



### A Southern Society Man.

In Senator A. J. Beveridge's brilliant article, "With Our Fighters in the Philippines," in last week's issue of The Saturday Evening Post, are many good stories. Here is one of them:

"The second time I was at our extreme front in Luzon I met a young man who is of one of the first families of the South. He is wealthy, highly accomplished, and what is known as 'a society man.' All that is charming or delightful in American life is his. You would not imagine that this low-spoken, rich-voiced, quiet-mannered gentleman, with all the characteristics of the ultra-fashionable American 'swell,' could be induced to fight in any manner, and much less to fight in the deadly contest of arms. Yet he had left all the allurements with which life and fortune and his own talents had surrounded him, and enlisted as a private soldier in Cuba. There he had risen, by cool gallantry, to the position of a commissioned officer. He had won his promotion absolutely without influence and solely by his courage and soldierly qualities.

"He had been in every fight up to the capitulation of Santiago. The fever had seized him and his health had been impaired. One might have imagined that his desire for army experience would have been satiated; but instead of satisfying the thirst for war, the hardships and dangers of the Cuban campaign only put a keener edge on it. So he traveled half way around the world, and here I found him in the interior of Luzon, not a member of the army, but, nevertheless, wearing a khaki uniform and seeking further opportunities to fight. Nor would he wait until the regular engagements came on. I saw him up at 5 o'clock in the morning, mounting his horse with a small scouting party, going on one of those desperate reconnaissances which, to the mere observer, look like expeditions to certain death. On one occasion he and two companions charged a group of sixty Filipino soldiers, and he himself captured four of them. I saw him the evening of the day on which the exploit was performed. He had already forgotten it and was 'nosing around' for some further adventure."

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### THE DRAMATIC ART.

#### Dr. Talmage Gives His Views of the Theater.

Lays the Drama, Rightly Directed, as a Source of Good—Should Be Purified, Not Suppressed—Good and Bad Plays.

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Washington, March 18.

At a time when the whole country is in controversy as never before concerning the theater, and some plays are being arrested by the police, and others are being patronized by Christian people, this sermon of Dr. Talmage is of much interest. The text is I Corinthians vii, 31: "They that use this world as not abusing it."

My reason for preaching this discourse is that I have been kindly invited by two of the leading newspapers of this country to inspect and report on two of the popular plays of the day—to go some weeks ago to Chicago and see the drama "Quo Vadis" and criticize it with respect to its moral effect and to go to New York and see the drama "Ben-Hur" and write my opinion of it for public use. Instead of doing that I propose in a sermon to discuss what we shall do with the dramatic element which God has implanted in many of our natures, not in 10 or 100 or 1,000, but in the vast majority of the human race. Some people speak of the drama as though it were something built up outside of ourselves by the Congreves and the Goldsmiths and the Shakespeares and the Sheridans of literature and that then we attune our tastes to correspond with human inventions. Not at all. The drama is an echo from the feeling which God has implanted in our immortal souls. It is seen first in the domestic circle among the children three or four years of age playing with their dolls and their cradles and their carts, seen ten years after in the playhouses of wood, ten years after in the parlor charades, after that in the elaborate impersonations in the academies of music. Thespis and Aeschylus and Sophocles and Euripides merely dramatized what was in the Greek heart. Terence and Plautus and Seneca merely dramatized what was in the Roman heart. Congreve and Farquhar merely dramatized what was in the English heart. Racine, Corneille and Alfieri only dramatized what was in the French and Italian heart. Shakespeare only dramatized what was in the great world's heart. The dithyrambic and classic drama, the sentimental drama, the romantic drama, were merely echoes of the human soul.

I do not speak of the drama on the poetic shelf, nor of the drama in the playhouse, but I speak of the dramatic element in your soul and mine. We make men responsible for it. They are not responsible. They are responsible for the perversion of it, but not for the original implantation. God did that work, and I suppose He knew what He was about when He made us. We are nearly all moved by the spectacular. When on Thanksgiving day we decorate our churches with the cotton and the rice and the apples and the wheat and the rye and the oats, our gratitude to God is stirred. When on Easter morning we see written in letters of flowers the inscription: "He Is Risen," our emotions are stirred. Every parent likes to go to the school exhibition with its recitations and its dialogues and its droll costumes. The torchlight procession of the political campaign is merely the dramatization of principles involved. No intelligent man can look in any secular or religious direction without finding this dramatic element revealing, unrolling, demonstrating itself. What shall we do with it?

Shall we suppress it? You can as easily suppress its Creator. You may direct it, you may educate it, you may purify it, you may harness it to multi-potent usefulness, and that it is your duty to do. Just as we cultivate the taste for the beautiful and the sublime by bird-haunted glen and roistering stream and cataracts let down in uproar over the mossed rocks, and the day lifting its banner of victory in the east, and then setting everything on fire as it retreats through the gates of the west, and the Austerlitz and Waterloo of an August thunderstorm blazing their batteries into a sultry afternoon, and the round, glittering tear of a world wet on the cheek of the night—as in this way we cultivate our taste for the beautiful and sublime, so in every lawful way we are to cultivate the dramatic element in our nature, by every staccato passage in literature, by antithesis and synthesis, by every tragic passage in human life.

Now, I have to tell you not only that God has implanted this dramatic element in our natures, but I have to tell you in the Scriptures He cultivates it. He appeals to it, He develops it. I do not care where you open the Bible, your eye will fall upon a drama. Here it is in the book of Judges, the fir tree, the vine, the olive tree, the bramble—they all make speeches. Then at the close of the scene there is a coronation, and the bramble is proclaimed king. That is a political drama. Here it is in the book of Job: Enter Eliphaz, Bil-

dad, Zophar, Elihu and Job. The opening act of the drama, all darkness; the closing act of the drama, all sunshine. Magnificent drama is the book of Job!

