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ON and after Nov 18, 1883, trains will leave Auburn as follows:

GOING SOUTH

6:20 A. M. Express for points south connecting at Freeville with E. C. & N. R. R. and from Elmira, Ithaca, Cortland and Canastota, at Owego with N. Y. L. E. & W. R. R., for Binghamton and all points East.

9:45 A. M. ACCOMMODATION for all points South.

11:05 A. M. Express for points South, connecting at Freeville with E. C. & N. R. R. for Ithaca, and Canastota; at Owego with N. Y. L. E. & W. R. R., for points East and West, at Sayre with Lehigh Valley R. R., for New York, Philadelphia and all points south and east.

7:17 P. M. Express for points South, connecting at Owego with N. Y. L. E. & W. R. R., for points east. Sayre with Lehigh Valley R. R., for New York, Philadelphia and all points south and east.

Note: This train runs daily.

GOING NORTH

8:15 A. M. Oswego Express. This train connects at Oswego. Arrive Oswego ... A. M. Connects at Weedsport with N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and West Shore R. R. for east and west.

... A. M. Express for points North, connecting at Weedsport with N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., and N. Y. W. S. & B. Ry., to and from the West and for the East, at Sterling with R. W. & O. R. R. for all points ... Arrive Owego ... P. M., Cayuga 6:35 P. M.

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... express from South, ... A. M.

... Gen. Pass. Agt., L. V. R. R.

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EASTWARD.		WESTWARD.	
N. Y. Express	5:15 A. M.	Pacific Ex.	6:55 A. M.
Day Express	10:40 A. M.	Accommod'n	10:40 A. M.
Accommod'n	3:15 P. M.	Accommod'n	3:15 P. M.
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TRAINS LEAVE WEEDSPORT.

EASTWARD.

... Express,	3:52 P. M.
St. Louis Express,	1:07 A. M.
New York and New England Express,	10:26 A. M.

WESTWARD.

... Express,	2:40 P. M.
Day Express,	7:43 A. M.
Pacific Express,	6:24 P. M.

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Leave Cayuga, 7:55 A. M. and 6:55 P. M. Arrive Ithaca 10:45 A. M. and 8:32 P. M.

Leave Ithaca 6:20 A. M. and 3:00 P. M. Arrive Cayuga 9:35 A. M. and 5:42 P. M.

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Train departs going South, 4:00 P. M.

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6:40 P. M. Everything east.

8:20 P. M. Through and way.

WEST.

6:30 A. M. Through and way.

10:10 A. M. Rochester & Falls Road, Western States west of Rochester and direct road via Syracuse.

2:45 P. M. Everything west and Washington & Southern States.

5:45 P. M. For all points on Cayuga and Ithaca road.

6:45 P. M. Western States, Rochester and west Rochester, and direct road via Syracuse.

8:30 P. M. Rochester and Falls Road, Western States and west of Rochester and direct road via Syracuse.

NORTH.

7:45 A. M. Everything North.

4:05 P. M. Weedsport, Cato, Meridian, Fair Haven, Oswego and Suspension Bridge, Rochester and Falls Roads, Western States. Direct road west of Weedsport, and old road west of Canandaigua.

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7:45 A. M. Everything South.

10:30 A. M. N. Y. & Dunkirk east, N. Y. & Dunkirk west, Owego, Binghamton, Philadelphia, N. J. and Southern States.

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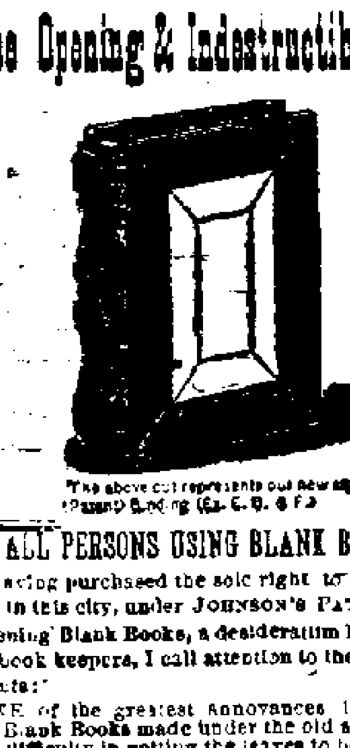

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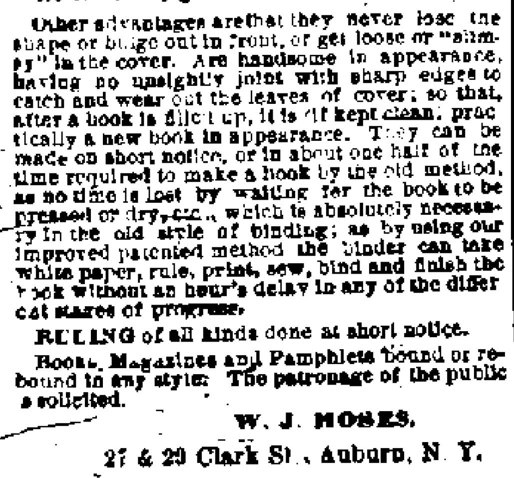

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SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

VARIOUS TOPICS OF THE DAY WHICH ARE BEING TALKED ABOUT.

