TROY TWINKLINGS.

Mrs. Geo. O. Clarke's health is not very good; she has rheumatism of the limbs.

Aunt Betsey Blount is in very poor health. She has a shattered mind. She will be 93 years old the 15th of next March.

Rev. Rowe is at Owosso attending conferences. His congregation at Big Beaver and Troy want him to come back.

Charles McManus, on the Judd farm will sow thirty acres of wheat this fall.

Burt Dusenbery will move home the first of the month. His father and mother's health is very poor and they need him at home.

ROYAL OAK ACORN.

L. D. Campbell's infant daughter, Mary, died Sunday evening of cholera infantum.

We are sorry to hear that a new saloon is going to be started on the south division.

Charles Quick has started a store in the old blacksmith shop. There are good prospects of another new store in the spring.

The leap year ball at Joseph Stauch's last Thursday evening was pronounced a grand success. Give us another just like it, girls.

Adolph Granger is going to raise the highest republican pole in Michigan. Anything Adolph undertakes is sure to be a success. Go ahead, Adolph.

Our village council is putting it on pretty thick. More haste less speed in such matters.

FRANKLIN FLUTTERINGS

Rev. McCall fills the pulpit in the church again for the coming year.

Miss Sadie Sly has returned to St. Paul Minn., where she resumes her duties as teacher in the Curtiss Commercial College.

Miss Adelle Sly spent a few days recently with her Aunt, Mrs Kate Mortimore of Genesee county. She returned to Wilkesbarre, Penn., this week.

The Wing Lake school commences Oct. 1, with Miss Effie Beattie as teacher. New seats are being put in the school house and other repairs being done.

Miss Jessie Midgely, who has been attending school at Ann Arbor and now in the Medical Dep't, is now visiting many friends and relatives in this place.

A Republican Pole raised in this place last Wednesday, but we are sorry to say that so little enthusiasm was displayed by the gentlemen. Many thanks to the ladies for the hearty refreshments.

BIG BEAVER BLIZZARDS.

The Big Beaver Blizzards very fitfully blow. That is nothing new however for it was ever thus."

There is considerable sickness is this vicinity and Dr. Anderson is very busy alleviating the suffrings of the afflicted.

Mrs. C. L. Travis, with her daughter Blanche, has gone to join her husband in the West.

Miss Jennie Ebling has gone to Chicago to attend a training school for Home Missionaries.

This is a very quiet political campaign. There is more excitement about the county Fair which takes place this week, than the Presidential election. But Mr. Holman will doubtless kindle the fire next Saturday evening at Red Ribbon hall.

Get your shot guns ready for it is rumored that the chicken thieves are abroad the land.

Don't fail to go to the pole raising for Cland Harris" for we are told that "all the candidates on all the tickets will be there and everybody allowed to speak." Won't we have a jolly time Hurrah! for Cleveland.

PONTIAC PICKINGS.

Numerous Pontiacers who went Washing to attend the national encampment have returned home.

Did you hear about that P. P. convention over at Amy last week? Wasn't that a dirty stinkin' trick, those Pontiac candidates were up to? For shame.

Alderman Sam Howlett visited Cleveland recently.

When you see Cham Blair ask him what he thinks of the K. O. T. M. "Goat."

Voters, make up your minds who you intend to vote for at the coming election and stick to it.

Mrs. D. L. Davis has been to Albany, N. Y. the past week.

Hon. Ralph E. Hoyt of Chicago, will open the democrat campaign at the opera house next Friday evening, Sept. 30.

Mrs. G. W. Curtis has been visiting at Cleveland for a few days.

Hiram Kellam the next Oakland county sheriff was in town Monday.

Will Fox and wife of the Rochester Era were in town Monday.

DRAYTON PLAINS.

Drayton has had its full quota of Detroit people this summer.

Ass Seeley and family will soon move to Pontiac, he having bought out Chas Thorpe's meat market.

