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MOST APPROVED FACILITIES

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# «COST SALE» -OF- «DRY GOODS» FOR DECEMBER!

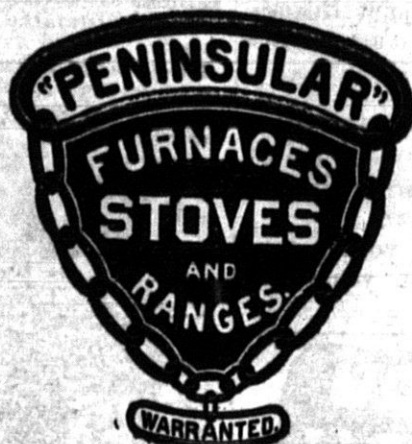
Price List for This Sale.

Coats Best Spool Cotton, 3 1-2 cents, former price 5 cents  
 Best Dress Cambrics, 4 cents per yard, former price 7 cents  
 Fruit Loom Cotton, 7 3-4 cents per yard, former price 10 cents  
 Ladies' Corsets, 73 cents, former price \$1.00  
 Ladies' Jersey Vests, 17 cents, former price 30 cents  
 Standard Prints, 4 cents, former price 6 cents  
 Cotton Flannel, 7 cents, former price 11 cents  
 Fine Rio Coffee, 19 cents per lb., former price 25 cents  
 Granulated Sugar, 23 pounds for \$1.00  
 Coats Best Spool Cotton, 3 1-2 cents, former price 5 cents  
 Fur Trimmed Cloaks, \$9.99, former price \$18.00  
 Fur Trimmed Cloaks, \$8.99, former price \$17.00  
 Good Ladies' Cloak, \$3.00, former price \$8.00  
 Coats Best Spool Cotton, 3 1-2 cents, former price 5 cents

In fact all Dry Goods will be sold this month at Cost, as I am bound to reduce my stock to the very lowest notch.

GEO. H. KEMPF.

Monday, Dec. 14th, will commence Special Ribbon Sale.



IT LEADS THE PROCESSION.

THE  
ROYAL PENINSULAR,  
OF 1891,

With its revolving fire pot and hot air attachment, makes it one of the most complete coal stoves ever offered to the public. We have also a full line of wood heaters and wood cook stoves of all kinds and prices. Remember these goods are not old or carried over stock. Everything is new and of the latest pattern. Hoping to get at least a part of your trade, we remain,

HUMMEL &amp; WHITAKER.

# WINTER SHOES FOR WINTER WEATHER.

We are Sole Agents for the celebrated Utz & Dunn Rochester Winter shoes, the finest line of this class of goods you ever laid your eyes on. We have them all felt, top and bottom; all felt with leather soles; felt with leather foxing; all leather with flannel lining. All of these shoes are lined with a white wool lining, so there is no danger of coloring the stockings.

You can buy these shoes for the price of good ordinary all leather shoes. They are guaranteed to wear as long, besides giving you the comfort that you cannot possibly get with any other shoe. Don't buy before seeing these goods. Come early before the assortment is badly broken.

A few of the many bargains in our  
Boot and Shoe Store,  
are:

Ladies First Quality Rubbers 25c.  
 Ladies First Quality Rubbers 25c.  
 Ladies First Quality fleece lined rubbers 50c.  
 Ladies wool lined Alaskas, new style, 75c.  
 Ladies Arctic, \$1.00. Mens Arctic \$1.00.  
 Men's rubbers 50c. Men's wool Alaskas 75c.  
 Men's Boston, Huron Sock Overs, Instep Strap, \$1.00.  
 Boy's Boston, Perfection Buckle, Felt Overs \$1.00.  
 50 pair Boy's felt boots to close at 50c.  
 Felt boots with rubbers for \$2.00.

GIVEN AWAY.

A first-class \$1.50 umbrella with every \$10.00 purchase. We have only 300 so don't wait long if you expect to get one.  
 Remember we have the largest stock of \$10.00 Over Coats ever shown in Chelsea.

Respectfully,

W. P. SCHENK,

Corner Main and Middle Streets.

## Here and There.

Have you had a sleigh ride?  
 Dr. McColgan has a new card in this issue.

Boose Bros. of Francisco, are building a new house.  
 Miss Minnie Vogel is clerking for Geo. H. Kempf.

Manchester will have a dancing school this winter.

P. J. Lehman and wife spent Sunday in Manchester.

Bert Sparks left Wednesday for Jackson, to visit friends.

Miss Ida Schumacher is clerking for H. S. Holmes & Co.

Born, Dec. 2d, 1891, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson a son.

The merry jingle of sleigh bells is again heard on our streets.

The mighty hunters are kept busy shooting rabbits and quail.

At the present time there is not an empty dwelling house in town.

Born, Wednesday, Dec. 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Strong, a son.

Miss Mattie Tarbell now waits on customers at Glazier's Bank Drug Store.

B. Parker is agent for the Hall Type-writer one of the best manufactured.

The M. E. church, Francisco, organized an Epworth League last Friday night.

Poles for the electric light wires were distributed about town the past week.