Remarkable and Destructive Volcanic Eruptions in Various Parts of the World—A Brief Account of the Recent Explosion in Japan.

The past few years have been remarkable for the number of destructive volcanic eruptions in various parts of the world. The explosion of Krakatoa, where an entire island was blown into the air, occurred only five years ago, and a short time afterward a tract of country in New Zealand, several miles in extent, was converted into "a land of fire."

FIG. 1—RECENT VOLCANIC EXPLOSION IN JAPAN.

The latest volcanic catastrophe is reported from Japan, where, on the 15th of last July, a large portion of Mount Bandai was broken up into dust and fragments and scattered over the adjoining country. The accompanying illustration (Fig. 1) shows the appearance of a formerly fertile valley after it was filled with debris from the explosion, and is from a photograph taken by Mr. W. K. Burton of Tokio, who was sent by the Japanese government to investigate the explosion, and whose report is published in The British Journal of Photography. Fig. 2 is a diagram showing the part of the mountain destroyed by the explosion.

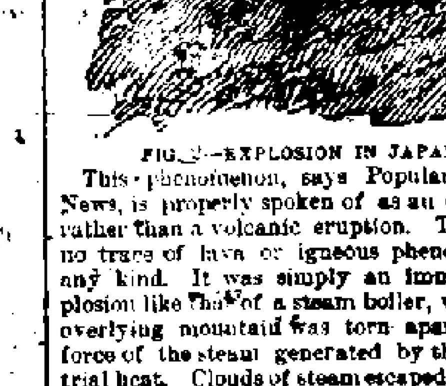

FIG. 2—EXPLOSION IN JAPAN.

This phenomenon, says Popular Science News, is properly spoken of as an explosion rather than a volcanic eruption. There was no trace of lava or igneous phenomena of any kind. It was simply an immense explosion like that of a steam boiler, where the overlying mountain was torn apart by the force of the steam generated by the terrestrial heat. Clouds of steam escaped from the ground in the vicinity of the mountain for some time after the explosion, and when the pressure was first relieved by the destruction of the mountain, torrents of water and mud rushed down the valleys, causing immense loss of life and damage to property.

In some respects this explosion is similar to the eruption which destroyed Pompeii, when a large part of Mount Vesuvius was destroyed; but in that instance the usual igneous phenomena were more evident, although the loss of life was apparently much less. The dwellers at the foot of Vesuvius had ample warning of the eruption before it took place, but the unfortunate Japanese appear to have had no opportunity to escape the catastrophe.

What the Indians Have Cost Us.

The amount expended in Indian wars from 1776 to June 30, 1886, can at best be estimated. The several Indian wars after 1776, including the war of 1812 in the west and northwest, the Creek, Black Hawk and Seminole wars, up to 1860, were bloody and costly. Except when engaged in war with Great Britain and Mexico, or during the rebellion (1860-1865) the United States army was almost entirely used for the Indian service and stationed largely in the Indian country or along the frontier. It will be fair to estimate, taking out the years of foreign wars with England (1812-1815), $66,614,912.34, and with Mexico (1846-1848), $78,941,735.12, and the rebellion (1861-1865) and reconstruction (1865-1870), $3,374,359,360.02, that more than three-fourths of the total expense of the army is chargeable, directly or indirectly, to the Indians.

The total cost of the Indians of the United States, as set forth in the Smithsonian report, is as follows:

Indian department proper, from July 7, 1776, to June 30, 1886	$292,900,000 34
Expended by war department for Indian wars and incidental thereto from July 4, 1776, to June 30, 1886	696,320,277 58
Total	$989,289,384 02

Claims Made by Astronomers.

The claim that the planet Mars has snow and rain and evidences of animal life is not a new one. But now Signor Schiaparelli, of Milan, who has been taking observations through one of the finest telescopes of the world, is credited with having made the wonderful discovery of a series of canals in that planet. They are nearly a hundred miles wide, and run from the sea coast to the interior. According to Professor E. A. Boyle, of St. Louis, other astronomers have seen the same phenomena. Signor Schiaparelli claims that Mars is inhabited by a people somewhat like ourselves.

Fecundity of the Eel.

Mr. Fred Mather, the well known fish culturist has been estimating the number of eggs in a six pound eel in November (in what is known to fishermen as "eel fat," but which are really the ovaries), and credits that eel with fully 9,000,000. Under the microscope he found that they measured eighty to the linear inch, and taking one ovary and dividing it by means of the most delicate scales known to science, he halved, quartered and further divided the mass seventeen times, until he had a section small enough to count the eggs in it.

Gold and Silver.

