

Poetry.

PHANTOM DAYS.
The bodies with a blue mark all around the neck—'and here's another all around the neck—'and here's another all around the neck—'

Selected Miscellany.

BILL WILSON'S FIRST PLACE.
A Day's Life and a Life's Memory.
I suppose you know, said Bill, that I was born in London.

BEYOND YOSEMITE.

A "Tidy and cheerful Valley." The Grand Canyon in the Sierra-Astoria.
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ROMANCE.

An Accomplished Young Lady Became Inmate of an Asylum.
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CURRENT PARAGRAPHS.

Personal Items.
Jong Goveas just left for California. The Fax is expected at the Columbia, Ga., fall.

Foreign.

Blismark, the partition of "divine right" and like the King, wears with satisfaction the crown of his own people.

Prussia's Corp Commanders.

The Leipzig "Gartenlaube," in an article headed "A Dozen for a Million," gives a list of the names of the Prussian commanders of the twelve North German army corps.

The French Ruses in Flanders.

The majority of the progress classes in the North German army corps were prepared for the worst. All sorts of ruses were prepared for the worst.

The Fji (Cannals—War and Manoeuvres—Battling—Massacre.

The Fiji Times of July 23 describes the scene of the war in the north-west corner of the island.

Miscellaneous Items.

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AUSTIN BLAIR.

THE SENATORSHIP. Many persons are so constituted, that unless all with whom they meet, agree with them exactly, they are ready and eager for a quarrel.

We wonder if the writer of the above remembers applying to us by letter, in March 1865, asking us to ascertain his chances with the Provost Marshal for the clerical office of detainer under the President's proclamation; and after he came to Jackson in person, too late to accomplish his object, does he recollect borrowing ten dollars of us to pay a fine and save himself thirty days in jail, which money he has never found it convenient to pay.

Every soldier who left the State in 1861, has reason to remember this man with veneration. To him they were indebted for very many comforts that would have been withheld, had he not ordered their outfit, and waited five years to see the bills audited by the Government.

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Does the soldier population owe him anything? There are many alive to-day who would have rotted in Southern Hospitals, but for his instrumentality, many who were cheered by his words to do or die.

Michigan owes him any position in her power to give, and by placing him in the Senate, we would be paying a just tribute to the loyal record, strict integrity and unostentatious worth of the Michigan Soldier's best friend.

IMPORTANT TO Farmers, Gardeners, Millers, Shipwreckers, etc. USE COWAN & BRANHAM'S Magic Cream & Bed Bug Destroyer.

THE PEOPLE'S CHEAP STORE. HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF DRY GOODS, CLOTHS, CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, CAPRETS & OIL CLOTHS, Ladies' Furs &c.,

MR. FARMING. Warrant Fits, CLOTHING CUT AND MADE TO ORDER, in the LATEST AND MOST APPROVED STYLES. CALL AND SEE US BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

FOR READY PAY ONLY! Groceries cheaper than EVER, SPECIFIC PAYMENT RESTORED, NEW AND SPLENDID STOCK OF CROCKERY, GROCERIES & PROVISIONS AS LOW AS THE LOWEST.

HURRAH. SOMETHING NEW AT J. F. BARNARD'S, SIGN OF THE HORSE, HARNESS, BRIDLES, HALTERS, &c., OAK TANNED LEATHER, AT WHEAT PRICES. KEPT ON HAND.

WILSON, GARDNER & CO., PLAINING MILL! Ladies' Furs &c., KEPT ON HAND. PLAINING, RESAWING, SIDING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDINGS. Kept Constantly on Hand.

DEVDORF & BLAIN. NEW GOODS, DECLINE IN GOLD AT VERY LOW PRICES. DRY GOODS, HATS, CAPS, NOTIONS, &c., NECK-BOVES, EVERYBODY CALL AND SEE OUR NEW GOODS. N. L. McCARTY.