Here it is in Solomon's Song: The region, an oriental region—vineyards, pomegranates, mountain of myrrh, flock of sheep, garden of spices, a wooing, a bride, a bridegroom, dialogue—intense, gorgeous, all suggestive drama is the book of Solomon's Song. Here it is in the book of Luke: Costly mansion in the night! All the windows bright with illumination. The floor a quake

with the dance. Returned son in costly garments which do not very well fit him perhaps, for they were not made for him, but he must swiftly leave off his old garb and prepare for this extemporized levee! Pouting son at the back door, too mad to go in, because they are making such a fuss! Tears of sympathy running down the old man's cheek at the story of his son's wandering and suffering and tears of joy at his return! When you heard Murdock recite "The Prodigal Son" in one of his readings, you did not know whether to sob or shout. Revivals of religion have started just under the reading of that soul revolutionizing drama of "The Prodigal Son."

Here it is in the book of Revelation: Crystalline sea, pearly gate, opaline river, amethystine capstone, showering coronets, one vial poured out incarnadining the waters, cavalrymen of Heaven galloping on white horses, nations in doxology, halleluiahs to the right of them, halleluiahs to the left of them. As the Bible opens with the drama of the first Paradise, so it closes with the drama of the second Paradise.

Mind you, when I say drama I do not mean myth or fable, for my theology is of the oldest type—500 years old, thousands of years old, as old as the Bible. When I speak of the drama at the beginning and the close of the Bible, I do not mean an allegory, but I mean the truth so stated that in grouping and in startling effect it is a God-given, world-resounding, Heaven-echoing drama. Now, if God implanted this dramatic element in our natures, and if He has cultivated and developed it in the Scriptures, I demand that you recognize it.

Because the drama has again and again been degraded and employed for destructive purposes is nothing against the drama, any more than music ought to be accursed because it has been taken again and again into the saturnalian wassails of 1,000 years. Will you refuse to enshrine music on the church organ because the art has been trampled again and again under the feet of the lascivious dance?

Rev. Dr. Bellows, of New York, many years ago, in a very brilliant but much criticised sermon, took the position that the theater might be renovated and made auxiliary to the church. Many Christian people are of the same opinion. I do not agree with them. I have no idea that success is in that direction. What I have said heretofore on this subject, as far as I remember, is my sentiment now. But to-day I take a step in advance of my former theory. Christianity is going to take full possession of this world and control its maxims, its laws, its literature, its science and its amusements. Shut out from the realm of Christianity anything, and you give it up to sin and death.

If Christianity is mighty enough to manage everything but the amusements of the world, then it is a very defective Christianity. Is it capable of keeping account of the fears of the world and incompetent to make record of its smiles? Is it good to follow the fudal, but dumb at the world's play? Can it control all the other elements of our nature but the dramatic element? My idea of Christianity is that it can and will conquer everything. In the good time coming, which the world calls the golden age and the poet the elysian age and the Christian the millennium, we have positive announcement that the amusements of the world are to be under Christian sway. "Holiness shall be upon the bells of the horses," says one prophet. So, you see, it will control even the sleigh rides. "The city shall be full of boys and girls playing in the streets thereof," says another prophet. So, you see, it is to control the hoop rolling and the kite flying and the ball playing. Now, what we want is to hasten that time. How will it be done? By the church going over to the theater? It will not go. By the theater coming to the church? It

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will not come. What we want is a reformed amusement association in every city and town of the United States. Once announced and explained and illustrated, the Christian and philanthropic capitalist will come forward to establish it, and there will be public spirited men everywhere who will do this work for the dramatic element of our natures. We need a new institution to meet and recognize and develop and defend the dramatic element of our nature. It needs to be distinct from everything that is or has been.

I would have this reformed amusement association having in charge this new institution of the spectacular take possession of some hall or academy. It might take a smaller building at the start, but it would soon need the largest hall, and even that would not hold the people; for he who opens before the dramatic element in human nature an opportunity of gratification without compromise and without danger does the mightiest thing of this century, and the tides of such an institution would rise as the Atlantic rises at Liverpool docks.

There are tens of thousands of Christian homes where the sons and daughters are held back from dramatic entertainment for reasons which some of you would say are good reasons and others would say are poor reasons, but still held back. But on the establishment of such an institution they would feel the arrest of their anxieties and would say on the establishment of this new institution which I have called the spectacular: "Thank God, this is what we have all been waiting for."

Now, as I believe that I make suggestion of an institution which wiser men will develop, I want to give some characteristics of this new institution, this spectacular, if it is to be a grand social and moral success. In the first place, its entertainments must be compressed within an hour and three-quarters. What kills sermons, prayers and lectures and entertainments of all sorts is prolixity. At a reasonable hour every night every curtain of public entertainment ought to drop, every church service ought to cease, the instruments of orchestras ought to be unstrung. What comes more than this comes too late.

On the platform of this new institution there will be a drama which before rendering has been read, expurgated, abbreviated and passed upon by a board of trustees connected with this reformed amusement association. If there be in a drama a sentence suggesting evil, it will be stricken out. If there be in a Shakespearean play a word with two meanings, a good meaning and a bad meaning, another word will be substituted, an honest word looking only one way. The caterers to public taste will have to learn that Shakespearean nastiness is no better than Congrevean nastiness. You say: "Who will dare to change by expurgation or abbreviation a Shakespearean play?" I dare. The board of trustees of this reformed amusement association will dare. It is no depreciation of a drama, the abbreviation of it. I would like to hear 30 or 40 pages of Milton's "Paradise Lost" read at one time, but I should be very sorry to hear the whole book read at one sitting. Abbreviation is not depreciation.

On the platform of this new institution this spectacular, under the care of the very best men and women in the community there shall be nothing witnessed that would be unfit for a parlor. Any attitude, any look, any word that would offend you seated at your own fireside in your family circle will be prohibited from that platform. By what law of common sense or of morality does that which is not fit to be seen or heard by five people become fit to be seen or heard by 1,500 people? On the platform of that spectacular all the scenes of the drama will be as chaste as was ever a lecture by Edward Everett or a sermon by F. W. Robertson. On the platform shall come only such men and women as you would welcome to your homes. I do not make the requisition that they be professors of religion. There are professors of religion that I would not want in my parlor or kitchen or coal cellar. It is not what we profess, but what we are. All who come on that platform of the spectacular will be gentlemen and ladies in the ordinary acceptation of those terms, persons whom you would invite to sit at your table and whom you would introduce to your children and with whom you would not be compromised if you were seen passing down Pennsylvania avenue or Broadway with them.

