



NEWS OF THE STATE

EVENTS IN AND OUT OF THE EMPIRE STATE.

Paragraphs of the Week's Happenings Clipped from the Tribune's Exchanges.

Groton firemen will hold a fair July 2-4.

An eclipse of the sun will occur on the morning of May 28.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Main of Locke, May 6th, a daughter.

The Ithaca Band may be heard at the Pan-American exposition in Buffalo next year.

George E. Carr of Barber's Corners, Ledyard, has been granted an increase of pension to \$10 per month.

The wagon trade seems to be brisk in Moravia this spring. J. Fitch Walker sold thirty last week.

The erection of the new Presbyterian church at Ithaca will employ about fifty men during the season.

Edward E. Bacon of Groton advertises for a lady between 14 and 28 years to write. Object, early marriage.

Frank Bundy, the defaulting city chamberlain of Elmira, was sent to Auburn prison for six years and six months.

Hiram Cronk of Dunn Brook, Onondaga county, is 100 years old this month. He is the sole surviving pensioner of the war of 1812, receiving a pension of \$8 per month.

The steamer Frontenac, which was sold at auction last Thursday, was purchased by E. M. Marshall for \$8,000. He has not yet decided what he will do with it.

Political orators must be cautious in their utterances during the approaching presidential campaign, as it is said there are 650,000,000 dozen eggs in cold storage in this county.

S. H. Laney died in Elmira last week, aged 64. He owned the white paper mill at Ithaca, and his peddling carts were all over this part of the state for years, gathering rags and paper.

Landlord Baker of Cascade has had a hard winter. He has been in bed four months with a broken hip and leg and is only just able to be around on crutches. He will open the Cascade hotel, May 15th, for his tenth season.

The harrowing story about a young man being buried alive at Sandy Creek, which has been going the rounds of the papers in the central part of the state for some weeks, proves on investigation, to be, like all other such stories, untrue.

The large boiler in Tupper Brothers' creamery at Eaton exploded Thursday morning, because of low water. The engineer, Silas Stillman, who was trying to make the injector work, was badly burned about the face, neck and arms.

Miss Margaret Dillon of Cortland was seriously injured at Syracuse recently while attending a bowling party. A ball in the returning alley jumped the track and struck her in the forehead, cutting a gash and inflicting a severe contusion.

General Otis was relieved from the command of the army at Manila on the 5th inst., and immediately sailed for the United States. He is expected to be in Rochester on June 15, where a big demonstration will be made in his honor. General McArthur succeeds him in command of the Philippines.

The latest pension scheme, said to be backed by the Grand Army, is to abolish the pension officials and the soldiers' homes and pay every old soldier a uniform pension of \$1 a day during life. It is claimed that such a plan while greatly to the benefit of the soldiers, would effect a large saving to the government treasury.

Alex. Mahan of Cortland brought a suit in supreme court against Dr. H. R. Palmer of New York, who has for a number of years conducted the mu-

sic festivals in Cortland, to recover \$1,000 damages for an alleged violation of contract, the defendant failing to appear last fall according to agreement. Mr. Mahan was non-suited, but announces that the case will be appealed.

Preparations are now being actively made for the installation of an acetylene gas plant in this village. It is reported that the necessary number of lights to insure the plant have been secured and that the piping, etc., has been ordered. Arrangements should be made as soon as possible with the company to light our village streets.—Locke Times.

A relic in the form of a two-dollar bill was found by H. C. Severence of Phelps among some old papers the other day. The bill is 2 by 3 1/4 inches, is of peculiar design and printed in black. On its face is the following inscription: "The United States colonies, two dollars. This bill entitles the bearer to receive two Spanish milled dollars or the value thereof in gold or silver, according to resolution of congress passed at Philadelphia February 17, 1776."

Chas. Ingersoll was brought back to Ithaca last Saturday and placed in jail. He went from Ithaca to Harrisburg, Pa., thence to Chicago, and, after a week there, on to San Francisco, where he spent a week under the name of Chas. McNutt, boarding on Eddy street. He was arrested while taking a stroll near his boarding place. This is the second time Ingersoll was in San Francisco, the first occasion being July 4, 1865, when he was a sailor on the U. S. battleship Lancaster. Ingersoll was brought into court Thursday morning and plead guilty to the blanket indictment, and Judge Forbes sentenced him to four years and six months at hard labor in Auburn prison and to pay a fine of \$5,000. By good behavior he can reduce this to three years and ten months. Having produced the defaulter the bondsmen were discharged.

OXFORDS

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Vici Goodyear welt
Vici Turns
Vici McKay sewed
Russet Vici Goodyear welt
Russet Vici Turn
Russet Vici McKay sewed

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Patent Leather Turns
Vici Goodyear welt
Russia Calf Goodyear welt
Vici McKay sewed

Little Gents' Russet Oxfords

"like papa's."

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Auburn,

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THE COUNTY EVENTS

NEIGHBORHOOD VILLAGES IN PRINT.

The Happenings of the Week in Our Sister Villages.—Newsy Correspondence.

Venice Center—West Hill.

MAY 5—Chilly winter came back, like a reluctant departing visitor, for one more adieu and to assure us he was not quite dead—only playing "possum." An old journal records a severe snow storm in mid-May, 1853, which damaged fruit and flowers. But whatever damage this storm has done it brightened the color of wheat and grass. An experienced farmer says it is very beneficial to growing wheat. It was rather a strange sight to see a man digging parsnips out of snow 2 or 3 inches deep on May 5.

L. E. Wood departed on Saturday morning for Cortland.

C. E. Smith of Ithaca, late of Lansing, visited L. E. Wood at his mother's last week, preparatory to his departure for New York and Philadelphia, Pa.

The cold wave did not chill the ardor of the scholars in celebrating Arbor day, which they did enthusiastically. They think they have the finest schoolhouse and yard in the town and one of the nicest and best little schoolm'ams in the country.

Mrs. M. E. Hough is gradually recovering from quinsy.

Miss Jennie Andrews was home again after an interval of two weeks.

MAY 11—The German forecast for May has proved true thus far—cold and dry.

Miss Mattie Wheat accompanied by her aunt and cousins spent Saturday at her home.

We are pleased to note that the people in this region are preparing to meet the R. R. commissioners in Auburn the 22nd. Every man along the line should be there.

The death of Chas. W. Hough causes a profound sensation in this region where he formerly lived. Much sincere sympathy is tendered his wife and family.

Every one is so busy these spring days, news is rather limited.

Domestic skies are brightening and order and neatness being restored. If the confusion and discomfort of housecleaning is so worrisome to the men what must it be to the housekeeper? Have not the men contributed their share to make this upheaval necessary? Less complaining and more assistance on their part would lighten this part of housekeeping.

Venice.

MAY 9—The recent showers have improved the looks of grass and wheat.

Mrs. J. R. Myers is still under the doctor's care.

Rev. H. D. Baldwin has been spending a week in western New York.

Misses Ethel and Abbie Main of Ledyard were calling on friends in town on Saturday last.

Charlie Perry has moved his household effects into Chas. Putnam's tenant house and will work Mr. Putnam's farm this year.

School commenced again Monday after a vacation of three weeks.

Five Corners.

MAY 15—Nature is now doing her work very rapidly.

Sickness is quite prevalent among our people.

John Beardsley is having his house enlarged.

E. Burr Stewart arrived here last Saturday, and yesterday he and his family started for Trumansburg where they will spend several weeks. Church hours have been changed from afternoon to forenoon and will so continue for the next six months.

C. D. Palmer had a narrow escape from a severe illness last week, while d

John Beardsley. In going down a steep pitch, he fell from the top of a high load and struck his back on the front wheel of the wagon and then on to the ground in front of the wheel which came very near passing over his body. The horses were caught in time to prevent any serious injury.

Sherwood.

MAY 16—We reckon that our East Genoa friend has ceased to look for the man who declared that spring had come.

Auburn has been well represented here during the past week. The following from that city were among the number: Samuel Otis, who is still an invalid and has been with his aunt, Dr. Susan Otis, is at home for a short time; Mr. and Mrs. Romig were in town one day last week; Byron Smith and daughter, Mrs. Reid, were at Wm. Howland's last Thursday; Dr. Hoxsie, Sr., spent Friday with his son; Mark Koon wheeled out Saturday night to spend Sunday with his parents; also Geo. Coomber to visit his brother Fred; Mrs. Rosecrans has been visiting her grandson, Walter Woodruff, at the Simpkin sisters'; Richard Heffernan, wife and children spent Sunday at his mother's.

Miss Hay of West Laurens visited her friend, Mrs. Morell Georgia, last week.

Mrs. Carrie Stringham of Union Springs is a guest at H. Koon's.

Claude Ward was home from Scipio Center Sunday.

Dr. Slocum and wife and Miss Hettie Close of Genoa called at his father's one day last week.

H. P. Mastin called at his cousin's on his way to Farley's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comstock went to the "Cove" fishing last Tuesday.

A fine bullhead found its way to an invalid friend's tray for her dinner. Abbie Ward went to Auburn last Tuesday to spend a few days with her cousin, Mrs. G. F. Armistead.