The director of the United States mint has reported that, according to his established methods of computation, the gold production of the United States for the calendar year 1887 was $33,000,000, compared to $34,869,000 for 1886, and the production of silver $53,406,000, compared to $51,321,500 for 1886. The world's consumption of gold and silver in the arts for the year 1886 is estimated at $40,000,000 gold and $32,000,000 silver. The world's production for 1886 he estimates at $98,764,285 gold and $120,457,500 silver.

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... THE HOUSE

Rockers, Chairs That Are The Best Beauty and Comfort as Well. Tested Recipes.

One variety of the modern rocking chair for the house beautiful is one that shows and dainty enough for a cosy drawing room. It is woven of willow in a graceful design and artistic pattern, enameled with white and decorated with good bands, straps and knobs. The chief of these green, gobelin blue or old pink plush is fashioned into cushions and tied in place with broad sashes of delicately tinted ribbon. Some of the sturdier chairs are molded after the tall quaintly carved, slender patterns popular many years ago and copied from French models. Other rockers are shaped hollow, inviting plush covered resting places.

Sometimes the willow chairs are gilded or bronzed all over and cushioned with pale green plush. Large old fashioned carved oak rocking chairs are also used, made after the fashion of our grandmothers' colonial furniture—roomy, massive, ancient, quaint, and, best of all, exceedingly comfortable. A pretty cushion for that chair is of dull old red or pale green, those tints harmonizing with the light, soft color of the wood.

Simple willow rocking chairs, of various styles, are merely varnished, or stained the color of cherry, and ornamented with movable cushions and chair rolls of bright colored chintz.

Care of the Clothing.

Where a young lady has no lady's maid (and in democratic America we surely ought not to consider such a personage as indispensable to a young and active girl) she must remember, and in good season, to look over the costume that she is to wear, and to see that it is in perfect order, since she will not have time to brush off dust or restore a wayward button in the hurry of dressing for a dinner or a ball. One of the secrets of retaining the bloom of youth in a street dress is to shake it out of the window as soon as it is taken off by the wearer. Indeed very neat women perform this office for undergarments as well—I have known those who always brushed out the inside of their boots! A silk dress should, if possible, be cleaned without the aid of a brush. A piece of soft flannel is the best instrument for this purpose—white for light colored silks and black for black silks.

Baked Rice with Tomatoes.

Baked rice and tomatoes make a very appetizing hot dish. Boil a coffee cupful of rice; when cooked, strain perfectly dry and mix with an ordinary sized can of tomatoes. Add a little onion chopped very fine and a small piece of butter; season with pepper and salt to taste. Put the rice and tomatoes in a dish that is well buttered and strewed with bread crumbs, and put a few small pieces of butter over the top. Then bake in an oven to a rich golden color.

Odd and Pleasing Work.

A somewhat quaint style of work is making flower-pot covers and shaped vases, large and small, in cretonne over cardboard. The cretonne is selected to look as effective and like Oriental china as possible, and the shape is first cut out in pliable cardboard, covered with the cretonne, the edges neatly and carefully laid together, then joined up by sewing over. There is a lining of sateen put in before the sections are joined and a tin inside holds the water and the flowers.

One Nice Pumpkin Pie.

Following is a recipe for pumpkin pie, the quantities given being for one pie only: A generous half pint of rich milk, one heaping tablespoonful of stewed pumpkin, one egg (white and yoke separately beaten), and half a teaspoonful of flour. Sugar to taste; a little ginger, cinnamon and nutmeg. Beat well together, all except the white of egg; add this last, stirring in quickly but thoroughly, and bake in a quick oven.

Griddle Cakes in Variety.

One cupful of boiled rice broken into kernels in one cupful of milk, two cupfuls of flour, into which is sifted two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one teaspoonful of salt. Mix thoroughly, adding more milk, and add two eggs (whites and yelks beaten separately) the last thing before baking.

Hominy, barley, oatmeal, tapioca, farina, cerealine, etc., may be used, and a great variety be produced.

Orange Sponge.

Orange sponge furnishes a delicate dessert. Dissolve three and a half sheets of Cooper's isinglass in water and add to it one pound of sugar on which you have previously squeezed the juice of six good sized oranges and one lemon and a half. Add the whites of three eggs well beaten, and beat all together till the mixture is thick and frothy. Turn into a mold and set on ice.

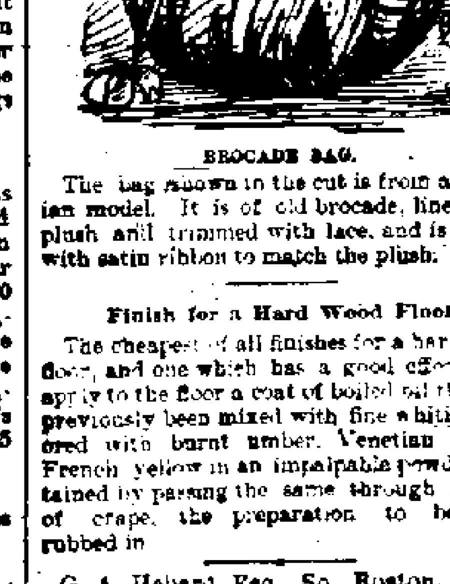
Delightful Doughnuts.

