.
Logan.
Wayne Pardee, of Lowell, was in town Monday.
Mrs Etta Fuller of Gd. Rapids is the welcome guest of her friends here.
Merton Nash spent a few days of last week in Chicago at the World's Fair.
Several from this place attended the funeral of Mrs J. Godfrey of Bowne Centre Monday.
Lewis Lite, wife and Mrs Hunsberger attended the funeral of A. Zelner, at Caledonia Sunday. Mrs Hunsberger remained and will visit relatives in Dutton before returning home.
News reached us Saturday of the death of A. Zelner of Caledonia father of S. Zelner formerly of this place but now of Caledonia. The funeral services were held Sunday from his residence.
We are pleased to report our friend Miss Kate Johnson of Bowne Centre who has been so very ill for the past 5 weeks as being very much better and gradually recovering her health and strength.
BRIDGET.

Chapel.
The first snow of the season, Saturday morning.
D. J. McNaughton, Will Trumbull, and Shirley Brownell went to Chicago last week.
A letter from Orb Smith states that he is improving in health very fast, but had the misfortune to have his trunk and everything in it burned. He escaped with but a very scanty outfit.
Some person went into Emory Smith's last Sunday evening, when all except a boy were away and started up stairs, but hearing the boy jump out of bed, the intruder shouted "fly there" and left the house in time to escape. Several times some one has tried it this summer.
Auction sale, Saturday, Nov. 4, on the David Young farm on the south bank of Silver Lake in Cannon Township.
East Lowell.
Miss Emma Patrick visited friends in Lowell last week.
Mrs Mary A. Rolf spent part of last week visiting friends in Kalamazoo.
O. Hendershott has a cousin visiting him from the south part of the state.
Mrs Bentley and Mrs Smith of Lowell, is visiting Mrs B's daughter, Mrs Eugene Hubbel.
Miss Hughson closed a very successful term of school last Saturday. Visitors, Madames Conklin, Kisor, Wisner, Story, Maynard, Parsons, Hubbel, E. Hughson and Miss Lena Godfrey, of So. Boston. The exercises were very nice. Homer Hubbel and Jacob Goy carried off the prizes.
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South Boston.
J. B. Pike is assisting Rev. A. G. Hartley break coals.
Mrs Freeman is visiting her son, P. C. Freeman and family.
The last visitors to the big fair from here are expected home Friday.
Miss Maggie Moors will speak to the young people at the M. E. church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. The older ones are also cordially invited to hear her.
Some inquiry has been made about when and where next L. D. Council will be held and So. Boston hall has been suggested by a party living quite a distance from here.
East Ada.
Frank Pant took in the World's fair last week.
A. Rolf and wife attended the Kent Co. Grange at Whitteville Wednesday.
Mr and Mrs Elias Parker and Mr and Mrs A. Rolf spent the Sabbath with Mrs Wm. Robinson.
Mrs and Mrs White, of Boston, Sundayed with Mrs White's parent, Mr and Mrs John Simpson.
Walter McCall was kicked by a horse, rendering him unconscious for an hour, but revived without apparent injury.
A Big Mill Burned.
MUSKOGON, Oct. 29.—Torrent & Ball's shingle mill burned Saturday night, entailing a loss of \$9,000, insured for \$1,500. The mill was erected last spring and had a capacity of 40,000 daily. The mill was running on Saturday and had enough timber in the boom to last all winter. The fire started in the boiler-room.
Robbed of His Savings.
ADRIAN, Oct. 28.—While John Koegel, reputed to be worth \$25,000, was eating his supper thieves entered his bedroom, broke open the trunk in which he had \$1,300 and carried off the money, together with some smaller amounts. During the recent bank scare he drew his cash out of bank.
To Raise Insurance Rates.
GRAND RAPIDS, Oct. 26.—Local insurance men announce that the state fire insurance agents have decided to raise rates November 1 and to enforce the 80 per cent. coinsurance clause. The change will materially affect the small towns in the state.
A Suicide's Body Found.
HANCOCK, Oct. 31.—The body of Thomas Franc was found hanging to a tree on the banks of Bear lake, west of here. The body was all dried up, indicating that it had been hanging there for a long time. There were no marks of violence.

AMERICAN CHILDREN.

WHEREIN THEIR EDUCATIONAL TRAINING IS DEFECTIVE.

The Subtle Distinction Between "Instruction" and "Education" Made by the Clever and Farseeing French—The Need of American Youth.

