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JARED S. LAPHAM.

The Well Known Northville Banker Is Dead.

DEATH WAS VERY SUDDEN.

Prominently Allied With All of the Village's Interests.

Jared S. Lapham, died of heart failure at his residence, Main street, in this village at 7:30 Tuesday night. Mr. Lapham had been ailing for several weeks past, but was about the house, and a part of the time the streets, and nothing serious was looked for. Dr. Swift, the attending physician, called on him about 5 o'clock Tuesday night and noted a perceptible fluttering of the heart. He left him soon after, resting comfortably on a couch. About an hour later while returning from supper the doctor was met by a messenger with the intelligence that Mr. Lapham was worse, and upon his arrival at the residence the physician found that the messenger of death had preceded him and all that remained was the lifeless form, quietly reposing as if in sleep.

J. S. Lapham, the youngest child of a family of ten children, was born in Farmington, Ontario Co., New York Feb. 4, 1822. With his brother Ambrose he came to Northville in 1844 and engaged in the mercantile business under the firm name of A. S. Lapham & Co. They commenced business in a small wood building and finally occupied the first, and then only, brick building in the place. Their mercantile business extended over a period of 25 years. In 1869 Mr. Lapham organized the banking house of J. S. Lapham & Co., which has passed through a period of 23 years of successful business. From its conception to its completion Mr. Lapham was closely connected with the construction of the Holly, Wayne & Monroe railroad. He was one of the directors of the road, also its treasurer, signing the mortgage bonds and subscribing for same. He and the late E. B. Ward of Detroit being the only subscribers.

J. S. Lapham was one of the few men who have been chiefly instrumental in making Northville what she is today. His meritoriously acquired wealth has been the means of buying and assist in sustaining more than one of her industries and but few subscription papers have ever been circulated in the village for public or worthy private good, but what have contained his name for a liberal sum. He was treasurer of the Dubuque Mfg. Co.; the Globe Furniture Co.; and the Hanrahan Refrigerator Co. and was also a member of the Detroit Board of Trade. He was a man of strict integrity, upright and fair in all his dealings; honored and highly respected by everyone, and though he accumulated a considerable wealth, it was by earnest and honest toil that it was accomplished.

Mrs. Lapham died about four years ago. His only two children, W. G. and Mary E., both residents of this place, were with him at the time of his death.

The funeral services occurred from the home at 1:30 this afternoon, Rev. W. T. Jaquess officiating.

TWILL BE A TREAT.

Edwin Ferry and His Dramatic Company Coming.

The manager of the opera house has succeeded in booking that talented young American tragedian, Edwin Ferry, and his company, and they will appear at the opera house Thursday evening Jan. 26. This troupe plays in larger cities only and that Northville people will have the opportunity to see them right here at home is piece of good luck mingled with liberal inducements offered by the manager of the opera house.

The leading lady of the company, Miss Hortense Vanzile, is a daughter of Judge Vanzile of Detroit and a cousin of G. E. Vanzile of this place.

MADE IT A BUSINESS.

Stole a Horse, Phaeton, Cigar Store Two Boarding Houses and Jewelry Store.

DETECTIVE WHITE ON TRAIL.

It's the Famous Smoke-stack Painter, and He Was a Hustler.

On the afternoon of the 12th day of last November Circuit Court Commissioner Watson, drove his \$500 rig in front of Quinn's restaurant, Detroit, and went inside. When he came out a few moments later the rig was gone. Detroit detectives have put in a two months of unsuccessful work on the case.

Now here comes the sequel. On the same night of Nov. 12th, a store at Brighton was burglarized to the extent of several thousand cigars and some plug tobacco. Detective P. E. White of this place had the burglarly case in hand, and putting two and two together, concluded that the smoke-stack painter, Jack Adams, who jumped a board bill and "left" a merchant in the lurch for a number of dollars' worth of paint at 80 Lyon, was the man. This was the fellow who left Smith's boarding house here a few days later under similar circumstances, just before paying his board bill, taking along in his departure, Geo. Duart's watch and some of his wearing apparel. In working up the case, White discovered that the man who stole the Watson, turned out answered to the description of Adams, the smoke-stack painter. Working on this theory White located the Watson phaeton Saturday at John Weeks, a farmer living between South Lyon and New Hudson. Weeks had come into possession of the phaeton innocently by way of a trade and willingly gave it up to Officer White, who brought it home with him.