A lady noted for making delightful doughnuts uses the following recipe: Four pints of flour, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one grated nutmeg, salt, one pint of sugar, one tablespoonful of butter. Beat up four eggs in a pint cup and fill it up with sweet milk. Mix and knead well.

A Favorite Style in Work Bags.

Simplicity and daintiness seem to be a fashion in work bags just now. Many are made in the ordinary sack shape, with a heading five inches deep, the bag itself twelve inches long and ten inches broad. At the base in one corner a piece of velvet is placed, as though the point turned up; a bow at the apex and a star worked in silks and gold thread on either side.

A moss green plush bag the same size is lined with pink sateen, the heading only with satin of the same color and drawn in with a cord. Good colorings for these are brown, peacock, olive or ruby; with the lining in contrast.



BROCADE BAG.

The bag shown in the cut is from a Parisian model. It is of old brocade, lined with plush and trimmed with lace, and is drawn with satin ribbon to match the plush.

Finish for a Hard Wood Floor.

The cheapest of all finishes for a hard wood floor, and one which has a good effect, is to apply to the floor a coat of boiled oil that has previously been mixed with fine whiting colored with burnt umber, Venetian red or French yellow in an impalpable powder obtained by passing the same through a piece of crape, the preparation to be well rubbed in.

G. A. Hebard, Esq., So. Boston, Mass., was cured of salt rheum by Palmer's Skin Success. For sale by Frank S. Smith and Chas. H. Sagar.

The same Old Voter.—"Haw!" remarked Lord MacEnoch: "I like America vewy well, ye know; but, then, you have no antiquities here!" "Haven't eh?" returned Carper: "it seems to me that the countryman who ostracized Aristides showed up pretty numerously at the last election."—Puck.

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PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE

As Much Danger of Contagion from Diphtheria in Mild Cases as in Severe Ones.

That diphtheria in all its forms is contagious seems to be an undoubted fact, and in severe cases every precaution is taken to prevent its spread. But the danger in mild cases is quite as great, from the fact that fewer precautions are generally taken. A physician claims that what is commonly called follicular tonsilitis in one patient may produce the severest kind of diphtheria in another member of the family.

On this point Dr Jacobi is quoted as follows:

What has been called lenient or tonsil tis is mostly diphtheria. It is seldom dangerous to the patient, as the tonsils have but very little lymph communication with the rest of the body, but it is contagious. This form is frequent in the adult, in whom it loses nothing, however, of its contagiousness. Diphtheria in the adult proves dangerous to the community, mostly because it does not restrain the patient from communicating the disease. It is apt to last long: First, because most cases occur on a surface covered with pavement epithelium (tonsils); secondly, because of the constant exposure and neglect on the part of the patient. Even without it, diphtheria may last weeks and more; with it, it is subject to sudden relapses. As long as it lasts it is contagious. As diphtheria is but a mild affection in many adults, who disregard it and frequently do not care to mention its existence, pain in swallowing and moderate malaise being the only symptoms, the question of transmission by means of clothing, etc., on the part of third persons is capable of becoming more difficult to answer than it ever was. Many a case which has been believed to be thus carried is probably one of direct contagion from a patient to a second person, from this second to a third.

Another authority explains that the contagion of diphtheria, scarlet fever, whooping cough and measles is due to microbes given off from the skin or breath of the patient. They either float in the air of the room, or become attached to the furniture, walls and bedding. Infected rooms and persons should, therefore, be avoided; while attendants are advised to keep their stomachs in an active condition with digestible food, but should not overload them. Most microbes are digested and rendered harmless by a vigorous stomach.

A Cure for Round Shoulders.

Annie Jenness Miller, of dress reform fame, tells that she has seen a stooping figure and a halting gait, accompanied by the unavoidable weakness of lungs incidental to a narrow chest, entirely cured by the very simple and easily performed exercise of raising one's self upon the toes leisurely in a perfect perpendicular several times daily. To take this exercise properly one must take a perfect position with the heels together and the toes at an angle of 45 degs. Then drop the arms lifelessly by the sides, animating and raising the chest to its full capacity muscularly; the chin well drawn in, and the crown of the head feeling, as our professor used to put it, as if attached to a string suspended from the ceiling above. Slowly raise upon the balls of both feet to the greatest possible height, thereby exercising all of the muscles of the legs and body; come again into the standing position, without swaying the body backward out of the perfect line. Repeat this same exercise, first on one foot and then on the other. It is wonderful what a straightening out power this exercise has upon round shoulders and crooked backs, and one will be surprised to note how soon the lungs begin to show the effect of such expansive development.

The Abuse of Milk in the Diet.

