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Now that Mr. Miles is home from abroad, Akron's colored brethren might be able to find out something about those whales.

The B. J. has taken our advice and is sticking to General Dick and the Town Hall site. The Democrats can harmonize all they please now.

Barberton is to have free delivery of mail, beginning Sept. 1. As has been remarked before, Barberton is a pretty "bucky infant" for a 13-year-old, and deserves all it is getting.

The Hon. H. C. Sanford says he is going to China. And of course while there he will note if there's anything doing in the way of offices. The Colonel has exhausted the American supply.

And now a woman who sought to take her own life is still alive and well because a corset stay stayed the bullet she sent speeding toward her heart. Thus again the usefulness of these articles of dress has been demonstrated and reformers have lost much ground.

The hearty vigor with which the Republican papers, notably the Cleveland Leader, insist on giving the Democratic Presidential nomination to Grover Cleveland really leads one to believe that some selfish motive may impel their utterances.

It is announced that the number of pensioners on the rolls will have exceeded the million mark before the year is out. Commissioner Evans ought to have held out against only a million of kickers. Think of the millions who criticize candidates for the presidency.

The Springfield Republican suggests that "Mr. Hanna's second letter protesting that he is not in any sense a presidential candidate comes out at about the right time to keep us thinking about him." More than one candidate's boom operates upon the time lock principle.

The Beacon Journal's attention is respectively directed to the fact that two Akron citizens were met yesterday at the depot by a brass band. Next time General Dick comes home he should be met by not less than two bands. The General's peerlessness must be maintained at the right parity.

Some private correspondence of David B. Hill has just been published in the form of a letter from Mr. Hill to the late Hamilton Ward, of Belmont, N. Y., dated Sept. 2, 1894. "The situation of a Democrat who desires at all times to be loyal to his party is very difficult. I am giving the matter very careful consideration and moving slowly. I was a Democrat before the Chicago convention, and am a Democrat still, very still." There may be some more still Democrats when Mr. Hill would like to command their votes.

"People who entertain the notion that there is any friction between Senator Hanna and Roosevelt should dismiss it," writes Mr. E. L. Lamson, of Ashtabula county, to his paper, the Jefferson Gazette. "The President is in consultation with Senator Hanna as much or more than with any of the senators and only recently has twice gone to Senator Hanna's residence on Lafayette Place and breakfasted with the Senator and two or three other invited guests." Breakfasts don't always stand for harmony, especially when their historian is one who is under the administration's pay.

SMALL CHECK

For a Big Sum Sent to Cornell by John D.

New York, June 20.—President Schurman of Cornell has received a check for \$250,000 from John D. Rockefeller, who offered the money ten months ago on condition that the university raise a like sum. This was accomplished.

The B. & O. R. R. Sunday train to Chippewa Falls will be discontinued on and after June 22.

Wise and Otherwise

Freckles are in season. Special session of Council this evening at 7:30.

How about Kenmore as a location for a City Hall?

Who cares for appendicitis? Hurry on the grape crop.

Days of dread approach for those afflicted with hay fever.

And that pretty field near Blue Pond might also do as a site for the City Hall.

The White City is growing, too, and may also become a candidate for the City Hall.

Grover Cleveland for President of the "reorganized Democracy." Oh, innocuous desuetude!

One class of people finds consolation in the wet weather. Fish are biting well these days.

Scythes and mowing machine cut-throats are clashing with grindstones and whetstones, preparatory to stunts in the hay field.

Sing a song of plagues, a basketful of pie, four and twenty thousand ants and bugs upon it lie.

Pretty soon, if agitation of the City Hall question keeps up, the members of the Board will feel like saying, "Oh, let us away to the sylvan shades."

Spurn not the green, sickly looking apple, because of its youth. That puny sphere may yet occupy a place among the proud of the county fair.

Why, certainly not. Those stripes and dark places on your ankles are not mysterious signs at all. Those are simply the spots where the open work comes.

All money tossed to the players of the newspaper men's club, Monday, for brilliant playing, by the spectators, will be given to deserving charitable institutions, so there need be no feelings of envy on the part of the clerks.

An Administration paper complains that Congress will adjourn and leave a lot of important work undone. It will be difficult to convince constituents that Congress left them un-done.

The people should not get alarmed Monday evening, because of the tolling of bells, blowing of whistles, and general alarms. It will only be the announcement that the newspaper men have won the "base ball game from the clerks.

PRODUCE MISERY. Her father's money made of her a "catch."

And that was patrimony. And then her mother made for her a "match."

And that was matrimony.

NOT RECORDED. When brilliant writers wield the pen they write the strongest thoughts they think.