Weeks says the man who traded with him answered Adams' description, and that he had with him at the time of the trade, a quantity of cigars and tobacco.

White says he is now on track of Adams and the horse and expects soon to corral the whole outfit.

IT'S NOW MRS. M. J. MURPHY.

A Former Well Known Northville Lady is Married in Cleveland.

A quiet wedding occurred in Cleveland last evening. The contracting parties were M. J. Murphy, a well known passenger conductor on the Lake Shore railroad, and Mrs. Emma Peppers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Filkins of this place. Mrs. Peppers has for a number of years been in the cloak department of Wm. Taylor, Son & Co's, large dry goods house.

The happy couple arrived in Northville this morning and will remain several days among relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will make Cleveland their future home.

The RECORD extends congratulations.

AT THE CHURCHES.

CATHOLIC—Services every Tuesday after the fourth Sunday of the month at 10 o'clock A. M. Catechism every Sunday at 3 o'clock. REV. FR. CLARSON, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. (7:30 in summer.) Sunday School at 12 M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. All will be made welcome. Young People's Society meets every Sabbath evening at 6 o'clock.

BAPTIST—Hours of service on Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. (7:30 in summer.) Sunday school at close of the morning service. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Strangers are invited. Young People's Meeting every Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

REV. I. G. CLARK, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Hours of Public Worship: 10:30 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. (7:30 P. M. in summer.) Sundays, Bible School immediately following Morning service; F. R. Beal, Supt. Class meeting and Devotional meeting of the Epworth League at 6:00 P. M. on Sabbath (6:30 in summer.) Literary and Social meetings of the Epworth League on Tuesday at 7:30 P. M. Social worship, Thursday 7:30 P. M. Friday afternoon, Pastor and wife "at home." A hearty welcome to the public.

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Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the common council was held Jan. 3, 1893.

Present, Trustees Swift, Tinham, Vanzile and Miller.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

F. D. Adams, acct. marshal sal. \$40.00
Globe Furn. Co., lights 79.92
York & Tillotson, lumber 2.18

Wm. Taft, hauling pipe 34.55
W. S. Parker, on acct. eng. 100.00
Petition rec'd for a street light on Dubuque st. between Rodgers st. and Linden ave.

Referred to the Lighting committee to report at the next meeting.

The board of water commissioners report that they have received bids for fire-hose and would recommend the purchase of 1,000 ft. more or less of the American Eclipse Brand, of the Revere Rubber Co., Chicago. They to furnish two play pipes with patent shut-off; twelve spanners, and all couplings to have the Higbee patent thread. Delivered at Northville at the price of 55 cents per foot.

On motion the board of water commissioners were authorized to contract for 1,000 ft. of fire hose of the Revere Rubber Co. According to the specifications in their report of this date.

Council adjourned to Jan. 4, 1893.

An adjourned meeting of the council was held Jan. 4, 1893.

President pro tempore J. M. Swift in the chair.

Present, Trustees Swift, Tinham, Rayson, Johnson and Miller.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Bill of Globe Furn. Co. of \$7.81 for sewer grates was referred to the street committee.

The following reports of the board of water commissioners:

Report of the board of water commissioners of the amount of money expended in the construction of water works to date. Also an't due on contract and the amt. necessary to complete the system.

Am't of Lansing E. & L. works contracts. \$3147.32

Am't paid on contract 24734.35

Bal. due on acceptance of works 6736.97

Less ten per cent 3147.13

Am't due contractors to date 3559.84

Total cost of plant 31471.32

Cost of land, springs, right of way, rec. bastin and extras as fences and finish

Working at springs 3332.04

Total 37453.36

It is agreed between the Lansing Iron & Engine works and the board of water commissioners that the time of final settlement on contract for water works be extended to May 30th, next and payment of the ten per cent reserved as per contract.

Motion made by Mr. Rayson, supported by Mr. Tinham, that we borrow the sum of \$3500.00 for 90 days, provided it is found legal to do so, for the purpose of paying the amt. due the Lansing Iron & Engine works.

Ayes, Swift, Miller, Tinham, Rayson and Johnson, Nays, none.

