

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BROOKFIELD.
Julius Klise spent last Thursday in Springfield.
Edith Snyder has returned home from Nashville.
Charles Porter is visiting relatives near Hillsdale.
Gertrude and Blanche Walworth are visiting friends in Jackson.
John Nevela has moved from Eaton Rapids to his father's place.
Several from this place attended a dance at Springfield Monday night.

REPORT FROM THE REFORM SCHOOL.
J. G. Gluck, Superintendent, Pruntytown, W. Va., writes: "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform School. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless." J. J. Milbourn.

WEST HAMLIN.
The youngest child of Dick Kiden-dall is quite sick.
Geo. Newcomb spent Christmas with his daughter in the city.
Mrs. Chas. Lindly is visiting her mother in Battle Creek this week.
Chas. O'Neil, recently from Ireland, has purchased the John Logan farm.
Sam Carter and wife of Looan called on his father and mother Sunday night.
Mrs. Israel Lindly is keeping house for Chas. Lindly during his wife's stay in Battle Creek.
Wm. Smith and family attended the wedding of a grand daughter in East Hamlin Christmas.

A Timely Topic.
At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. J. J. Milbourn.

CHARLESWORTH.
Mrs. Frank Bennett and son, Elwood Cooker, visited at Levi Cooker's, the first of the week.
Art Hall, Ferris Markle and W. J. Fowler attended the Fat Stock show at Chicago, last week.
Chas. Steel and wife of Brookfield, visited at John Doty's Xmas.
Pay Markle and wife visited at D. C. Peters' Xmas.
Porter Oiestock and Julia Dralle of Springport, were married Sunday of the 17th. Jack Boatman, and will stop with Ferris Markle this winter.
Levi Cooker and wife visited at Harry Clark at Otter Creek, Sunday.
Wm. Smith and wife attended the wedding of a grand-daughter at her home in East Hamlin, Xmas.

Consumption
There is no specific for consumption. Fresh air, exercise, nourishing food and Scott's Emulsion will come pretty near curing it, if there is anything to be cured on. Millions of people throughout the world are living and in good health on one lung.

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and tolerate it for a long time. There is no oil, not escaping butter, so easily digested and absorbed by the system as cod liver oil in the form of Scott's Emulsion, and that is the reason it is so helpful in consumption where its use must be continuous.

It will send you a simple free.

NORTH BROOKFIELD.
James Bryan is visiting his friends and relatives in this place.
Bex Bryan is home from Albion college for his Christmas vacation.
Mrs. Horton Bryan will entertain the Town Line L. A. S. Thursday.
Mrs. Elwood Dierker's brother and sister from Ohio are visiting here.

TOMPKINS.
School has closed at the Centre for two weeks vacation.
Milo Mayo and family spent Xmas with friends in Arland.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bush were guests of Wm. Gordon and family Xmas.

AURELIUS.
Ray Walton is in Jackson.
Edith Spaulding is home from Oik-vee.
O. M. Robertson spent Christmas in Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Munsey are home from Jackson.
Roy Buckingham was an Eden visitor Sunday.
Miss Dorothy Robertson was a Lansing visitor for Christmas.
J. W. McGowan and family and Richard Fellows and family on Xmas-day.

KINGSLAND.
Mrs. S. S. Drake is suffering with erysipelas in her face.
Miss Parand is spending her vacation with friends in Jackson.
The Los Angeles Limited, electric lighted, now from the Pullman shops, with all latest innovations for travel comfort, leaves Chicago 10:30 p. m. daily, arrives Los Angeles 14:30 p. m. daily. Sold through train via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western line and the Salt Lake Route. For rates, stopping car reservations and full particulars apply to Tourist Agent, address W. H. Giergen, Box 101, Passenger Dept., 11 Campus Martius, Detroit, Mich. 5063

LUMBAGO.
MUSCULAR AND ABDOMINAL RHEUMATISM.
For years I suffered from frequent attacks lumbago and abdominal rheumatism and always had to let it run its course, until I discovered a simple remedy that speedily cured me. For 50c I will send postpaid, full particulars for this cure. This is no fake—you get what you pay for and pay for what you get. Ad- dress: Box 101, Cole, Editor, Mirror, Albion, Mich.