On that platform there shall be no carouser, no inebriate, no cyprion, no foe of good morals, masculine or feminine. It is often said we have no right to criticize the private morals of public entertainers. Well, do as you please with other institutions, on the platform of this institution we shall have only good men and good women in the ordinary social sense of goodness. Just as soon as the platform of the spectacular is fully and fairly established many a genius who hitherto has suppressed the dramatic element in his nature because he could not find the realm in which to exercise it will step over on the platform, and giants of the drama, their name known to the world over, who have been toiling for the elevation of the drama, will step over on that platform—such women as Charlotte Cushman of the past and such

men of that expurgated drama, occupied only by these purest of men and women, will draw to itself millions of people who have never been to see the drama more than once or twice in their lives, or never saw it at all.

As to the drama of your life and mine, it will soon end. There will be no encore to bring us back. At the beginning of that drama of life stood a cradle, at the end of it will stand a grave. The first act, welcome. The last act, farewell. The intermediate acts, banquet and battle, processions, bridal and funeral, songs and tears, laughter and groans.

It was not original with Shakespeare when he said: "All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players." He got it from St. Paul, who, 15 centuries before that had written: "We are made a spectacle unto the world and to angels and to men." A spectacle in a coliseum fighting with wild beasts in an amphitheater, the galleries full, looking down. Here we destroy a lion. Here we grapple with a gladiator. When we fall, devils shout. When we rise, angels sing. A spectacle before gallery above gallery, gallery above gallery. Gallery of our departed kindred looking down to see if we are faithful and worthy of our Christian ancestry, hoping for our victory, wanting to throw us a garland, glorified children and parents, with cheer on cheer urging us on. Gallery of the martyrs looking down—the Polycarps and the Ridelys and the McKails and the Theban legion and the Scotch Covenanters and they of the Brussels market place and of Piedmont—crying down from the galleries: "God gave us the victory, and He will give it you." Gallery of angels looking down—cherubic, seraphic, archangelic—clapping their wings at every advantage we gain. Gallery of the King, from which there waves a scarred hand and from which there comes a sympathetic voice saying: "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." Oh, the spectacle in which you and I are the actors! Oh, the piled up galleries looking down!

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### Rat Year in Japan.

By a strange coincidence this is "mouse" or "rat" year, according to the oriental zodiac, and rats, as a cause of the spread of the bubonic plague in Japan, are at the same time being killed by the hundreds. A good price has been "set on their heads." The plague is raging chiefly in Osaka, where it got a good start in the factories; but Tokio, Yokohama and other places are adopting strict precautionary measures.

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For the next thirty days I will give 10 per cent. off on all Dry Goods. A good line in stock of

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My Grocery stock is always complete with first class goods at the lowest prices. Try my N. O. Molasses and 25c Coffee, none better in the market for the money. I still have a quantity of that 40c tea which I have had such a sale on the past season. The largest stock of Candies for the holidays ever on sale at Venice Center.

Be sure to call at my store and get the most and best for the money you ever got.

**E. H. BENNETT,**  
Venice Center, - - - N. Y.

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Great Furniture Sale.

The large stock of new Furniture and Carpets will be sold at a great cut on regular prices.

Compare these goods and prices with others:

Leather Seat Rockers	\$ 1.80
Oak Sideboards	12.00
Iron Beds, Springs and Mattress	8.50
Chamber Suits	14.00
Children's High Chair	.75
Ingrain Carpets, per yard	.35
Lace Curtains	75c. upwards

Come and see; ask prices and become convinced that our goods are new and of latest design, and that we have a complete stock of everything. Cheapest place in Western New York to buy Furniture.

**HERBERT'S,**

### King Ferry.

APRIL 12—Mrs. W. C. Brass, who has been ill for the past three weeks, is able to be out.

A birthday social will be given in the chapel by the Y. P. S. C. E. on Wednesday evening, April 18th, for the benefit of the church.

Miss Fannie Goodyear is home from Auburn on a vacation.

W. H. Lyon of Ithaca was in town Monday.

Rev. Geo. Laughton of Lake Ridge occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Harry C. Powers is occupying the George Rhodes farm near Atwater.

Miss Florence Mallison of Lansing visited her mother, Mrs. May Mallison, last week.

Miss Lena Garey is visiting friends in Rochester.

Rev. W. C. Brass and B. Lyon are attending Presbytery at Auburn.

Miss Martha Doolittle is home from Montour Falls.

Miss Anice Drake is visiting friends in Ithaca.

Mrs. L. Polhamus is in Ithaca receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. E. W. Sayer of Farmer visited her aunt, Miss Susan Jump, last week.

Miss Antoinette Bradley is home from Union Springs on a vacation.

George Shank is spending a few days with his brother at Farmer.

### Ingersoll Again Disappeared.

Great excitement prevailed on the street in Ithaca Monday morning when it was rumored that Charles Ingersoll, ex-county treasurer, had disappeared again. The report was at first discredited, but upon investigation proved to be true. He was seen to have boarded the 8:15 southbound train at the Inlet Lehigh Valley station that morning and a message from East Waverly said that he got off the train at that station at 9:15 o'clock. Shortly before 12 o'clock word was received that he had purchased a ticket for Nichols, but a report was received from there that he had not left the train at that place.

In supreme court Monday afternoon, at which Ingersoll was to have appeared, Judge Forbes ordered the forfeiture of the bail bond of \$10,000, as the bondsmen had failed to produce their charge. A bench warrant for the arrest of Ingersoll was also ordered.

### Society Notes.

The Old Maid's Convention will be held at the Academy Hall in Genoa, Tuesday evening, April 17th. At 8 o'clock sharp, President Josephine Jane Green will call the meeting to order with a glowing speech the like of which has never been heard in this vicinity before. Remember Prof. Makeover will be there with his Remodelscope and a great transformation will take place among the maids attending. Come and laugh with us for only 15c, children 10c.

### Baptist Church Notes.

BY THE PASTOR.

Subjects Sunday: Morning, "The Glory of the Easter Sun." Evening, "Boot-strap Religion." Special music at both services Sunday. Everybody welcome.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Lesson Luke vii:1-10. The pastor will give an exposition of the lesson.