On motion Trustees, Swift, Miller, Tinham were appointed a committee to negotiate said loan.

Council Adjourned,
C. A. DOWNER, Clerk.

LOST.

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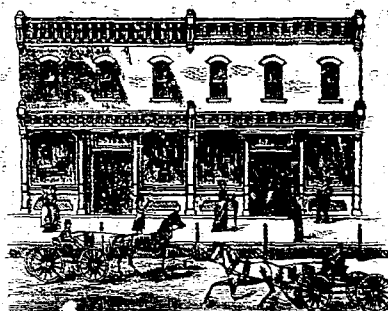
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THURSDAY, JAN. 12, 1893.

PERSONALS.

Those Who Come and Those Who Go.

Eleven boys to Milford went. A jolly time of course they spent. Eleven girls each chose a gent. The boys came home without a cent.

L. A. Beal spent Monday in Detroit.

G. D. Woodman Sundayed in Detroit.

J. K. Lowden was in Ypsilanti Monday.

E. S. Woodman is slowly on the gain.

Miss Aggie Gage is a guest of Miss Jennie Blair.

Mr. W. A. Coe of Corunna was in town last week.

R. L. Briggs has been quite ill, but is able to work again.

J. M. Ambler is in Calumet, Mich. for the Globe Furn. Co.

Chas. Booth was in Saginaw on business the middle of the week.

J. A. Harper has been on the sick list but is now recovered somewhat.

Will Lake was called home Friday on account of the illness of his mother.

Wm. Macomber is setting up school desks in Detroit for the U. S. School Furn. Co.

Z. C. Spencer of Battle Creek, sec'y of the Battle Creek School Furn. Co., was in town last week.

Wm. Kingswell went to Detroit Saturday to visit his sister.

Alex Gilmore has been unable to occupy his place at the shop on account of illness for a week past.

Edwin Ferry and his company will be at the Northville opera house Thursday evening, Jan. 26.

Carl Dains is working at the RECORD office for a few weeks. Miss Jessie Lowden is absent on account of sickness.

F. R. Beal started Monday p. m. on his annual eastern trip. He will make points in North Carolina, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New York. He will be absent about two weeks.

Mrs. A. E. Rockwell and daughter were in Detroit this week. They met there Mrs. Herb. Dean of Leadville, who comes for a brief visit here, besides attending the Johnson-Bryant nuptials last evening.

Undertaker Porter is attending the state funeral directors' association, Detroit, this week. A school of embalming, in connection with the meeting and Mr. Porter keeps abreast with the times by attending the school as well as the meeting of the association each year.

Queer Bequests.

Some queer bequests have been made in favor of pets. About eighty years ago "Elizabeth Orby Hunter of Upper Seymour street, widow," gave to her parrot which she described as her "faithful companion of twenty-five years," an annuity of 200 guineas, to be paid half-yearly as long as it should live to whoever may have the care of it and proves its identity. Elaborate provisions were made for the welfare of the parrot, a guardian being appointed to insure its comfort. In another case of an annuity to provide for a parrot the question was eventually raised whether the annuity was to be continued during the life of the old woman to whom the money was left for this specific purpose, or whether it ceased with the existence of the bird. The question was settled in favor of the woman.

A Little Garden.

Alexander Dumas, the younger, invited his father, Alexander Dumas, the elder, into his garden, which is said to have been somewhat larger than a good-sized pocket handkerchief. They sat under one little tree in this garden and fanned themselves. "I am suffocating said Alexander senior." "What shall I do, pere?" asked Alexander, junior. "Better open your chamber window and let a little air out into your garden!" said Alexander pere.

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The butcher bird that is familiar to all ranchers in Southern California is considered by some of the foremost ornithologists as the most sagacious bird in America. Thomas Oldham, of Lordsburg, tells us that it is as cruel as it is sagacious. "I have paid lots of attention to a pair of common butcher birds at my place for six months," said he to us the other day. "And I have learned many new things about the habits of the peculiar butcher bird. A pair of them have followed me while plowing for three or four days at a time, watching and waiting for me to overturn a nest of field-mice. When I overturn a nest of them they will pounce down upon the little mice, and claw and peck them to death. Then the mouse carcasses are carried away to some orange or lemon tree, and spiked upon the thorns. The birds seldom eat the mice, but kill them from sheer love of excitement. When they can spike a live mouse, or even a rat on a thorn, they flutter about and chatter among themselves as if they had great fun in seeing the rodents squirm and twist in the throes of death."

