OUR BUTTER AND CHEESE FACTORY.

A short time ago a bright young man from Chicago appeared in our midst and began talking up a butter and cheese factory and in a short time had made arrangements to take with him as a committee of examination of the new process and mode of doing business Messrs William Hunt, Daniel Bassett, Edwin Miller. These gentlemen went to the great dairy districts of Illinois near and in Elgin. They saw new process quickly captivated the committee for they found that by the new process the farmer sold his milk for as much money as he could if shipped to Detroit or any city and while waiting had the butter and cheese portion extracted and the skimmed milk returned to him which he had to feed out to stock on his farm, and a farmer near Elgin told Mr. Hunt that the farm turned milk fed out to stock on his farm paid all the running expenses of the farm: Well, the committee reported favorably and so very favorably that on their return they were only three days and a half securing $5,200 subscribed capital to the company. They have bought from Mr. Mills a piece of land and stone is now being hauled for the foundation of the factory which will be something large and surprising to our people. It is thought by the promoters of the enterprise that they will start off with milk furnished by 700 cows. A meeting is called to be held at the National Hotel rooms Friday (to-morrow) afternoon to elect officers for the coming year and a full attendance of all stockholders is requested.

RESOLUTIONS.

At a regular meeting of Court Pride of Oakland Ancient Order of Foresters of America, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, This Court has learned with feelings of sincere regret of the death of the mother of our Associate and Brother, George E. Daines,

RESOLVED, That, we hereby convey to our Brother, our heartfelt sympathy with him in this hour of sorrow and knowing his loss is one that nothing earthly can replace we trust that He who doeth all things well, may in his good time, re-unite them, in that "House not made with hands" eternal in the Heavens,

RESOLVED That, these resolutions be entered in our records and published in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC.

JAMES F. GOLDEN, Chief Ranger.
GEORGE H. MITCHELL, Treasurer.
WALTER GOLPUS, Secretary.

A CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to return our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement and sorrow caused by the death of our mother. So many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness can never be forgotten.

GEORGE E. DAINES,
MRS. JAMES O. BEATTIE,
MRS F. HAGERMAN,
MRS. H. H. CASTLE,
MRS E. S. BROWN

CLAWSON.

At this writing Mr. Lawson is very ill. Mr. Peter Reid's health is still poor. The beautiful Indian summer is now here.

Loading is around the corner store of goods.

W. H. Codnor is selling out his stock of goods.

W. H. Codnor is afflicted with rheumatism;

Fall work is progressing finely, but the crops are light.

Miss Annie Parks teaches in the Williams' district and gives complete satisfaction.

Miss Minnie Johnson is visiting her grandmother. The old lady's health is very poor.

Boys remember there is a law against interfering with persons passing along a public highway.

Eli Phillips has returned from a visit with the Prickett Bros., in Virginia and reports them well and prosperous.

Mark Hall and Albert Todd are stockholders in a concern for making butter and cheese. Some Chicago parties are also interested in the scheme.

Ollie Phillips has a nice, new bicycle.

Frank Bean who is in poor health is resting at home.

Oscar Martin moves to Rochester this week and Bert Rivard moves to Clawson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, of Genesee county, and Judge Cole, of Fowlerville, visited at Mr. Hendrickson's last week.

Some of the young people of Birmingham had a leap year party at Mr. Bowers' last Friday night. Everyone reported they had a good time.

The correspondent from this place does not make statements they cannot back up. The school house was in just the condition it was described only more so. Having helped build the new school house and being a taxpayer and patron for 28 years supposed I had as much ownership and interest as anyone in the district and was responsible for the condition of things as anyone, was surprised at the wisdom of the statement that all tax-payers, myself in particular, were outsiders and only he and the teachers were the grand moguls. Perhaps his children have learned his tactics and threatened the teachers as he does said neighbors if they dare to oppose or even defend themselves against his attacks. If the members of his family went home and reported my appearance in Sabbath school as he described, they have early and well learned their oft repeated lesson of backbiting and evil speaking. His expense trip to run up a big bill on the tax-payers, then lay the blame of the damaged expense upon the eight month Sabbath school, can be done by letting out jobs to the highest bidder, putting in all the time they are capable of and charging fancy prices. The tax-payers are possessed of common sense and justice and may ask him to itemize his accounts. We used the school house just 48 hours and at the close we said to the director, "We have about $4 in the treasury which we will deliver to the district for the use of the school house and we are grateful besides" The only damage done by us was two window-lights broken and borrowing some of the district's wood, and if any reasonable, honest man will estimate the damage no more than the four dollars, we will gladly make it up. Personal abuse and slander is not argument and if he had the mental ability to write up his own articles or even read mine correctly, he would see there was not one word of personal abuse or censure of anyone, but he has construed it in his own other motives, words and deeds to suit his views and publicly ridiculed and abused because I tried to do good! It's better to try to do good and fail than to try to do evil and succeed.