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DRINKERS' BOARDS.
R. Hare and wife are visiting here in Lowell.
Mrs. Ed Wright of Concord is visiting friends in this vicinity.
Mr. and Mrs. Bates of Dimondale visited at Bird Roger's last Sunday.
Mr. Spencer and family ate Christmas dinner at the home of Ed Halliday.

HOTEL EMPLOYEES.
Wages of Hotel Workers in the West. The Hotel Workers in the West receive \$20 a month, with room and board, and their hours are well regulated, in most of the large hotels. The parties made a study of the matter on the salary list with \$18 room and board, and the tips often bring this sum up to \$30 or even \$40. The main reason for this is to keep the laborer and his family from being brought to the point of starvation and to attend the women guests who desire her services. The chambermaids, bathroom attendants, cleaners and scrub women, of whom every hotel employs a small army, receive \$12 each. The work of the last two named is distinctly different. A scrub woman would not think of cleaning paint, and a paint cleaner would not think of scrubbing the floors. Throughout the house the question of social distinction is argued, the maids feeling above the cleaners, the cleaners above the scrub women, and the scrub women above the parlor maids, and so on. Human nature is much the same the world over, and the same is true of the hotel employees, scrub women are known as "soubrettes," the chambermaids are "the girls," while the parlor maids are "the girls." The "soubrettes" begin their work at 1 o'clock in the morning, and do not finish until about 5. They scrub the floors and go throughout the house with soap and hot water. In one big New York hotel the employees are permitted to enter the help's dining room, but only after breakfast or afternoon between regular meals and have a cup of tea and a light lunch. A system which has much to do with the health of the employees is the fact that the hotel is only a trifle, and although the pay is not in operation for some time, those who enjoy its advantages do not abuse it—Leslie's Weekly.

HUMAN DISSECTION.
Surgery and the Anatomist in the Olden Days.
For a long time Alexandria was the only medical center in the world, and the physician Galen, born about 130 A. D., had to journey from Rome to Alexandria in order to see a skeleton. He sent his pupils to the Greeks, and they in turn sent their pupils to the Romans. In the fourteenth century, when the Italian Renaissance was in its infancy, the anatomist was at first inexperienced, and the work in factories in the beginning of the sixteenth century was not specially established for their reception, and the anatomist was not specially trained. In the sixteenth century, when the Italian Renaissance was in its infancy, the anatomist was at first inexperienced, and the work in factories in the beginning of the sixteenth century was not specially established for their reception, and the anatomist was not specially trained.

THE TRAMP PROBLEM.
How Count Hamford Solved it in Bavaria in 1790.
A remarkable experiment was made in Bavaria in 1790 in an effort to solve the problem of the unemployed. Count Hamford, an Englishman, after an adventurous career in America, settled in Bavaria in 1790. He was a man of high character and high ability. He was a man of high character and high ability. He was a man of high character and high ability.

WESTPHALIAN WITCHES.
All the Westphalian Witches in the State had had their trials. In Westphalia, Prussia, was the scene of the most remarkable witchcraft delusion that has ever occurred in the history of the world. The delusion lasted for three or four centuries longer than it did in any other country. The Westphalian witches were forced to appear before a tribunal before which all Westphalian witches were forced to appear. The delusion lasted for three or four centuries longer than it did in any other country.

REBELS VANQUISHED.
Two Young Men Seriously Hurt—Result of Wednesday Serenade.
Bethany, W. Va., Dec. 27.—Byron Scott, aged 18 years, son of C. P. Scott, a member of the West Virginia militia, was seriously injured in a riot which broke out in this town on Wednesday night. The riot was the result of a serenade given to a young woman by a young man. The riot was the result of a serenade given to a young woman by a young man.