"But I am most surprised to see how strong butcher birds are and what they can lift and fly away with. I have often seen loads that had been impaled upon the horns of a century plant upon my place and left to die. The other morning I saw a butcher bird with a snake fully a foot long. He had it by the back of the neck and flew with it up into an orange tree. He then nailed the reptile on to a thorn and sat and watched it. He let the snake almost wiggle off, when he flew at it and would fix it on more firmly. Because these birds are destructive to gophers and rats they are considered the friends of the orange-grower."

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MATTERS OF MOMENT.

MICHIGAN NEWS OF MORE OR LESS IMPORTANCE.

Senator Stockbridge Chosen to Succeed Himself as Michigan's Representative in the United States Senate.

The hardest battle for the position of United States senator from Michigan, which has been fought since the overthrow of Zach Chandler, has taken place at Lansing. Senator Francis B. Stockbridge and ex-Gov. Cyrus G. Luce were the leading candidates and they and their friends had been hustling ever since the Republican victory in Michigan at the last election.

Matters were at fever heat when the caucus of legislators gathered to make their selection. State Senator Clapp, of Battle Creek, placed the name of Hon. Francis B. Stockbridge before the caucus and Mr. Ewing, of Hillsdale, did like honor for Hon. Cyrus G. Luce, while Mr. Chamberlain, of Gogebic, suggested Jay A. Hubbell. Several others were mentioned and seconded and a rising vote was taken which resulted as follows:

Francis B. Stockbridge, 48; Cyrus G. Luce, 29; Jay A. Hubbell, 16; William Hartsuff, 2; J. G. Ramsdell, 2; O. L. Spaulding, 2; James O'Donnell, 1; E. M. O'Connell, 1; J. C. Fitzgerald, 1. The vote was then made unanimous.

A LYNCHING PROBABLE.

Upper Peninsula People Aroused Over an Atrocious Murder.

Dr. Nicholas Melosche, of Portage, Mich., who was shot by Erick Kagas, a Finlandian, is dead. The only provocation for the crime was the doctor's refusal to dress a man's wounds in a saloon where a drunken row, resulting in the usual humane carrying match, had taken place. Melosche was one of the most prominent physicians in Lake Superior, having been surgeon of the Quincy copper mine for years.

Sheriff Punn has the murderer safely lodged in jail at Houghton together with all his associates in the fight. Although the jail is one of the best in the upper peninsula, unless there is something done to quell the feeling of the populace, Kagas will never be tried by a jury. The feeling against him is intense, for his crime was the most cold-blooded affair.

Gov. Rich's Reception.

Gov. Rich, in accordance with the usual custom, gave an informal reception in the executive parlors at Lansing. First the judges of the supreme court were admitted, followed by the officers, senators, representatives, members of state boards and finally by all citizens of Michigan generally who possessed the fortitude and the strength to withstand the jam which filled the halls and corridors. Gov. Rich stood next the entrance. Close at his side was Mrs. Rich, then ex-Governor and Mrs. Luce, and beside them Senator Stockbridge, Gov. Winans, not being in good health, was unable to remain but a few minutes. The executive parlors were beautifully decorated with flowers and banyan plants. Prof. Louis Ross, band from Jackson, discoursed excellent music from the floor of the rotunda during the reception and the presence of the military of Jackson and Lansing added stateliness and brilliancy to the occasion.

Jail Birds' Clever Escape.

When the turnkey visited the cells of Bay county jail the other morning, he found that three prisoners, John Morgan, forger, Wm. Turner, burglar, and Ed Wright, till tapper, had effected their escape during the night. The prisoners had helped from the outside, as a lighted candle and the tools with which they had worked were found near the window through which they escaped. Two of the prisoners placed dummies in their cells and hid from the turnkey when he made his rounds. Blankets from empty cells were used to deaden the noise they in escaping made.

A Blind and Lame Woman Burned to Death.