A subtle distinction between "instruction" and "education" is admirably drawn by that people most highly endowed with a strong analytical faculty, the French, with the habit of keen scrutiny, thorough investigation and just deduction usual with them. The difference existing between acquired knowledge on the one hand and inculcated virtues on the other has been embodied in these separate appellations, which carry with them two distinct meanings. Both may be largely possessed apart from the other.

But when both are combined in one individuality the highest degree of excellence has been obtained of which the human race is capable.

With us in America it is fair to state that instruction from books, in school and college, where the aim must of necessity be only the development of the mind and intellect, in conjunction with religious teachings from the pulpit and at the fireside, sums up the education generally given to the youth of the country, even among the prosperous and the wealthy. But between these two lines of education, both admirable and necessary, stands a more subtle and intangible form of mental and moral training which embraces the development of the finer chords of both the intellect and the sentiments having for effect not only to instill a desire for knowledge and virtue and a reproval of vice, but to educate as to the desirability of that superior excellence which enables the possessor to strive for the ideal graces and beauties, which, when understood and practiced, produce a perfect civilization.

That religion alone cannot give this result is shown by the fact that the extreme and beautiful polish to character and the broad aesthetics it evolves have been possessed by men and women who have acknowledged no attachment to religious creeds and again by members of Christianity and paganism alike, while the bookworm and the savant, whose mind is the crowded receptacle of a marvelous agglomeration of knowledge, may be absolutely lacking in this particular phase of culture.

It is this education, which does not apply exclusively to the intellectuality nor to the moral sense, but envelope the whole being through a cultivation of the receptive faculties and finer instincts, which is denominated "education" by the French, and which should be applied with greater care in America to the training of youth, for as a factor in enlightenment and progress its value is enormous. With the many splendid qualifications given by nature to the American citizen, and which the political institutions under which he lives has fostered, his sturdy self dependence, spirit of inquiry, his energy and natural intelligence, if aided by a strong development in this direction, would produce remarkable results both in the individual and for the masses.

For it is evident that from a cultivation

of this phase of the human mind springs the conception and execution of all that pertains to the arts, fine and industrial, they being the tangible expressions of the aspirations and genius of those from whom they have emanated. Unless the trend of a people be toward an ideal existence, stretching beyond the absorption of effort merely to supply the wants of man's physical life, neither poet, sculptor nor painter nor the artistic and accomplished artisan will emerge to adorn and testify to their civilization and their superiority. Indeed expansion in this direction proves the condition of national life with a sure and true precision.

The time has come when an education tending toward similar results should occupy public thought in this country, heretofore too exclusively engrossed in solving the problem of national existence. It is just to say, however, that there has been an advance, noticeable in large centers, which has been brought about by friction and competition and the contact with our nationalities, varying opinions and antagonistic creeds. But the general improvement has not been in accord with the capabilities in that direction of the American people, nor proportionate with the increased wealth, for outside of our large cities, in the interior portions of the country, life is still unjustifiably primitive, and those living on plain and frontier, in mountain and forest, are uncultured beyond what their isolation would justify.

Again it is noticeable that the education of the children of those classes possessed of ample means is in these United States generally superficial. The American early youth among the educated classes, which are those exerting the most influence on the destinies of a people, is not subjected to that sober discipline deemed necessary by the older nations of Europe as being a protection to them, against their own irreplicable impulses, through mental habits thus enforced, and as constituting a desirable tutelage in preparation for the later severe struggles of life. The overindulgence generally accorded the American child and youth is the cause of a general disregard of authority and careless attitude toward obligations, a distinctive feature of the American youth. On the part of those in authority the effort would seem to be to gloss over the unsound basis of a scanty learning by some few gaudy accomplishments, equally superficially possessed.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Standing the Landlady's Ralce.

Scores of poor fellows are waiting here in Washington city for for offices. It is really painful to meet some of 'em. One poor freckled devil from Arkansas told me today that he had just pawned his pistol for \$2, the last thing he had that was pawnable. He told me about four of his friends from the south that was boardin with a widow up on G street, all of 'em good poker players, but in bad luck. They hadn't paid any board for two weeks, and the old woman, thinkin to get rid of 'em, got up at the table the other mornin and said, "Gentlemen, the times is very hard, and the price of marketin is goin up, so I'll have to raise the price of board to \$10 a week." Nobody said a word for nearly a minute, and then one of the shoeing sports spoke up and said, "Madam, we stand the raise." The old lady is tryin to find out how much better off she is than she was.—The Major in New York Advertiser.

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