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IRON-OX.
Cure Constipation.
There are many people suffering from weak nerves, weak backs, weak stomachs, and sluggish livers, who do not realize that constipated bowels are the cause of their trouble. Iron-Ox Tablets cure constipation to stay cured, and tone up every organ of the body to healthy action.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.
The Michigan Farmer and Live Stock Journal, Detroit, Mich., will spend \$10,000 for special articles on all leading topics in the leading matter of the paper. The readers will get the benefit of the entire amount. All departments will share in the distribution. We have contracted with the highest authorities in the world for special articles on all leading topics in the leading matter of the paper. The readers will get the benefit of the entire amount.

DISEASES OF MEN.
DRS. K & K.
A whole village of well-to-do Italians speaking English with an accent is one of the most astonishing things that have ever occurred in the history of the world. The village is in the mountains of Italy, and the people are of the highest quality. The village is in the mountains of Italy, and the people are of the highest quality.

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The observance of Allhallow eve, or Halloween, is clearly a relic of pagan times, for there is nothing in the church observance of the ensuing day of All Saints to have originated such extraordinary notions as are connected with this celebrated festival or such remarkable practices as those by which it is distinguished. The leading idea respecting Halloween is that it is the time of all other when supernatural influences prevail. It is the night set apart for the walking abroad of spirits, both of the visible and invisible world. One of the special characteristics attributed to this evening is the faculty conferred on the luminiferous principle of man to detach itself from the body and wander abroad through the realms of space. Divination, or second sight, is believed then to attain its highest power, and the gift asserted by Gildowder of calling spirits from "the vast deep" becomes then at the command of all who choose to avail themselves of the privileges of the occasion. There is a remarkable uniformity in the festive customs of this night in all parts of Great Britain. Nuts and apples are everywhere in requisition and are consumed in immense quantities. Indeed, the name Nutcrack night, by which Halloween is known in the north of England, indicates the predominance of nuts in the entertainments of the evening. They are not only cracked and eaten, but are made the means of divining and prophesying in love affairs. Apples are also used in many of the evening games for the same purpose.

A Story of Thackeray.

There is a story of Thackeray shortly after the publication of "Vanity Fair" dining with a friend and receiving an introduction to his next neighbor, "Captain Crawley of the Life Guards." Thackeray looked greatly annoyed, scarcely opened his lips to this gentleman and afterward told his host in an aggrieved tone that "he liked a joke as well as any man, but there was a true and a false place for all things." No joking allusion to a character of his novel had, however, been designed or perceived. The fellow guest actually was a Captain Crawley and held a commission in the Life Guards.

Where Gangetic Streams.

One of the most remarkable sights in the world is Bird Island, in South Africa, for the reason that during some months of the year it is literally covered with game. Not a foot of ground is to be seen anywhere. Each year thousands of game birds fly around, and they are so close to each other that the whole island seems actually alive. These who have seen this sight say that it is one which can never be forgotten.

A Jolter.

"It seems to me," said Mrs. Oleson, "that in these days there is no hope for the man who lacks initiative." "I know it," replied her hostess. "That must be one reason why Joseph has such wonderful success. He gets initiated in something new nearly every week."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Charming Interest.

Agent—'I'd like to sell you this bottle of mosquito exterminator. Mr. Jackson—No, sir! I'm a manufacturer of mosquito netting.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

TWO IN THE CAB

By CLARA TAYLOR

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Far down in the valley a headlight gleamed, and Carl Wilbur turned to his friend, Jim, who was sitting beside him. "Here she comes, Jim," he announced. "Something's the matter," declared Jim, "she's running."

"That's what we'll be doing in half an hour," laughed Carl. "It's not often that we have the honor of pulling the president and whole board of directors. The old girl will have to do us proud tonight."

He glanced affectionately at the huge locomotive puffing up the siding. It was one of the newest on the division, and with the five cars making up the president's special it would be better than a mile a minute most of the way after the "eight" had been passed.

The Haven section was on the south slope of the divide, and once in dropping down the grade they had to make a complete figure eight in order to make the turn properly about the spur of Mount Diavolo. Carl was lost in speculation as to just how far he could extend the levitation, and not until Jim pointed out the platform in front of the firebox did the latter realize that Carl was facing toward the approaching train.

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