Don't fail to hear the special sermon Sunday evening on "Boot-strap Religion."

### Looks Like a Go.

Confirmation of The Advertiser's exclusive announcement of the project to build a trolley line south crops out daily until now the statement is fully authorized that a trolley road will soon be connecting Auburn with the most fertile and the richest portion of Cayuga county. A survey, projected by some of the most substantial and solid men of southern Cayuga is now in progress, contemplating the construction of a line of trolley from Auburn to King Ferry, following the public highway from Auburn to Fleming, thence to "No. 1" on the Poplar Ridge road, through Scipioville, Venice and Sherwood to the stirring little village of King Ferry—sometimes called Northville. The promoters of the enterprise are citizens of ample resources and unquestioned enterprise and spirit, and they are fully persuaded that there will arise traffic along this thickly settled and wealthy region to warrant the investment of capital. As soon as the surveyor is ready to report, steps will be taken for the permanent organization of a company. This road would give the traveler a ride through the most prosperous country as well as through the most attractive scenery in western New York. Its advantages to Auburn would exceed those of any route that could be suggested in the county. Success to the promoters!—Auburn Journal.

### Notice.

I am prepared to clip horses for \$1. Satisfaction guaranteed.

### Regents' Examinations.

Among the students who were successful at the recent examinations at Moravia, we find the following from this vicinity:

READING—Herman Taylor.

WRITING—Herman Taylor.

SPELLING—Leon Davis.

ARITHMETIC—Ella Mitchell, Jennie Mitchell, Millicent Sellen, Herman Taylor.

GEOGRAPHY—Lizzie Andrews, Herman Taylor.

ADVANCED ENGLISH—Florence Loomis, Ernest Mead, Sadie Storm, Jennie Banker.

ENGLISH COMPOSITION—Geo. Storm.

ALGEBRA—Marion Ives.

PLANE GEOMETRY—Herman Taylor.

PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY—Millicent Sellen.

PHYSIOLOGY—Jennie Banker.

ECONOMICS—Vance Avery.

The Erie canal opened April 12th. But when will the great barge canal, price \$60,000,000, open?

Trainmen on the Lehigh Valley railroad are hereafter forbidden to read magazines or newspapers while on duty.

General Otis is coming home, at his own request. His future command will, probably, be the Pacific coast in place of General Shafter, who retires this summer.

Some of our contemporaries are calling Dewey "a shattered idol." Yet if a war should break out tomorrow between the United States and England, or France or Germany, this same Dewey would take command of the American fleet amid the enthusiastic plaudits of the American people.

The cost of imperialistic expansion up to date is \$250,000,200. This, be it remembered, is exclusive of the cost of the Spanish war. The highest net profit in sight is \$40,500,000, which goes to a few private individuals, the nation paying the bills. Is it worth it?—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

It was 50 years ago the first day of April that Charles Carpenter, of the Review force, began work at the printing business. With the exception of three years in the army during the Rebellion, Mr. Carpenter has spent the last half century at the case. But few men can show so long service, and we venture to say none can set more type in a day than he.—Farmer Review.

George Lingard, the "king of forgers," was released from Auburn prison Saturday morning, having completed a sentence of nine years and nine months for forging 207 checks on the Garfield National bank of New York in 1893. Lingard was a Sing Sing transfer, but all but twenty-six days of his sentence was passed in Auburn prison. He was met in the prison hall upon his release by his son, whose home is in New York and who will provide for him in the future. Lingard is 57 years old. He is mentioned in Byrnes's "Professional Criminals of America" as one of the most successful forgers in the country.

### Dr. Day, the Specialist,

will be at the Goodrich House, Moravia, Tuesday, April 17th, and at the Clinton House, Ithaca, Saturday, April 14th. His hours are 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. The doctor is a specialist in every sense of the word and is having great success in his line. Examinations free and private.

### Seed Potatoes.

Raised from James Vick's, Rochester, 1899. Will sell a limited number of bushels of Early Harvest, Early Queen, American Wonder, Maggie Murphy and Orphan. The two last are late and great yielders.

A second hand sheep or dog power for churning, 10 ft. wheel run by cogs, for sale.

It will be of interest to those who want to paint this season, to inquire of George Morrison for Ingersoll's Rubber Paint. Lasts longer than any other paint and is cheaper. Write for circulars and information to

GEORGE MORRISON,  
Five Corners, N. Y.

### DIED.

BUCKHOUT—In Scipioville, N. Y., Wednesday morning, April 4, 1900, Phillip Buckhout, aged 47 years, 5 months and 17 days.

GREEN—In Venice, Tuesday morning, April 3, 1900, Minnie E., wife of Alvin Green, aged 33 years.

DAVIS—In the town of Springport, N. Y., March 3, 1900, Miss Adelaide E. Davis, only daughter of Mrs. Josephine A. and the late John A. Davis, aged 29 years.

FOR SERVICE—Poland China, 2 miles south of Genoa village.

### A Large Award.

John Lee brought action against the D. L. & W. Railroad company for damages caused by a traction engine falling through a bridge two years ago. Last Monday, Judge Forbes presiding at the Ithaca term of the supreme court, the jury rendered a verdict in favor of Lee, allowing \$11,000 damages.

### Gard of Thanks.

We wish to return thanks to the kind friends and neighbors for their assistance and sympathy in our late bereavement. MRS. MARY CARTER,  
MR. ELMER CARTER.

### Business Opportunities.

For a bargain in second hand bicycles call at TRIBUNE office.

Do you want to save 10 per cent on wall papers? If so buy of T. J. WEBSTER, Moravia.

CISTERNS—All sizes at different prices. A. J. MERRITT, Genoa.

For prices on Osborne farm machinery inquire of Fay Teeter, East Venice. w5

FOR SERVICE—A thoroughbred Chester White boar. J. M. FRENCH,  
Five Corners. w6

### For Sale or Rent.

"Central Meat Market" in Genoa, with 40 tons best quality ice, well packed. J. S. BANKER.