Ice and sand are being shipped to Detroit in large quantities.

Letters from Will and May Leggett announce that they arrived in Liverpool safe and sound, not even being seasick.

We would like to see Jim Judd elected sheriff, but then, who would run his nice little store.

School commences this week with Miss Jessie Stevens as teacher.

Mrs. J. K. Judd has returned from her visit among relatives near Grand Rapids.

Hunt Randall spent Sunday at his uncle's, Mort A. Leggett's.

"Uncle John" Steeples, one of the finest old gentlemen that ever lived, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Harry Birge.

Lou Clifron one of Will Leggett's pupils, is working up a good class on the violin.

John Birge carries a sad look, and acts as if life was not worth the exertion, all on account of the failure of the apple crop, and the prospective emptiness of his beloved cider barrels.

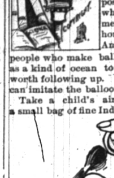
ARE WORTH KNOWING

SOME TRICKS FROM THE LAWS OF SCIENCE.

Air Pressure and Fluids and the Wonderful Things That Can Be Accomplished by Contact of Bodies—A Lesson in Home Science.

THE AIR BEHAVES like a fluid in this way—that it fills every place it can and fill any empty space which is exposed to it, which is what the ancients meant by nature abhorring a vacuum. And we know that people who make balloons use the air as a kind of ocean to sail in. This is worth following up. Let us see if we can imitate the balloon experiment.

Take a child's air-ball (which is a small bag of fine India-rubber tissue),



STEAM WITHOUT FIRE.

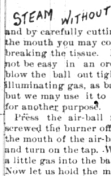
and by carefully cutting the string at the mouth you may collapse it without breaking the tissue. It will probably not be easy in an ordinary house to blow the ball out tight with coal or illuminating gas, as balloons are filled, but we may use it to hold a little gas for another purpose.

Press the air-ball flat, and, having screwed the burner off a gas jet, place the mouth of the air-ball over the pipe and turn on the tap. We may easily get a little gas into the ball in this way. Now let us hold the mouth of the ball tight, and, not forgetting to turn off the gas at the bracket, we will quickly fasten the ball to the stem of a clay pipe by a few turns of twine or thin wire, putting the bowl end of the pipe under the water at the time to obviate the escape of gas.

Now, with very little skill, if we have some soapsuds ready, we may blow bubbles with gas from the air-ball, and these bubbles will be found hot to sink to the ground as most soap bubbles do, but to rise until they burst in the ceiling.

They may be very prettily burned if touched with a lighted taper, and if we so contrive that they are blown (as the first one will be by reason of the air in the stem and bowl of the pipe) half with air and half with gas, they will, instead of burning when lighted, go off with a slight explosion like a gas-stove being lit, and for the same reason, namely, that when mixed with air gas burns so quickly as to cause an explosion.

But why does an ordinary soap bubble fall, and why do these gas bubbles



THE TUMBLER TRICK.

rise? Because the former are full of air, which is of the same weight and density as the air outside, and so the weight of the soap and water constituting the film sinks them. But coal gas, such as we burn, is of course lighter than air, and it has sufficient buoyancy to make the bubble float on the air just as a ball which is full of air floats on water. Now, is not air very much like a fluid in the ordinary sense of the word fluid, after all.

Other experiments on atmospheric pressure (which, because air is a fluid, acts in all directions, upward as well as downward) are as follows:

Take a wineglassful of water, and put a thin card over it. If you invert the glass, still holding the card, the latter will be kept in place, and the water prevented from escaping by the pressure of the air and may even be almost boiled by holding the card over a candle.

Place two tumblers mouth to mouth, fitting each other, and separate them only by a piece of damp paper. Put a lighted piece of candle in the lower tumbler. When it goes out you will see that the tumblers can be both lifted by the upper one, for the taper has used up part of the air in burning, and the greater pressure of the

external atmosphere binds the tumblers together.