Wesley Georgia is attending school at Ingleside.

Whooping cough has again found its way among the children here.

Benjamin Brewster has been suffering from a severe attack of lumbago the past week.

Mrs. Ida Coomber has been confined to the house for nearly two weeks with neuralgia.

Mrs. Howland and Antoinette Ward are gaining slowly.

We heartily sympathize with the much abused men at North Lansing. We notice, however, that it is the same in every community; men have no patience with housecleaning. We would like to ask these same men how long they would carry a smiling countenance if said housecleaning was never done and they eventually stuck fast?

Don't fail to attend "Down in Dixie" to be played the 17th and 19th at Scipio Center. Genoa Orchestra will furnish the music.

C. Koon's incubator has done a very good job of hatching. Out of 252 eggs, there are 175 hatched and nearly all the remaining eggs show promise of doing likewise.

Venice Center.

MAY 15—Mrs. Mary Small who occupied the pulpit in the church at this place the past two Sundays gave some very interesting and profitable discourses.

Quarterly meeting services will be held here one week from next Sunday morning, May 27. It is expected that Rev. F. J. Keeney, P. E., will be present.

Our creamery annex is now running full blast.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kenyon went to her home in South Butler Saturday and returned Monday.

W. Beardsley has been improving his place by setting out a nice row of maple trees.

If you are particular about your job printing, try THE TRIBUNE print.

Ledyard.

MAY 14—Rev. Dr. T. R. Green of Syracuse University will speak at the M. E. church here next Sunday morning, and at Belltown in the afternoon. All should hear him.

New Epworth League officers were installed on Sunday evening as follows: Pres., Mrs. Jesse G. Corey; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Vice-Pres., Miss Olive F. Landon, Mrs. W. P. Aikin, Mrs. J. W. Corey, Miss Carrie Mason, respectively; Sec., W. P. Aikin; Treas., Roy S. Holland. At the same service a class of four were graduated from the Junior League into the Senior League. At the request of the pastor the Epworth League has undertaken the work of soliciting funds for the relief of the famine sufferers of India. Any one having a desire to help in this work may hand their contribution to the following committee: Mrs. W. P. Aikin, Miss Ethel Main, Jesse G. Corey.

H. C. Willis has placed a wagon on the road and we judge is meeting with liberal patronage. He has placed an order with the Waterloo Wagon company for a new wagon for general store purposes. The world moves in this vicinity.

Miss Carrie Mason has been ill with a severe cold and throat difficulty.

Miss Calla Stark has gone to Syracuse for an extended sojourn.

Ludlowville.

MAY 14—Born, May 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Smith Pidcock, a son.

The little daughter of Louis Luce narrowly escaped drowning by falling in a boiler of water last Friday.

Adjutant Nellie T. Roberts of Boston, a sister of Rev. Thomas B. Roberts, spoke in the M. E. church Sunday morning, May 6, to a large audience on the work of the Salvation Army, of which she is a member.

Mrs. J. C. French of Belltown visited Mrs. D. Krotts one day last week.

Noble, the little son of James Clark, has been seriously ill of spinal meningitis.

Mrs. Selover and son Arthur of Trumansburg spent one day recently with her sister, Mrs. David Clark.

G. A. Ryan is agent for an automatic sprayer.

The eleventh anniversary of this chapter of the Epworth League was celebrated at the M. E. church last Sunday evening in a very interesting manner. The original papers by Misses Lizzie Smith and Helen Head were greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pidcock of King Ferry are spending the week with his son, Smith Pidcock.

Mrs. Olive Price is visiting her son in Millerton, Pa.

The Presbyterian society will hold a gentlemen's banquet in Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening.

The "Experience" social will be held May 30th at the M. E. parsonage.

Little Hollow and Vicinity.

MAY 16—Masons and carpenters have begun work on Milton Shaw's barn.

Fred Bastedo and wife were in Moravia Saturday last.

Mrs. Chas. Cannon arrived at her mother's, Mrs. Emeline Shaw, Monday for a few days' visit.

Michael Sullivan is among the sick.

Miss May Kelly was in Ithaca a few days last week.

George Bower has moved in with his mother, Mrs. Jane Bower.

Mrs. Kate Landon of Michigan has been the guest of Mrs. Bourne.

Mrs. Alexander of Lansing spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Shaw, last week.

A few in this vicinity have planted corn.

Clothing Store in Genoa.

Every week from Saturday until Monday I will be at the Young store near the bridge with a fine line of new spring styles of clothing, and I would be pleased to have the public call and look over my stock before purchasing elsewhere. Can fit a large man or a small boy.

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Venice Center, N. Y.

THE DISEASE OF LOVE.

He had to slave all day,
 When skies were dark or blue;
 Though well he toiled away
 His work was never through.

The raiment that he wore
 Was patched and old and frayed;
 The burdens that he bore
 He carried undismayed.

And when the darkness fell
 He put his work aside,
 And hurried home pell-mell,
 Glad-faced and eager-eyed.

He loved and bravely bore
 The load he had to bear;
 Contentment found his door
 And boldly entered there.

Yet doctors wisely say
 Love's only a disease—
 Good Lord, make love, I pray,
 Contagious, if you please!
 —S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Floating with a Wolf

Grim Experience of a Westerner on the Missouri River.

WELL, sir, this thing of sailing on an ice raft does not conform to the requirements of the Sunday-school picnic. Dismal as the latter may be and generally is, it is oriental luxuriance compared to the former, especially if the highway being traversed happens to be the Missouri river when it feels 'pert.' The speaker was a western man.

"It was in the early '80's. You remember the winter I had that thing on in Kansas City?" he resumed. "Whew, what a winter that was! Thermometer down below zero for six weeks, wind howling a blizzard all day and resting up at night for the next day, snow three feet deep and frozen solid so that wagon wheels played harmonics all the time, a man's breath adding to the accumulations of snow and ice and—"

"Oh, come, Charlie," broke in the sufferer, "draw it mild, like Sairy Gamp liked it."

"Well, you know it was a fearful winter as well as I. What's the matter? You visited me and nearly froze to death. Couldn't keep warm, although I burned up a ton of coal a week. Well, you know, I'm something of a hunter. I had plenty of idle time and used to wrap up well and take my Parker out across into Kansas, where chicken and duck were plenty. I had some fine sport sniping, too, along the big river and the slough. There are too many hills thereabouts for good sloughing, though.

"It was along in March. You know the idea that the weather out there is better than here won't hold water, for the water would freeze in winter. The season outlasts ours sometimes, too. It did this particular winter, for they had snow in the middle of April. Fact. I got out my gun one day when it was a bit mild and went over the road to a few miles up river from Quindaro. You know this—once famous town is now the reservoir for the waterworks. Well, I sniped along the bank in the reeds and was knocking over quite a few, when I saw I had better start back down river if I wanted to get home before dark. I had had good sport, but ached for more. It was a grand day—cold, to be sure, but bracing.

"At last I spied some duck sitting on the water—the river rarely freezes all the way over—just beyond the rim of ice which fringed the shore. At this point the river sweeps wide to the north and then cuts into the hills on the south side, forming a narrow gorge near the waterworks. There is a bend which the current strikes and it had piled up a lot of ice in hummocks as it ground against the shore ledge. These hummocks helped me a heap, for I could sneak out on the shore ice and get a chance at the duck. I forgot all about the time, for I was shy a good fat redhead and wanted him.

"Well, sir, I went out on that shore ledge—it was shoal water there—and heaved chunks of ice at those ducks to get 'em up, you know, for no hunter shoots at water fowl when swimming. They balked like Sam Hill and I crept out farther and farther, still heaving things at 'em. At last they rose and I was busy shooting right and left as fast as I could load. Then when we got out of range I found I had nary a duck, was out of cartridges and no dog to bring in the dead. I killed a lot, but they fell in the water or, what was worse, on the bank.

"Yes, sir, that's a fact. I turned back to go to the shore and discovered that I was on an ice raft well out in the current. It was whirling around in the eddying stream like a top, and by the time I had seen the waterworks half a dozen times and lost 'em as often I declare I didn't know if I was at Quindaro or in the Alps. Say, maybe you think I liked it. I didn't. That river is a hard proposition anywhere. It is harder in what they call a throat gorge—one of these narrowings of the banks—than anywhere else. I was in one of these gorges and working downstream as fast as the field ice would let me.

"As I said, the crushing of the floe against that angle in the bank had piled up a lot of bergs higher than my head. What made me swear at myself for a fool was that I had forgotten to calculate the weight of ice at that season. On the edge, and, as the duck was rising any-

way, I had slipped the moorings of my raft. So while I was busy shooting the confounded thing was traveling due north, which there meant out into the current. There I was out in the middle of the busiest river on the globe with nothing but some rotten ice between me and an undertow warranted to pull under a warship. Oh, it was lovely. But I was up against it, so there was no use cussing.

"Just at this point the river makes a 'crossing.' That is, the current hits one bank a good wallop and then butts across to the other side in spite of the main body of water. This imparts to the whole business a measly upstream idea at certain spots. We got into this whirlpool—I forgot to mention Mr. Wolf, who was on that block with me—and then we backed away from side to side, as if we were dancing a quadrille. I saw the waterworks a few times, then I didn't. Then it began to get dark. Then Mr. Wolf commenced to sing his swan song and I wanted to go home right off.