LITERATURE AND LIGHTS.

The Young Lady Had Difficulty in Doing Business With the Butcher.

The young lady was evidently more accustomed to visit book stores than meat markets and she was excessively absent minded.

"I've really forgotten what mamma told me to get," she said with a confused little laugh and a helpless glance about the shop where the various kinds of meat were exposed.

"Your ma gets lamb some Tuesdays" said the butcher, by way of suggestion.

"There!" exclaimed the young lady. "I've been trying all morning to recall the name of the editor of a certain magazine and you've mentioned it. It's funny I couldn't think of Mrs. Lamb. I knew the name as well as I know my own. I'm ever so much obliged to you.

She was going out, but she stopped when the butcher shemmed in his throat and asked if it was a lamb she wanted.

"Yes," she said. "Mrs—Oh! You mean did mamma want lamb. No-no. I don't think she did. Dear! I'm so forgetful. What are those things that your boy is doing up?"

"Those! Them are lights. Some people like 'em, but I guess your mother wouldn't want 'em, hardly."

"I suppose not," said the fair customer in a voice that indicated a far-away mind. "I do just think," she continued, speaking more to herself than to the butcher, "that Barrie's stories of the Auld Lichts are the sweetest things!"

"Lights ain't so terrible sweet," said the butcher. "Mebbe it's sweetbreads your ma wants—or a nice soup bone, perhaps."

The young lady looked up.

"I don't suppose you have time to read many books," she said thoughtfully.

"Well, no'm to tell the truth, I don't."

"What you said reminded me of Allen's 'What's Bred in the Bone.' It's very good I think. Are those spring chickens hanging in the window?"

"No'm; those are Philadelphia capons."

"I here!" cried the young lady, with an expression of delight, "that's what mamma wanted. You may send six of them. She called them Philadelphia squabs but I suppose they are the same thing."

BASKING IN THE SUN.

It Would Be Well for Mankind Sometimes to Copy Animals.

"Basking in the sun" is little itself of real and considerable benefit, and it is no complument to our human intelligence to find that cats and dogs understand that fact much better than we do, says Dr. Hutchinson, in the North American Review.

Even the "blue grass" grass had a truth underlying it, and owed much success as it achieved to the proportion of sunlight which penetrated its colored medium. The love of sunshine is naturally one of our strongest instincts, and we would be far healthier and happier if we followed and developed it instead of practically ignoring and repressing it.

How a sparkling sunny morning exhilarates us and makes us feel that "it's too fine a day to spend indoors," and yet how few holidays are taken for that reason. The wealth of the sunbeams is poured out lavishly all around us, and we turn from it to struggle for a few pitiful handfuls of something else that is yellow and shining, but not half so likely to bring us happiness, and often has strange, red spots upon it. Given nature a chance, and we will find that there is more than a mere fanciful connection between natural sunlight and that "sunny" disposition which, after all, is the true philosopher's stone."

A New Industry.

"Bridal outfits on hire" is the legend over a bright-looking bijou of a shop in one of the fashionable Parisian streets. A little French woman is the proprietor, and, although the business is new as well as novel, she says that she is doing nicely. Outfits from the satin shoes to the wreath and veil may be obtained there at a nominal cost.

A Good Reason.

First Boy—Why do they call all goats billy goats and Nanny goats? Why don't they call 'em Georgie goats and Johnny goats and Jimmy goats, an' so on? Second Boy—Why, goats look so much alike you can't tell 'em apart, so what's the use of havin' diff'rent names?—Good News.

SCRAPPY INTELLIGENCE.

Canada whacks a duty of five cents a dozen on eggs imported from the United States.

There are 350 mountains in the United States, each exceeding 10,000 feet in height.

The New Orleans messenger boys struck because they were ordered to wash their faces.

Connecticut, spelled in an Indian dialect, Quin-neh-tuk-gut, signified "land on a long tidal river."