Our merchants are hiring more clerks, and preparing for the rush during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gorton, of Waterloo, celebrated their golden wedding Dec. 2nd, 1891.

H. S. Holmes & Co. and Geo. H. Kempf each have a new advertisement in this issue. Read them.

Rev. Fathers Buysse, Fleming and Broegger were guests at St. Mary's Rectory last Tuesday.

There will be a masquerade ball at the Lima Town Hall Dec. 18, 1891. Every body invited.

Miss Estella Guerin left last Wednesday for Pontiac, where she will remain about three weeks among friends.

St. Mary's church will have its annual Christmas festival at the Town Hall on Monday evening Dec. 28, 1891.

J. F. Schuch, of Ann Arbor has an advertisement in this issue. If you want a sewing machine cheap read it.

Hunters who have been through the north this fall state that the indications are favorable for a very severe winter.

It is understood that Clare county has a case of Leprosy; the state board of health refuse to make the names of afflicted public.

We are informed that Mr. Morgan Emmet contemplates the erection of a new house on Washington street the coming spring.

Prosecuting Attorney Lehman is still mourning the loss of his \$100.00 in bills, which in some way slipped out of his vest pocket recently.

We want the names of all of your guests during the approaching holidays, as at every other time. Don't be to modest to send them to us.

The next meeting of telephone association, P. of I., will meet at Lima Town Hall, Dec. 17th, 1891. Special business and election of officers.

Glazier the druggist is "on deck" this week with a big Christmas advertisement, for the benefit of the children. Read what he has to say on the last page.

Township Treasurer Conkright will be at the Chelsea Savings Bank every Friday to receive taxes. All other days he can be found at J. P. Wood's warehouse.

The Sylvan debating society with an effective staff of officers is now ready for business at the old stand. Everybody is invited to come and swell the already large crowd, that gathers every Tuesday evening.

Eleven members were received into the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's church last Tuesday evening. The beautiful ceremony was witnessed by a large congregation. This society is in a most prosperous condition.

The holidays are near at hand and everybody will be enjoying themselves with plenty of money in their pockets. We wish to remind those who owe on subscription, to call up and settle with the printer, as he requires a little money for the holidays.

The HERALD hopes it will not be necessary to impress upon the property owners the duty they owe the public this winter when the snow falls. Clean your sidewalks of snow, and you will receive the thanks of pedestrians, to say nothing of the healthful exercise you will receive in performing the task.

After a long illness which she bore with great fortitude, Mrs. Jacob Hummel, Sr. passed to the eternal reward on Thursday Dec. 8, 1891. Mrs. Hummel was a woman of a gentle and lovable disposition, an old resident of Sylvan, and highly respected by all who knew her. Her funeral was largely attended from St. Mary's church, of which she was a devoted member, Saturday Dec. 5, 1891. The remains were interred in Mt. Olivet Cemetery to await the resurrection morn. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn the loss of a good wife and mother.

## Orange Blossoms.

One of the most pleasant social events that has occurred in this village for a long time, was the marriage, Wednesday, Dec. 9th, 1891, of Mr. Clarence Maroney to Miss Carrie Vogel. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents on East street, Rev. C. Haag officiating. The company of guests was composed mostly of relatives of the contracting parties. Many rich and fine presents were received. Mr. and Mrs. Maroney very sensibly decided to take no wedding trip, but after the ceremony repaired to their new home on Railroad street, which had been beautifully furnished, and are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends on their happy union.

We copy the following from the Woodstock (Ill.) Sentinel: "The marriage of Miss Nona D. Guerin to Will E. Whiting on Wednesday, Nov. 25, 1891, mentioned in these columns last week, was in every respect a most enjoyable social event. The bride, a modest, intelligent, comely young lady, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Guerin, of this city, who has won many friends during her short residence here. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Whiting, well known and highly-respected residents of McHenry. He is a young man of ability, honor and intellectual vigor. The ceremony was performed in a happy manner by the Rev. Slade, of McHenry, and after a superb wedding dinner, the happy couple left on an afternoon train for a trip through the East, intending to visit friends of the bride at Chelsea, Mich., before their return. Among those from abroad who attended the wedding, aside from the parents of the groom, were the following named: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Waterman, Miss Anna Waterman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cristy, of Ringwood; Mr. and Mrs. W. Cristy, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harrison, Lewis Owen, Harold Christy, and Misses Lizzie Whiting, Amy Owen, Mattie Smith, Nellie Clements, Alice Harrison, and Belle and Lois Whiting, of McHenry; Mrs. A. O. Whiting, and son, Bert, of Chicago. The presents received were numerous and beautiful, many accompanying letters of regret from abroad from those who were unable to attend the wedding. The Sentinel hopes the young couple will have a pleasant and prosperous journey through life."

## W. R. C. Fair.

The Woman's Relief Corps will hold a Fair in the town hall, Dec. 11th and 12th, the proceeds to be appropriated to erecting a soldiers monument in Oak Grove cemetery.