The advantages of using a great deal of milk are very generally urged, but a Canadian physician now claims that there may be an abuse of this usually healthful beverage. It is especially contra-indicated in cases of acute rheumatism. In a number of cases cited, all the patients had been large drinkers of milk and their respective temperatures were over 103. The pain was also extremely severe. They were put upon a diet of thin water gruel flavored to taste and a mixture containing ten grains of salicylate of soda to be taken in half a tumbler of weak lemonade every two hours till relieved. Inside of thirty-six hours the symptoms had, in every case, almost entirely disappeared.

Serviceable Suggestions.

To cure a felon keep the finger in a bag of salt.

Honey in a little water is excellent to smooth and whiten some hands.

To avoid a wrinkled skin use tepid water.

In case of a severe sprain immerse the joint in water hot as can be borne for fifteen minutes.

Boil your drinking water unless it is known to be absolutely pure.

Don't sleep on the ground floor of the house, if it can be avoided.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

Minor Morals of Society—Unpunctuality Causes Much Discord.

Mrs. Sherwood discusses in The World some of the minor sins against the etiquette of good society, and among other things she says: Nothing is more common than the immorality of keeping one's friends waiting. It is the privilege of a few people in this world to be so fascinating and so worth waiting for that we are all willing to be sufferers in this cause. The anticipated pleasure of seeing them when they do come is so great that we are willing and anxious to have that anticipated pleasure put off until they are ready to appear. But the rest of us are not so fascinating—perhaps it is a birthright of which we have been defrauded—and we find if we do keep people waiting that we grow decidedly unpopular, and people can do without us very well. Perhaps we keep a friend waiting who is nervous about her horses—they take a severe cold, because we are not ready at the hour appointed. Does she call for us again? No; not unless we are unusually fascinating. We promise to play the accompaniment at a friend's house for a singer. We are not punctual, and 250 people sit with the added anxiety which a postponement causes, and the whole music becomes a discord because we are tardy.

We intend to go to a reading, but we are late and enter after the silence has fallen on the crowd. Perhaps we overturn a chair, and all the company is disturbed. We promise to be present at a business meeting, where six or seven ladies, all as busy as bees, are waiting for us. We are late, and the six other ladies are defrauded of a day of time which is more precious than diamond dust. The sands of the hour glass in our crowded lives are all diamonds. We cannot afford to lose one of them.

Among men the business of being "on time" is a peremptory one, but in society and among ladies there is a very decided and emphatic wrong committed by inattention to this minor morality on which hangs so much. Hardworking people are apt to be irritable, and who works so hard as fashionable women? Therefore people who keep these hard workers waiting are apt to irritate.

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The Prophet Mohammed's Pet Cat—The Superstitious Veneration in Which Cats Are Held by the Citizens of the City of Damascus.

Mohammed when he was at Damascus, had a favorite cat which he daily fed, fondled and carried about with him in the wide sleeve of his kaftan. One day, when pussy was fast asleep, the prophet was obliged to rise and attend to some public business, and rather than disturb the repose of his pet, he cut off the sleeve of his garment and left puss sleeping there.

MOHAMMED AND HIS PET CAT.

Cats have always been favorites in the far away east, but this circumstance is said to be the reason why they are held in superstitious veneration at Damascus. In that city there is a hospital for cats. It is a large house with a fine courtyard, in which latter the furry creatures sun themselves on bright days. In this hospital hundreds of cats of various breeds, ages and conditions are supported by the voluntary contributions of their faithful friends among the human family.

Daniel Webster's Blue Suit.

Daniel Webster went to college in a homespun suit, of which probably every thread was carded, spun and woven by his mother's hand from the wool of their own sheep. It was a dyed-in-the-wool suit, and the color was indigo blue—the old New England color. In the south it is butternut; but, though our Yankee grandmothers and great-great-great-grandmothers knew all about what butternut bark would do, and the subtile power for slate color that lay in sumach berries and bark of white maple, and the various dyes that root and flower, bark and leaf, could be made to yield, through the agency of vitriol and alum and copperas to "set" them fast, the universal stand by was the blue pot—par excellence the "dye pot"—that stood in the chimney corner of every kitchen worth naming.

So Webster was fitted out in indigo blue from collar to ankle—unbecoming for his swart skin—and set off grand and sophomoric. Before reaching Hanover, there came on one of those drenching rains which, like the Scottish mists, wet a man to the skin. The suit held its own for has not indigo blue been "warranted fast" since first indigo was heard of? but it had parted with enough so that Daniel, too, was dyed blue from head to foot.

Daniel Webster, says Wide Awake, from which the above was taken, had a liberal stratum of sentiment in his make up; and for some reason this color of his young manhood became his favorite wear through life. He wore blue coats to his dying day. If any one ever saw him in a different one, the fact has not been put on record.

Three Twittering Chaffinches.

Twittering at the top of the tall ash tree,
Gilt with the sunlight, are chaffinches three;
Three little heads fledged with close downy scales,
Three pairs of pinions and three shining tails.

AN INTERESTING TRIO.

Three voices issuing from three tiny throats,
Three artists testing the strength of their notes,
Three little spirits, bright, happy and free;
Where can you show such a trio to me?