"You see, they have gray wolves out there. Now, it happened that a member of this tribe—usually afraid of a man—had marched out on the ice to take a quiet drink. He was busy lapping up the blue water. Oh, yes, it's blue in winter if it does look like pea soup in summer—when I split out our raft. I say ours, for the wolf held his end of the game to the showdown when it was a draw. Then he could have had the premises without a fight from me.

"We backed and filled there until the moon came up. I had been too busy to think of the possibility of any animal being there, when the wolf, sitting where it was thick enough to stand his yowl, lifted his beak to the heavens and cut loose with a groan which reminded me of the whistle of a tug in idleness. I was shocked and turned about to see what this all meant. There was Mr. Wolf sitting on his haunches and singing a dolorous measure. Then I remembered that the farmers in that region loved not the wolf, so I wished him to cease from murmuring. They might turn loose a few Gattings on us and the wolf would have none the best of it. I heaved a few loose blocks of ice at him and he quit howling and growled, crouching as if to spring.

"Here's a funny thing. That chunk of ice was some 50 feet wide and as many broad when we started navigation. Then as we butted into a piece of shoal water or another berg a big chunk would come away and the raft commenced to grow beautifully less. This made it interesting. You know the American wolf is a coward when he has a few thousands of miles to race over, but in close quarters he will fight. I knew it, at any rate, for when I tossed chunks at him he quit warbling, showed his teeth and crouched for a spring.

"I saw by the time we had been out there half a dozen hours that the raft was too small for both of us. I wanted all the room myself and decided the wolf would have to go. I am not much of a swimmer myself and it was cold, so I tried to shoo off that wolf. He wouldn't shoo worth a cent. We were out in the middle of the river by this and making good progress toward Kansas City. Chunk after chunk was whirling from our raft and it soon became a matter of crouching on opposite sides of a hummock in the middle. The wolf crouched in closer and closer and whined like a dog. But he showed fight when I bothered him.

"The moon came up and silvered our raft. It also showed where the dark, sullen and furious water raged. It was a thoughtful time. I had missed dinner by a dozen miles, was out on the bosom of the Missouri with one lone wolf of uncertain parentage and undiscovered habits. I had no cartridges with which to shoot him and he resented any familiarity. I remember that, having used threats, I resorted to the 'con' game, but that wolf was a wise boy; he paid no heed to my efforts to make friends. He howled when not molested, as he evidently had no purpose of swimming for it. Neither had I, but as our limits narrowed with every swirl of a tide that does nothing else it soon became a question of who would win at this kind of postponed game.

"Away to the south, high in the heavens, I could see a line of lights declining visibly. I took them for stars, but later concluded they were the lights on Bluff street. Would we sweep by the big city or would we hit a sandbar, plenty of which lurked near by? It was a question. I made up my mind I must get rid of that wolf, so I sneaked around the kopje and hoisted my shotgun to smite him. Then commenced the most lurid scrap I ever mixed with.

"I swung with the gun; he ducked and clawed me in the ribs. I rushed, he side-stepped and swung for my jaw, but I went under. Then we sparred around that ice hill. He kept it between me and harm until all at once with a yowl he charged. He smote me in the side and one leg went into 80 feet of water, but I was up before he could count ten. Then I closed in—I had to, for I broke off another chunk with that rush—and handed him an awful punch. I thought he was out, but he came up before the count and ducked as I went for him.

"One must go out this time or it was

a draw, for but eight feet of space was left. I didn't measure it excepting with my eyes, but I'll swear to it. I led the left—I'd lost the gun—and he blocked, countering with his right. I went under and caught him an awful uppercut under the chin with my right. He liked it; absolutely liked it, for it never bothered him. He crouched low and led right and left swift as lightning. I gave ground and backed clear off the ice as it hit that sandbar.

"I struck out to swim for shore, although I didn't know where that was. I paddled vigorously for awhile with my feet high in the air—'sternwheeling,' we used to call it as boys—when my fingers dug into sand. Say, I never felt anything which equaled that. I hauled myself in gingerly and found that for five minutes I had been swimming in six inches of water. Then as I headed for dryer land that wolf took a header over me as he started for tall grass. I swung and fell over from the force of my punch."—Chicago Chronicle.

Poverty a Crime.

Poverty is a crime—matrimonially speaking.—Chicago Daily News.

Miss Florence Newman, who has been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism, says Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only remedy that affords her relief. Miss Newman is a much respected resident of the village of Gray, N. Y., and makes this statement for the benefit of others similarly afflicted. This liniment is for sale by J. S. Banker.

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Lehigh Valley
TIME TABLE.

[In effect Nov. 19th, 1899.]

Trains leave Locke:	
SOUTHWARD.	
8-42	A. M. Daily except Sunday for Locke, Groton, Freeville, Dryden, Newark Valley, Owego, Sayre and intermediate stations. Connections at Freeville for Ithaca, Elmira, Cortland, Cazenovia, Canastota, and intermediate stations, and at Sayre with solid vestibuled train for Wilkesbarre, Allentown, Philadelphia and New York and all points in the coal regions.
12-45	P. M. Daily except Sunday. Accommodation for all points south on the Auburn division.
7-56	P. M. Daily except Sunday for Groton, Freeville, Dryden, Owego, Sayre and all intermediate stations. Connections at Freeville for Ithaca, Elmira, Cortland and intermediate stations, and at Sayre with fast express for Wilkesbarre, Allentown, Philadelphia and New York.
9-06	A. M. SUNDAYS ONLY. For all points south to New York and Philadelphia.
NORTHWARD.	
9-37	A. M. Daily except Sunday for Auburn, Weedsport, Sterling, North Fair Haven and intermediate stations. Connects at Auburn with New York Central, at Weedsport with New York Central and West Shore, and at Sterling with Home, Watertown and Ogdensburg.
3-10	P. M. Daily except Sunday. Local accommodation for Auburn and intermediate stations. Connects at Auburn with New York Central.
8-53	P. M. Daily except Sunday for Auburn and intermediate stations. Connects at Auburn with New York Central.
7-15	P. M. SUNDAYS ONLY. For Auburn, Weedsport, Sterling and North Fair Haven. Connects at Auburn with New York Central.

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 CHAS. S. LEE, Gen. Pass. Agent, 36 Cortlandt Street, New York.

M. B. CUTTER, Supt. of Transportation, South Bethlehem, Pa.

Auburn-Ithaca Branch.

Trains leave King Ferry station:	
SOUTHWARD.	
12-19	P. M. For Ludlowville, Ithaca, Sayre, Towanda, Wilkesbarre, Allentown, Philadelphia and New York.
2-40	P. M. Local and accommodation for Ithaca and intermediate stations.
7-46	P. M. For Ithaca and intermediate stations, Sayre, Towanda, Wilkesbarre, Allentown, Philadelphia and New York.
NORTHWARD.	
7-49	A. M. For Aurora, Union Springs and Auburn. Connects at Auburn with New York Central east and west.
9-01	A. M. Local for Auburn and intermediate stations, also connects with New York Central.
6-16	P. M. For Auburn and intermediate stations. Connects with N. Y. Central.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

By virtue of an Order granted by the Surrogate of Cayuga County, Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of George Carter, late of Genoa, Cayuga Co., N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same with vouchers in support thereof to the undersigned, the Executor of, etc., of said deceased, at his place of residence in the town of Lansing, county of Tompkins, N. Y., on or before the 30th day of November, 1900. Dated May 1st, 1900. J. B. Davis, Executor.

PHOTOGRAPHING A BATTLE.

The incessant Whistle of Bullets Is Not Exactly Conducive to Good Work.

Many people have had ideas of photographing a battle. A photograph of Modder river would reveal nothing but a bare stretch of veldt with a line of willows and poplars in the background. Not a Boer could be seen, and even our own men were almost invisible as they lay there in sand-colored khaki, keeping aliberal five paces apart—only here and there where a slight undulation gave a precarious cover could one see the khaki backs clustered together like a swarm of locusts on the plain, says Scribner's.

Personally, having been fortunate enough to find a small ant-hill for my head protection, I endeavored to take a few snapshots with a kodak, not because there was anything to take, but in order to give some idea of the bare aspect of a modern battlefield, but I am free to confess that to let go the shutter and still keep one's head behind an ant-heap proved so difficult an operation that it was a pure matter of chance whether I photographed the veldt or the sky.

The incessant whistle of bullets is not good for photography, though, curiously enough, it encourages sleep. Many men dozed off that morning under the rays of a particularly insistent sun, only to be awakened by the bursting of a big shell or the repeated reports of a most disagreeable quick-firing gun employed by the enemy with equal impartiality against our firing line and our hospital wagons.

All the morning the one cheering note was the incessant reports of our own field pieces and naval guns. Early in the day the two field batteries had moved round from our extreme right and came up in the center just a little to the east of the railway and did most magnificent work.

THE ELECTRIC FAN.

It Has a Promising Outlook for the Future in the Lands Beyond the Seas.