A good supper will be served both evenings. Friday, baked beans, meat, etc. Saturday, chicken pie. Admission to hall, 10c; supper 15c. Ice cream will be sold both evenings.

A fine program, consisting of singing by a male quartette, violin playing by two ladies, piano music by Miss Maggie Gates and others, has been arranged for both evenings.

## Going to California.

A person can take a seat in a palace car at Dearborn Station any afternoon and go over the Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railroad to San Francisco, Los Angeles or San Diego without changing cars.

The fast express on this line makes at least twenty-four hours quicker time to Los Angeles than any other line, and in fact the Santa Fe is the only thoroughly comfortable route to take.

The office is at No. 53 Griswold street, Detroit, Mich.

## A Distinguished Remedy.

Dr. Hoxie's Certain Croup Cure is the one and only sure specific for acute attacks to throat and lungs. This remedy was used with unfailing success among children for twenty years by this eminent physician, in Buffalo, N. Y. Wholesale by leading firms in Detroit. 50 cts.

## Sick Kids.

Loose's Red Clover Pills Cure Sick Headache, Dyspepsia, Constipation, 25c per Box, or 6 Boxes for \$1. For sale by Glazier, the Druggist, Chelsea, Mich.

Sub scribe for the Chelsea Herald.

## Perpetual Motion

Has Been

DISCOVERED!

WHERE?

In Glazier's Store.

His Clerks

Are always on the "hustle."

His Goods

Are always on the move.

His Customers

Are daily growing happy.

His Ideas

Are progressive, too.

The Wheels

Of his business turn round and round, grinding out small profits, but lots of "em."

Push.

Pluck.

Progress.

Our watchwords,

"Get There" every time

32 pounds granulated sugar \$1.00.

Do you remember that 30c T?

8 pounds rolled oats 25c.

Fine Florida oranges 18c dozen.

Choice lemons 18c dozen.

Loose muscatel raisins 8c pound.

New Persian dates 8c pound.

Best English currants 4 pounds 25c.

Do you remember that 30c T?

Warrens best salmon 14c can.

Good salmon 11c can.

Best can pumpkin 10c can.

Head light oil 10c gallon.

Do you remember that 30c T?

Our coffees are U. N. X. E. L. D.

Best Tubular Lanterns 35c.

Does it pay to trade at Glazier's store?

Verily, Merrily, More and More,

It Pays to Trade at

GLAZIER'S STORE.

## FARMERS

Are especially invited to do their Banking business with the

Chelsea Savings Bank.

Date, Mar. 10th, 1891.

State Law Guarantee Fund and

Capital \$100,000.00

Deposits, Mar. 10th, 1891 178,371.76

Invested in Choice Bonds,

Mortgages and approved

Loans 120,879.30

Cash on hand and in banks 105,802.34

If you have money deposit it in the Chelsea Savings Bank, that it may earn for you interest, or until wanted, that you may be free from care and fear of loss by fire, thieves, or otherwise. If you need to borrow money, upon good approved security, the Chelsea Savings Bank will be glad to supply it for you.

The Chelsea Savings Bank has recently had built for it one of the strongest safes made, being the new patterns of the Moller Bank Safe Companies, Round Screw Door, Laminated Chrome Steel, Burglar and Dynamite Proof Safe, with no keyhole, spindle or other connection through the door or walls, nor any access to the lock from the outside, the door being screwed in and held secure by a Double Chromometer Time Lock from inside. It is considered the strongest and best security ever devised against efforts of burglars. The safe is protected by a large new fireproof vault made necessary to store the upwards of twenty years' accumulation of books and papers of its business, and the whole premises are further protected by an Electric alarm System, which gives instant warning of trespassers at night.

## DIRECTORS:

Samuel G. Ives, President.  
 Thos. Sears, Vice President.  
 John R. Gates, Capitalist and Farmer.  
 Heman M. Woods, Capitalist.  
 Frank P. Glazier, Druggist.  
 Harmon S. Holmes, General Merchant.  
 Wm. J. Knapp, Hardware Merchant.  
 Jas. L. Babcock, Capitalist.  
 Geo. F. Glazier, Cashier.

Drafts drawn payable in gold on presentation at banks in all the principal cities of Europe, Asia, Africa, South America and Australia.

Tickets for passage by the principal ocean steamship lines; also from all railroad points to seaboard in Europe.

Fire insurance and life insurance in the oldest and strongest companies.

Chelsea Savings Bank.

## Notice.

The regular banking hours of the Chelsea Savings Bank are from 9 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon, and from 1 o'clock p. m. to 4 o'clock p. m.

But to accommodate the public, the bank is usually open for business from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening, except from 4 to 6 o'clock p. m. during which hours the bank is necessarily closed, to count cash and balance account books.

# GREATEST SPECIAL SALE!

EVER IN

# CHELSEA

COMMENCES

# FRIDAY, DEC. 11, '91.

# IT IS RIBBONS.

500 Pieces all Silk.

No. 4, 5 and 7, at 5 cents per yard.

No. 9, 12 and 16, at 8 cents per yard.

Hurry up if you want some.