### For Sale.

Solid Comfort Sulkey Plows, the best wheeled plow made. Cuts a furrow 14 inches wide, cast steel mold board, chilled point, and with three good horses will do as much work in a day as two walking plows with four horses and two men.

WILLIAM PIERCE.

Dated North Lansing, April 5, 1900.

### Born.

AUSTIN—At East Venice, Friday, March 30, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Austin, a daughter.

### Masonic Relief.

There was a large attendance at the eighteenth annual meeting of the Masonic Relief Association held in St. Paul's Lodge rooms at Auburn Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Donald McKay; vice-president, Wm. F. Claudius; secretary, W. E. Taylor; treasurer, A. W. Roseboom; directors, E. R. Carpenter, J. G. Hamilton, G. B. Sweeting, A. W. Roseboom, J. L. Elliott, J. D. Bixby, Robert Stoppard, Auburn; J. M. Freese, Cayuga; E. H. Crowninshield, Cato; W. H. S. Peckham, King Ferry; W. J. H. Parker, Moravia; C. Ball, Montezuma; Wm. Blake, Port Byron; D. P. Mersereau, Union Springs; Geo. W. Tibbetts, Venice Center; Milton Cartright, Weedsport.

Tully and Preble farms are in great demand just at present, and the cause of the recent advance in the price of land in that section is a mystery to the farmers themselves. Land has been purchased at from \$100 to \$200 per acre. Mason Carr, who resides in that section, has sold his farm of 70 acres to the Solvay Process Company of Syracuse, for \$7,000. It is thought that there is salt, oil and minerals hidden under the earth in that section.

### A. D. MEAD.

Genoa, N. Y. Painting, paper hanging and wood finishing.

### House and Lot For Sale.

House and 2 acres of land, good well of water, stable, corner and hen house. All the fruit necessary for family use. 1 mile west King Ferry, belonging to Mrs. Lydia Dolton. 36m08

### Poultry Wanted.

I will pay the highest market price for poultry at my residence near the Forks of the Creek.

MRS. A. CHAFFEE.

### WALL PAPER!

Having on hand

4,000 ROLLS

of 1900 Wall Paper, will sell it at 3 1-2c per roll up. Also Borders from 1c up.

Room Mouldings and Curtains

at price right.

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## Always Something New at Smith's.

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Jelly, all flavors, 5 lbs in wood pail, 25c

Horseradish Mustard with spoon, 10c

3 lb can Strawberry Beets, 15c

3 lb can Sauer Kraut, 10c

Dried Beef in glass jars, 25c

Ashtoin Salt, 78c

"Salada" a Ceylon Tea in black and mixed, put up in 4 oz pkgs. at 13c a pkg.

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## Wiard Plows and EXTRAS,

Clover and Timothy Seed,  
Imported - Danish - Cabbage  
Seed, at

Avery's Hardware,  
GENOA, N. Y.

## NEW SPRING STYLES OF FOOTWEAR

for Man, Woman and Child now on display. Complete lines of Black or Russet shoes and Oxfords in all the up-to-date styles.

A FEW SPECIAL VALUES—Ladies' black or tan Oxford's flexible soles, 75c; Ladies' black or tan shoes very stylish and easy, \$1.48; Men's Royal, a shoe that has style, comfort and wearing qualities of any 3.00 shoe, 2.50; Men's satin calf, lace or congress, good wear, 1.48; Men's Calf boots, 2.00; Men's plow shoes, 1.25.

Complete lines of every day shoes light or heavy weight at low prices. We have a complete line of Emerson shoes for gentlemen. We sell the "Cushionet" shoe for ladies. The finest shoe on the market for style, comfort and wear.

## KNOX & KNOX,

Leading Shoe Dealers of Central New York.

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## It's Just as We Expected

Our Spring Stock is the most attractive, best made and lowest priced (value considered) than any we have ever had to offer.

We feel more than repaid for the months of labor and study spent in gathering this magnificent collection together.

You do yourself an injustice and us too, if you don't give us a look.

## C. R. EGBERT,

The People's Clothier, Hatter, Furnisher,

75 GENESEE ST., AUBURN.

**THE time for Bicycles is drawing near and if you are going to get a new one or have the old one repaired stop in and give me a talk. I repair watches, clocks or bicycles at reasonable prices. Remember the place.**  
C. S. HILL,  
Genoa, N. Y.

**GENOA MAIL SERVICE.**

Mail closes for Locke, 6:55 a. m., 5:55 p. m.; for East Venice 1:00 p. m.; Ithaca 1:00 p. m. Mail arrives from Locke 12 a. m., 9:10 p. m.; E. Venice 11:30 a. m.; Ithaca 12:30 p. m. Office open Sunday from 12:00 to 1:00.

LEE HEWITT, P. M.

Auburn stage leaves daily except Sunday at 6:45 a. m. Orders promptly attended.  
WILL EATON.

**THE VILLAGE NOTES**

**NEWS PICKED UP BY THE TRIBUNE REPORTERS.**

**What Has Happened in Genoa During the Past Seven Days—An Interesting Page.**

The man wont be in it—  
He can't make it pay—  
Who works by the minute  
And works by the day.

—Give us a kick at your job printing.

—Rev. W. A. Pugsley was at Ithaca on business Friday.

—Song from the nursery: If at first I don't succeed I cry, cry again.

—A true sign of spring—a pack peddler appeared in town recently.

—A. D. Mead has been doing some paper hanging at Locke this week.

—By and by it will be warmer, and then we will not need that oil stove.

—Fred Seaman attended the funeral of a brother who died at Ithaca Tuesday.

—Barton Michael, representing the firm of Leiter Bros. of Syracuse, was in town Saturday.

—Charles Harris of Rochester has joined his family here for a few days, stopping at Hotel DeWitt.

—L. A. Lester of East Venice spent a portion of last week with his brother Fred Lester, at Ticonderoga.

—John W. Nellis of Geneva, traveling salesman for McCormick farm machinery, has been in town this week.

—The certificate of incorporation of the New York, Auburn & Lansing railroad company appears on another page in this issue.

—Mrs. R. Myers was suddenly called to West Danby, on account of the serious illness of a daughter and two grandchildren.

—Miss Lizzie Andrews of Lansingville was calling on Genoa friends last Monday. She will assist Mrs. Arthur Sellen this season.