The fan-motor is a peculiarly American invention. It made its appearance upon the scene about 14 years ago and met with immediate and hearty approval. During the few years of its history it has been rapidly improved and has now reached a state of high perfection, says the Electrical Review.

Certainly the man who first thought of making a little breeze machine was a public benefactor. The amount of discomfort that has been relieved by the familiar whizzing fan is almost incalculable and there can be no doubt that it has really prolonged and doubtless saved many lives. It is strange that in countries where the climate is more oppressive in the summer months than it is even in the United States there should not be a more widespread use of these fans. The new eastern possessions of the United States and the vast area beyond should open a large market to American manufacturers of such goods. The punkah has been in use in India from time immemorial, but its days are certainly numbered if the silent, efficient American electric fan ever becomes fashionable in that country.

ENGLISH TELEPHONE SERVICE

It Is the Worst in the World and the Prices Are Extortionate.

In the matter of telephones England is probably worse served than any civilized country in the world, says the National Review. Switzerland or Sweden can give her points. A telephone monopoly was created, which has worked badly. Quarrels of all kinds with the local authorities have arisen as to way leaves.

I know a factory six miles from the Marble Arch which has, owing to this cause, for years been vainly applying for the telephone. The other day I wished to send a message to a friend in a very busy little town 15 miles from London. The place did not appear in the telephone directory. Yet in Sweden or Switzerland the smallest village is on the telephone.

As for the prices charged by the company, they are extortionate. Parliament has considered the situation, but as party government is mainly concerned with making laws which are not wanted and neglecting all that conduces to real progress, no adequate measures have been taken to right the system.

TELEGRAPH MEN HAVE TRIALS

Their Work in the Philippines Is Beset by Many Hardships and Dangers.

A Kansas man who is with the United States telegraph corps in the Philippines in a letter home tells of the difficulties which the corps encounters. Recently two big army wagons, each drawn by six mules, were loaded with rubber insulated wire, a battery and a reel to reel it out, keeping up with the troops. The road became so bad they had to

the rest of the wire on other mules, leaving the wagon in the mud up to the hubs.

One mule carried the folding field telegraph table, with instruments all attached. Every few miles they would stop and telegraph back to Manila the progress of the column. To do so they would take the table off the mule, unfold it, cut the wire from the reel on the other mule, connect it with the instruments and do the necessary telegraphing. This was generally done when the troops stopped for a few minutes to rest.

CURIOUS WHEAT PROBLEM

According to This Computation Scarcity of Food Is Not by Any Means Remote.

If Sir William Crookes is to be believed, scarcity of food is not by any means remote; it may come within sight of persons now alive, and these not very young, says the London Spectator. The case may be very easily stated. At present the deficiencies of the wheat-eating countries are supplied by North America, especially by the United States. In 1897-8 the wheat crop of the United States was about 540,000,000 bushels. Of this quantity 217,000,000 bushels were exported to Europe, where no country, excepting Russia and Turkey, grows enough for its own population. The states are able to do this without trenching on the home supply, because the total population is not more than 75,000,000. In 1931, if the increase of population goes on at the same rate as that of the last 30 years, the 75,000,000 will have increased to 130,000,000, and the surplus for export will be no longer available.

Whence, therefore, will the wants of the world be supplied? Russia at present exports largely, the total being something more than two-fifths of that from the states. But it cannot be hoped that Russia will come to the rescue of a hungry world. It is already hungry itself, exporting food while its own people are starving. Any change here must be in the way of distribution. This change will be the more speedy because the Russian population, in spite of its sufferings, increases. Indeed, the difficulty of the general problem is aggravated by the fact that, up to the point of actual starvation, scarcity not only does not check, but actually stimulates, the rate of increase. A perfectly well-fed, well-educated and generally comfortable population has a tendency to diminish rather than to grow.

HUMAN FREAKS.

Various Accomplishments Attained by Men and Women Without Arms.

There is nothing new under the sun, especially in the way of human freaks. The case of the late Charles Francois Fleu, the armless Belgian artist, recently deceased, was no exception, says the Philadelphia Press. Camerarius, over three centuries ago, knew a man born armless who ate and drank with the help of his feet and wrote fair and straight copies in Latin and German. He tells of another who could use a sword and throw javelins with his feet, and who was broken on the wheel for murder.

Magdalene Rudolph Thuin says Bartholin "with her feet spins and threads her needle; she weaves, she charges and discharges a gun; with a scissors and a knife she cuts paper into divers artificial figures; she plays at tables and dice, she knows how to bring her feet to her breast and head so as to take her child to breast." Scalliger tells a similar tale of one Antonius.

Then there was a woman of Britain who was forced to use her mouth and tongue in spinning, threading a needle, tying knots and writing. Pictorius Villiganus relates that he knew an armless Spaniard who could with an ax give a blow that would cut a reasonably-sized bit of wood asunder at one blow.

CAMERAS—We are offering a large line of cameras from \$1 to \$14, second hand and shopworn goods that do exactly as good work as when new, but which have been injured in appearance. Let us show you these goods. Here you will find everything for the making of pictures. Sagar drug store, Auburn.

FURNITURE STORE IN GENOA.

Having opened a furniture store in Genoa, I wish to call the attention of the people of this vicinity to my complete line of

PARLOR AND CHAMBER SUITS, TABLES and CHAIRS,

including all the furniture usually carried in a first class store. Prices are reasonable, and I shall be pleased to show the goods to all who are interested. Special attention given to upholstery and fine descriptions.

Economy in Clothing.

Economy is the right use of money. The right use of money in buying clothing consists in getting the BEST LOOKING, the BEST FITTING and the BEST WEARING garments at the least expense. How are you to do this? By purchasing

Where Stocks are Large and Fresh,
Where Price is Based upon Values,
Where Methods are Clean and Businesslike,
Where the Customer's Interest is Considered,
Where Service is Prompt and Cheerful.

Our store is such a place. We pick from the best. Our line of

Spring Suits and Top Coats

Embodies the latest ideas in fashion and the latest improvements in manufacture. When in Auburn come in and let us show you our new Spring styles.

L. MARSHALL,

The One-Price Clothier and Hatter,
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WALL PAPERS

FOR 1900

To the Ladies:

Do you need Wall Paper this Spring? If so do not buy until you have seen our elegant stock at 10 per cent. less than any other house could think of selling them. No combination prices. We are going to sell the paper regardless of making money

CARPETS.

An elegant line of carpets at old prices. See them before you buy.

DRY GOODS.

We are receiving daily new Spring and Summer goods in all the newest designs. We do not import, but buy direct from the manufacturers whenever we can. All departments will be well stocked and at prices that defy competition.

GROCERIES.

Our stock of groceries was never so complete as now. Try our Best New Orleans Molasses. You cannot buy a better one than we keep.

Thanking the public for their very liberal patronage the past year,

Very Respectfully,

T. J. WEBSTER, Moravia, N. Y.

New Quarters!

We are now settled in our new store in the Romig block,

48 and 50 Genesee Street, Auburn,

and are ready to show our friends and their friends the

Best Stock of Furniture, Carpets,
and House Furnishings

at prices that defy competition.

Brixius & Chapman.

Job Printing, the best the cheapest.

Come where the best is made.

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For 3 piece Chamber Suits

\$12.98

cheapest place on earth to buy.

Furniture.

My expenses are low and I can afford to sell goods 20 per cent. cheaper than any other Furniture Store in Central New York.

HERBERT'S,

A Machine Snap.

"Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad."

Despite every precedent and consideration of right, the Republican machine, which because of continued success has grown so arrogant that it will be considered law, has determined to hold the caucuses for the choice of delegates to the several fall conventions on June 1. The purpose of this procedure is to serve the interests of one of the candidates for supreme court judge to succeed Charles C. Dwight. The resort to such tactics would deserve condemnation no matter what office was at stake, but it is particularly reprehensible when we consider that the intent is to deprive the Republican electors of Cayuga county of the opportunity to fully canvass and pass upon the merits of the candidates for justice of the supreme court. Selections for this office should not be under the control of political machines. The choice of a judge should be made on his knowledge of the law and his ability to interpret it, not because of any particular service he has performed for his party.

When precedent was discarded and the delegates to the senatorial convention were named at the early conventions, it was given out that the main reason for this action was to dispose of all other matters and leave the decks clear for the judgeship contest. This was the machine's explanation. There was an implied promise that the selection of delegates to the judicial convention would be made in the regular order and in accordance with the past usages of the party. Heretofore the caucuses for the choice of delegates have been held in August and the candidates for Judge Dwight's place had a right to assume that there would be no departure from established custom. But the machine, in the interest of a favored candidate, hoping to find others unprepared, determines to resort to snap methods and thus plans to serve the candidate whom it favors. This despicable course should arouse to action every citizen who is opposed to machine made judges.

It means that the machine leaders were afraid to trust the people. The regular procedure would have afforded an opportunity for a full, free and fair discussion of the relative merits of the candidates and it is apparent that the men who are responsible for these snap caucuses are afraid to stand the test of time. The machine may be well oiled and ready, but the people have it within their power to assert themselves and put the conspirators who would make judges the creatures of politicians to rout. This is not a partisan matter. It is something in which every citizen of Cayuga county is interested. Judges should be in no sense partisans and in this case particular interest should be taken to see that Judge Dwight's successor is worthy—not as a politician but as a judge.—Auburn Bulletin.