Respectfully,

H. S. HOLMES &amp; CO.

## HOAG &amp; HOLMES.

Have You Seen Us Lately.

We can hardly explain to you the magnitude of our Holiday display. Yes, we are selling many goods already for Holiday gifts. So many have learned the disappointment of waiting until the last week that they make selections early, and in so doing get just the things they desire, and certainly just as reasonable as any time later on.

We will not attempt to enumerate the different articles, but will promise to give you a pleasant surprise when you come to see us.

## HOAG &amp; HOLMES.

# \* RED \*

# \* STAR \*

# \*\* OIL \*\*

Burns the Clearest!

Lasts the Longest!

IS THE SAFEST!

# COSTS 10c GALLON!

For Sale By

R. A. SNYDER, - - CHELSEA.



This is the year 7,910,341, according to the Chinese reckoning.

In twenty years there has been no counterfeiting of American postage stamps.

It costs two dollars for three minutes use of the telephone wire between London and Paris.

The Rothschilds, once boycotted by every reigning family, are now received with the utmost distinction at every court in Europe except Austria.

The Pennsylvania railroad ran a train from Jersey City to Washington, a distance of 228 miles, in 251 minutes. The time was seven minutes faster than the previous fastest run.

Your Pacific slope Mongolian must be a thrifty chap. The steamer Oceanic, sailing the other day, took over eight hundred Chinese who were going home to the flowery kingdom to spend the holidays.

JERRY WALLACE, a farmer of Riverdale, Ga., while carrying a sack of apples from his wagon to the store, overbalanced himself and broke his neck. The moral of this is that the honest farmer should always let his wife carry the apples.

GEORGE JAYNES, who lives near Gainesville, Mo., raises ratsnakes for their oil, which he sells at about one dollar a pint to wholesale druggists for liniments. "Snaky George" has about ten thousand of the reptiles on his place, and kills two thousand a year.

A New York lawyer asked to have a verdict set aside for the reason that "the jury had taken only two minutes to agree upon it." The judge informed the lawyer "the verdict would have had complete binding force had the jury rendered it without leaving their seats."

From water, sugar, a certain kind of mineral salts and a free acid an artificial honey may be made that can be used with good effect now and then in relieving the tired molarities of commerce from its monotonous attendance on the sad and spiritless buckwheat cake now prevalent.

The train dispatcher of the New London Northern railroad, extending a distance of 121 miles, is a woman—Miss Lizzie E. D. Thayer. She is said to be the only woman in the world holding such a position, and from seven in the morning until nine at night she is responsible for the running of trains on the road.

The second of the three competitive tests of armor plate made in the United States took place a few days since on the shore of the Potomac, near Washington, and demonstrated in the opinion of Secretary Tracy and experts that this country can produce better armor for vessels than can be produced in Europe.

SOCIALISM is rapidly spreading in Germany. The number of socialists who voted at the elections in 1871 was 101,927; in 1874, 321,670; in 1875, 493,447; in 1876, 437,158; in 1881, 311,901. At this period Prince Bismarck caused the anti-socialist laws to be passed. In 1884 the socialist vote was 549,990; in 1887, 703,128; and in 1890, 1,341,597.

THE women of California have installed the widow of John C. Fremont, the famous Pathfinder, in a pretty little home in the heart of an orange grove in Los Angeles, as an expression of their love and gratitude to the man who did so much preliminary work toward the building up of the magnificent commonwealth of California.

VERMONT is not much of a manufacturing state. It produces marble, horses, maple sugar, wool and other farm products. It has manufactures only where the mountain streams furnish water-power. Yet its people, only 332,000 in number, have \$18,202,000 on deposit in savings banks, and the increase in these deposits last year was \$72,702.

MR. PHILIP H. STERNBERG, of Reading, Pa., has married the sister of his father's wife, and there is a great deal of speculation as to the curious complications of relationship that will arise. Young Mr. Sternberg, in the first place, is his father's nephew; by marriage he is his father's brother-in-law; his own uncle, as well as an uncle to his brothers and sisters, and his father's nephew. He will be uncle and great uncle to his own children, and is brother-in-law to his wife.

The postage stamp will celebrate its fifty-second anniversary on May 6 of next year. Its invention is due to a printer, James Chalmers, of Dundee, Scotland, who died in 1855. England, fifty-two years ago, introduced the new system of preparing letter postage and according to a decree of December 21, 1839, issued the first stamps, which were to be put before the public on May 6 of the following year, as noted above. A year later they were introduced into the United States and Switzerland and within three years they had become common in Bavaria, Belgium and France.

THE Chinese government has adopted extreme measures in order to convince foreign powers that it is earnest in its efforts to protect foreigners. A decree has been issued making the printing and publishing of anti-foreign placards a capital offense, and those already under arrest are to be released as a warning to others. In the ordinary course of events their execution might be delayed two months, but the government will not suffer the law's delay. Whether western nations will be pleased by an exhibition of zeal which outrages their principles of justice remains to be seen.