The less air-pressure we have, the more easier water boils, the bubbles of steam escape more quickly. Water boiled at the top of a high mountain may not be warm enough to cook an egg, or even to scald the hands. Now steam is, of course, condensed by cold. Let us illustrate the pressure of air by the more expensive.

Taking an oil flask, stripped of its cushion covering, and cleansed with strong washing soda solutions. Partly fill it with water and set it in a sauce pan, also containing water, until both lots of water boil. Now put a cork in the flask, turn it upside down, and wait until the water within ceases to boil. If you now pour cold water upon the flask from a jug, the boiling will recommence, for the steam in the part of the flask which is not filled with water will be condensed, the pressure will be reduced, and so it will be more easy for the water to boil.

A bottle, full of water, and placed neck downwards in a basin or dish, will not empty itself, because the pressure of the air on the water in the basin balances the pressure of the water in the bottle upon it, unless, indeed, our bottle be thirty-two feet or so high (which it will be admitted, would be rather an excessive size), for the weight of the atmosphere is about the same as the weight of thirty-two feet of water.

ACROSS THE LAKE.

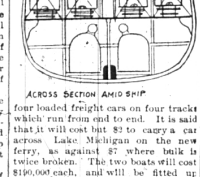
A Car Ferry to Be Established Between Frankfort, Mich., and Kewaunee, Wis.

A car ferry across Lake Michigan will be one of the curiosities of this season of navigation. Within a month the ferry will be established between Frankfort, the Michigan terminus of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan railroad and Kewaunee, Wis., where through connections will be made with the Winona & St. Paul railroad. The cars will be loaded directly on the ferry and after crossing the lake will be run ashore, thus avoiding the heavy expense involved in unloading from cars to steamer and then from steamer into cars again.

The ferry will be a combination of the Chesapeake Bay boat and the car transfers used at Detroit and Port Huron. They will be built to withstand the most furious storms raging on Lake Michigan, particularly during the winter, as they are designed to run all the year around. They will have twin screws and an ice crusher at the bow.

Two boats for this novel ferry are now under construction by the Craig Shipbuilding company at Toledo, Ohio. They are 250 feet long, 52 feet wide and 16 feet deep. Each will carry twenty-

THE FERRY UNDER STEAM.



ACROSS SECTION AMID SHIP

four loaded freight cars on four tracks which run from end to end. It is said that it will cost but $2 to carry a car across Lake Michigan on the new ferry, as against $7 where bulk is twice broken. The two boats will cost $190,000 each, and will be fitted up with all the modern appliances. Particular attention will be paid to guarding the machinery against accident while in midlake.

Transparent Glasses.

A new method of quickly rendering glass transparent during the process of manufacture consists in forcing into the melted materials a stream of oxygen gas, the enormous heat generated oxidizing all deleterious materials.

Mackerel Catch.

The fisheries department has received advices to the effect that the mackerel catch of the New England fishing fleet to date is 22,000 barrels—exactly twice as much as last year.

A Grave Matter.

Manufacturers of obituary monuments in the United States have the right to remove their handiwork from graves in the event of its not being paid for within six months.

Where Rain Is Scarce.

Rain has fallen only twice in twenty-nine years in Aden, Arabia. Previous to the last rain, which occurred in 1885, none had fallen in twenty-six years.

Nutcities.

The standard yard of America is said to be one-thousandth of an inch larger than its British parents.

Four-fifths of the engines now working in the world have been constructed during the last twenty-five years.

The Chinese, Japanese, Malays, Siamese, New Zealanders and the North American Indians are all beardless.

The new German army tent is divisible into two portions, each of which can be converted into an overcoat in case of rain.

Hops in Sacramento valley are threatened with much damage from a small red spider which has appeared in large numbers.

An enterprising boy in Grand Rapids, Mich., makes money by raising crickets. These he sells as bait for anglers.

Flies are so numerous and annoying in some of the Colorado towns, that farmers wear veils over their heads for protection.