"What do we get from planting potatoes?" asked a speaker at a Sunday school mass meeting in Nobleboro, Me., the other day, and a small boy piped out, "Pertater bugs."

A delicate point in patent law was illuminated recently by Justice Cave in London; in a suit brought by a manufacturer of souvenir spoons against a rival. Each maker had ornamented his spoons with a representation of Westminster Abbey and the learned justice decided that there could be no infringement of patent, if the idea was represented or seen from different points of vision.

NOTES OF ANIMALS.

There are 400 bison at the Yellowstone park, in Wyoming.

The slaughtering of cattle by electricity is practiced in Scotland.

An eel that is ordinary in all respects except that it has a skin of a beautiful golden color has been added to the collection in the London zoological garden.

In London a rat cleverly opened a blackbird's cage, presumably to feast on the bird seed. The bird flew away and the door closed. This time the rat was unable to open it.

An English violinist has concluded a series of experiments designed to test the influence of musical sounds on the wild beasts in the zoological garden of London. He reports that both the bears and the lions gave evidence of pleasure when he played for them.

Only one person in three in this country is a church member, and that one doesn't go to church half so often as the other two think he ought.

Foggs says he was never baptized, but he went to church where there was a sprinkling of sinners in the congregation, and he was one of them.

Gentleman—Cabby, I'll give you a sovereign if you catch the 4:30 train. Cabby, excitedly—Jump in, gov'nor, I'll kill 'orses or break yer neck in the attempt.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON V.—OCT. 30—GOSPEL PREACHED AT ANTIOCH.

Golden Text: A Great Number Believed and Turned to the Lord—Acts 11: 19-30.

Introductory.—The conversion of the Gentiles at Antioch was probably very gradually simultaneous with the conversion of Cornelius at Cesarea. The work continued through some years. 40-43. The famine was A. D. 44-45; beginning the latter part of A. D. 43 Paul preached in Antioch during 43-44, and he with Barnabas reached Jerusalem (ver. 30) about the time of the Passover, April 1, A. D. 44. Antioch was the capital city of Syria and was 300 miles north of Jerusalem.

I. The Gospel Spreading Among the Greeks.—Vers. 19-21. 19. "They which were scattered abroad." The history now turns back for a moment to chapter 8: 1-4, A. D. 37. "Upon the persecution that arose about Stephen." The efforts to destroy the gospel were made the instruments of spreading it further. "Traveled as far as Phenice." The strip of coast about 120 miles long and 20 broad, extending from the river Eleutherus to a little south of Tyre. "Cyprus." A large island in the Mediterranean about 60 miles from the coast of Palestine. "And Antioch." One of the three greater cities in the civilized world. "Preaching the word." They fled from persecution, but not from their work.

20. "Some of them were men of Cyprus." Hellenistic, or Greek-speaking Jews, who had become Christians. "Spake unto the Grecians." To Gentiles as well as Jews. "Proclaiming." Proclaiming the good news.

21. "The hand of the Lord." A sign of divine approval on this extension of the work among the Gentiles. "And a great number." The first large addition of Gentiles to the church. "Believed . . . turned unto the Lord." "Believing" is the root, and "turning" is the fruit.—Abbott.

II. Spiritual Aid From Jerusalem.—Vers. 22-24. 22. "Then tidings of these things came." Probably after the report of Peter concerning Cornelius. "The church which was in Jerusalem." The oldest and strongest body of believers. "They sent Barnabas." He would confirm and instruct them. Barnabas was a native of Cyprus, a Grecian Jew and a Levite.

23. "When he came and had seen the grace of God." Barnabas was a good man, and, looking for good, found it. "Was glad." Tell me what gladdens or grieves a man, and I will tell you what manner of man he is.—Abbott. "And exhorted them all." This was the especial gift of Barnabas. "That with purpose of heart." With will and affections. "They would cleave unto the Lord." They had much to endure for Christ's sake.

24. "For he was a good man." Not merely honest and upright, but generous, kindly, loving and conciliating. "Full of the Holy Ghost." Endowed with power by the Spirit. "And of faith." According to his faith it was given unto him. "And much people was added unto the Lord." A natural consequence of goodness, faith and the power of the Holy Ghost.

III. Paul Joins Barnabas at Antioch.—Vers. 25, 26. 25. "Then departed Barnabas." There was much work to be done. "To Tarsus, for to seek Saul." Implies diligent and anxious search.

