ILLINOIS.

A team of blind horses attached to a farmer's wagon, walked into one with, a maiden of that neighborhood. of the plate-glass fronts in the unoccupied store under The Peoria Freeman office, and broke out the light. It was insured for \$75.

at last been captured in the western ents, is a unique document, and the part of this state, with the horse and justice who sent Levi to jail made buggy she stole from the hitch-rack him also the husband of Hannah in in Clinton, some time ago.

A disease of the lungs is carrying off the hogs in great numbers at the body of Geo. Wood, who per-Orion, Henry county. One farmer ished in the Beckwith house fire at south of town has lost about one Oshkosh. That part of the ruins hundred head.

Over eight thousand five hundred arrests have been made and recorded by the police of Springfield since January.

A farmer in Towards, McLean county, owns a mare that was foaled May 5, 1845, and can still eat corn.

A Methodist minister of Virden won a bet of \$5 on the election, from a dentist of the same place. There have been sixty-five cases

of measles in Naples from the present epidemic.

WISCONSIN.

Levi Calkins, a weil-to-do bu but rather eccentric citizen of Vernon county, is in jail for fifteen days, for performing his own marriage ceremony with Hannah Deten sheep had been killed outright, and eleven so badly injured that it was necessary to put them out of weir misery by knocking them in the head. Besides these there were twenty-five or more bitten and torn. The sheep were all of fine quality.

Mrs. Renfro, of Cape Girardeau was accused of theft and fled to Cairo. She was arrested, but attempted to jump in the river. On her way back to the Cape she tried to throw herself under the cars. An the woman proved her to be inno-

Dr. Jacob Geiger, of St. Joseph,

party of hunters who coveted the ready; me first."

MISSOURI.

successful run of nine days and cleared \$1,100.

A malignant type of diphtheria is now prevailing at the Hennepin county poor farm.

MINNESOTA.

The scarcity of cars is still a vexing question with the millers at Minneapolis. It was reported one day last week that the three Washburn mills contained fifteen thousand barrels of flour, and that at one time the mills were stopped, as there was room for no more flour. All were going at last accounts, but the millers think the worst is yet to

to the beauty of the building. An ingenious beggar recently left his shoes and stockings outside the door of a railroad office in Des Moines while he went to crave for a pass for "a poor weather-beaten tramp." A glance convinced the division superintendent that those feet were accustomed to being shod, and a slight investigation revealed the ruse.

they are in place it will add much

It is estimated that the coming year will be historical in the activity of railroad construction within the borders of lows, and that the total mileage of new roads will be not less than one thousand miles.

Several young men of Harlan have been arrested for the seduction and prostitution of a girl of 4 years, and the girl has been sent to the reform school at Mitchellville.

A fair at Independence, in the inbe laid off in town lots.

lowa.

young girl left Dubuque at the sum- ing. One of them was fitted with a or in something else, that lurks the mons of her lover, to go to the far-off single yoke and harness and is used cause which makes us Americans country of New Zealand, to marry successfully in a horse-rake to culti- probably the most unkind and unhim. She made the long journey vate potatoes and corn and has fre- mannerly people on the globe in lie to him about your case when he and Exchange. and has just returned to Dubuque un- quently been hitched to the old fam- public ?-N. Y. Times. wedded. After reaching New Zealand her lover showed such an indisposition to marry her that the girl declined to hold him to his promise. better control .- A Farmer's Wife in

The stone-cutters have resumed work at the capitol at Des Moines, and are now preparing the material for the steps to be put in place early in the spring. The wa'ls of the buttresses are to be of Iowa City limestone, the steps of sandstone, and the base and rails of granite. When said, seven of the county officers. The charge is that these men have been "charging, demanding, and taking fees not allowed by law."

Mat Wolfe, who killed his father in New Albany, three years ago, by beating out his brains with a club, was on the rampage again the other day, parading the streets of New Albany and threatening citizens, even and laws of a country, women al- murely replied: "Well, yes; kind the police fearing to arrest.