To Whom It May Concern.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore known and existing as Ames Brothers, is by mutual consent this day dissolved, and that the business will be continued by Clarence A. Ames, who has assumed all indebtedness of the firm and to whom all accounts due the firm should be paid.

Dated Genoa, N. Y., May 14, 1900.

CLARENCE A. AMES,
FRANK W. AMES.

To the Public.

Upon occasions like the present change in ownership, it is customary to make a statement. I have little to say. In behalf of the late firm of Ames Brothers, I wish to thank the TRIBUNE patrons for their liberal support and encouragement during the past five years. The business policy of the TRIBUNE will not be changed, and I hope to receive in the future the good wishes and patronage which hard work, fair prices and honest treatment entitle one and all.

CLARENCE A. AMES.

Death of A. W. Stevens.

Abram W. Stevens, well-known in this vicinity where he lived for many years, died at his home in Auburn on Saturday, May 12, aged 85 years. Mr. Stevens had been in failing health for years, and his advanced years tended to increase his infirmities until the end came. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Helen Close of Iowa City, Ia., and a son, L. W. Stevens of Chicago. The funeral was held at his late home on Tuesday at 4 p. m., and the burial was at Iowa City on Thursday.

Poultry Wanted.

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

East Genoa.

MAY 16—Our W. C. T. U. had an excellent meeting on Sunday evening. Mrs. Smith, president of Genoa Union, led in devotions; Miss Hettie Close gave a report of the county convention and Mrs. Minnie Sisson a paper on "The Soldier's Greatest Enemy," which would convince any one that the army canteen is an awful curse. The Seniors gave their stirring temperance songs and Mrs. Tupper a report of L. T. L. work. There was also a corresponding secretary's report of local work, showing that only one year old our Union is very much alive.

The funeral of Mrs. Sophia Ferris was held at her late home on Tuesday. Rev. P. J. Williams officiating and singing by T. A. Miller and sister, Mrs. Van Marter. Interment at Watkins. Mrs. Ferris, for a number of years a resident of our town, will be greatly missed, in the church and society of which she was always the helpful friend, and as a kind, obliging neighbor. Her son, Clarence Smead, of Burdette, N. Y., arrived on Sunday evening, returning home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucia Tupper and son George of Cortland attended Mrs. Ferris' funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Close was held on Tuesday. Interment at Genoa.

Mrs. Frances Bothwell was quite ill last week, also Mr. Joel Coon.

Wm. Wilcox and daughter Florence were home from Ithaca last week.

Mrs. Helen Strong cared for Mrs. Ferris in her last days.

At a meeting of the L. T. L. held at Mrs. Chas. Tupper's on Friday evening the following officers were elected: Pres., Henry Strong; Vice-Pres., Emma Atwood, Dannie Fallon; Rec. Sec., Veda Younglove; Cor. Sec., Nina Thayer; Sergt., Edwin Thayer; Com. on entertainment, Mrs. Lizzie Strong, Veda Younglove, Paul Henry; amusement, Emma Atwood, Dannie Fallon, Frank Seigler; musical, Celia Atwood, Lizzie Strong, Mrs. Nellie Tupper; flowers, Nina Thayer, Hannah Fawcett, Veda Younglove; refreshments, Paul Henry, Emma Atwood, Mrs. Tupper; librarian, Edith Thayer. The Senior library now contains 85 books, which will no doubt be a great blessing to our young people.

Ledyard.

MAY 14—Farmers in this vicinity are nearly through sowing and some are planting.

G. N. Coon spent last week in Auburn.

Miss Lydia Hoagland of Levanna is visiting Mrs. F. G. Avery.

Mrs. Chrisler is spending a few weeks with friends at Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Coon were in Auburn the first of the week.

Arthur Dixon lost a cow recently. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dempsey, a boy.

Mrs. Edith Brightman is spending the week near Aurora.

James Brightman and Miss Nellie Tompkins were at the county seat Saturday.

J. Veley is building a shed.

Louie Cobb and Anna Lisk were guests of Miss Maude Drake at Lake Ridge Saturday and Sunday.

King Ferry.

MAY 16—G. S. Aikin and wife were in Auburn Saturday.

Chester King was home from Auburn over Sunday.

Misses Sarah Barnes and Belle Gibbs visited Mrs. I. Hilliard in Lansing last week.

Ossian King has placed a fine monument in the cemetery in memory of his wife. The work was done by Buchanan Bros. of Moravia.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Peckham of Ledyard were guests of his brother, W. H. Peckham and wife, over Sunday.

Mrs. D. Ellis and daughter are visiting her parents in Bethlehem, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Smith of Ledyard was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Aikin on Sunday.

Allen Smith, a former resident of Ledyard, died at Syracuse Sunday, May 13th, aged 90 years. The burial was in the Ledyard cemetery on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lee of Auburn registered at the Kendall House on Tuesday.

North Lansing.

MAY 15—The well at the creamery proves to be a flowing well.

S. S. Gress of the Democrat office, Ithaca, was the guest of his uncle, Roswell Beardsley and family, Sunday.

Alden, the little son of Chas. Bacon, fell from his bicycle last week and broke his arm.

Mrs. Wm. Singer is in very poor health this spring.

Mrs. M. Linderman returned from Ithaca Tuesday.

Lewis Barger returned to his home here last Sunday. He has been under a doctor's care for several weeks.

ry Benson, are visiting friends at Fleming this week.

A good many from here will attend the railroad meeting at Auburn next Tuesday, which all hope will be a success.

Miss Bessie Doolittle visited relatives at Lansingville last Saturday and Sunday.

The gentlemen will give an entertainment at Grange hall Friday evening.

Baptist Church Notes.

BY THE PASTOR.

Sunday morning topic, "God's People;" evening, "England's Blunder."

B. Y. P. U. A. Sunday evening at 6:30. Miss Florence Loomis, leader. Everybody welcome. All who desire to join the Christian Culture class are requested to be at this service.

Bible study Wednesday evening at 7:30. Lesson Matt. xiii:24-53. All welcome.

The pastor will speak at East Venice Sunday at 3 p. m. at the hall.

The Sunday evening happy hour service is increasing in numbers and interest. Last Sunday evening was the largest. Don't fail to hear the special sermon next Sunday evening.

Song and preliminary services 7:30 to 8; sermon 8 to 8:25, and our efficient choir will close with an anthem. Come and see for yourself.

The pastor will be in his study Monday evenings, 7:30 to 9, to meet those who wish to unite with the church by experience or letter.

Society Notes.

The county convention of Christian Endeavor takes place at Port Byron June 19. A good program has been prepared and will soon be sent out to the societies in the county.

Millinery!

I wish to announce to the ladies of King Ferry and vicinity that my line of New Spring Millinery contains all the new styles in trimmed and untrimmed hats, and that my prices for the same are as low as the goods can be furnished for. I will be at the Kendall House parlors, King Ferry, on Thursday and Friday, May 24 and 25, and on May 31 and June 1. I should be pleased to meet all who are in want of anything in the line of Millinery.

Yours respectfully,

MRS. BYRON HUNT.

When in Moravia look at our lace curtains, draperies, oil shades, dress goods, etc.

T. J. WEBSTER.

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.

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

1 June A. T. PARSONS.

Jane A. Louw, Weaver.

Also agent for New Peerless, the one-package dye, Genoa, N. Y.

Consumption

is robbed of its terrors by the fact that the best medical authorities state that it is a curable disease; and one of the happy things about it is, that its victims rarely ever lose hope.

You know there are all sorts of secret nostrums advertised to cure consumption. Some make absurd claims. We only say that if taken in time and the laws of health are properly observed,

SCOTT'S EMULSION

will heal the inflammation of the throat and lungs and nourish and strengthen the body so that it can throw off the disease.

We have thousands of testimonials where people claim they have been permanently cured of this malady.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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 vic' kid for 1.35. A child's heavy oil grain shoe for 65c; misses' for 1.05. Child's kangaroo for 1.05; misses' \$1.05.

HOLMES & DUNNIGAN'S OFFERINGS FOR MAY, 1900

NEW GOODS NEW PRICES

A FEW PRICES FOR THIS WEEK.

Standard Oil, 10c gal. American Headlight Oil, 12c gal. 7 lbs. Ciscoes 25c. Salmon Trout, 10c lb. 3 lbs Ginger Snaps, 25c. Nice Large Pickles, 7c doz. Large thin skin Lemons 20c doz. Bread and Cake fresh every day.

at Smith's

FRANK SAXTON & CO. GENERAL STORE, Venice Center.

We are bound to do business, and in order to do more business down go the prices on everything. We will not be undersold—not even by those who claim to be undersellers.

Call and see our new stock of Shoes just received, also a full line of Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Groceries and Flour.

Bring on Your Barter. The Place for Bargains.