—Henry Howe, W. R. Mosher and a machinist from Auburn have been making extensive repairs and alterations at the creamery, preparatory to doing a large business this season. Mr. Mosher is now painting the buildings, which is a great improvement. Business will begin there on Monday April 23.

—Get out the road machines. You can do more good with it now in two days than you can next fall in ten days. Get the roads and ditches in good condition now as soon as the weather will permit, and it will require very little work through the season to keep the highways nice. Isn't that so?

—Those sidewalks! What can we say that will help this matter? What can property owners be thinking of to allow such a condition of affairs to exist right in the village. Here's property owned by people residing out of town; if you rent it you pay a good fair price, but they will neither drive a nail or paint a board to improve it. Renters of property should insist that it be kept in decent repair and the owners should certainly care enough about it to see that the walks

—Charles Carson was in Cortland on business yesterday.

—A. G. Avery was a business caller at the county seat on Tuesday. Silk front shirts at Smith's.

—Lee Hewitt was in Cortland a day or two on business this week.

—Mrs. A. B. Fox of Ithaca has been the guest of Cortland friends the past two weeks.

—Miss Leola Stoddard of Groton was a pleasant guest of Miss Lena Gilkey a few days last week.

Ceylon Tea at Smith's.

—The dates upon our subscription list were corrected Wednesday. Is yours all right?

—George J. Holden, a well-known resident of the east end, is reported quite seriously sick.

—F. C. Whitten, the popular East Venice merchant, was looking after new goods in the Syracuse markets last week.

—James Mallison and family have moved from Aurora onto E. B. Whitten's farm, which they will occupy this season.

My line of new spring millinery is now ready; call and see the novelties of the season. Mrs. B. HUNT.

—A. A. Miller left on Tuesday for a trip west, selling bridges. He recently shipped a fine pointer dog to parties in Olean.

—A full Water Set for 33 cents at Smith's.

—Hop at the rink tomorrow eve.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jacobs and daughter, Miss Augusta, have gone to visit friends in Philadelphia and Washington.—Ithaca News.

—Dr. M. J. Foran has returned from Baltimore and resumed his veterinary practice here. His numerous friends are glad to see him back.

—Orson Williamson and family left Monday for Solvay, where he has employment in the Solvay Process Company.—Moravia Republican.

Market baskets 5c at Smith's.

Bring your boots and shoes to Singer's store for repairs. J. M. DENSON.

—We don't know where you can find a larger 10-cent counter than the one at Smith's store. Glassware of dainty and useful design in endless variety.

—S. S. Goodyear makes some timely statements in his space on another page this week. His place is headquarters for farm machinery and tools of all kinds.

Hop at the rink Saturday evening.

Sauer Kraut at Smith's.

—Misses Vernetta Hathaway and Mary Mosher of Auburn are in town, assisting in the arrangements for the Old Maids' Convention, which will be held in Academy hall next Tuesday night.

—Knox & Knox, the State street shoe dealers, make a statement of some of their specials in another column. It will pay you to read it and give them a call; their store has been decorated handsomely for Easter.

—Ashton's, Puritan and Diamond Salt at Smith's.

—You can usually tell whether a man has any gimp in him or not by the way he shakes hands. I don't care how "smart" a person apparently is, he betrays the lack of the honest conviction of his position unless he shakes hands with a friend as tho' he had some interest in the matter.—Norwich Sun.

Hop at rink, Saturday evening.

New 10-cent counter at Smith's.

—The lecture by Mr. Hawks was largely attended and the deviating temper of the audience demonstrated that he has perfect control of his hearers from start to finish. Mr. Hawks also favored the people with practical and interesting addresses on Sunday and Wednesday evenings, having cancelled his lecture date at Locke.

See what you can get for 10 cents at Smith's.

I have taken charge of my hotel at Genoa and wish to state that the public may find good favors in the way of lodging and meals there. I do not make a specialty of "wet goods." Trusting to merit a share of public trade I am yours respectfully,  
FRANK SELLEN.

New milch cow for sale or exchange for other stock. D. Bradley, K. Ferry.

FOR SALE.—Chester White brood sow 2 years old, and three good general purpose hogs. Will sell cheap if called soon. Cash or credit.

**North Lansing.**

APRIL 9—Mrs. Mary Small is contemplating making quite extensive repairs on her barns. Wm. Singer is the carpenter.

Ed Buck and wife attended the Hawks lecture at Genoa last Monday evening and were the guests of Herbert Gay and wife until Tuesday. Those who did not hear the lecture missed a great treat.

Chas. Barger and wife were called to Ithaca last Sunday to meet their sons, Lonson and Frank Barger, from New York City who had come to spend the day with their brother, Henry Barger and family, returning to New York on the evening train.

Dana Singer was at Ithaca on jury duty all last week.

Rev. Mr. Bonham, an evangelist, will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. We hope a large audience will greet him.

Mrs. Helen Conrad, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Bowman, in Groton, has returned home.

Mrs. Walter Havens had a severe attack of the grip last week.

Mrs. Eva Gallagher returned from Groton Monday where she has been taking care of her daughter, Mrs. Perry Kelsey.

John Pierce and wife have moved their household effects to her father's, David Bothwell, and will remain there for a short time.

**Ludlowville.**

APRIL 10—Remember the Easter social in the M. E. church Friday evening, April 13, when the autograph quilt will be sold to the highest bidder. An Easter supper will be served for 10 cents. Eggs will be served in any manner requested. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Sterling has moved in the rooms vacated by J. B. Mack; Mrs. M. Beverly has moved in the rooms vacated by Mrs. Sterling; Robt. Crandall has moved in the house formerly occupied by Samuel Van Patten.

Miss Adelaide Krotts spent last week with Belltown friends.

The pupils of the Union school enjoyed a short vacation last week.

Frank Woolley has moved in the house vacated by Leonard Austin.

Easter exercises will be rendered in the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Miss Mary Townley and Mrs. Helen Thomas expect to return from their winter sojourn in Washington, D. C., April 18th.

Mrs. N. D. Chapman and daughters of New York are guests of her parents, W. E. Lyon and wife.

