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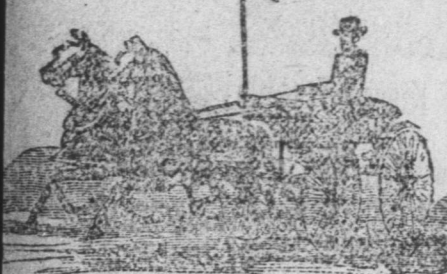
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Orange Blossoms.

Brilliant Wedding of Frank Wood and Miss Ora Catt, of This Place.

It is a pleasure that we are permitted to notice the marriage of Mr. Frank Wood and Miss Ora Catt, both well known young persons to the people of Rensselaer, which occurred at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday evening, Oct. 26th. The groom is the popular head clerk at the Chicago Bargain Store, and the bride is the modest young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Catt, and to say that event was a happy one would not be satisfactory in the least. Several days before the wedding invitations were sent to the many friends of the young couple, and on the evening of the marriage there were assembled in the spacious home of Mr. Catt over two hundred guests who had arrived to see the young couple joined in the holy bonds of wedlock, that they might start down the pathway of life, hand in hand. At 8 o'clock, the appointed hour, Miss May Ensien played the wedding march and the handsome young couple made their appearance before the gathered guests. The bride was dressed in a handsome suit of lambsdown, of the delicate shade elephant's breath, trimmed with purple velvet. She also wore a lovely bouquet of Marechal Neil roses. The groom was dressed in the usual conventional black suit. The ceremony was short but was rendered in an impressive manner by Rev. M. Wood, of Battle Ground, who is the grandfather of the groom.

Congratulations were then in order, after which an elegant lap supper was served, which of course was enjoyed by those present.

Those present from a distance were Miss Belle Lally, of Remington; George Catt, of Monon, Lee Catt and Miss Lulu Vogel, of Kentland; John Ulrey and family, George Carr and family, of Newton county.

After the lap supper had been served the evening was pleasantly spent until 11 o'clock, when the guests departed for their homes, wishing the bride and groom all the joy and happiness that was within their power.

We append a list of presents, among these were many that were both useful and handsome, and which the young people will remember for many a day.

The Citizens State Bank.

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Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office at John A. Knowlton's, in Jordan township, on the fourth Saturday of each month for the transaction of business connected with the duties of Trustee.

JAMES H. CARR,
Trustee Jordan Township.

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De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cures ulcers.
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Mark Twain's Latest.

A magazine is usually satisfied with one strong feature for the month. The Cosmopolitan, however, presents for November no less than five very unusual ones. William Dean Howells gives the first of the letters of the traveler, who has been visiting this country, from Altruria. We have read Mr. Howells' impression of the Altrurian; but in this first letter we have the Altrurian's impressions of New York, with some comments upon our government and society, calculated to awaken the most conservative minds. The second feature of The Cosmopolitan is the portion of the magazine given up to color work, no less than ten superb color illustrations being presented for the first time in magazine history, accompanying an article by Mrs. Roger A. Pryor on "Changes in Woman's Costumes." The third feature is "American Notes," by Walter Besant, who was recently in America and is doing the United States for The Cosmopolitan a la Dickens. The fourth feature is an article by General Badeau on "The Forms of Invitation Used by the English Nobility." The article is illustrated by the facsimile of cards to the Queen's drawing room, to dinner at the Princess of Wales, and to many leading houses of England. Finally, we have a new and very curious story by Mark Twain, called "The Esquimaux Maiden's Romance." It is in his happiest vein and is illustrated by Dan Beard. The November number presents the work of many artists, among whom are C. S. Reinhart, Otto Guillonnet, J. H. Harper, G. Hudson, Franz von Lenbach, George Wharton Edwards, F. Schuyler Matthews, Dan Beard, W. L. Sontag, Jr., F. G. Atwood, C. Hirschberg, J. Habert-Dys, August Franzen, Louis J. Read, J. N. Hutchins and Hamilton Gibson.

Short Talk.

In this country there are more women practicing medicine than any other profession.

"Adirondacks" is an Indian word meaning "wood eaters," and was a term applied in derision to a defeated Indian tribe driven to the mountains by the Iroquois, and forced to live there on bark and berries.

The ordinary folding fan is supposed to have been invented in Japan, in the seventh century, by a native artist, who derived the idea from the way in which the bat closed its wings.

The merchants of Norfolk, Va., say that this season has been the slowest for the peanut market that they have had for years. Thousands of bushels of stock are stored, with no demand, and it is only a few weeks before the new crop is ready for the market.

STRENGTH AND HEALTH.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "LaGrippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on liver, stomach and kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with sick headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. The trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50 cents, at F. B. Meyer's drug store.

A Minnesota farmer who permitted his boys to plant three acres of potatoes to get a little money for themselves, has found that they have more money in pocket therefrom than he has from a sixty acre field of wheat. Still the regulation farmer will doubtless stick to the sixty-acre wheat field and 60 cent wheat, while potatoes bring a dollar a bushel, creamery butter thirty cents and chickens fifteen cents a pound.—Exchange.