HOLMES & DUNNIGAN'S OFFERINGS FOR MAY, 1900

In the dress goods department during this month we will extend to you some extraordinary values; note below:

15 Pieces Wool Dress Goods worth 16c at 12 1-2c yd

10 " " Serge " 39c at 25c yd

5 " " " 56 in. wide " 75c at 50c yd

5 " Black Figured Stellan " 1.00 at 50c yd

5 " Black Cheviot " 75c at 50c yd

Cotton goods will be sold all this month at old prices, in fact we ask no advance in any department. We are daily receiving new wash goods, new gloves, new hosiery, new ribbons, new coats and capes, new novelties in neckwear. We will be pleased to see you at our store, where you will always receive courteous attention and low prices.

Respectfully,

HOLMES & DUNNIGAN,

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AUBURN, N. Y.

we advertise

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We don't believe it would pay us to advertise unless we sold better shoes for less money than can be bought at any other store in Auburn. Our line of

LADIES' AND MEN'S \$2 SHOES

are exceptionally strong in style, fit, wear and quality. We have them in Dark and Light Russet and Black.

IT IS WITH PRIDE

we call your attention to our Boys' and Youths' Shoes at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, and \$2, each in its grade the best.

HYNES' Shoe Store,

57 Genesee St.

Auburn.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1900.

Remember
that the place to
get your watches,
clocks and bicy-
cles repaired is at
C. S. Hill's,
GENOA.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this head are five cents per line. Seven words make a line. Everybody reads these.

For Sale. 150 bushels extra nice Rural New York potatoes.

STEPHEN DONOVAN, Venice Centef. For sale, one good work horse, weight about 1200. G. W. Atwater, Atwaters.

Having been appointed receiver of the Eber Edwards property, I offer the real estate for rent. Byron Hunt, Genoa.

For sale cheap, a rubber trimmed light double harness in good order. Inquire of J. W. Cook. It must be sold at once.

For sale. 30 Shropshire ewes with 37 lambs. Reeves & Boyer, Shangle farm, Genoa.

A limited supply of Tennessee evergreen broom corn seed for sale by D. Holden at East Venice.

Farmers, save money by ordering binding twine of Fay Teeter, wholesale and retail agent, East Venice.

Wanted, stock to pasture, good feed, living water. Inquire A. B. Peck, Forks of the Creek. 2 mo

Seed Buckwheat, the Japanese mixed, for sale; grown without Phosphate; 55 cents for 50 lbs. L. W. Hammond, Venice Ctr. House to rent. Inquire of Mrs. T. Sill, Genoa.

Best market prices for old rubber, copper, zinc, etc., delivered at the Genoa barber shop. PEARL HUNTER.

THE VILLAGE NOTES

NEWS PICKED UP BY THE TRIBUNE REPORTERS.

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

—Go to Auburn next Tuesday.
—Some more new specials this week.

—Rev. Pugsley was at Cortland on Tuesday.

—L. E. Wood of Cortland was in town Tuesday.

—Mrs. Mary Thayer is recovering from a few days' illness.

—Mrs. Clara Sellen is quite sick at the residence of Frank Miller.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hunter visited Groton friends one day recently.

—Mrs. S. M. Cannon of Cortland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

—Will Harris has a situation offered him in Auburn and expects to go there soon.

—Mrs. Mary Sellen is assisting in the household duties at Dr. Skinner's for a time.

—Best Standard oil 9c gal at H. P. Mastin's.

—M. A. Shaw has finished his work in the insurance business at Auburn and returned.

—Mrs. J. S. Banker has returned from a few days' visit with friends at Auburn and Aurora.

—Mrs. E. Haskins has moved from the Moore house into part of Mrs. Clara Sellen's residence.

—About 30 merry little folks attended the birthday party of Miss June Skinner Saturday afternoon.

—Large assortment of fine hammocks from 95c to \$6 at Mastin's.

—Dr. F. M. Willis of Ithaca has been elected vice president of the Sixth District Dental Association.

—Some excellent short stories are being printed on the inside pages of THE TRIBUNE these days.

—Big line of canned goods just in at H. P. Mastin's.

—Mrs. Wm. Cadmus and two children of Cayuga were calling in town two or three days last week.

—A Lehigh freight train came to grief near Cascade Tuesday afternoon, and the wreck delayed the mail trains until late at night.

—Squire Howe and Miss Susie Howe went to Falconer Thursday, to spend a few days with Mrs. H. N. Crosby.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. VanMarter of Auburn returned home Tuesday after spending a few days with relatives here.

—John McCredie and wife of Moravia are visiting at W. A. McAllaster's, and made a call at Will Eaton's on Tuesday.

—H. P. Mastin of the Genoa big store calls attention to values in shoes. His large stock is receiving additions almost daily.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brink and Mrs. F. J. Beardsley of North Lansing were guests of friends in this place one day recently.

—O. M. Avery was confined to the house Wednesday afternoon. Work in the hot sun the day before was hard business.

Get a 10c package of Oil Purifier, the use of which prevents lamps from exploding and the oil from smoking and smelling, and will produce light equal to gas, at H. P. Mastin's.

—The wholesale price of coal, all sizes larger than pea, has been reduced 35 cents the ton, and retail prices have dropped 50 cents per ton; the price of pea coal remains at \$4.

Reduced prices in calicos and ginghams, big line to select from, at H. P. Mastin's.

—Commander Younglove, Delegate Smith and Comrade Hunt of the local G. A. R. post attended the state encampment at Utica this week.

—Cherry and pear trees are in full bloom, and the apple and peach trees will soon follow, and there are indications of a large yield of fruit of every kind.

10 big bars soap for 25c at Mastin's. Arbuckle coffee 12½c lb at H. P. Mastin's.

—Mrs. L. N. Close has returned to her home in Ledyard after having spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Harris, at Fowler, Fresno county, Cal.

—The school entertainment to be given Friday evening June 1st, promises to be one of the best ever given, and academy hall should be filled to overflowing.

Lemons 18c dozen at Mastin's.

—Fred V. Lester, superintendent of schools at Ticonderoga, and well known in this vicinity, is the author of a new book on arithmetic which is receiving much favorable comment.

—N. E. Backus of the firm of Backus & Sullivan, the popular Union Springs millers, made a flying visit at this office Wednesday, enroute home from a business trip to Groton.

Ashton, Higgins and barrel salt at H. P. Mastin's.

Special sale in floor oil cloths, matings, etc. at H. P. Mastin's.

—D. A. Hynes, successor to E. C. Lathrop in the shoe business, has a new ad in this issue. Mr. Hynes enjoys a fine trade from the people of Venice, Ledyard and Scipio.

—Will Eaton expects to run an extra rig to Auburn and return on "railroad day." The wagon will go straight through, and those who desire to go this way should make arrangements soon.

—Alden, son of Charles Bacon of North Lansing, took a bad fall from his wheel a few days since, and sustained a broken arm. Dr. Slocum reduced the fracture and the boy is getting along nicely.

Special cut in carpets at Mastin's.

—A business firm that will hedge on an advertising contract will not hesitate to beat a poor man out of a dollar if he does business with them. Reputable dealers are anxious and ready to give good values for your money, and will do as they advertise in every case. These are the people to trade with, and we believe all the advertisers in this paper are reputable and responsible merchants. Readers of THE TRIBUNE should remember it.

—The new Venice Center merchant, Mr. Saxton, makes some timely and interesting statements in his space this week. People in his vicinity are apparently giving him a good business.

—A social party is announced at Ogden's hall, King Ferry, for the 25th and one at McCormick's hall at Scipioville the same evening; at the Grange hall, North Lansing, the 29th, and at the East Venice hall June 8th.

Special sale in shoes before June 1; from an infant's 25c shoe to ladies' or gents' \$4 shoe, at H. P. Mastin's.

—Remember the railroad meeting at Auburn the 22d. Of course you will be there; if anything happens to prevent your attendance send the hired man. Don't allow this opportunity to slip by and then regret it afterward.

—Mrs. H. G. Hand met with a painful accident the other day. A horse had become entangled in a fence and she was assisting in removing it when in some way her dress was caught by the animal's foot and she was thrown down, injuring a wrist very badly.

Boys' suits from \$1 to \$3.50 at H. P. Mastin's.

Big line of gents' fancy dress shirts, hats and caps at H. P. Mastin's.

—It is reported that the Lehigh officials have decided to run the "lake train" between Auburn and Freeville this summer instead of Auburn and Moravia as heretofore. This arrangement will enable one to reach Auburn before 9 o'clock in the morning.

—The Cuban census reveals that only 11 per cent of the children under ten years of age are attending school and that 43 per cent of the population over ten years old cannot read or write. There is evidently a good field for school teachers in Cuba.

—Auburn Lodge, F. & A. M. will hold a communication and banquet at the new rooms in the Metcalf building on Wednesday, the 23d, afternoon and evening. Grand Lecturer Whiting will be present and will exemplify the work. A cordial invitation has been extended to the fraternity.

—The Moravia papers don't exactly agree in baseball matters, it appears. One said that "Bumble" Elger had signed with Batavia and would not catch for Moravia, and the other says that "we can emphatically state that "Bumble" has not yet been released by the athletic association. He will wear the mask behind the home plate for the Moravia team." "Bumble" is getting a lot of free advertising out of it anyway. The Genoa fans hope he will play with Moravia this season; he is a gentleman as well as a good ball player, and so is Pat.