Are never wrote, they're uttered when they stick the paste-brush in the ink.

Agnew Carnac is still on the jump among the suburban towns that want the City Hall, but has not yet reached West Hill. This delay has kept "Gus" Kasech feverish with anxiety all day, and has had a tendency to dampen the enthusiasm of the mass meeting which long ago passed resolutions demanding that the new hall be located in the Portage Park allotment, Mr. Kasechlike John P. Elkin, of Pennsylvania, refuses to be froze out, forced out, dealt out or bought out of the opinion that the hall should be located in his allotment, and he will probably be heard from at the meeting of Council this evening. Look out! "Gus" is on the warpath.

Mr. C. W. French, the paper railroad king, was seen at the Buchtel, Thursday evening, by a reporter, and the following dialogue took place:

Reporter—Anything new in the railroad business?

Mr. French—What do you want to know for?

Reporter—Might get a story.

Mr. French—I have intimated before, and want it remembered, that I don't care to talk with Akron newspaper men until the standard of their intelligence reaches the point where they can understand me.

Reporter—Sorry you have such a poor opinion of us, but say, Mr. French, how would you like it, if we were to say that we don't care to talk with you, until the standard of your intelligence reaches the point where they really will be news value in the interviews you are ordinarily so willing to give out, if you have an ax to grind?

The Cleveland papers are going for Lawyer Finch, who defeated Judge Caldwell for re-nomination for Circuit Judge. The article from the Press, published in another column, is a sample of what they are saying. It appears that Finch knew a great deal more than most people about the sinister purpose of the law which prevents workmen from redeeming title to their homes when they default in the payment of taxes, for as soon as the bill was passed he put in his application for the job of collecting the taxes. The bulk of the Cleveland tax delinquencies are in sums ranging from \$3 to \$10, showing that the oppressive operation of the law falls principally

upon workmen and the owners of little homes. Now that he is a candidate, Finch announces that he is going to let out his contract to some young lawyer. He will thus be in a position to enjoy an income from the collections, even though he is elected to the bench. The Akron Circuit is close politically, however, and property owners may not want the Circuit court turned into an annex to tax-grabbing.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Most remedies for prejudice seem to be fatal.

A thing of beauty is a joy while it continues to draw.

It costs no more to be stingy than it does to be charitable.

There is no place like the home of a young man's best girl.

Successful men have no time to go back and cover up their footprints.

Every time a lazy man looks at the clock the day becomes longer.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

It is a short journey from becoming a mother-in-law to a grandmother.

All a man has to do to learn to understand women is to learn that he can't.

When a bride and bridegroom get to playing ping-pong every night after dinner the honeymoon is pretty nearly over.

There are very few women who don't act with other women about their husbands as if they could have done better if they had wanted to.

The man who can come down to breakfast smiling has the will power to keep from saying he never knew of such a warm summer before.



GOING. Strawberries Will Soon Disappear.

CHARMING June Wedding in Richfield. Watermelons Are Working to the Front.

Well-Known Teachers Joined Hearts and Hands. Nutmeg Melons May be Had at High Prices.

A beautiful wedding was celebrated Richfield, Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Humphrey, when their eldest daughter, Miss Stella Hale Humphrey, was united in marriage to Mr. William Lewis Nida, of Gallipolis, O. About 30 of their immediate friends and relatives assembled at noon to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. P. D. Dodge, pastor of the Congregational church of Tallmadge. A profusion of roses, daisies and other cut flowers and ferns adorned the pleasant country home. A wedding breakfast was served, and the afternoon was spent in social enjoyment.

The cherry season, like the strawberry season, will probably be sabbatical, this being due to the frosts and cool weather, which ripen up fruit in a hurry, and all at once. Cherries for canning now cost from \$2.75 to \$3, but will probably become cheaper than that, the minimum figure, set by those in a position to know, being \$2.50.

Among other delicacies found in the market are Texas tomatoes, which have dropped in price about one-half in the past few days, and now cost 10 cents a quart. This will be an unusually good season for tomatoes, which are very fine. Even the hot house tomatoes, which are much the best because they are ripened on the vines, cost only 15 cents a pound, a drop of five cents from last week.

Watermelons are also here, and are sweeter and of a finer flavor than for several years past. They cost about 50 cents apiece. Nutmeg melons are also in the market and are remarkably cheap, running in price from 8 to 15 cents apiece.

The wise housewife has not only canned her strawberries, but pineapples as well, as they are running up in price at a rapid rate. Good ones now cost \$1.50 a dozen, where a week ago they could be purchased for 75 cents a dozen. There will be pineapples in the market for a couple of months to come, but they will be much more expensive, as the rushing season for them is now over.