COMMODORE THEODORE WILSON, chief of the bureau of construction, in his annual report to the secretary of the navy says that the old wooden vessels of the navy are rapidly disappearing from active service, only twelve now being available for cruising purposes. Concerning the vessels of new construction he speaks of the usefulness of torpedo cruisers. Appropriations are recommended as follows: \$25,000 for the Portsmouth (N. H.) navy yard; \$150,000 for the New York navy yard; \$44,000 for the League Island (Pa.) navy yard; \$48,000 for the Norfolk, Va., and \$100,000 for the Mare Island navy yards.

## Epitome of the Week.

INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The statement of the public debt is issued in the last showed the total debt to be \$1,549,911,000; cash in the treasury, \$748,556,750; debt less cash in the treasury, \$798,044,945. Decrease during November, \$2,570,190.

PHILIP T. MENDENHALL, chief of the United States geodetic and coast survey, in his report concerning the Indiana-Ohio boundary line, shows that it is one mile east of its proper place, thus giving Ohio nearly 100 square miles of Indiana territory.

The Windom two-dollar certificates were issued. No. 1 was allotted to Mrs. Windom.

The first assistant postmaster general in his annual report shows that at the close of the last fiscal year there were 2,984 presidential post offices in the United States. The gross receipts amounted to \$50,303,237, being an increase of \$4,972,000 over the previous year. The aggregate expenditure for compensation to postmasters amounted to \$14,528,990.

An order by the postmaster general directs that all promotions of clerks in the fifty post offices now under the civil service law and rules be made only after a competitive examination.

THOMAS N. KIRK, in his annual report to Secretary Foster on the operations and condition of the treasury says the net ordinary revenues of the government for the past fiscal year were \$892,612,447.31, or \$10,468,535.33 less than those of the year before. The net ordinary expenditures, exclusive of the amounts paid in premium on bonds purchased, were \$355,372,084.74. The postal revenues amounted to \$65,762,908.55 and the expenditures to \$72,067,589.65. The reduction effected during the year in the principal of the bonded debt was \$110,500,273. The amount of money in circulation was \$1,676,078,102. The disbursements during the year were \$781,124,376.23, leaving a balance of \$736,223,323.60.

COMPTROLLER LACY in his annual report shows that during the year ended October 31 last 193 new banks were organized, with an aggregate capital of \$20,700,000. The number of banks in operation was 3,694, having in total stock \$694,758,565. The affairs of 102 insolvent banks were finally closed.

In his annual report Commodore Folger, chief of the bureau of ordnance, estimates the expense of the bureau for the next fiscal year at \$4,780,391, of which total the sum of \$4,186,250 is to be applied toward armament of new vessels authorized to be built.

POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER in his annual report shows that, in spite of the fact that over \$1,000,000 worth of lottery revenue has been lost during the last year, the postal deficit of \$6,000,000 is surely disappearing. Mr. Wanamaker favors postal telegraph, telephones and a postal savings system, and thinks penny postage will be demanded in the near future, and shows how newspapers may be transported free from July 1, 1893.

The business failures in the United States during the seven days ended on the 4th numbered 330, against 293 the preceding week and 312 for the corresponding week last year.

In his annual report to the secretary of the navy, Paymaster General Stewart says that the growth of the navy has called for expenditures of \$3,500,000 at shore stations during the fiscal year.

THE EAST.

The court of appeals of New York has decided that a person riding upon a railway pass can recover damages in case of an injury.

At Springfield, Mass., George E. Barr, proprietor of the Hotel Warwick, shot his wife and then committed suicide because she refused to give him money.

At the age of 102 years Maj. Thomas Harvard died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y. He secured his military title during the war of 1813.

The launch of the new cruiser New York took place at Cranp's shipyard in Philadelphia in the presence of Secretary Tracy and other distinguished persons.

In a jealous rage Samuel Pollak, aged 51, shot his wife in Philadelphia and then killed himself.

The Clinton dynamite works at Haverstraw, N. Y., were blown up and five men were killed.

At Warren, Pa., R. Blood, an oil operator who was thrown from his horse and killed, carried life insurance of \$800,000.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dodge occurred at Damariscotta, Me., having passed the century mark in age by a few months. One of her sisters lived to be 102 years old.

The execution of John McManus took place at Philadelphia for the murder of Eugene Maginnis, February 21, 1890.

The firm of Geis & Co., lithographers at Buffalo, N. Y., failed, with \$475,000 nominal assets and \$275,000 liabilities.

FLAMES which started in a barn adjoining the coal and lumber yard of the D. J. Boyce estate in Plainfield, N. J., caused a loss of \$100,000.

An collision on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Pennington, N. J., three persons were killed and seven badly injured.

PASSENGER and freight trains were wrecked on the New York & New England railroad at East Thompson, Conn., and three men were killed and seven injured.

In New York H. D. Wilson entered Russell Sage's office and demanded a million dollars. On being refused Wilson threw a dynamite bomb, injuring Mr. Sage and five other persons, and killing Benjamin F. Morton, a clerk, and himself.

PROPERTY worth \$100,000 in the Cumberland valley in Pennsylvania was ruined by the wind and damage was done in several other places in the state.