The old Johnny Fisher homestead, in the suburbs of Crawfordsville, comprising twelve acres, was sold, a few days since, for \$50,000, and will within a month after the death of his lawful wife. The marriage contract, drawn up by Levi and signed by the parties thereto in The notorious Lizzie Barton has presence of the supposed bride's par-

> No trace has yet been found of under his room has been pretty thoroughly shoveled over to no pur-

> > INDIANA.

The grand jury at the term of the circuit court, just closed, in Decatur county, indicted all the township assessors save two, the county superintendent of education, and, it is city, the other day, by a Mrs. Jackson, who alleged that her daughter's affections had been tampered with, while the doctor is firmly impressed that the woman is insane. The matter will be ventilated in court.

A Daclede justice of the peace was fined \$5 and costs for solemnizing the marriage of Miss Ida Ridgway. a minor, and Mr. Ira Street, without the consent of her parents.

An effort is being made in Brunswick to introduce a number of Chi-

KANSAS.

There are reports that the liquor men of Kansas will raise a corruption fund of \$100,000 for use on the legislature this winter.

Training Cows.

Reading in a recent issue the arti-

cle: "The Cow Intellectually," reminds me of some instances which examination of the charge against have occurred within my own observation. In our own herd of twelve ows was one the children called "Betsy," who, as soon as the milkwas assaulted on the streets of that ers entered the yard with pails, al-At the time of the \$25,000 fire in | ways came forward and placed her-Duluth, last week, the velocity of self in position for her master to solid. Many people had their feet be often did for the amusement of and are in trouble generally. and ears frozen while working to spectators, he passed her by, seating himself at another cow first, Betsy

A lady of our acquaintance, who is a sweet singer, goes to the pasture A gang of dogs made an attack on bars with her pails, sits down upon Maj. Wm. Gentry's flock of sheep her stool, and commences to sing ting all the smartness and superiornear Sedalia, the other night, and "Hymn and Psalm" tunes, hearing ity of our youth, there is one particterest of the Sisters of Mercy, had a look, and proceed immediately to the place evidently expecting their vior of the young toward their elmistress to sing as she milks.

know goes to his yard, and seating to the adult whose appearance or himself in a good place, says dress is at all distinguishing can places herself in position before him | ing to run a gauntlet of juvenile repasses on to the stable and takes her the sky; a red-haired that his head

Another old gentleman takes his dinner-horn and blows a blast or after the cows."

All these examples go to show mal and that kind treatment will ac-

fect, but only defeat. I love to watch the boys "yoke the forward and bends his neck to be tobacco; children will imitate, and ily carriage and driven a short dis tance, carrying the children to and from school, the guiding lines being snapped into a copper ring, which

Ingratitude calls forth reproaches, as gratitude brings fresh kindnesses.

was put in his nose for purposes of

N. Y. Observer.

Rash words are scarcely more dangerous, and are generally much less un wholesome, than capricious

A wise man ever acknowledges that he is defeated by showing ill temper after a transaction in which he has been baffled.

Whatever may be the custom ways give the tone to morals.

Punctuality.

Some one defines punctuality to be fifteen minutes before the time. At any rate it is not one minute after

I must tell you an anecdote of the

first marquis of Abercorn. He invited a number of friends to dinner. The hour for dinner was five, and all those invited knew it, of course. Well, the hour arrived and but one of the guests had come. Down sat the marquis and this one guest to the table. The marquis was punctual, if only one of the others was. By and by another guest dropped in, and was very much mortified to find dinner being eaten. And one flour. by one the rest came and were likehad taught them all a good lesson, in gold. and I venture to say the next time they were invited none of them got into the coffee only, but were on hand for soup. Gen. Washington was so very punctual that on one occasion, some friends who were expecting him at a certain hour, on finding that he did not arrive, all concluded that their watches must have got wrong, and sure enough they had, for Washington soon came, and was not a minute late. No doubt his habits of punctuality helped to