CHAINED HIS BOY TO THE FLOOR Brutal Father Under Arrest For an Ugly Crime.

Seranton, Pa., June 20.—Edward Cranite, the 9-year-old son of Michael Cranite, who lives near Mountain lake was found by the police shackled with chains and fastened to the floor of a barn. The chains were fastened so tightly around his wrists and arms that the boy had to be taken to a black smith shop to have them loosened. The child in his legs where the steel entered his flesh are deep and ragged, and the child was weak from starvation when found.

The boy was rescued by Mrs. Dugan, agent of the Associated Charities, and Patrolman Ferry. His father had inflicted the cruel punishment on him because the lad had stolen a small bank containing a few nickels and pennies. The police say the father took the boy out in the barn, riveted chains about his ankles and wrists and fastened them to the floor of the barn with a staple. The police were notified of the boy's condition by neighbors. He had been in the barn since Saturday.

The father is under arrest. Be what nature intended you for, and you will succeed; be anything else, and you will be ten thousand times worse than nothing.—Sid. Smith.

Suggestions for the ... Vacation Man

- 1st. Suit cases, telescopes, valise and trunks. 2nd. Comfortable unlined coat with pants to match. 3rd. Straw Hat. 4th. Negligee shirts, white and colored, plaited or plain. 5th. A nice black belt. 6th. Lace work hosiery. 7th. Plenty low band collars. 8th. Assortment of neckwear.

You will find the largest assortment of all these necessities at our shop and we'll sell you the right kind too at prices compatible with your pocket books. Come in.

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We have just received a new assortment of latest patterns in

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Our assortment in all kinds of DRESS SHIRTS is the largest we ever had, and in sizes we can fit the smallest to the largest man.

- Summer Clothing: Fine nice Lightweight Suits at \$8 and \$10; Pants in fine all wool, with belt straps \$2, \$2.50, \$3; Children's Wash Suits from 50c to \$3.50.

Neckwear: You will find our store filled with the very latest styles.

Shoes: Men's and Boys' Oxford Shoes in patent leathers, vic and canvas. Prices from \$1 to \$3.50.

A large assortment of Trunks and Valises to select from at lowest prices.

Greenwood Bros. Clothing and Shoe Store Hall's Corner.

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\$2.50 Correct Styles All Sizes..

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We can show you more styles of MEN'S OXFORDS than any one in the city.

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SATURDAY...

- 100 piece decorated English ware Dinner Sets, per set \$9.98; 100 piece English Underglazed Blue Sets, per set \$11.98; 100 piece Decorated Carlsbad China Sets, per set \$15.98; 100 piece Theradore Haviland Sets, per set \$23.59.

ROGERS' Silver Knives and Forks and Spoons, Water Sets, Wine Sets and Bric-a-Brac.

- 7 Inch JARDINIER ES 9c; Rockwood Finish JARDINIERES 69c; Fancy German China Plates 9c ea; Fancy Chas. Field Haviland Plates 49c ea; Fancy Bread Plates, German China 29c ea; Fancy J. Pouyat China Cake Plate 24c ea.

Up-to-Date Wedding Presents at Bargain Prices.

- No. 2 Welsbach Mantles 15c each; Loop Mantles 7c each; Bulldog Mantles 10c each.

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Special Sale RIBBONS

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Wonderful Values in Ribbons.

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GREAT SALE OF LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS, SATURDAY

Beginning at 8 o'clock a.m. we will put on sale 200 Ladies' Unlined Wool Skirts, seams all bound, colored, black, blues, tans and greys; also a lot of Lined Skirts and Walking Skirts; manufacturers' prices were \$8.00 to \$12.50 each.

FOR SATURDAY'S SALE, \$3.98 EACH.

Note—No skirts altered or sent on approval at this price. Lot No. 2—SALE OF LADIES' SILK SKIRTS. Another lot of those handsome Silk Skirts, made of Peau-de-Sole, and good black taffeta trimmed; some have drop skirt effect; regular \$20 values—FOR THIS SALE, \$10.50.

SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' COLORED SHIRT WAISTS, SATURDAY.

100 dozen Ladies' Waists, made of the best materials; all this season's styles, regular values were \$1 to \$2 each—SATURDAY'S SPECIAL SALE, \$1.00 EACH.

SALE OF WASH GOODS, SATURDAY.

2000 yards of Fast Color Batiste, good patterns, original price was \$2.00 FOR SATURDAY, \$1 A YARD.

AT 20c a pair—Ladies' summer corsets, made of good, strong net, all sizes; equal to \$3c grade.

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