How and Where Some Toys Are Made.

Some curious toys are made of cork. One of these is the well known little tumbler, such as is generally constructed of pith; but cork, especially if it be hollowed, will answer the purpose. Make the puppet of three or four corks; shape and paint it as skillfully as you can, and glue to the feet or under them a hemisphere of lead. When thrown into any position, the figure of course rights itself, and, like a cat, always falls on its feet. It is quite possible to make a cat also of pith or cork, which will indeed always fall upon its feet.

Many of the wooden toys that come to this country are made in the vicinity of the Black Forest, where men, women and children earn their livings in making what are known the world over as "Dutch toys." It is said that half a million dollars' worth are shipped from there every year, and, as they come to us through Holland, are christened "Dutch toys."

Sentences That Trip the Tongue.

Since the day when Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers, there have been many sentences coined to trip the tongue, and the following is the latest exercise to tie your tongue in knots. Read quickly, please:

A day or two ago, during a lull in business, two little bootblacks, one white and the other black, were standing at the corner doing nothing, when the white bootblack agreed to black the black bootblack's boots. The black bootblack was, of course, willing to have his boots blacked by his fellow bootblack, and the bootblack who had agreed to black the black bootblack's boots went to work.

If you feel as though water was gathering around the heart, (heart dropsy), or have heart rheumatism, palpitation of the heart with suffocation, sympathetic heart trouble, Dr. Kilmer's Ocean Weed regulates, corrects and cures. For sale by Frank S. Smith, 50 State street.

"And now, children," remarked the Sunday school superintendent, "what happened to those wicked people who reviled Noah and refused to heed his warning? Where did they find themselves when the flood came?" "In de soup!" exclaimed a class of newsboys on the back seat with one voice.—Chicago Tribune.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla stops the nauseous discharges of catarrh, and cures the complaint.

An Engineer's Fast Run.

An engineer on one of the roads entering here in speaking last night of fast runs said: "Although my machine is not slow, once let a cold get a start of me, and my machinery is no match for it. I have for years kept a bottle of Kemp's Balsam constantly in my cab, and when a Cough or Cold gets any start of this standard remedy it is indeed a cold day."

A Terrible Disappointment.—Mother—"Why, my dear, what's the matter? Something has happened at Mrs. De Music's party, I know. Tell me all about it, my child." Daughter—"Boo hoo! Mrs De Music asked me to play and—and when I told her I was out of practice, she said she was 'so sorry' and didn't ask me again. Boo hoo hoo!"—New York Weekly.

Girls Who Act as Models.

Girls and ladies in general whose aim it is to be considered models of all that constitutes true womanhood, should value health above beauty. Kemp's Balsam is the safe and only unfailing remedy for Acute and Chronic Coughs and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, and Coughs and Colds terminating in Consumption are the most frequent and dangerous ills that women are subject to. Sold by all druggists. Large bottles 50c and $1.

The newest thing in wedding tours is called the "Secret Honeymoon," neither bride nor groom having any idea where they are going. The idea is not new. For years many young people have married without having any idea where they were going or how they were going to get there when they did know. They didn't have enough money to go to housekeeping.—Norristown Herald.

Syrup of Figs

Is Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to cleanse the System when Billious or Costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds and Fevers; to cure Habitual Constipation, Indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company. For sale in 50cts and $1.00 bottles by Frank S. Smith, Druggist.

"What is the secret of your success?" asked the poet. "That's just it," replied the busy merchant, "there is no secret about it; I'm the biggest advertiser in the State. There's nothing secret about my business." And the poet made a note of it. But the very next man to whom he spoke about it happened to be his friend, the burglar, who scoffed at the idea. "Why," he said, "secrecy is the very soul of success in my business. Never advertise, whatever you do." And the poor poet went out and bought a three months' commutation ticket for the lunatic asylum.—Burdette, in Brooklyn Eagle.

I suffered from a very severe cold in my head for months and used everything recommended but could get no relief. Was advised to use Ely's Cream Balm. It worked like magic in its cure. I am free from my cold after using the Balm one week, and I believe it is the best remedy known. Feeling grateful for what it has done for me, I send this testimonial. Samuel J. Harris, Wholesale Grocer, 119 Front st., N. Y.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me. S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

An Incorrect Inference—The little boy had come in with his clothes torn, his hair full of dust, and his face bearing unmistakable marks of a severe conflict.

"Oh, Willie! Willie!" exclaimed his mother deeply shocked and grieved, "you have disobeyed me again. How often I have told you not to play with that wicked Stapleford boy!"

"Mamma," said Willie, "do I look as if I had been playing with anybody?"—Chicago Tribune.

CATARRH CURED.

A clergyman, after years of suffering from that loathsome disease, Catarrh, and vainly trying every known remedy, at last found a recipe which completely cured and saved him from death. Any sufferer from this dreadful disease sending a self addressed stamped envelope to Prof. J. A. Lawrence, 88 Warren st., New York city, will receive the recipe free of charge. nov19eow2wMWFAD&eow2w

Obedient Boy.—"Mamma, may I speak?"