I knew a clergyman once to throw himself into the Mississippi river and swim eight miles down stream to keep an appointment for afternoon services. I traveled through the upper Mississippi region, shortly after, and for hundreds of miles from the place where he lived, out toward the border, I heard of his great feat. The border men respected such a

make him the great man that he

who made the big swim. Nor is any one too young to begin the cultivation of punctuality. The boy who is on time at school, on time at class, on time when sent on an errand, and so on, is apt to be the punctual business or professional man. The habit of promptness is

man, and called him 'the minister

apt to cling all through life. Some persons, on the contrary, go all through life in a slip shod, downat-the heel way, and never prosper the wind was forty miles an hour, milk, often following him around the They get to a wedding as people are the thermometer was 18 degrees be- yard to where he chose to stop for coming off. They are late at church ; low zero, and the fire engine froze that purpose; and if to test her, as don't meet their notes, go to protest,

Washington's way was the best, The marquis of Abercorn was in the The woods of Todd county are always came forward and, instantly right. That Mississippi clergyman gaining an unenvisble reputation for and decisively pushing her away, did nobly. And these three are the murders therein committed. placed herself in front of him. When good examples for our boys and One man who, had shot six deer was in position she would look around girls to follow. Never be behind killed in the woods, last week, by a at him, as much as to say, "I am time, and if you can, be a little ahead of it, and you will never repent the habit of punctuality.

when the onslaught was discovered which the cows lift up their heads, ular wherein the progress made is that makes one great comes from open to question -that of the behaders. The ordinary street saluta-A feeble old gentleman whom we tion of 'Hello!' by the embryo man costs the answerer dearly. Sweet-"Come!" Cow No. 1 comes and hardly enter the street without havto be milked. When the operation marks. A tall person is informed is completed, he says "Go." She that a little more height would touch struggle. place in her stanchion for the night. Is on fire, and so on. What is one Then be calls No. 2, and does the to do with these juvenile miscreants, who are not all of the classes whose only school is the street? The cow comes, home directly, thus sav- formed. We recall one young lady oxen" (which, by the way, are six- ones thus guilty. The same perti- plied. year-old bullocks,) putting the yoke nent stare follows those whose upon the neck of one; then, while physical misfortune should be the the best remedies for dysentery. holding it with one hand, reaching readiest title to kindness and res- Beaten up slightly, with or without out with the bow in the other, say- pect. Are there no she bears sugar, and swallowed at a gulp, it ing, "Come on, Jeff." He some- abroad in our time as teachers of tends by its emollient qualities, to times shakes his head, as much as to manners in public? The boy will lessen the inflammation of the stomsay, "I don't want to;" yet, upon a have his cigarette and cigar-stump ach and intestines, and by forming a repetition of the command, comes so long as the grown man cleaves to transient coating on these organs to

> The best lawyers always tell the best stories, and with none the less zest when at their own expense. Not long ago Counsellor C- was before Surrogate Calvin in a case where the question involved was as to the mental condition of the testatrix. The witness under examination, herself an aged lady, had testified to finding Mrs. Seaman failing, childish, and that when she told her something she looked as though she didn't understand. Counsellor C-, cross-examining, tried to get her to describe this look, but she didn't succeed very well in doing so. At last, getting a little impatient, he asked: "Well how did unimproved, for sale at low price and she look? Did she look at you as I on reasonable terms. Also business and

of vacant like,"-Harper's.

Editorial Notes.

-The republicans and anti-Tammanyites of New York have given John Kelly a fatal wound by the nomination by Mayor Cooper of Allen Campbell for comptroller, in place of John Kelly, whose term of office had expired.

-- It is stated that Russia has in contemplation the construction of an iron-clad of twelve thousand tons as a free prize to each yearly subscriber

-- A journal published at Madrid, says that if the United States will reduce duties of Cuban sugar and Spanish fruit, Spain will take similar action on American cereals and

-The steamer Batavia brought wise mortified. But the marquis to New York on the 10th £358,390 Mulock's masterpiece; a story of the

> -A number of the Jesuits expelled from France have reached Montreal, and in the spring will go to farming on a tract of eight hundred acres of land at Oka, provided for them by the Seminary of St. Sulpice.