The Momenoe (It.) Press is going to give a free trip to Denver, Col., to the most popular lady teacher in Kankakee county, a gold watch to the most popular pupil and a sewing machine to the most deserving widow. The subscribers get free votes to determine the results.

The railroads running into Chicago, certainly reaped a harvest in the passenger business. It seemed as if all of them were tried to their utmost capacity and the fewness of accidents was remarkable, certain.

Halloween.

We doubt if there are but few persons who know the ancient origin of this peculiar event, and often are we asked as to where it takes its name. From what we can learn Halloween, or Hallow Even, is the name properly given to the eve or vigil of All Hallows, or festival of All Saints, which being the 1st of November; Halloween is the 31st of October. In England it was long customary to crack nuts, duck for apples in a tub of water, or perform other harmless fireside revelries. While the same thing can be said of Scotland, the Halloween ceremonies of that country partook more of a superstitious character; taking, among rustics, the form of a charm to discover who should be his or her partner for life. Of these now exploded customs the best summary is that contained in Burns' well known poem "Hallowe'en." Things take quite a different aspect in this country. In former years practical jokes predominated and some of them were simply outrageous. Fences were built across roads and streets, signs pulled down and removed to other parts of town, gates stolen, vehicles run into mill ponds and streams of water, and numerous other foolish practices. But in former years the custom heretofore is dying out and it is only the younger boys that do any devilment, which is usually of a minor character.

Hints from the Post Master.

When you call at the office for your mail, and the postmaster hands it out, ask him if that is all.

If you ask for mail and he tells you there is none, tell him there ought to be, then go home and send the rest of the family around to ask at different times through the day.

Don't bring your mail to the office until the mail closes, then curse the postmaster for not opening the main bag and putting your letter in.

When you want a stamp on your letter, tell the postmaster to put it on; if he don't like it, lick him. In case you put it on yourself, soak it in your mouth long enough to remove the mucilage; it will then stick until it is dry.

Be sure and ask the postmaster to credit you for stamps; if he has any accommodation about him he will do it.

If you have a box, stand and drum on it until the postmaster hands out your mail; it makes him feel good, especially if he is waiting on somebody else.—Ex.

How's This?

We will club the PILOT with the Cosmopolitan Magazine for \$2.35 per year; McClure's Magazine, \$2.25; Harper's Monthly, \$4.25; Harper's Weekly \$4.50; Housekeeper, \$1.75; Burlington Hawkeye, \$1.85; Detroit Free Press, \$1.85; Cincinnati Gazette, \$1.85; American Agriculturist, \$2.25; American Breeder \$1.95; American Tribune, \$1.90; Arena, \$5.00; Art Amateur, \$4.60; Arthur's Home Magazine \$1.90; Atlantic Monthly, \$4.50; Ballou's Magazine, \$2.10; Toledo Blade, \$1.95; Laramie Boomerang, \$2.60; Century Magazine, \$4.75; Dairy World, \$1.75; Cincinnati Enquirer, \$1.95; North American Review, \$5.50.

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During the prevalence of the Grippe the past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial Bottles at Meyer's drug store.

"Dannie" Carr, one of the best known conductors on the Monon, died at his home in Lafayette Thursday of last week, of congestion of the lungs. We doubt if there was a man on the road who had more friends than he, and his kind face, and courteous manner will be missed by his many acquaintances. He leaves a wife and four children.

One of the acts of late unlamented state legislature, was to amend the quail law by making it legal to shoot that kind of game only between November 10th and December 31st. According to that you can get your gun ready next Sunday week.

Smoke the Mendoza cigar.

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New machinery of the most improved pattern has been added and we are prepared to take contracts for brick and tile in any quantity. We make tile in all sizes from 3 to 12 inch, and will compete in prices with any kiln in the country. Call for prices.

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5,775 FINE IMPORTED FRENCH OPERA GLASSES, MOROCCO BODY, BLACK ENAMEL THIMBLES, GUARANTEED ACHROMATIC.....	28,875 00
23,100 IMPORTED GERMAN BUCKHORN HANDLE, FOUR BLADED POCKET KNIVES.....	23,100 00
115,500 ROLLED GOLD WATCH CHARM ROTARY TELESCOPE TOOTH PICKS.....	57,750 00
115,500 LARGE PICTURES (14x28 inches) IN ELEVEN COLORS, for framing, no advertising on them.....	28,875 00
251,030 PRIZES, AMOUNTING TO.....	\$173,250 00

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To THE PARTY sending us the greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS from this county we will give.....1 GOLD WATCH.

To THE FIVE PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each, 1 OPERA GLASS.....5 OPERA GLASSES.

To THE TWENTY PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 POCKET KNIFE.....20 POCKET KNIVES.

To THE ONE HUNDRED PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 TOOTH PICK.....100 TOOTH PICKS.

To THE ONE HUNDRED PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 LARGE PICTURE IN ELEVEN COLORS.....100 PICTURES.

Total Number of Prizes for this County, 226.

CAUTION.—No Tags will be received before January 1st, 1894, nor after February 1st, 1894. Each package containing tags must be marked plainly with Name of Sender, Town, County, State, and Number of Tags in each package. All charges on packages must be prepaid.

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A list of the people obtaining these prizes in this county will be published in this paper immediately after February 1st, 1894.

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