"You know that you must not talk at table."

"May I not say just one thing?"

"No, my boy. When papa has read his paper you may speak."

(Papa reads through his paper and says kindly)—"Now, child, what is it?"

"I only wanted to say that the water pipe in the bath room had burst."—Fliegende Blatter.

Ministers, lawyers, teachers, and others whose occupation gives but little exercise should use Carter's Little Liver Pills for torpid liver and biliousness. One is a dose. Try them.

Wife—"Shall I put you diamond studs in your shirt, dear?" Husband—"What on earth are you thinking of? Do you want to ruin me? I have a meeting with my creditors this morning."—Jeweler's Weekly.

As a home remedy for throat and lung diseases, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is invaluable. Druggists now have Ayer's Almanac.

And now R. B. Hayes is going to call on Harrison. It seems that the crust of privacy has not grown about Rutherford to that thickness which a patient country had reason to expect.—New York Evening Telegram.

Pozzoni's Complexion Powder is universally known and everywhere esteemed as the only powder that will improve the complexion, eradicate tan, freckles and all skin diseases.

DENTISTRY!

CALL ON DRS. TRIPP,

AND get prices before going elsewhere. Gas, Ether or Chloroform administered by a first class physician for the painless extraction of teeth. Treatment of ulcerated teeth a specialty. Fine gold filling; artificial teeth mounted on gold, silver or rubber; old gold and silver plates repaired; tooth powders, washes and brushes constantly on hand.

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Corner Genesee & South Sts.

LOANS MONEY on Mortgage at 5 per cent., and pays interest on deposits.

E. H. TOWNSEND, Treasurer

Notice.

CAYUGA COUNTY NATIONAL BANK, AUBURN, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1888.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of eleven (11) directors to serve the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House, Tuesday, January 8, 1889. Polls open from 11 A. M. till 12 M.

By order of the Board,

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Lace Curtains, White Flannels & Rose Blankets, Cleaned, Gentlemen's Suits Cleaned & Colored.

18 Water St., Auburn, N. Y. oct1m6

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF CAYUGA.—Mary ... vs. ... James H. ... and ... In pursuance of a judgment ... of partition and sale entered in the Clerk's office of Cayuga county ... the undersigned referee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Auburn, Cayuga county, N. Y., on the 4th day of January, 1889, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the premises described in said judgment, viz: All that tract or parcel of land situate in the city of Auburn, county of Cayuga and state of New York, being a portion of lot fifty-six in the original township of Aurelius and now lying within said city and designated as fourteen and number ... one as appearing and laid down on a map of city lots made by James Lewis Baker, City Surveyor, January 13, 1855, for Amelia A. Perby, of said ... acres conveyed to her by Henrietta S. Fleber, executrix, &c., by deed bearing date January 13, 1856, and which map was duly recorded in Cayuga county Clerk's office, February ..., 1856, at 10 45 o'clock A. M., in book 3 of maps, page 11, to which map and the record thereof reference is hereby had for the location of said lot and a more particular description of the same.—Dated December 31, 1888.

J. WARREN FEAD, Sheriff of Cayuga County, as Referee.

JAMES LYON, Plaintiff's Attorney, Auburn, N. Y. dec21&twMath

SUPREME COURT—COUNTY OF CAYUGA.—Mary A. Atwater vs. Cynthia Nichols and Alfred Nichols, her husband, Eliza J. Clark, Charles W. Clark and America Clark, his wife, Harvey S. Clark and Addie Clark, his wife, George F. Clark and Mary L. Clark, his wife, Ida B. Nelson, Eliza A. Stockman, Wilson A. Clark and Martha L. Clark, his wife, Mary E. Weese and Wilson D. Atwater.

To the above named defendants:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial desired in the county of Cayuga.

Dated the 5th day of November, 1888.

DANIEL L. HURLBUT, Plaintiff's Attorney, Office & P. O. Address, 81 Genesee Street, Auburn, Cayuga Co., N. Y.

To Eliza J. Clark, Charles W. Clark and America Clark, his wife, Harvey S. Clark and Addie Clark, his wife, George F. Clark and Mary L. Clark, his wife, Ida B. Nelson, Eliza A. Stockman, Wilson A. Clark and Martha L. Clark, his wife, and May E. Weese, defendants:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. Chas. C. Dwight, Justice of the Supreme Court, of the state of New York, dated the 1st day of December, 1888, and filed with the complaint in this action in the office of the Clerk of Cayuga county, at Auburn, Cayuga county, New York.

DANIEL L. HURLBUT, Plaintiff's Attorney, Office & P. O. Address, No. 81 Genesee St., Auburn, Cayuga Co., N. Y. dec3law7tM

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 Laura H. Sisson, late of Genoa, Cayuga county, N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same, with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned the administratrix of, &c., of said deceased, at her residence in the town of Venice, county of Cayuga, on or before the 3d day of June, 1889.—Dated December 1, 1888.