DURING a storm twelve barges loaded with brick capsized in the Hudson river at Croton point and twenty persons were drowned.

WEST AND SOUTH.

A PORTION of Lyons county, Kan., was swept by a prairie fire and many haystacks, granaries and orchards were destroyed. The loss would amount to thousands of dollars.

FIRE destroyed the steamer Eastern Oregon while on the dry docks at Olympia, Wash.; loss \$180,000.

The safe of the Hopkins county (Ky.) bank at Madisonville was robbed by burglars of \$6,000.

In Detroit George J. Reis, a groceryman, his wife and three sons were smothered to death by the destruction of their store and dwelling by fire.

In Chicago thirteen alleged anarchists were fined from \$10 to \$100 each by Justice Woodman.

In Kansas City, Kan., a new band of holiness has been organized which has fixed the end of the world to come off Christmas day of this year.

In Minneapolis the first attempt in the history of the country to afford relief to the famine-stricken peasantry of Russia has originated. The scheme is to send a shipload of flour to Russia by the middle of next January, and the 5,000 merchant millers of America are to be asked to help.

A SOLDIER named Frank Palmer, who murdered Tremaine, an Indian scout, near Fort Sully, S. D., in 1878, was captured in Bonham, Tex.

A TRAIN on the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia road near Rome, Ga., was held up by robbers who secured \$1,000 from the express car.

By the upsetting of a lamp Mrs. George Martin and her son, aged 14 years, were burned to death at Denver, Col.

DURING the absence of Mrs. Clement Kitts, of Lima, O., the house caught fire and the two little children were burned to death.

By the capsizing of a boat four negroes were drowned in the river at Memphis, Tenn.

At Creston, Ia., Jasper Mann, his wife and their two children were fatally burned by a gasoline explosion in their house.

The death of James Sanderson, who was said to have killed 140 Indians in the last twenty years, occurred at Fort Sumner, N. M.

By the collapse of the wall of the burned building recently occupied by Farwell, Ozmun & Co., in St. Paul nine men were killed and six injured, three fatally.

A BOILER explosion at Pope & Pulley's mill near Hornselleville, Mo., killed three men and demolished the building.

EDMUND DICK TAYLOR, the father of greenback currency, an intimate personal friend and adviser of President Lincoln, died at his home in Chicago, aged 89 years.

MR. AND MRS. LEVI MILLS, an aged couple near Liberty Center, Ia., were cremated by the burning of their home.

At Mount Vernon, Mo., Charles M. Seaton was hanged for the murder of Lewis Channel at Joplin, Mo., July 5, 1889.

On his death bed Dr. Felix Roan, a prominent citizen of Caswell county, N. C., confessed that he killed Senator John W. Stephen twenty years ago.

A STOCK of earthquake was felt at Cincinnati and windows were broken in some instances.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

In the interior of Mexico the suffering owing to the scarcity of provisions was said to be intense and it was feared that rioting would break out among the famine-stricken populace.

In a letter written to a friend in London from Mentone, Italy, Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon says that his health gains slowly.

In China another rebellion has broken out, two or three important towns have been captured and hundreds of natives murdered, among them many Christian converts.

FURTHER advices give the number of deaths by the recent Japanese earthquakes as 7,560, and the injured at 10,100.

In Melbourne the Standard bank, with a capital of \$5,000,000, suspended. EXPORTATION of tobacco from Mexico during the last fiscal year amounted to \$156,344.56 more than the previous year.

At the age of 66 years Dom Pedro, emperor of Brazil, died in Paris. Since 1871, when Dom Pedro was forced to leave Brazil, his health had been failing.

In Berlin influenza was so widespread as to interfere with the operations of railways and other large concerns and with municipal and judicial affairs. Hospitals were crowded to their utmost capacity.

LATER.

FIFTY-SEVEN sailors lost their lives on the great lakes during the season just closed. This was the largest number of deaths of any year since the lakes were navigated.

The Bellefonte (Pa.) Nail & Iron Company suspended with liabilities of \$302,000.

DURING November last 29,205 immigrants landed at the port of New York, against 32,144 during the same time the previous year.

A FIRE among bookbindery establishments in Philadelphia caused a loss of \$350,000.

The rebels in a battle near Choyang, Eleven hundred rebels were slain, ten on the field, and those which were overtaken and captured were immediately executed.

SEVENTY-THREE miners lost their lives by an explosion of fire damp in a mine at St. Etienne, France.

PROF. W. H. MCCURBIN, of Mayaville, Ark., shot and killed his wife and then killed himself. The double tragedy was on account of jealousy.

The Belle Center bank in Logan county, O., was robbed of \$12,000.

A WORK train on the Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western railroad went through a bridge near Ottawa, O., and killed three Italian laborers and wounded a number of others.