—T. J. Webster is in line with new carpets, wall paper, dry goods, and fresh groceries. His announcement on another page will interest U.

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WM. SINGER, - GENOA.

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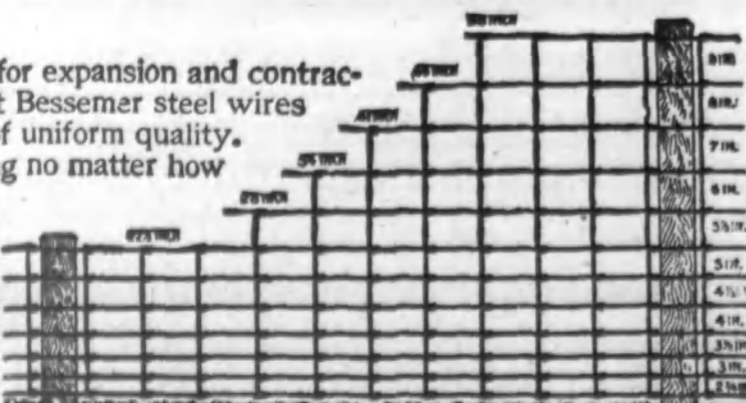
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GIVING A MAN A CHANCE

It Sometimes Proves to Be the Making of Him, as in This Instance.

A commanding officer who has studied human nature, he states, will occasionally make a brilliant hit when he gives a man what is called a "chance," says the Quiver. The following illustrative case was told to me by the colonel who tried the experiment. One day, when out for a walk, he met a man of his regiment who was only too well known to him on account of his frequent appearance in the orderly room.

My friend stopped him and said: "You're a fine man, six feet three in height, and yet don't you think that you are making a precious ass of yourself with 36 'drunks' in your defaulters sheet? Suppose, now, that I were to put a lance corporal's stripe on your arm to-morrow; how would it be?"

The man was so surprised and delighted that he took the total abstinence pledge and never drank any more intoxicating liquor. Four years afterward he married and the colonel attended the marriage feast. The bridegroom took his commanding officer aside and said to him, as he pointed to the different kinds of liquor that were on the table: "You see all that, sir? Well, I have not tasted a drop even to-day, and won't, for if I did I must get drunk."

TOO MANY RATS.

They Ran Over Her Bed in a Happy Manner All Night in Central Africa.

At Kawimbe the rats in the house were terrible at night, says "A White Woman in Central Africa." They raced about my room and scampered over my bed in a thoroughly happy manner. I could not sleep at first; but at last I got used to them. I dropped off, only to wake up and find a rat with his foot in my ear.

One night at another station, something larger than a rat dropped from the rafters on my bed and awoke me. I lighted a candle and saw it was a lemur. They are lovely little animals, and are covered with thick fur, like chinchilla, and have beautiful large round eyes.

It looked most fascinating, but, not being sure what it would do next, I thought I would try to send it out. I opened the door which led onto the veranda, and proceeded gently to drive it out; but, alas! it objected to going, and sprang straight on to my shoulder, gripping my arm with its sharp little teeth, and refusing to let go till I well pinched its tail. As it turned round to bite my hand I tossed it out onto the veranda and shut the door.

FINDS A WORLD OF EVES.

Plans of a Connecticut Man to Establish Garden of Eden Attracts Many Women.

Evans Weed, of Newfield, Conn., who plans to transform his farm into a Garden of Eden, has sprung into popularity in a day with many members of the fair sex who want to wed. Mr. Weed was a little fearful that after his Garden of Eden had been completed there would be no Eve to grace it, but his doubts are now at rest upon the point. He never dreamed that Eve was such a common name among women, but every mail brings further evidence.

Letters addressed to Mr. Weed in feminine handwriting have been pouring into the post office at Stamford in every mail for the last few days. One letter was addressed: "Mr. Adam Weed, formerly Evans Weed, Garden of Eden, Stamford, Conn."

Another was addressed "To Adam, Garden of Eden, from Eve." This letter was dated Van Clure Station, Va.

Mr. Weed is thinking seriously of altering his original determination of waiting till the Garden of Eden is an accomplished thing before contracting for an Eve.

THOUGHT LONGFELLOW LIVING

The Heirs of Indian Who Narrated "Hiawatha" Visit Poet's Widow.

Kaboosa and Waban-nosa, two descendants of Chief Bugwajjine, of the Ojibway Indians, visited Mrs. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow and her two daughters the other day at the poet's old home in Cambridge.

Some weeks ago the aged chief, who told Longfellow the legend of Hiawatha and who regarded the poet as his intimate friend, made arrangements to come from his home on the northern shore of Lake Superior to Boston to visit him, but just before he was to start he enjoined his grandson and nephew to make the visit for him, and they accordingly started. It was not until they reached Boston by way of Montreal that they learned that Longfellow was dead, and their grief was marked.

In company with Francis West, the artist, they drove to Cambridge and were warmly received. They asked to sit at the desk where "Hiawatha" was written, and when they left they invited Longfellow and her daughter to visit them at their home in the tribe.

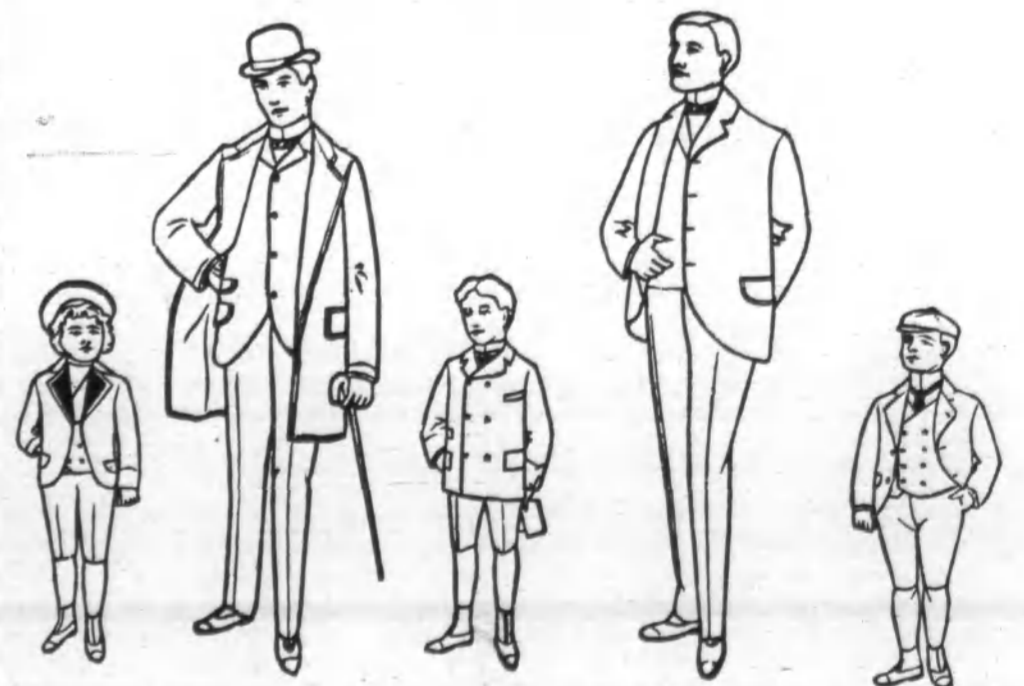
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WORLD OF SCIENCE.

Growth of Cancer Arrested by the Influence of Light.

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[Special Chicago Letter.]

AT SHORT intervals, reports are published of some new discovery concerning cancer, either that the germ has been found or a cure invented; but it continues one of the most baffling diseases with which physicians have to contend. The very fact that so much is written on the subject proves the dread in which it is held.

No one has nerves sufficiently strong to enable him to remain unmoved when he hears a physician pronounce him a victim of this hitherto incurable malady. But it does seem that now, in this phenomenally progressive period



NEW CANCER TREATMENT.

(X-Ray Focused on Malignant Growth in Patient's Face.)

in the history of medical science, a California surgeon, himself its victim, has hit upon a rational method of arresting the progress of cancer, enabling nature to mend the ravages already made.

It was hoped that the matter might be held from public knowledge until more is known of the permanence of the relief obtained, and until other cases could be treated, but rumors were heard and now the facts are given out as far as known.

The founder of Fabiola hospital, Dr. J. M. Selfridge, a physician very prominent in California, has for 25 years had a cancer eating steadily into his face, in spite of trials of every known method of treatment. Its ravages had finally progressed so far that it was feared some vital point would soon be reached. It suddenly occurred to Dr. Selfridge that X-rays, which are so irritating to healthy tissue, might prove destructive to the malignant growth, and he was in a state of mind that made him willing to undertake any experiment. After consulting with his son, Dr. C. M. Selfridge, and Dr. N. H. Chamberlain, they began a series of treatments last October.