26. "A whole year . . . with the church." Enlarging and training this church which was to be a center of great missionary operations. "And the disciples were first called Christians." Generally believed to have been a name bestowed by the Gentiles.

IV. The Famine Foretold.—Vers. 27, 28. 27. "And in these days." During the residence of Barnabas and Saul at Antioch. "Came prophets." The Hebrew word is from a root meaning to pour or bubble over.

28. "One of them named Agabus." The same man appears in 21:10. "Great death throughout all the world." To a Jew these words meant throughout Palestine. "Which came to pass in the days of Claudius Cæsar." Claudius Cæsar reigned from A. D. 41 to 54. Josephus mentions a famine which prevailed at that time in Judea.

V. Material Aid to Jerusalem.—Vers. 29, 30. 29. "When the disciples," from a general spontaneous impulse. "Every man according to his ability." This is the true rule of giving. "Determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judea." Most of the early Christians were probably poor.

30. "Sent it to the elders." The leaders and officers of the church. "By the hands of Barnabas and Saul." Saul's second visit to Jerusalem.

COUNTY LINE CLIPPINGS.

Pole raising at Warren this week.

Rain is wanted badly for fall ploughing.

James Magehan has been out home the past few days.

McKavey & Co. have finished up the threshing in our vicinity. I. Brace being the last customer.

Talk about politics, Big Beaver has 11 poles up inside the corporation. All creeds are represented.

Paul Behrents has commenced a suit for damages against J. Campbell. A bovine owned by the latter is the cause of the trouble.

TROY TWINKLINGS.

Bert Butler is no better at present writing.

Phillip Brand made a flying trip to Emmet last week.

I say, Park, that linen duster and white tile, are very becoming.

Mrs. Will Lakie spent last Thursday with friends in Detroit.

Miss Georgie Blonch of Rochester, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A J Burrows.

Miss Anna Brand visited friends and relatives at Washington, Ish, last week.

Mrs. Eva Terry of Saginaw is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Helen Jennings.

Did you see Harry Aspinwall riding around Pontiac with Christopher Columbus last Friday?

WARREN.

A. L. Kingsbury is very sick.

Mr. Brewer will carry the mail again.

Will Markham has moved in Phin Walker's house.

Hazel Halsey is sick with scarlet fever at her grandfather's home.

Mr. Cowdy, wife and daughter are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Rev. Mr. Burgess, of Detroit, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning and evening at the M. E. church.

A. C. Lyons and Son have been putting a coat of paint on the Miller house which makes quite an improvement.

The German Lutherans held quarterly meeting services at their church last Sunday. Three ministers were present.

There was a surprise party held at the residence of Mr. Berz. It was the 15th anniversary of their marriage. About 50 guests were present.

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER.

John Hipp, the first graduate of the College of Liberal Arts, offered a prize of $50 for the best entrance examination to the freshman classical course. On Thursday morning Mr. Hipp visited chapel, and, in a neat and appropriate speech, presented the prize to Miss Mabel Daniels of University Park, who had been awarded the honor by the faculty. Mrs. Gertrude Hill Berger presented at the same time a prize of $25 to Miss Ada Abbott of Denver for the second best examination.—Denver (Col.) Tribune. The subject of the above sketch is the daughter of the late Rev. Grosvenor Daniels who died last August the victim of consumption.

LITERARY NOTE.

Very well informed people have but little conception of the ten great railways whose network of rails covers the United States—several of them have a length of more than ten thousand miles each. How these systems came to exist in their present vast dimensions, the territory which they cover, the causes which have led to their development, and their future possibilities and probabilities, will form the subject of a series of papers which will appear in the Cosmopolitan Magazine. The first of this series is by President Plant, the head of the extensive Plant system of Railways and Steamers, and appears in the October issue of the Cosmopolitan, covering the system of railways east of the Alleghanies and south of the Potomac. There are three articles contributed by Henry Cabot Lodge, John A. Cockerill and Murat Halstead, of which the themes are, respectively, "As to Certain Accepted Heroes;" "Phases of Contemporary Journalism," and "Liberal Tendencies in Europe." In these, we venture to say, the reader will find new thought, in phrase that cuts its way and insists on being quoted. But, after all, this strong individuality is noticed throughout the current number, in about the degree which the public has learned to expect. The intense practical interest of home things will be found in Nathaniel T. Taylor's article on "An Old Southern School," and President H. B. Plant's article. Other contributors are Thomas Wentworth Higginson, D. B. St. John Roosa, Louis Chandler Moulton, Charles F. Lummis, Edgar Fawcett, John Vance Cheney and Jonathan Sturges. Bowsen's "Social Strugglers," the first part of which attracted such wide interest in the September number, is continued in several attractive chapters. At Mrs. Sawyer's.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTHFIELD:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township of Southfield, will be held at the town hall in said township, on Saturday, the 5th day of November, 1892, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons as shall then possess of the necessary qualifications of electors in said township, who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