Avery & Johnson. MANUFACTURERS OF & DEALERS IN EVE-TROUGHS, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, WINDOW OR DOOR FRAMES, PLAIN OR FANCY, CHECKED OR COMMON. Flooring, Ceiling Cornice Lumber, Mouldings, of every description, &c.

CUSTOM PLANING MATCHING, RE-SAWING. SCROLL-SAWING, SHAPING, TURNING, & RIP-SAWING. DONE ON SHORT NOTICE. WE HAVE THE ONLY DRY KILN In town, and all the work we manufacture is made from kiln dried lumber.

REMEMBER The only place in town to get work made from Kiln-dried lumber is at AVERY & JOHNSON'S Factory East Side Flat River, Lowell, Mich.

ANNOUNCEMENT! The subscriber wishes to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has just to a large extent, completed the erection of the new building formerly occupied by the late Dr. H. E. FEENEY'S CATHARTIC SPECIFIC!

STARTLING!! GIFT! GIFT! GIFT! Here, Beautiful and Costly! DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT? Come and see, and you will be astonished!

Notice OCTOBER 12, 1870. ALL OUR WORK WILL BE SOLD FOR CASH OR ITS EQUIVALENT. Rooms to Rent. U. B. WILLIAMS.

Local Business Notices. WEST BROS. TRIM WALL PAPER AND BORDERING FOR THEIR CUSTOMERS WITHOUT CHARGE. New Goods just from New York at People's Cheap Store.

Local Business Notices. Ladies' Congress and Serge Gallies at People's Cheap Store. See those new style Children's Furs at People's Cheap Store. Ladies call and look at our splendid line of Shawls just received at greatly reduced prices at Rees Bros.

Local Business Notices. French Goggles and Cashmere. New York styles, at the People's Cheap Store. A large assortment of Fine Proof Barbers Ware cheap at E. B. Hunter's.

Local Business Notices. A splendid line of cloths and cassimeres for the custom trade at Rees Bros. The best stock of Albums in town just opened at Morris, opposite National Bank.

Local Business Notices. A large line of white and colored Blankets at Rees Bros. Clothing at Reduced prices at People's Store. Wilton's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic.

Local Business Notices. THE GREAT REMEDY, THE REAL GENUINE SYRUP at Dr. J. C. BARNARD'S. THE GREAT REMEDY, THE REAL GENUINE SYRUP at Dr. J. C. BARNARD'S.

LOCAL MATTERS. Church Directory. Congregational Church, Roman street, services every Sabbath at 10 o'clock. Methodist Church, Bridge street, services every Sabbath at 10 o'clock.

LOCAL MATTERS. Who Says Aye?—In consequence of the very many defects constantly being discovered in our village Charter, a new one has been framed and is now being prepared.

LOCAL MATTERS. DIED. PROCK—On Saturday, Nov. 15th, Lydia Prock, aged 70 years.

LOCAL MATTERS. By-Law in Relation to Swine. Be it ordained and established by the President and Trustees of the Village of Lowell.

LOCAL MATTERS. For Sale. A HOUSE AND LOT on the corner of Main and Second streets, in Lowell.

LOCAL MATTERS. Meeting of the Township Board. The Township Board of Lowell will be in session at the Clerk's office, on Wednesday, Dec. 1st, 1870.

Local Business Notices. The largest and choicest lot of Engraving ever brought to Lowell has just been received at Chapman's.

Local Business Notices. The Michigan Almanac for 1871 will be issued early in December. The astronomical portion will be again prepared by Prof. James C. Watson, of our State University.

Local Business Notices. MEDICAL ADVERTISEMENTS. Ladies' Dress Goods at Rees Bros. Ladies' plaid dress goods at People's Cheap Store.

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HARDWARE! ADAMS & FULLER! BUILDERS' HARDWARE, NAILS, LOCKS, LATCHES, KNOBS, BUTTS, HINGES, DOOR BELLS, DOORS, SASH, GLASS AND PUTTY. House Furnishing GOODS, Stoves, TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE, Sad Irons, Cutlery, Britannia Plated and Japanned Wre, PAIRS, WASH TUBS, SUGAR TUBS, WASH BOARDS, MOP STICKS, AND SMALL WOODEN WARE, MECHANIC'S TOOLS, AXES, AUGERS, BUTTS, FURMERS AND FRAMING CHISELS, HATCHETS, LEVELS, HAND PLANES, SQUARES, FILES, PLANES, ETC., ETC.