To prevent the frequent and long continued application of cathode rays from injuring the unaffected parts of the face, a mask was made of thin sheets of pure lead. In this was an opening the exact size and shape of the cancerous wound. The exposures were made from a regular Crookes tube while the sufferer reclined on an ordinary operating table. From the first favorable results were noted. The progress of the disease was stayed and the cancer seemed to dry up. New, clean tissue has formed, and, except where parts of the face were already destroyed, appearances say that Dr. Selfridge may be pronounced cured. The same remedy is being tried in other cases with good results, although it is too soon to make a statement as to final success. Of course there are many members of the medical fraternity who believe the relief is only tem-



TAPPING THE POISON FANGS.

porary; and time alone can tell whether they be right in their judgment. But in any case the use of the X-rays is less objectionable than that of a surgeon's knife, and no very satisfactory results have ever been produced by the latter. So it may well be conceded that a forward step has been taken.

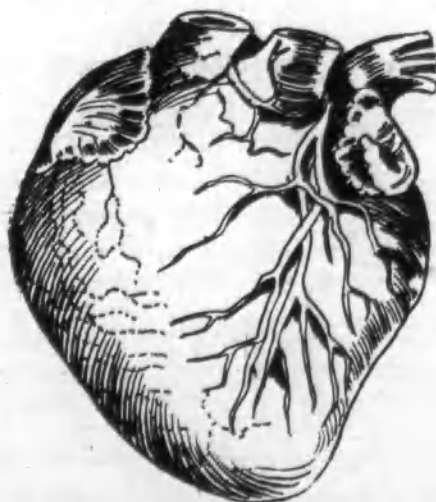
Medical activity in all departments of investigation is very marked. One discovery seems to lead naturally to another. For some time endeavors have been made to obtain a serum which shall invariably prove a specific for snake bite. Many scientific men have been working on the problem, which seems now to have been solved, although no man has yet been found with a sufficient love of investigation to induce him to submit to being bit-

ten by a rattlesnake or copperhead in order to try the efficacy of the antivenom.

In laboratories where the interesting work of making snake serum is carried on it is necessary to keep on hand a large number of snakes of the most deadly varieties, as after the venom is all extracted from one of the reptiles it takes about two weeks for him to secrete a fresh supply. It is hardly necessary to say that the securing of this poison is a very dangerous process. The creatures are only too glad to give one a sample of the goods they carry, but they wish to do it in their own way, the results of which would hardly be pleasant.

If the snake were lassoed in the usual manner it would be impossible to prevent its springing forward and wounding its captor. So a strong leather loop is attached to the end of a long stick. When the loop is securely fixed around the reptile's neck, his motions may be controlled by means of the stick. One man holds the snake while the other deprives him of his store of venom. If he refuses to open his mouth a little tickling on the nose will induce him to do so. His ugly, darting, forked tongue is not dangerous, but the toothlike fangs hanging from the top of his mouth are his deadly weapons. When he thrusts his head forward to strike muscles contract which force poison from glands behind the fangs which he buries in the flesh of his victim. The fangs contain a hollow duct leading from the glands, and from which the venom enters the wound. It is all the work of an instant. To artificially secure the venom, which does not flow of its own accord after the mouth is opened, the operator presses certain muscles in the back of the snake's head and the poison pours into a bottle held beneath the fangs. About a teaspoonful at a time may be taken from a healthy, mean snake. The venom is then injected into a horse, which begins to swell in about ten minutes. Very few of the animals die from this treatment. If still alive, in about three months a small quantity of blood is drawn from the horse, from which the serum is taken. This is the anti-toxin, and it has been successfully used in the treatment of many small animals bitten by venomous snakes.

Nature indulges in many queer freaks, and sometimes allows strange liberties to be taken with her seemingly unchangeable laws. In no case is this more remarkable than in that of the heart, and interference with whose functions is usually attended by fatal results. In its normal condition the heart should be of the same size as the closed fist of the person to whom it belongs, the average weight of a man's heart being from nine to eleven ounces, and of a woman's from eight to ten ounces. Yet autopsies have revealed hearts weighing over 60 ounces. Valvular disease causes the heart to enlarge. Because it has trouble in per-



HEART OF NORMAL SHAPE.

forming its labors, it increases in size and muscular power to enable it to do extra work. Many veterans of the civil war lived for years with bullets in their hearts. A bullet was recently removed from a man's heart which had lain embedded there for eight years. A boy shot the rammer from a toy cannon into his heart, and walked home showing no apparent pain. About five weeks afterward he died suddenly and a post-mortem revealed the stick, but no mark on the organ to show where it entered. A woman swallowed a tooth-plate. From the oesophagus it ulcerated into the pericardium and caused death. The heart, with false teeth embedded, may be seen in Bellevue Medical museum in New York. In several instances, after accidents, men have been able to view the beating of their own hearts. This was the case of one of the Chicago policemen injured in the Haymarket riot, in the outer covering of whose heart a piece of a bomb lodged. There are many records of death from actual heartbreak, sudden sorrowful excitement having rent the muscles. People stabbed in the heart have recovered after having the wound stitched together. Many people have two hearts. Ella Gates, of Binghamton, N. Y., died suddenly last month. An autopsy showed a small, perfectly formed heart on a second, probably true, heart. She had always been easily prostrated by slight exertion. William King, of New Bedford, Mass., is said to have a heart on each side, also two sets of ribs. Claude W. Whitney, of Cortland, N. Y., has just passed for life insurance, although his heart is on the right side. Many people have hearts in this pos-

tion and, in Charles Schuppel, of St. Louis, not only the heart, but all the organs in the chest were reversed.

EDWARD JULIAN

Clever Bid for a Raise.
In a certain Philadelphia store there is a young assistant bookkeeper. He is a steady chap, minds his own business and is as shrewd as they make them. The other day the senior partner of the firm, who seldom comes around, made a tour of inspection, and as he approached the assistant bookkeeper he noticed the solemn expression on his face. Desiring to be genial, he said: "How are you, young man? I see you are at work. That is good. Close attention to business will always bring its own reward. Tell me, what are you earning per week?" The young man, without a moment's hesitation, answered: "Twenty dollars, sir; but I only get half of that."

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THE KILLING OF WHALES.

There is Little of Excitement or Danger in the Pursuit as it is Now Carried On.

Dr. Frederick W. True, of the Smithsonian institution, who has just spent two months in whale hunting in Green bay, on the northeastern coast of Newfoundland, reports an interesting experience. He was sent out by the institution to study the fishback whale and of the 98 animals caught all but 11 were of this variety. The story-book romance has gone entirely out of whaling as pursued by the Newfoundlanders. There is no frail whaleboat, with the grizzled old harpooner in the bow to strike the whale, but instead a little steam craft and a powerful gun.

The gun throws a large iron harpoon, with crossarms which lie against the shaft until it strikes a solid body and then project out and imbed themselves. The head of this harpoon is cigar-shaped and sharp-pointed and explodes as it strikes the whale's side, generating a gas which serves to keep the fish afloat after the wrecking effect of the shock on its internal organs has left it a lifeless mass. A stout rope is attached to the butt of the harpoon, and by this the whale is kept in leash as it thrashes madly through the water in a vain effort to escape its unknown enemy. Death rapidly ensues, unless, as sometimes happens, the projectile goes through the fish from side to side, when a second shot is necessary.

A DOG'S SUPPLICATIONS.

The Intelligent Little Pet Wanted the Satchel to Get Off the Slipper.

"Mike is the name of a little gray, silky haired spaniel, whose home is on

Maryland avenue, and he is a most cunning and amusing animal, and as wise as it is possible that a little dog can be, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. His mistress has taught him many tricks. He can tell you what he does when the policeman comes, playing dead dog, and he can call his mistress when the telephone bell rings, and is altogether a delightful dog.

He has been taught to beg for things, and his begging looks for all the world like coaxing, so cunningly is it done. The other day his mistress sent him upstairs to get her slippers. He came down presently with one, and she sent him back for the other, but again he returned without it.

"He was sent back, and this time he stayed so long that his mistress went upstairs herself to see what was keeping him. A heavy satchel had fallen upon the slipper, and the little dog, after trying in vain to move it, sat on his hind legs, with his little paws raised in supplication, hoping that he might persuade the satchel to get off the slipper. He probably was convinced that his prayer was efficacious when his mistress lifted the hindrance.

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START OF THE FEUD.

Senator Clark Had to Pay Marcus Daly Eighty Thousand Dollars for a Stream.

"Gus" Schmidt tells this story in connection with the trouble of Senator Clark, of Montana, who is bitterly pursued by Marcus Daly, says the Indianapolis Press:

"The start of this feud dates from their early mining days when Clark was dependent on the water from a small stream for the successful working of his mines. Daly bought the water right for \$35,000 and compelled Clark to pay \$80,000 for its use.

"A further item, which goes to show Clark's luck, or pluck, is that a prominent western smelting company was financially embarrassed, and as it was at a time of panic the company could not obtain ready money. Clark examined its books, and, finding them in good condition, took \$100,000 stock in the company. In going over the books he noticed a carload of ore once in awhile that was exceedingly rich, and made inquiry of the name of the mine from which the ore came. He was told, and went to the mine dressed as a miner and hired himself out to the four young men who owned it, and went to work as a miner. After seeing the wealth of the mine he bought it for \$200,000, and this mine is now making him millions."

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