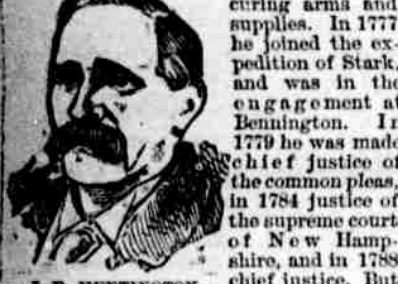


ONE OF THE SIGNERS.

JOSEPH BARTLETT TO HAVE A MONUMENT.

Will be Located at Amesbury, Mass., and is the Gift of Jacob R. Huntington.

Joseph R. Huntington has presented a beautiful statue of Josiah Bartlett, signer of the Declaration of Independence, to the town of Amesbury, Mass.



JOSEPH BARTLETT'S MONUMENT.

of very great prominence and influence. He was born at Amesbury Nov. 21, 1729, and after obtaining a good academic education studied medicine, and began to practice at Kingston, N. H.

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REAL ESTATE OXYGEN.

Something in the Atmosphere That Makes Chicago People Buy Real Estate.

Talking with a broker on the question of trade and weather he gave expression to some very peculiar ideas, for this same broker, though prominent on the street and very successful, has a wonderful imagination, and frequently expresses himself in the most visionary manner.

On this occasion he said: "I can tell you what the trouble is; it's the air for a dead certainty. I have watched this market for years, and have seen some queer things. Under ordinary circumstances rain and snow have their effect upon the real estate market, but there are times when they do not, and you ever read Dr. Ox's experiment? He way the chap, you know, Jules Verne writes about as having stirred up the quiet little Dutch burg and not being going old residents in commotion by the aid of oxygen.

Well, I want to tell you that in a minor form that very thing is transpiring around us every once in a while. There is certainly something in the air that makes people buy real estate. I feel it very quickly. The moment I get out of bed some mornings it seems as though I could not get up without going to the market to buy some of that suppressed eagerness to buy cars and substitute them. I fairly have a craving to buy land.

Well, as sure as shooting, when I reach the office I find a red ribbon among the clerks that is unusual, and I also notice that people begin to flock in. They do not struggle in, one at a time, and go out almost immediately, but they crowd the office and they buy lots, too, and when they do finally leave it is with a sort of hungry look at the maps and plats as though they wanted more. You can laugh and think I am a crank, but I tell you it's a fact, all the same. Why, I attended an auction sale of lots one day when I had this 'bunch' to buy. I tried to keep away, but I could not. Some big, bald-headed fellows, with a voice like a broken-down halloo, was acting as auctioneer, and had got the crowd in laughing humor by telling funny stories, but evidently they were not to be trifled with, for they began to howl for the sale to begin. The sale did begin, and so did a rainstorm, but it had no more effect on that crowd than a gentle breath of wind; everybody had the fever, and we all stood there in the pelting rain bidding and buying until the big chap said he was cleaned out entirely and had no more lots to sell. This atmospheric boomer comes very suddenly at times.

I remember another sale I happened to be at where the crowd, though large, seemed apathetic, laggard and lifeless; the salesman was doing his best, and was up to his eyes in a crowd of buyers, and there reaching his ear. I was leaning against a tree, as listless as the rest, when, in a twinkling, all was changed; life and animation had taken the place of lethargy, and the bids were rolling in thick and fast. I knew what it was, for I felt it sweep over me and surge through my frame like a charge of electricity—it was that electric fever which we call the real estate boom.

Millions of advertisements on Broadway. The physical virtues of men who place their heads and backs, and familiarly called sandwich men, are not the only persons who promenade as advertisements on Broadway.

Women Workers on the Continent. A sad effect of the increased armaments of the continent is to be found in the scarcity of farm hands to prepare and handle the crops.

THE ELECTRIC MOTOR.

IT IS BECOMING A FORCE IN ALMOST EVERY INDUSTRY.

Six Millions Invested in the Manufacture of Electric Motors—A Successful Railroad—Electricity in a Flour Mill—The Secret of Progress.

There are now about \$6,000,000 invested in the manufacture of electric motors in the United States, and this large investment has nearly all been made within the last three or four years.

Our readers have already been made familiar with the names of some of the towns and cities in the United States, nearly fifty in all, that have adopted the electric motor for street railway traction in preference to horses or cables.

Another field where the utility of the electric motor is soon to be illustrated on a large scale is found in the mining district of Butte, Mont.

They are building a new canal at Topeka, in Kansas. That might be a matter of no particular interest, were it not for the fact that the canal is to be worked by electric power.

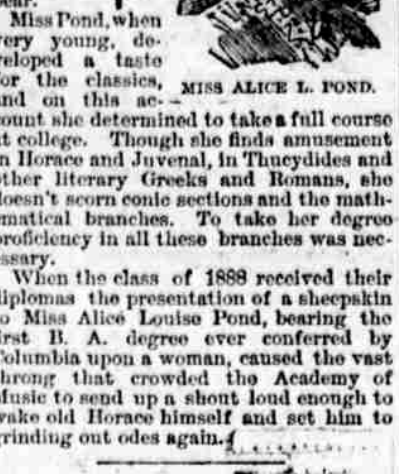
Electricity in a Mill. Away out in Laramie, Wyo. T., there is a company known as the Laramie Milling and Elevator Company.