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

LEADING GROCERY HOUSE OF LOWELL.

Times are Hard, Wheat is Low, and Money is Scarce!

Therefore it behooves every Farmer, every Mechanic, every Laborer and every Merchant, to Economize; to husband his Resources. Be careful how you spend your Money if you wish to save it!

RIX ROBINSON,

Wholesale and Retail dealer in GROCERIES, Union Block, Lowell.

Call and See my fine Stock of

Canned Goods, Choice Rio and Java Coffees, Sugars, Farinaceous Goods, Salt and Dried Fish, Pickles, Sauces, Fine-cut chewing and smoking Tobaccos!

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRIED FRUIT, SOAPS, LARD, HAMS, DRIED BEEF, AND MESS PORK!

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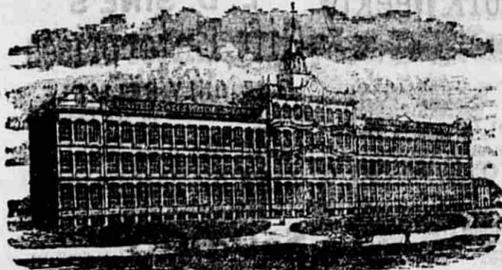
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ALL GOODS SOLD FOR CASH OR READY PAY.

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J. E. CHAPIN, Agent.



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Manufacturers of all grades of American Watches, Pocket Wonders, Key Wonders, and both Nickel and Frosted Movements. The finer grades all having three pairs of Crystal Plates, Case Jeweled, in gold settings, and accurately adjusted to Heat, Cold, and Position; and all even in the cheapest grades, have the "Straight Line" Escapement, with exposed Jewel, and Hardened and Tempered Hair Springs; and for our late improvement in stem winding mechanism we claim a strength, simplicity, and smoothness hitherto unattained in any other manufacture—at home or abroad.

Watch No. 1689—Bearing trade mark "Frederic Atherton & Co., Marion, N. J.," manufactured by United States Watch Co., has been carried by me since June, 1887; its total variation from mean time being only five seconds per month. F. A. HARKINS, Con'r Hud. Riv. R. R.

Watch No. 1124—Bearing trade mark "Frederic Atherton & Co., Marion, N. J.," manufactured by United States Watch Co., has been carried by me since June, 1887; its total variation from mean time being only five seconds per month. HENRY SMITH, Treas. Panama R. R., 33 Wall St.

We are pleased to refer below to a few well known parties who have given us their certificates, as to the superiority of the U. S. Watch Co. Watches.

GLIESBRO & CO., Manufacturers and Wholesale Jewelers, 142 LAKE ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

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WELL ESTABLISHED LIFE INSURANCE CO.

The Commonwealth is an all cash company—Premiums all cash. Dividends all cash, and Policies paid in full in cash, there being no Notes to deduct when the Policy is issued as a claim.

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BOOTS, SHOES, AND FURNITURE WARE ROOMS.

Remember your old friend WILLHELM, in Union Block, west side, when you want

BOOTS, SHOES, or any thing in that line, for he is prepared to sell at prices corresponding with the times.

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REMOVAL! PERRY BROS., THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE DEALERS IN

HATS CAPS, and FURS. IN GRAND RAPIDS. Have removed into Moran's beautiful Store, No. 11 Monroe St., ONE DOOR ABOVE THE OLD STAND.

Where we will be pleased to show our patrons, and all others that may favor us with a call, a large and selected stock of NEW GOODS, consisting of

Hats, Caps, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furs, Buffalo and Faucy Robes, Buck and Kid Gloves and Mittens.