An "olde tyme concert" was held in the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening of this week. The proceeds are for the bell fund.

At a meeting of the Board of Education of the Ludlowville Union school held April 3rd, resolutions were passed expressing the appreciation and satisfaction of the board, with the work, methods and results obtained of the principal, Mr. Clifford Edwards, and the teachers of the intermediate and primary departments, Miss Rosamond Sherman and Miss Leonora Farr, and inviting them to accept the positions they now hold, for the coming year. With the ending of the current school year, Mr. Edwards will have completed his fifth year as principal of this school. Coming to it as he did, newly organized from a common district school, having one teacher in one room, now under his able guidance, in its pleasant new building, its three departments, its library and apparatus, it takes rank second to none in the state, of its class, in its ability to push toward the education required to keep in the race in the 20th century.

**Special Shoe Sale for a Limited Time!**

Wishing to more thoroughly introduce the quality and kind of shoes I sell, I will for a limited time sell as follows in ladies' fine shoes:  
\$3 shoes for 2.50; 2.50 shoes for 2.00; 2.00 vesting tops for 1.65; 1.75 vesting tops for 1.35; 1.75 all vici kid for 1.35. A child's heavy oil grain shoe for 65c; miss's kangaroo line 8 Child's \$1.05.

**Foster, Ross & Baucus.**

(THE BIG STORE)

**EASTER GREETING**

**We Have Made Special Preparation in Anticipation of Your Easter Wants.**

It may only a fable be that good luck will attend the wearing of something new Easter Sunday. Nevertheless the world is the happier for it.

**GLOVE DEPARTMENT**

Ladies' gloves, men's gloves, children's gloves, kid, mocha, chamouis, silk, lisle, taffeta, ladies' 2 clasp glace kid gloves 79c; ladies' 2 clasp glace and suede kid gloves, the best gloves in the world for the price, \$1 a pair, other grades 1.50 and 1.75; men's kid gloves, medium weight newest shades, excellent quality, specially adapted to street wear 98c pr. Other makes 1.50, 2.00.

**LACES AND FANCY NECKWEAR**

Latest effects in dainty stocks, bows, fichus, lace scarfs, ribbon ties, Renaissance lace collars, fancy laces, etc.

**FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT**

Pulley garters, pulley belts, beaded belts, fancy elastic hose supporters, rings and buckles for pulley garters and belts, sterling silver novelties, shirt waist sets, jewelry, etc.

**MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT**

Neckwear—Light or dark, just as fancy dictates, the newest shapes, the latest colorings, and the most perfect qualities. Tecks, puffs, imperials, strings and bows, 25c 50c \$1 \$1.50.

Shirts—White and colored, laundered or negligee, best values ever shown. Our 50c collection unquestionably the best in the shirt world. Perfect assortments of hosiery, suspenders, collars and cuffs, medium and light weight underwear, and men's furnishing goods of all kinds. A fine collection of boys' white and colored shirts 50c and \$1.00.

**MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AND CORSETS**

Special values in Muslin underwear. All the desirable makes of corsets at correct prices.

**RIBBON DEPARTMENT**

We have gathered together a beautiful collection of plain and fancy ribbons in all the new weaves. See the special lot of fancy ribbons at 25c yard. We will be pleased to show you a praiseworthy stock of tailor made suits, jackets, capes, silk and other shirt waists, dress goods, boys' clothing, upholstery goods, wash fabrics, etc. Mail orders promptly attended to. Standard patterns. Delicious ice cream soda.

COME, SHOP WITH US.

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**Spring 1900**

JUST ARRIVED—LARGE INVOICE OF  
**Conklin's Fancy Re-cleaned  
Timothy and Clover Seed.**  
Garden and  
Field Peas.

**PAINTS and OILS,**  
Dairy Supplies,  
Steel Roofing and Builders'  
Supplies,  
Carriage Sponges,  
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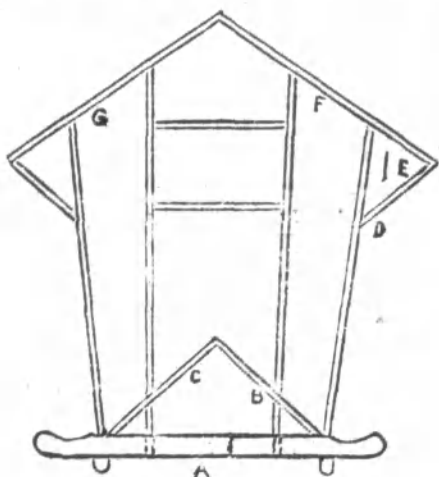
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**PORTABLE SELF-FEEDER.**

Total Cost, Including Lumber, Hardware and Labor, Will Not Exceed Sixty Dollars.

A correspondent of the Breeders' Gazette describes a self-feeder successfully used on his farm. The frame work is all bolted together, as nails will not withstand the strain when pulling the feeder from one field to another. The runners are made of heavy 3x10 oak planks, each 16 feet long and placed 6 1/2 feet apart. The runners are rounded at both ends so that it can be pulled either way. Nine 2x4 joists, each nine feet long, are bolted onto the runners, about two feet apart. These joists are then fastened together by 2x6 joists, which project over the runners far enough to support the feed trough. The trough is built about the width of a scoop. This permits of easily re-



PORTABLE SELF-FEEDER.

moving the grain from the trough should you choose to do so. This, however, is seldom done. The bottom of the feeder is built high in the middle and slopes to the feed trough on either side. The roof projects a little over the sides and measures about 14 feet from eave to eave. A door or cover is provided at either side for the feed trough. If one has cows in the lot at night, but wishes calves to graze from the feeder during the day, he can simply drop the lid when the cows are in the lot and raise it on turning them out. Calves can then eat oats or shelled corn or whatever you may have in the feeder for them. Cut the rafters for the floor out of 14-foot 2x4's, making them each 3 1/2 feet long; 36 rafters of this sort will be needed for the bottom of the drop on the sides.