The sight of a house on fire in Salem, Oregon, so excited a six-year-old girl that her heart stopped beating, and she dropped dead.

A water moccasin six feet long was lately killed at Utica, Ill. When cut open sixteen frogs were found, several of which were alive.

Maryland was named from Queen Henrietta Maria. In the charter its name in Latin was Terra Marie, meaning the land of Maria or Mary's land.

The guests at a Springfield hotel recently presented one of the waitresses with a pair of roller skates in hopes of being waited on more rapidly.

English medical authorities are coming to the conclusion that the smoking of pure opium is not nearly so injurious to Chinamen as has been supposed.

A home for working girls is to be built at Milwaukee. Miss Elizabeth Plankinton has agreed to pay for its erection as well as the cost of furnishing it.

Sage-brush, hitherto supposed to be useless, and which covers millions of acres of the Western plains, can be converted into a superior grade of coarse paper.

Hard luck and constant disappointments caused a lady in Paris to commit suicide in a novel way. She applied leeches all over her body and soon died of exhaustion.

A pyramid of four hundred pianos, connected by electricity, and performed upon by one woman, will be one of the attractions of the world's fair.

The temperature of Norway varies little, and statistics show that the average duration of life there is greater than in any other part of the world.

WOMAN IN SCIENCE.

ELEANOR ORMEROD IN THE FIELD OF ENTOMOLOGY.

Her Investigations Have Added Materially to the Expulsion of Destructive Insects from English Farms—An Observer of Plant and Animal Life.

MISS ELEANOR A. Ormerod, whose researches and entomological investigations have lessened the yearly national loss from insect ravages in English farm crops was from her earliest childhood excessively fond of observing plant and animal life. Her education was conducted at home under the supervision of a wise and clever mother, whose chief care was that all studies undertaken should be carefully learned and thoroughly mastered. To this judicious early training Miss Ormerod attributes the success which has attended her studies as a specialist.

The real work of her life began in 1868, when the formation of the collection of economic entomology was set on foot by the Royal Horticultural society and the South Kensington department. Andrew Murray, curator of the museum, who was in communication with her, suggested special investigations, and she contributed specimens illustrative of insect depredations, for which the silver floral medal of the Royal Horticultural society was awarded to her in recognition of her services. In 1872 Miss Ormerod represented British natural history modeling from life at the international exhibition held in Moscow, for which she received the silver medal, the great silver medal, and also the gold medal of honor of the University of Moscow. In 1878 she was elected a fellow of the Meteorological society, being the first lady ever admitted to fellowship. Her "Manual of Injurious Insects" was published in 1881, and followed in 1884 by her "Guide to Insect Life," and she is now engaged in the preparation of an enlarged edition under the title of "A Text Book of Agricultural Entomology." Miss Ormerod was unanimously elected consulting entomologist to the Royal Agricultural society of England by the council on May 2, 1892. Her election as honorary and corresponding member of the Royal Agricultural and Horticultural society of South America and also as one of the patrons of the Natural History society of East Prussia, Cape Colony, has placed her in connection with agricultural work in

MISS ELEANOR ORMEROD.

both these large districts, and she constantly receiving from colonists specimens of insects and insect injuries, as well as from farmers and others in this country.

On Mastication.

Dr. Lauder Brunton, in the course of a recent letter on "Mastication," at St. Bartholomew's hospital, made use of the following remarks: "I think it was a magnificent stroke of genius on the part of the president of the Royal College of Physicians, Sir Andrew Clark, when he informed Mr. Gladstone that he had one mouth and thirty-two teeth, and that for every mouthful of food he took every tooth should have a chance, so that he should take thirty-two bites to every mouthful. And," continued Dr. Brunton, "if the patient has lost some of his teeth he should allow two bites for every missing tooth, and even that will not always do if many teeth have gone."

Paganism in New England.