A CRANK DEMANDS \$1,300,000 FROM Russell Sage—Upon the Millionaire's Refusal to Give It He Throws a Dynamite Bomb, Blowing Off His Own Head, Killing Another Man, and Severely Injuring Mr. Sage and Others.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Russell Sage, the millionaire broker, escaped death as by a miracle Friday. The entire Empire building, in which was his office, was shaken to its very foundation by the explosion of a dynamite bomb hurled by a crank, who made a demand upon Mr. Sage for the immediate payment of \$1,300,000, the ultimatum being, in case of refusal, the death of the millionaire, the crank himself and those employed in the office.

Those who were close at hand saw a man blow through the windows of Sage's office into Recker street. A few minutes later Mr. Sage himself, with blood streaming from his face and hands, was helped out into the street and taken to O'Connell's drug store, just below Wall street, on Broadway. There, also, was carried the man blown from the window.

Within ten minutes after the explosion Dr. A. P. Munn, the physician of Jay Gould, was at the side of Mr. Sage and personally attended to his injuries, which proved to be not of a serious nature. The hair and eyebrows of the millionaire were burned and his face and his hands hurt by small particles of glass and plaster, the result of the explosion.

But one person was killed outright, supposed to be H. D. Wilson, the man that made the demand for money from Mr. Sage and the one that threw the bomb. Benjamin F. Morton, a clerk in the office of Mr. Sage, was thrown through the window, who was carried to Chambers street hospital, where he died at 1:30 a. m. while under operation for fracture of the skull. The deceased was a resident of Far Rockaway, L. I.

Mr. Slocum, the chief clerk of Mr. Sage, is badly cut about the head. The safe was broken open and the securities scattered over the building and street. The others injured are:

S. G. Calhoun, of 165 Dean street, Brooklyn, who was in Mr. Sage's office or near it when the explosion occurred; badly burned on the arms and face, but otherwise unhurt.

W. R. Laidlaw, Sage's clerk, leg incised and wounds about the face and body.

Frank Robertson, a broker's clerk, 25 years old, living at Bergen street, N. J., bruised and cut about the abdomen; dangerous.

F. G. Morrison, who has an office in the building, badly cut and bruised.

C. W. Osborn, 25 years old, 126 Berkeley place, Brooklyn, severe injury about body and face.

It was learned that a shabbily dressed man had entered the office of Mr. Sage just as the latter was preparing to leave his desk to go to luncheon. The man had a package in his hand, and when Mr. Sage looked up the visitor held it above the millionaire's head.

"What do you want?" asked Mr. Sage, noting a wild look in the face of his visitor.

"Russell Sage," responded the man, "I want a million and a half dollars."

Mr. Sage at once knew the man was insane, and, rising from his chair, said: "All right, I'll have to see about it and will let you know."

"No, I want it now," said the man, motioning Mr. Sage to stop. "If I don't get it," he continued, raising his voice so that people in the outer office could hear, "you will regret it. Will you give it to me?"

"No," said Mr. Sage, quietly, "not now; come after it some other time."

Mr. Sage had hardly spoken when the man raised the package he held in his hand above his head, and, saying: "Here goes," threw it to the floor, almost at the feet of the millionaire.

There was instantly a tremendous explosion. When the relief party of police went into the room half an hour later they found the body of the man who threw the dynamite literally torn to pieces.

The second floor hallway leading to Mr. Sage's offices was badly shattered and the floor was covered with debris. In the hallway just outside the door leading to Sage's main office was found the shockingly mangled body of a man. The trunk and legs were in a state that would have made recognition impossible, but the head, which the police reported as having been severed from his body, showed few marks of the explosion.

As a trunk and legs lay in a net of rope, brought by the firemen they looked like a bundle of ragged old clothes and were absolutely without human semblance. The man wore a pointed, reddish beard. The face looked like that of a man of education.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 5.—The dynamite crank is thought to be Hiram D. Wilson, aged 45, an escaped lunatic and native of Glens Falls, Warren county. Wilson has escaped previously from Middletown and other asylums.

He was very strong and of light complexion. The worst signs of insanity were developed four teen years ago when he kept the Bolton house on Lake George. Wil son, after short terms in insane asylums, has been discharged as cured or escaped. He has generally celebrated his freedom by making attempts to kill some one who refused to meet his demands for money.

He had also threatened the life of Goodwin Brown, one of the state lunacy commissioners. It was the loss of money that made him crazy. Wilson was arrested here about a year ago for threatening to kill some one.

To Paris on Horseback.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The bureau of American republics is informed that a gentleman named Aquiles Thour left for Paris on the 1st of October for the purpose of making a horseback journey to Paris by way of Bolivia, Peru, Colombia, Central America, Mexico, the United States, Canada, Alaska, Russia and Germany. He expects to be until January, 1894, on his journey.

Big Failure in Australia.

MELBOURNE, Dec. 5.—As a result of the financial disturbance in this city, the Standard bank suspended Thursday night. Its capital was \$5,000,000.

Killed with a Baseball Bat.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 5.—Friday while two baseball teams were playing at Brier Ranch, 60 miles west of here, the players began quarrelling over a decision of the umpire. William Love struck another player named William Remus with a ball club. The blow fell on the temple and Remus died soon afterwards.

Hebrews Going to Argentina.