After the feeder is sided up with shiplap or flooring, the roof of 1x3 sheathing is put on, which is afterwards covered with shingles. It is a good idea to put several braces across the feeder from eave to eave. Bolt these to the 2x4's. Strength will be given to the structure by running a half-inch rod the length of the feeder and making it fast just below the grain doors. The feeder is about 16 feet long, and has a capacity of about 1,000 bushels of corn. Total cost, including lumber, labor and hardware, will be about \$50 or \$60. From 50 to 60 cattle can be fed at one of these feeders. Have slides in the troughs so the amount of grain can be adjusted to the kind of feed.

**USING STRAW STACKS.**

Every Farmer Who is Raising Small Grain Has This Rather Weighty Problem to Solve.

If he is a good farmer he will not allow the stack to stand and rot down. Aside from waste, there is nothing about a farm more unsightly than old straw piles. A neat and energetic farmer does not have them. He finds a use for all the waste on his farm, and therein lies the secret of success. There is wealth and prosperity for the man who utilizes all the waste. The way to use straw is as a feed. By the usual method of stacking, its value as feed is very soon destroyed, however. It is the common practice to put the boys on the straw pile when threshing. Such a thing as stacking the straw to keep it is rarely thought of. The only idea is to get it away from the machine so that the threshing may progress as fast as possible. Well preserved, bright straw fed to cattle as a rough feed would prove of great value.

It would prove of great value, also, in the construction of sheds. A shed made by piling straw around and over a framework of posts and poles is much warmer than any shed that is made of lumber. A lean-to made of straw, facing the south, where the chickens can run and scratch on the warm days of winter, will more than pay for the trouble of making it in the number of eggs laid. As a bedding for cattle and horses, it can have no superior. It readily absorbs the liquid manure, which is the most valuable part, and is usually lost. It is thus converted into a most valuable fertilizer if hauled directly from the barn to the fields. Nothing is then

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The Michigan experiment station bulletin says: For the silo the corn may well be planted in drills about three and a half feet apart and with the kernels from two to six inches apart in the row. In a very wet season a heavier crop may be harvested from plots drilled with a grain drill, every tube sowing, but the greater yield of protein and other nutrients was found in our experiments to be in the crop planted with less seed per acre.

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### WAR OVER FUNERALS

Trouble in New Orleans Between Rival Factions.

Friends of New and Old Customs of Putting Away the Dead Stand by Their Respective Methods as Right.

A fierce war, impossible anywhere else in the country, is waging in New Orleans over what are known as "death posters," the odd little bills to be found tacked on every lamp-post or telegraph pole and every vacant board in the city announcing the death of Mr. So-and-So, giving his birthplace, etc., the hour of his funeral and inviting friends and acquaintances to participate in the ceremonies. The war has been brought about by the proposition of a member of the city council to prohibit the posting of funeral notices in public places on the ground that it produces most unfavorable impressions on strangers and visitors. The proposition is resisted, as this custom is of the greatest antiquity. Conservatism is very strong here; the disposition of people is to do as their fathers and grandfathers did; and there is a very general sentiment at the constantly repeated demand that old customs and habits should be abandoned here lest they might offend or be misunderstood by strangers. Such radical changes, they declare, have been made in the last ten years, so many cherished privileges surrendered, that New Orleans will soon lose all its peculiarities and drop down to the dead level of the average western or southern town. The duel has been abandoned in deference to this new sentiment, the throwing of flour and confetti on the carnival prohibited, a Sunday law enforced on the least Sunday-observing community in the world, and a hundred other changes insisted on to make New Orleans, with its large Latin population, its cosmopolitan idea and its ancient traditions conform to the habits and ideas of other American cities. The war over death posters, therefore, is a clear fight between the supporters of the old regime and the innovators or iconoclasts, who insist that New Orleans must be made a modern city and drop its old habits and customs.

Funerals are a matter of far more moment in New Orleans than in any other American city. They are larger, more impressive and more expensive. Of old, brass bands at funerals playing funeral marches were almost universal, but that was complained of by people living on the streets leading to the cemeteries, who said that Sunday, the usual day for funerals in New Orleans, was made hideous by a constant succession of funeral parades, playing the dead march from "Saul," and other lugubrious tunes. As for the expense, it has become at times so heavy as to swallow up most of the estate of poor people, and the Catholic clergy have more than once interfered and urged that, in the interest of the widow and the orphan, the funeral be less elaborate and expensive.

Among the creoles the practice prevails of wearing mourning for even distant relatives, and there is a funeral etiquette which determines just how long first and second mourning shall be for uncles, aunts, cousins, etc. Strangers are always struck by the large number of creole women in mourning, and even this is objected to by the advocates of new customs on the ground that it produces an unfavorable impression giving rise to the idea that New Orleans is very unhealthy, and that it suffers from a large number of deaths, whereas in consequence of the intermarriage of creole families a single death may plunge several hundred persons in mourning. But the respect which New Orleans feels for the dead is best shown on All Saints' day, which ranks next to Mardi Gras as the city's great holiday. The entire population visits the cemeteries to decorate the graves with flowers and other emblems, and spends the day there in communion with the dead. Few customs have yielded less to innovations than these in regard to

funerals, hence a proposition to make it a misdemeanor to invite persons to funerals by sticking up posters has raised a storm of protest, and the whole battle between the old regime and the new will be fought over. When first introduced, some weeks ago, the ordinance was tabled in the council, so strong was the sentiment against it, but it has come up again this week, re-enforced in strength. Strange to say, the undertakers are generally against it. They say that it adds considerably to the expense of funerals to post these death notices all over the city. Moreover, it is no longer necessary, as all deaths and notices of funeral are published in the papers. As it is, the death posters are not taken down and remain tacked on the posts and boards perhaps for months until the weather removes them. The consequence is that a large number accumulate, and give the impression of much sickness and a very heavy mortality. It is as though people would see crape hung on every other door.

The death poster has been somewhat modified of late years. Originally it was of the usual mourning paper pattern, with some funeral scene on it, perhaps a hearse, a tomb with weeping willows over it or something else of a character to suggest death. The old posters were so varied as to be interesting, and as high as \$30 has been paid for a collection of them. Latterly these posters and mortuary mottoes and poetry have gone out of fashion, and they merely give the formal notice of death and funeral and an invitation to friends, families and societies to attend the funeral.—N. Y. Sun.

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