A recent magazine article by President Hyde, of Bowdoin college, entitled "Impending Paganism in New England," has created a great stir among the Protestant clergy and laity of Maine, and a red-hot discussion of the religious situation is now in progress. Rev. Walker Gwynne, an Episcopal clergyman of Augusta, recently declared that "the ancient and divinely ordained priesthood of the Catholic church has been abandoned and in this place has been put a humanely ordained order of preachers, possessing and claiming no authority from Christ or his apostles, but depending for their influence upon their own personal characteristics."

An Interesting Experiment.

The American Cotton and Wool Reporter has begun an interesting experiment in Maine, it being an attempt to make mutton sheep husbandry profitable on abandoned farms. Six deserted homesteads, comprising about 400 acres of fairly good land, have been purchased and will be heavily stocked with native ewes and thoroughbred Hampshire rams. The farm will be conducted by a scientific breeder and agriculturist, who will make reports from time to time of the progress of the undertaking, and the result will be awaited with interest by down-East farmers.

A War Relic.

A gentleman of Petersburg, Va., has in his possession a silver medal which was found some time ago by a lady and which as a war relic may be of value to the owner. The metal is the size and shape of a quarter of a dollar and on the face bears the following inscription: "Philip Brady, Co., I, 125 N. Y. Troy, N. Y." On the obverse "Taken prisoner at Harper's Ferry," and underneath are engraved the following names of battles in which the person probably participated: "Gettysburg, Auburn, Bristow Station, Mine Run, Morton's Ford."

He Is in Luck.

Up to a few months ago Jacob Lauck, an old man of 67 years, residing in Berkeley county, W. Va., was the possessor of a show-white head of hair. But in recent months a gradual metamorphosis has been taking place in this respect. It began with the appearance of a few hairs of an intensely black color, which gradually became more numerous until, at the present time, very few white hairs can be seen in his head. Mr. Lauck and his neighbors allege are wonderful and can be count for the unexpected renewal of youthful hue in locks once silvered.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the terms and conditions and in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage which was made and executed by Clark M. Harris and Theresa L. Harris, his wife, then of Oakland township of Troy, Oakland county, Michigan, to William Cook, of the township of Bloomfield, said county and state, which mortgage was dated the 26th day of October, 1890, and was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county of Oakland on the 15th day of November, 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in liber 119 of mortgages on page 523. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due at the date of this notice, is the sum of one Hundred and Twenty Two Dollars and Sixteen Cents, and also Fifteen Dollars as an attorney fee allowed by the laws of this state and stipulated for in said mortgage should it be necessary to foreclose the same, and which is the whole amount claimed to be due on said mortgage. And whereas, no proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt now secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, by reason of said default, the power of sale therein became operative. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the lands and premises therein described at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Pontiac, in said county of Oakland, (that being the place wherein the circuit court for said county is held) on the 15th day of October, 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to the lien of said mortgage for two installments of $50 each, to become due October 26, 1892, and October 26, 1893, respectively, with interest at 7 per cent per annum) which said premises are described in said mortgage, as follows, to-wit: Situated on the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of section twenty four (24), of said township of Bloomfield, and bounded as follows, viz: On the north by lands owned by William Harris, on the east by the highway; on the south by lands owned by O. Poppleton, and on the west by lands owned by Arthur Ford. Said piece containing two (2) acres more or less, in the township of Bloomfield, Oakland county, state of Michigan.

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

At Clarkston, Friday and Saturday, September 30 and 0 ctober 1, 1892.

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

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

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

The examination at Pontiac will be held in the Court House, and in the school building at each of the other places. At Clarkston and Wixom examinations will begin at 9 o'clock, a. m.; at Birmingham and Pontiac, at 8 o'clock, a. m., sharp.

Third grade work can be done at all of these examinations, and applicants for this grade will be examined in Orthography, Reading, Penmanship, Mental and Written Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, Theory and Art of Teaching, United States History, Civil Government, 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, I 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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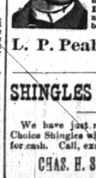

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