Henry Van Wye, living three miles southeast of Hudson, heard the cries of his wife, while he was attending to farm duties, and he hastened to the house. He found her body burned to a crisp and lying near the back door. She was blind and crippled, and it is thought that her clothing caught fire from the stove. An overturned water pail near where she was lying indicated the desperate effort she had made to save herself. She was about 60 years old. The dwelling took fire, but the flames were put out before much damage was done.

A Perilous Lake Voyage.

After being on her way for seven days, the steamer Sea Gull arrived at Charlevoix from Chicago. Capt. Gebbo with a crew of five men being on board. For 13 miles out of Chicago she made her way through ice. During 43 hours she was in a total calm off Sheboygan, Wis., and after that she had 40 miles of slush ice. The whole trip was in a continual snow storm, eight inches of snow falling on the deck during the last night. For 36 hours the captain remained at his post on deck.

An Insane Mother Tries to Kill Her Baby.

Mrs. George Grover, wife of a Kalamazoo mail carrier, has, it is said, attempted several times of late to kill her 2-year-old child, and the greatest precautions have been taken to prevent her from carrying out her insane idea. She imagines that the innocent babe is the cause of all her troubles. An application has been made to the probate court for her admission to the asylum.

A Young Man Suicides.

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SENATE.—Fourteenth day—After the holiday recess the Senate again resumed work of which there is plenty to be done before adjournment, March 3.

Mr. McPherson's bill, to suspend the purchase of silver bullion under the Sherman act, was discussed. Mr. Allison, one of the international monetary conference delegates, being an interested auditor. The anti-option bill was the subject of an address by Mr. Sherman and others. Mr. Chandler introduced a second immigration restriction bill, with very stringent provisions. Executive session. Adjourned. House.—Small attendance. Private pension bills were taken from the calendar of unfinished business. Mr. Bland said it was time to call a halt in the indiscriminate manner of granting pensions which had now altered entirely depleted the treasury. But one bill was passed and the House, being without a quorum, adjourned.

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Earthquake shocks have been felt throughout Chili.

Two farmers near Fairview, Pa., were killed by a falling tree.

The model of the Caravel Santa Maria has arrived in Chicago.

Fire destroyed the old Omaha Republican building. Loss, \$100,000.

There are 15,000 persons in the new mining camp in Sonora, Mexico.

New York ministers are planning a campaign against gambling dens.

The cold weather is causing great suffering among the poor of London.

The Illinois legislature may petition Congress to open the World's Fair on Sundays.

At least 1,000 Tammanyites will lead the Cleveland inaugural parade next March.

The Bricklayers' and Stonemasons' International union met in convention in Baltimore.

The plague in the Arkansas convict camp has been proved not to be Asiatic cholera.

Texas has quarantined against Arkansas on account of the epidemic at the penitentiary.

Official returns for California show that the Democrats elect six electors and the Republicans one.

The New Orleans board of health will send a memorial to Congress demanding a national quarantine.

Thirteen business firms and several families were burned out at Crested Butte, Iowa, causing a loss of \$75,000.

Samuel Coolidge of the Countess of Derby, Genoa to Baltimore, fell overboard and was devoured by a shark.

The raisin growers of California state are forming a trust to be known as the "California state raisin growers' association."

Washington is preparing to send a monolith 120 feet high to the World's Fair. It will be the highest ever quarried in America.

The whisky trust advanced prices five cents per gallon owing to the demand created by agitation of the question of increased revenue taxation.

Mayor Boody, of Brooklyn, and a score of other city officials have been indicted on a charge of misappropriation of Columbian celebration funds.

Mr. William C. Pratt, widely and favorably known among the eastern educationalists, has been made vice-president of the new Armour Institute, Chicago.

Oliver M. Sheldon, at one time one of the foremost men of Illinois and the confidential friend of Abraham Lincoln, died at his home in Chicago, aged 70 years.

Ruben Atkinson, a farmer near Cotton Plant, Ark., was murdered and his house burned, cremating a woman and child. Robbery was the motive. A Negro who had partially confessed will probably be entirely lynched.

Eight men were imprisoned in a flooded mine near Lunetz, Russia, for 10 days and were still alive when found by a rescue party after the workings had been pumped out. Four of the eight may recover but the others are sure to die.