> -The grand jury at Morrison III. as indicted Father Doily and sister O'Connell for murdering their child. The only testimony against them is that of the physician in attendance at the birth of the baby.

Gentle Mother. Good Words.

"My mother dear, my mother dear My gentle, gentle mother." I thought I was singing my boy to

deep with the little ballad of which the above is the chorus; but the blue eyes opened, and a quiet voice said, "Mamma, you ain't always gentle." In self-justification I replied, But, you know, darling, mamma has to scold you when you're naughty." "Yes'm." The argument dropped : so did the little head upon my bosom. I did not finish the song, nor have I sung it since. Tenderly tucking in the little truth-teller, I reproached myself for deserving his remark, and greatly questioned the truth of my answer. Do mothers ever have to scold? Has scolding any legitimate place in the family government? How is the word defined? "Railing with clamor; uttering rebuke in rude and boisterous language." Is this a helpful adjunct for parental authority? Why do Christian parents sometimes scold? For two reasons, as it seems to us. First for lack of self-control; second, from babit. Children are often terribly trying, and loud and angry tones seem a safety-valve for our stirred tempers. Besides, we feel that gentleness alone can never safely steer the family bark over life's troublous sea. Force, firmness, decision, sternness, even severity, are often necessary. A suitable de-Youthful Misbehavior .- Admit- gree of these is not incompatible with gentleness. It is not a synonym for weakness. The gentleness subdued strength. This lovely fruit of the spirit proves an element of power. The "soft answer" often ness of spirit is the out-growth of self-control. Serenity of soul, whatever be the constitutional characteristics, comes most frequently from long self-discipline and prayerful

Medical Uses of Eggs. For burns or scalds nothing is more soothing than the white of an egg, which may be poured over the cruelest cases are those of persons wound. It is a better varnish for a | X L FEED MILL two towards the pasture, when the who have the misfortune to be de- burn than collodion, and being always at hand can be applied immeing her master a long tramp "going of uncommon delicacy and culture, diately. It is also more cooling than but dwarfed and misformed by an "sweet oil or cotton" which was accident while an infant; her least formerly supposed to be the surest that cows are as capable of being penance in public is a cold and pro- application to aliay the smarting trained as any other domestic ani- longed stare of curiosity, while her pain. It is the contact with the air greatest is audible comments from which gives the extreme discomfort complish, without any trouble, what | children whose dress and appearance | experienced from ordinary accidents severe or cruel usage will never ef- deny them the excuse of having no of this kind; and anything which associations which should teach de- excludes air and prevents inflammacency. Nor are children the only tion is the thing to be at once sup-

The egg is also considered one of enable nature to assume her healthvoked to his fellow. These boys hence the bear might wisely pass by ful sway over the diseased body. taught these bullocks, when two or the children to begin with the oth- Two, or at most three, eggs per day three years old, to allow them to fas- er end of the family. Manners are wo'd be all that wo'd be required in ten lines to the tips of their horns, contagious, and the bad sort the ordinary cases, and since the egg is mount upon their backs and galtop most quickly and perfectly. Is it not merely medicine, but food as off, though never for long distances. in our atmosphere, our universal well, the lighter the diet otherwise, They rode very easy, with none of democracy, our peculiar selfishness and the quieter the patient is kept, Something over a year ago a the tossing motion of horseback-rid- or our push-ahead thoughtlessness, the more certain and rapid is the

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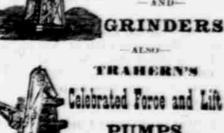
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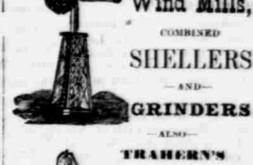
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