MARY A. ATWATER, Administratrix, &c.

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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 James Kerwin, late of the city of Auburn, Cayuga Co., N. Y., deceased, are required to present the same, with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the administratrix of, &c., of said deceased, at the office of A. J. Parker, Esq., 119 Genesee st., Auburn, county of Cayuga, on or before the 17th day of January, 1889.

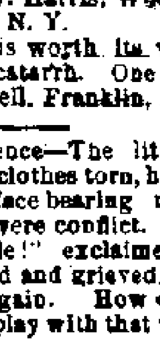
Dated July 16, 1888.

MAGGIE KERWIN, Administratrix.

AMASA J. PARKER, Attorney for Administratrix. july16m6mM

GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.

BAKER'S Breakfast Cocoa.



Warranted absolutely pure Cocoa, from which the excess of Oil has been removed. It has three times the strength of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, costing less than one cent a cup. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, easily digested, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

W. BAKER & CO., Dorchester, Mass.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE—Whereas on the twentieth day of November, 1882, Delancey E. Clapp and Florence E., his wife, executed a mortgage to Nelson Beardsley, and which on that day, was recorded in the Clerk's office of Cayuga county, in Book one hundred and seven of Mortgages, at page 182; and, whereas, default has been made in the condition of said mortgage and in the payment of the money thereby secured, and there is claimed to be due and unpaid thereon at the time of the first publication of this notice, the sum of sixteen hundred and twenty dollars and fifty cents, and no action or proceeding at law has been brought to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale therein contained and in pursuance of the statute in such case provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, (with the exception hereafter stated), at public auction, at the front door of the County Court House, in the city of Auburn, on its thirteenth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. The premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All that tract or parcel of land situate in the city of Auburn, on the south side of West Genesee street, and now known as No. 9?, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of land then owned by David Wadsworth, and running thence southerly along said Wadsworth's east line about five chains to or near his southeast corner; thence easterly and northeasterly, along land formerly owned by Elmore P. Rose, and more recently by said Beardsley, in a line curved and as the fence then stood about one and a half chains to a stake; thence northerly, parallel with the first described line to the south line of said street at a point about one and a half chains from the place of beginning; and thence westerly along the line of said street about one and a half chains to the place of beginning, being the same premises conveyed by said Beardsley to said Clapp by deed dated January 3, 1882. From the above described premises there will be excepted and reserved in said sale so much thereof as was released by said Beardsley from the lien of said mortgage by an instrument of release recorded in said Clerk's office, in Book one of release of Mortgages, at page 44, on the nineteenth day of November, 1883, and also by a release recorded in said Clerk's office, in said Book one at page 200, on the 15th day of August, 1885. Said sale will also be made subject to the lien of a prior mortgage covering the same premises to be sold under this notice.

Dated Auburn, January 5th, 1889.

N. BEARDSLEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Office 63 Genesee st.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK:—To John C. Wolley, Anna S. Wolley, John Howard Wolley, William S. Wolley, Eunice W. Yawger, Georgianna Yawger, George E. Yawger, Llewellyn Yawger, The Congregation ... Presbyterian Church and Congregation of Milton, N. Y., and The First Presbyterian Church and Congregation of ...port, N. Y.:

You and each of you are hereby cited to appear before our Surrogate, in Surrogate's Court, in and for the county of Cayuga, at his office in the Court House, in the city of Auburn, N. Y., on the ... day of January, 1889, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to show cause why Harmon ... of Seneca Falls, N. Y., should not be released and discharged from his duties as one of the trustees, under and by virtue of the last will and testament of Anna Wolley Wood, late of said county of Cayuga, deceased, and why a decree releasing and discharging him should not be made and entered by and in this Court, after a judicial settlement of his accounts as such trustee should not be had.

And those of you who are under the age of twenty-one years, will each please take notice that you are required to appear by your general guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, you will appear and apply for the appointment of a guardian, or in the event of your neglect or failure to do so, a special guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in this proceeding.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the seal of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed.

[L. S.] Witness, Hon. John D. Teller, Surrogate of the county of Cayuga, at the Surrogate's office in the city of Auburn, this 2?d day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

nov30STF JOHN D. TELLER, Surrogate.

IN PURSUANCE of an order made by the Hon. S. Edwin Day, County Judge of Cayuga county, on the ... Day of December, 1888, notice is hereby given to all the creditors and persons having claims against William H. Reilly, lately doing business at No. 44 Washington street, in the city of Auburn, Cayuga county, N. Y., that they are required to present their claims, with the vouchers thereof, duly verified, to the subscriber, the duly appointed assignee of the said William H. Reilly, for the benefit of his creditors, at his office, No. 11 North street, in said city of Auburn, Cayuga county, N. Y., on or before the ... day of February, 1889.—Dated December ..., 1888.

JEREMIAH W. D. ... Assignee.

JAMES LYON, Att'y for Assignee, Auburn, N. Y. dec21law6F