WINGED MISSILES.

An English doctor reports over thirty cases of troublesome and facial neuralgia cured by snuffing powdered salt up the nose.

The Englishwoman, who opened a professional spanking establishment in New York has quit the business. The mothers of that city seem to think they can manage their offspring.

Trains on the Pennsylvania limited have the marked quotations posted, a stenographer and type-writer render gratuitous service in the parlor-car, and a waiting maid is provided for the ladies.

Oscar Tuttle, Santa Cruz, Cal., was splitting kindling wood when he jammed a large piece of red wood. He found a 5-cent piece of 1859 lodged in the center of the limb. It was blackened by the sap.

Mrs. Alexander McVeigh Miller, who lives near Alderson, in Greenbrier county, West Virginia, is said to draw an annual salary of $1,000 from a New York weekly paper for stories and other literary work.

A doll show for the benefit of the new hospital for women is about to take place in London. There will be prizes for the best dressed dolls in the different classes, and afterward the dolls themselves will be sold for the good cause.

Law in Texas is often practiced under difficulties. In a court, the other day, the defendant, in a murder trial was shot by his victim's friends. The judge had to fly before a shower of balls and two other people were hit by the bullets.

Lyman Trumbull, ex-governor, ex-secretary of state, ex-supreme judge, ex-member of congress and ex-United States senator, is still practicing law in Chicago at the age of 77. He is in good health and his legal ability is as great as ever.

Two beggars, Charles Gorin, aged fifty-eight, and Mary Eichmiller, aged sixty, were recently married at Lonigolie, Ky. When the magistrate asked the groom how they would get their support, he answered, "Hustle around and live some way."

Mrs. Wallace, of Kingston, Ont., has been appointed matron of an English school at Cocanda, Madras Presidency, India, in place of Mrs. Folsom, aunt of Mrs. Grover Cleveland, who after nine years' service, returns to the United States on a visit.

Osman Pasha, grand marshal of the Turkish army, wounded at Plevna, was one of the grandest incidents of the Russo-Turkish war, has written a French poem for the journal published in New York by Tello d'Apery, a 12-year old boy.

Baron Rothschild, the Paris banker, lives in fear of the commune. His collars are almost impregnable, and his pictures and jewels are protected in such a way that the most grasping mob could not reach them. He lives in a state of constant fear.

COUNTY LINE CLIPPINGS.

Miss Clara Kaiser of Roseville is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Houghten.

Charles Pressel has bought 50 acres of land of John Houghten, we hear.

A. Breckinge, D. Cromie's son-in-law, has rented the Bryant place near Clawson. His father-in-law must owe A. a grudge.

Mrs. Wm. Hawthorn, sr., is in very poor health.

Not much change in Emma Hoard's condition.

Mrs. Warren Babcock is very poorly.

G. W. Hoard raised his new barn last Wednesday.

M. H. Blust and Sam Martin recently called on their friend John Ames and found things as usual—the latch string on the outside.

A. McRoberts' children are recovering from scarlet fever.

Ralph Hacler of Detroit is visiting with Fred Brace.

Henry Streeter intends moving to Detroit.

Strong talk of running Auctioneer Blunt for supervisor in Royal Oak.

The saloon keepers of Warren are in trouble. The people are after them.

School is out for a week.

Robt Moore moved on to Jack Dunn's place last Wednesday.

Will Carter put up a wind mill for I. Moore last week. It was bought of Sam Martin.

The young folks had a dance at H. Streeters Friday night. The bad weather did not seem to affect the fun.

Miss Julia Wilson is going to visit friends in Ohio.

James Bingham has bought the Campbell place at Big Beaver.

G. W. Hoard and Sam Martin have the selling of the Walter A. Wood and Triumph reapers, mowers and binders in this vicinity.

The Sargeant oil people have not yet arrived from England, having been driven back by bad weather.

Politics are dead ripe in our town, but we are sorry to say it looks decidedly Democratic. Well, the Democrats always did claim everything.

TOWN LINE TOOTINGS.

Born to Mrs. Leon Waugh, March 21 a 9 lb son.

Will Miller moves to the Dawson farm and will work the west 120 acres.

Mrs. Parrott, Mrs. Hetchler's mother, is in very poor health.

The Johnsons have succeeded in getting a place near Rochester.

Mr. Power moves into the Waugh house.

John Rheinhart will stop with the Leatons this summer.

Mrs. E. M. Patch and Mrs. Shoesmith are visiting at A. Patch's.

FRANKLIN FLUTTERINGS.

Hattie Caul of Southfield will teach in the Wing lake district this term.

Rev. Dailey has been visiting in Macomb county.

The cap social at G. Barkley's netted a good sum for the church improvement fund.

Mrs. Elmer Higby, who has spent the winter with her son Harvey in Wichita, Kas., is expected home this week.

Last but not least we must not fail to chronicle the marriage of Harrison Willber and May Barkley, which took place at Pontiac last week. The boys celebrated the occasion by a chivaree which might have been heard in Detroit.

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