At Huntington, W. Va., John Rose, colored, went to the house of Mrs. Hattie Groves, stabbed Mrs. Groves in the jugular vein with a knife, and then shot her four times, one of the balls passing directly through her heart. She died instantly.

Peter Antonius & Co., of Beyrou, Syria, have begun work on the Turkish theater at the World's Fair grounds.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

A BRIEF CHRONICLE OF SOME OF THE WORLD'S DOINGS.

The Panama Canal Scandal, Growing in Proportion.—M. Charles De Lesseps Confesses.—Marquis De Mores Motbed.

Paris special. There is a well-grounded feeling throughout the city that the worst of the Panama bribery matters is yet to come. M. Delahaye, who made the first exposures in the chamber of deputies says that all has not yet been told and that more startling revelations may soon be expected.

This is borne out by the fact an understanding has been arrived at between the government and M. Charles de Lesseps, the latter having confessed his connection with the matter and also furnished all the evidence in his power against all other guilty persons. In return M. Charles de Lesseps is to be treated with great leniency if not given absolute immunity. M. de Lesseps' motives are stated to be not only securing immunity as much as possible from the penalty of the law but also to convince the public that the Panama company was forced, by irresistible pressure on the part of officials and the press, to choose between wholesale corruption and the threatened ruin of the enterprise. It is said that the acknowledgements made by M. de Lesseps are of the most startling character and will create a sensation in America as well as in France.

The socialist and anarchistic elements of the city are receiving large accretions to their ranks and are holding numerous meetings. Banners are posted calling the people to arms against the oppression, to destroy their oppressors and seize the reins of government. Marquis de Mores attempted to speak before a big mass meeting, but his views did not accord with those of the mob and he narrowly escaped personal violence. His supporters and opponents had a bloody engagement in the hall and it only ceased when the floor had been cleared by 200 police.

Deserts the Pope.

There is a decided commotion in Roman Catholic circles at Washington, over the defection of Vin Marie Snell, private secretary to Bishop Keane, the rector of the Roman Catholic university. Dr. Snell is a young man of remarkable scholarship; author of various books on religious subjects and a frequent contributor to the church reviews. His works have always breathed the deepest loyalty to the Roman Catholic faith. By his own choice, after deep deliberation, Dr. Snell has cut loose from the creed which he espoused when beginning his scholarly career and declared his allegiance dead and has become a believer in the Presbyterian faith. Dr. Snell said: "My decision was made at the point where my study of religions made it possible for me to no longer remain an honest communicant of the Roman Catholic church."

Civil Service Reform.

President Harrison has added 8,000 more free delivery postoffices to those under the civil service rules. This places the postoffices in the following Michigan towns in the control of that commission: Adrian, Alpena, Albion, Ann Arbor, Bay City, Battle Creek, Detroit, East Saginaw, Flint, Grand Rapids, Hillsdale, Ionia, Iron Mountain, Ishpeming, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Marquette, Marquette, Menominee, Muskegon, Owosso, Pontiac, Port Huron, Saginaw, West Bay City and Ypsilanti. The Republican letter carriers in those cities will continue to hold their positions as long as they faithfully perform their duties.

A Beautiful Ice Bridge at Niagara.

An ice bridge has formed across the Niagara river just below the American falls. It is strong and high and bids fair to last for some time to come. It has been several years since a bridge of ice has been formed across the Niagara as it requires not only extreme cold weather but a lodgment of ice, which does not always occur no matter how low the mercury may fall. The bridge, which is one of the handsomest ever seen, is rapidly rising higher and higher, from the constant accretions of frozen spray from the falls. The islands and parks are also covered with ice and the spectacle is one of rare beauty.

Anarchists Cause a Scare.

The New York and Chicago police are stirred up over the recent manifestations of activity by dynamitards. The "Reds" are being carefully watched in this country. The explosion of a bomb in the Paris prefecture of police the Dublin affair, in which Detective Synnot was killed at the entrance of the Dublin police headquarters, and the explosion in Milwaukee, by which a half million dollars worth of property was destroyed, are now believed to be part and parcel of the threatened scheme of world-wide destruction which the anarchists have been proclaiming for some time past.

A Telegrapher Horsewhipped by a Woman.