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ALL THE NEW STYLES HATS & CAPS received direct from the Manufacturers as soon as issued. **ONE PRICE TO ALL.** Grand Rapids, Oct. 19th, 1870.

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STOCK OF MEN'S YOUTH'S & CHILDREN'S CLOTHING In the Valley City.

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A Splendid Variety for the Custom Trade,

To which especial attention is given, and all our customers may rely on getting a stylish and perfect fitting garment, made up in substantial shape. A very large and elegant stock of FURNISHING GOODS, a fine assortment of Water Proof Coats and Palmas from \$3.50 to \$9.50. Trunks, Valises, Satchels and Umbrellas—Our goods have been marked down to a SPECIE STANDARD. The principle established by this house a quarter of a century ago, is still strictly adhered to—i. e. one price to all, and all Goods marked in plain figures at the very lowest possible prices. When you visit Grand Rapids, and are in want of Clothing, or Clothes it will pay you to call at the great Wardrobe, the only strictly one price CLOTHING HOUSE in the City.

E. S. PIERCE & CO. No. 15 Canal Street Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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HATCH & CRAW. **CASH PAID FOR WHEAT!** Flour, Feed, &c., Constantly on hand.

WE HAVE IN OPERATION ONE OF FAIRBANK'S HAY SCALES. FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF THE PUBLIC.

Wanted. 300 PAIR OF HOME MADE SOCKS. Also home made yarns. SEE SHOW.

WARNER'S PILE REMEDY.

Warner's Pile Remedy has never failed (not even in one case) to cure the very worst cases of Piles, itching or bleeding Piles. Those who are afflicted should immediately call on their druggist and get WARNER'S PILE REMEDY. It is especially for the Piles, and is not recommended to cure any other disease. It has cured many cases over thirty years standing. Price One Dollar. For sale by druggists everywhere.

DYSPEPSIA.

Warner's Dyspepsia Tonic is prepared especially for Dyspepsia and those suffering with habitual Constipation. It is a slightly stimulating tonic and a splendid appetizer; it strengthens the stomach and restores the digestive organs to their healthy state. Weak, nervous and dyspeptic persons should use Warner's Dyspeptic Tonic. For sale by druggists. Price One Dollar.

COUGH NO MORE.

Warner's Cough Balsam is healing, soothing and expectorating. The extraordinary power it possesses in immediately relieving, and eventually curing the most obstinate cases of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Catarrh, Hoarseness, Asthma and Consumption is almost incredible. Be prompt in the relief and obtain its effects in all the above cases, or any affection of the throat and lungs, that thousands of physicians are daily prescribing it, and all say that it is the most healing and expectorating medicine known. One dose always affords relief, and in most cases one bottle effects a cure. Sold by druggists, in large bottles. Price one dollar. It is your own fault if you still cough and suffer. The Balsam will cure.

WINE OF LIFE.

The great Blood Purifier and delicious drink, Warner's Vinum Vigor, or Wine of Life, is used from any poisonous drugs or impurities, being prepared for those who require a stimulant. It is a splendid appetizer and tonic, and the finest thing in the world for purifying the blood. It is the most pleasant and delicious article ever offered to the public, far superior to whiskey, brandy, wine, bittern or any other article. It is more healthy, and cheaper. Both male and female, young or old, can take the Wine of Life. It is in fact, a life preserver. Those who wish to enjoy good health and a few doses of this medicine, will do well to take the Wine of Life. It is different from any thing ever before in use. It is sold by druggists, also at all respectable saloons. Price one dollar, in quart bottles.

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Warner's Emmenagogue is the only article known to cure the Whites, (it will cure it in every case.) Where in the family in which this important medicine is not wanted? Mothers, this is the greatest blessing ever offered you, and you should immediately procure it. It is also a sure cure for Female Irregularities. Sold by druggists. Price one dollar, or sent by mail on receipt of one dollar and a quarter. 612 State Street, Chicago, Ill. Farland, Shiley & Co., Wholesale Agents, Detroit. Hunt & Hubler Agents, Lowell.

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