Stroke from Electricity. Dr. Defontaine, the medical officer attached to the French frontier at Creuzot, recently treated several cases of "sunstroke" from electric friction.

MISS ALICE L. POND.

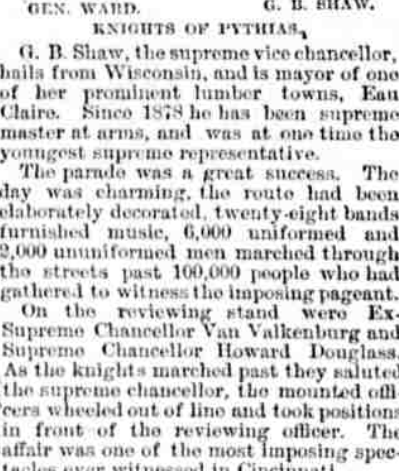
She Exhibits the Distinction of Being a "B. A." Graduate of Columbia.

Miss Alice Louise Pond is the first woman graduate of Columbia college, New York, with the degree of bachelor of arts.



MISS ALICE L. POND.

When the class of 1888 received their diplomas the presentation of a sheepskin to Miss Alice Louise Pond, bearing the name of the college, was a notable event.



WILLIAM H. DIXON.

An Eminent Railroad Man of the Broad Northwest. William Henry Dixon, the well known general manager of the Chicago and North Western.

Country Editor (to wife)—"This writin' of yours is a real gem, it kills me." "Ain't it, a nice little thing for one man, ain't it quite enough for two?"

A BACHELOR'S SECRET. I keep one precious bit of gold hidden like a miser; And not, if found by robbery, hold, But never used my own hand, And none would be the wiser.

After Six Months Abroad.

There is one part of his luggage which no American would leave in Europe, and that is his nationality. It too often happens that that is just what he does leave, and there have been weak Americans who have come home from Europe with but a slight knowledge of the language.

The Winter Cradle of China. The Chinese have a queer institution which they call the winter cradle. It is made of wood and stands on four legs.

Berlin Women Not Pretty. I referred a short distance back to a Russian opera I had heard. It was interesting because the music and the singing were so much like the Italian opera.

Cheerful Mortuary Practices. In one corner was an inclosure which contained bushels upon bushels of human bones, piled in heaps, bleaching and blistering in the sun.

A Timepiece with a History. Across the corridor from the roomy office of Secretary Whitney a narrow, carpeted room of the navy department.

But its history was not at all ordinary. It has lain for four years in an Arctic circle without receiving the slightest damage. It had been caught in the arctic wilds in 1872 by members of the ill-fated Polar expedition, and in 1876 it was found there by her majesty's ship Discovery.

I am myself so deaf that common conversation is inaudible to me when in a room where there is no other noise, but when I hear as well as any one, and when on board of railroad cars in motion I have frequently been conversing from the seat behind me that those on the seat with me could not hear.

Shortsightedness in California is attributed by some physicians to the absence of color in the country, the prevailing tint being dull brown earth. In the land of perpetual sunshine, white houses and white concrete sidewalks are said to be most injurious to the sight.

Business Methods Made Plain. The system of the nation at the present time is so simple and plain that any young boy or girl can easily master all the details of about every business.

DUFFY'S MALT WHISKY.

Composed Principally of Raw Hops and Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky.

It is a tonic and a stimulant, and is the best of all drinks for the system. It is the only one that is pure and unadulterated.

Impure Blood. Appears in a thousand different forms and causes a vast amount of suffering. Scarcely a single person is entirely free from its effects.

Hood's Sarsaparilla. From childhood I was troubled with pimples, and every remedy failed. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and I have taken five bottles and now the pimples are almost gone.

The Old Doctors. Draw blood, modern doctors cleanse it; hence the increased demand for Alternatives. It is now well known that most diseases are due, not to over-consumption, but to impurity of the blood.

Recommended. Above all others, we used it with marvelous results. The sore throat and health and strength rapidly returned.

Worth Sending For! Dr. J. H. Schenck has published a NEW AND ELABORATE BOOK ON THE TREATMENT AND CURE OF Consumption, Liver Complaint, and Dyspepsia.

ROCHESTER LAMP. Sixty Candle-Light; heats them all. Another lot of CHEAP GLASS for use in all sizes of stoves.

THE "PERFECTION" WEATHER STRIP. Metal Moulding and Rubber Cornices. Keeps them all. This strip is made of all the best materials and is the only one that is perfect.

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS AND GUNNERS. All persons are hereby notified that the land of the State of New York is now open to the public for the purpose of hunting and shooting.

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OLD HONESTY TOBACCO.

The Chewers of OLD HONESTY TOBACCO will soon find that it lasts longer, tastes sweeter than other tobacco, and will please you.

FINZER'S Old Honesty. Genuine Has a Red E Tin Tag on Every Plug.

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POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER. LADIES WHO VALUE A REFINED COMPLEXION MUST USE POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER.

Bandanna Handkerchiefs. 3, 5 and 10 Cents. ERISMAN'S, NO. 2 WEST KING ST. ATTORNEYS: KAUFFMAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, NO. 2 SOUTH PRINCE ST., LANCASTER, PA.