Arley Harris, a telegraph operator employed by the Michigan Central railroad at Jackson was horsewhipped by a woman. Harris was jerking lightning as usual, when, without warning, he received several stinging blows, in rapid succession across his face and shoulders. Before he could recover himself, his fair assailant disappeared through the doorway, entered a hack and was driven rapidly away. Harris disclaims any knowledge of who the woman was.

A shoe factory will be established at Sturgis.

It is rumored that Honduras, Salvador and Nicaragua will enter into an offensive and defensive alliance designed to preserve peace in Central America.

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GAS KILLED THREE.

A Yearful Explosion in a Private Residence in Pittsburg.

By an explosion of gas the house at 1010 Sarah street South side, Pittsburg, was wrecked, three persons killed and several injured. The house was jointly occupied by the families of Thomas Dorey and William Harris. The latter occupied three rooms on the third floor. Harris arose shortly after 6 o'clock with a lamp in hand he started down stairs to the cellar for coal. He reached the bottom step when suddenly the very air seemed turned to fire. He was hurried half way up the steps while his lighted lamp was shattered against a post. The neighborhood was shaken by the terrific explosion. The house tottered for a moment, then the roof fell in, followed by the right wall. The upper floor was crushed in and fell, carrying it to the first, which held and this alone saved Harris' life. But Thomas Dorey, his wife and baby were killed instantly and all the other inmates were more or less injured. There was neither natural nor artificial gas in the house and the explosion is not understood.

CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOPS WAR.

Archbishop Ireland Prefers Serious Charges Against Archbishop Corrigan.

Formal charges of the gravest character have been preferred against Rev. Michael Augustine Corrigan, the Roman Catholic archbishop of New York, by a brother prelate. His grace of New York is accused by Rev. John Ireland, archbishop of St. Paul, of having engaged in an unlawful conspiracy to weaken or undo the effect of the pope's decisions in respect to church matters in America and of having had recourse to methods unbecoming a bishop, designed to discredit and disgrace Archbishop Ireland and Mgr. Satolli, the papal delegate to America. These charges, duly formulated, are now on their way to Rome, where they will be presented to the highest tribunal in the Roman Catholic church.

An Elephant 125 Feet High.

Chicago is to have a gigantic elephant, larger than the one at Coney Island, which is 100 feet high. A syndicate, backed by Frank Hall, who, with J. Mason Kelly, the Brooklyn architect, constructed the Coney Island affair, will begin work on the new animal building, to be located near the fair grounds at once. This steel mammoth will be 125 feet high, to the ridge of the back and 90 feet to the top of the "howdah." The trunk will be swung by machinery, the ears will flap, the eyes roll and the tail will wag. Within the trunk will be a callopie to simulate the beast's roar. There will be two floors in this \$250,000 elephant—the main floor and the grand promenade and dancing hall, with a gallery, and the "stomach floor," where will be located a great restaurant.

A Descendant of Columbus.

Secretary of State Foster has just received a letter from Francis Macnutt, charge d'affaires at Madrid, giving the particulars of the trip of the Duke of Veragua to the United States as the guest of this government. The duke is the direct descendant of Christopher Columbus and as such was invited to attend the World's Fair at Chicago, by act of Congress. The duke will be accompanied by the duchess of Veragua, his son Christopher and his daughter.

The board of supervisors of Allegan county, refuses to call a special election in response to a petition asking for a vote on local option. There were enough signatures, but the supervisors allege the petition is imperfect.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.	
Cattle—Good to choice.	\$4.00 to \$4.25
Loss.	5.25 to 5.50
Sheep.	5.25 to 5.50
Lamb.	5.25 to 5.50
Wheat—No. 2 spot, No. 2.	73 to 74
White spot, No. 2.	73 to 74
Corn—No. 2 spot.	41 to 42
No. 2 yellow.	41 to 42
Oats—No. 2 white.	31 to 32
Rye.	50 to 51
Hay No. 2.	10.75 to 11.00
Potatoes—No. 1 per bush.	2.25 to 2.50
Butter—Fair, per lb.	21 to 22
Creamery, per lb.	30 to 32
Eggs, per dozen.	22 to 23
Live poultry—Chickens.	7 to 8
Turkeys.	11 to 12

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Cattle—Steers.	\$2.50 to \$2
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