J. E. MCCLELLAND,
Township Clerk.

Dated at Southfield, Mich., this 11th day of October, A. D., 1892.

Notice to Trespassers.

We hereby forbid all hunting and fishing on any of our lands under penalty of the law for trespassing. Parents will be held liable for injured and disabled is the reason of our taking this step.

HENRY GRINNELL,
GEORGE PICKERING.

Dated October 20, 1892.

I have leased the Hiram Hood farm for five years and hereby warn trespassers from hunting or shooting on these premises or on my land.

O W. SHEPARD.

Dated Oct. 20, 1892 4t

Came onto my premises Tuesday, Oct. 11, three stray cattle, heifers, probably two years old. Two red and white spotted and one black and white spotta.

HUGH MCBRIDE,
Royal Oak, Mich.

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Notice.

From resting during the heated term I am now prepared to do dress making at my home and shall be glad to see any of my old customers and any new ones that wish work done. I now have a new machine and can give you work as good as the best at lower prices as I have no rent to pay. I shall be truly grateful for patronage. Residence Saginaw street.

HATTIE H. HANKS.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE ON EASY terms, on Freemont street in real good repair and condition. A good barn is on the premises. Good well and a neat, snug home for a low sum. This is the place formerly owned by Chas. Rayner and now owned by Mac Shain. Call on us for particulars, Whitehead & Mitchell.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, }

At a session of the probate court for said county of Oakland, held at the probate office, in the city of Pontiac, on the 20th day of September, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety two. Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ruth Bell, deceased.

On application of Charles V. Babcock, the executor, for the examination and allowance of his final account and the settlement of the estate thereof.

It is ordered that Monday, the 10th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for said petition; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.

Oct 13-Nov 3

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, }

At a session of the probate court for said county of Oakland, held at the probate office, in the city of Pontiac, on the 8th day of October, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety two. Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ann Eliza Cooper, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Ira M. Cooper, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Amanda Pugh or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that Saturday, the 8th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for said petition; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

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When Nature

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Prunes. Sold by Whitehead & Mitchell. tf

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FOR SALE—A Shropshire buck, 3 years, past. Price $10.00. O. B. Moore, Beekman Farm. 2t

FOR SALE—The easiest riding and roomiest road cart in town. No horse motion. Cost $85; will sell for $25 and take part pay in grain. A bargain for any one wanting a good cart.

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The property which was owned and occupied by the late Dr. O. W. Hewitt as a family residence. Situated on the corner of Townsend and Pierce streets, and is every way desirable for a nice home. There are six lots with a good house and barn; cistern, well water; all kinds of fruit trees. Will sell all together, or in lots separately, to suit purchasers. This property must be sold soon. My price is low; no speculation. See the owner, corner of Townsend and Pierce streets.

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TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The following places and dates have been arranged for holding Teachers' Examinations:

At Clarkston, Friday and Saturday, September and October, 14, 15.

At Birmingham, Friday and Saturday, February 17 and 18, 1893.

At Wixom, Thursday and Friday, March 2 and 3, 1893.

At Wixom, Friday and Saturday, March 31 and April 1, 1893.

The examination at Pontiac will be held in the Court House, and in the public building at each of the other places. At Clarkston and Wixom the examination will begin at 8 o'clock, a. m.; at Birmingham and Pontiac, at 8 o'clock, a. m., standard time.

Third grade work can be done at all of these examinations, and applicants for the grade will be examined in Orthography, Reading, Penmanship, Mental and Written Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, Theory and Art of Teaching, Elementary Elementary Algebra, Physiology and Hygiene with reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system, School Law and Current Events.

First and Second Grade work can be done only at the examination held at Pontiac. Branches required for Second Grade, in addition to those required for the Third, are: Algebra, Natural Philosophy and Book-keeping. Branches for First Grade, in addition to those required for Second, are: General History, Botany and Plane Geometry.

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