BREIL, Dec. 5.—A thousand Hebrew families are on the way to the Argentine republic to join the colony established through the munificence of Baron Hirsch.

WHO THREW THE BOMB?

W. D. Southworth Under Arrest as Chief Conspirator Against Millionaires.

UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Hiram Wilson, who is mentioned as the crank who dropped the dynamite bomb in Russell Sage's office in New York, is confined at the state hospital in this city.

New York, Dec. 7.—The detective force of the police department and the detective force of the press of the city are each and all scurrying after an identification of the dead wretch who blew himself into pieces at Russell Sage's office Friday last.

Identification is believed to have been effected by Capt. Harry Byrne as that of a man whom he had met several times and with whom he had frequently conversed.

Capt. Horne, who was originally interested in wild west shows, is now a lecturer in Worth's museum and it was there he first met the bomb-thrower in the latter part of September. Capt. Horne said to Inspector Byrne:

"The dead man came to me with a letter of introduction from some one whose name I do not remember and made an engagement to meet me the following afternoon. I met him and he asked me to go on a lecture tour. One of the features of the lecture was to be a proposition that all railroads carry passengers at the same rate as freight. He said that all the prominent railroad men, Gould, Sage, Depew and other magnates, would be invited to attend the lectures and be convinced of the errors of their ways. In case they did not accept the invitations a letter would be sent to them and if they persisted in refusing business would be done. He said he was a member of a strong organization to revolutionize matters in the interest of the poor people. It was a religious organization and would be the largest in the country in two years. God was with it and it was bound to succeed. If any one of the magnates refused to accept what was right toward the people he would be killed by some member of the organization, to be chosen by lot."

Interest in the attempt to kill Russell Sage with dynamite on Friday last was increased Sunday by the arrest of W. D. Southworth. It was said that Southworth had gone to Central America, but he was found by Inspector Byrne's men near the city and taken to police headquarters.

Southworth is undoubtedly a crank and confessed to Inspector Byrne that he had been an inmate of a lunatic asylum. He was taken to the morgue and shown the head of the dynamiter, but said he had never seen it in life. In that particular he contradicted the story of Horne, who said that the dead man in introduced Southworth to him at the museum two months ago.

BURIED IN A MINE.

Seventy-Five Lives Thought to Have Been Lost by an Explosion in a French Colliery.

ST. ETIENNE, Dec. 7.—The noise of two terrific explosions was heard here Sunday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock coming in the direction of one of the collieries pits belonging to the company.

As between sixty and eighty men were below the shaft, the utmost consternation prevailed. Doctors were summoned and relief parties organized. Enormous crowds surged round the pit mouths, and the relatives of those who were known to be at work below made frantic efforts to pass the police line.

The work of relief was extremely difficult to carry on because the explosion had affected the neighboring shafts and rendered them impassable. Another explosion took place in the lower factory shaft. Up to 4 o'clock nothing was known of the number of killed and wounded. At last the first relief party went down composed of nine men, but the cage had descended only 70 feet when it was enveloped in suffocating smoke and gas, and the men could go no further, so the engineer in charge gave orders to ascend to the surface.

Later on seven men were brought to the mouth of the pit badly injured and one died. Seventy-four men still remain below and there is no hope for their lives on account of the great mass of earth dislodged by the explosion, which has completely buried them.

S. a. m.—It has been ascertained that seventy-five miners have perished. The wives, children and relatives of the entombed miners still surround the mouth of the pit, and the most heart-rending scenes are witnessed as the bodies of the victims are brought to the surface.

ROBBED AN OHIO BANK.

Cracksmen Use Dynamite and Secure Several Thousand Dollars.

BELLE CENTER, O., Dec. 7.—Early Saturday morning as several railroad hands were walking in the rear of the local bank they were startled to see the heavy back door shattered and they gave the alarm at once and a large crowd of people hurried to the scene, including the bank officials.

The latter at once opened the front door. On entering they found that the safe had been blown open and the bank completely gutted. The robbers drilled several holes in the iron safe, which was supposed to be burglar-proof, and blew it open with dynamite. The inside of the bank was not shattered and the job was done with artistic skill. The burglars took all the money there was in the safe and also a number of valuable papers and negotiable securities. The total amount stolen is supposed to be about \$12,000.

Only Three Lives Lost.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—All but two of those reported to have been drowned in the collision of the barges at Haverstraw Friday night had been rescued by daylight. In the collision Capt. Alexander Albertson, of the schooner Albee Sneeker, was killed, so that the death roll numbers three.

A KISS IS

The same of agony to a bashful man. The food by which the flame of love is fed.

The only known "smack" that will calm a storm.

A thing of use to no one, but much prized by two.

Not enough for one, just enough for two, too much for three.

The flag of truce in the petty wars of courtship and marriage.

That which you cannot give without taking and cannot take without giving.

A TELEGRAPH to the heart in which the operator uses the "sounding" system.

THE baby's right, the lover's privilege, the parent's benison and the hypocrite's mask.

THE sweetest fruit on the tree of love. The oftener plucked the more abundant it grows.

A WOMAN's







