GREETED BY THE BLUEBIRD'S SONG

Pretty Women in Bright Costumes Throng

Down-Town Streets. TALKING POLITICS ON SUNNY CORNERS



dropped apparently from the skies, but no man is now able to see he heavens in Pittsburg and this statement must pass unnoticed. When the blue bird sings in the tree top, it is the first sure sign to the farmer that the delightful season is here. Then it is that John, the

boys able to work are routed out at 4 o'clock in the morning by the auxious granger, who scents the cool morning air as keenly as a prisoner released from long confinement. The plows, covered with dust, are brought out from the barn and made ready for use. Even the old straw hat is not forgotten in the garret, and is resurrected to



Hariningers of Spring. do service for another year. Soon the ery of the whip-poor-will is heard at night, and the pretty petals of the violets and bluets

break forth from the ground, Very Different in the City.

Alas, the picture is quite different in the ity. Husbands know that spring is here long before anybody else. They have seen signs early in March that fill their souls with foreboding. They understand full well what mean those gentle caresses from their wives, while March winds are pitilessly driving the rain and sleet against the window panes on St. Patrick's day. Bills for spring dresses and Easter bounets will soon be presented to pater-familias, and it is best to make the way to the ordeal as easy as possible

The sun crossed the vernal line some days ago, but humanity doesn't need the nid of ience to know that the season when young animals love to skip and play has arrived. The first spring bonnets and straw hats decorated with green eaves and pretty flowers were seen on Fifth avenue yesterday. The store winlows are full of Parisian and American millinery, and little cards demurely announce that this is opening day. These days, by the way, will continue for some time; the sign on the cards is never changed until the stock is sold out. Women know very well that the opening occurred several weeks ago, but that little placard has a wonderful fascination for them.

Sure Harbingers of Spring. However, this is a very ancient subject. A tellow is not much of a man who tries to



Wairin g on a Sunny Corner for a Dime. write reading at the expense of woman. But these pretty straw bonnets are as sure a harbinger of spring as the little blue bird singing to its mate in the tree top, and they

can't be overlooked.

The last two days have been most delight-The last two days have been most dengateful. The bright sunshine, in spite of the coot and smoke, brought the people down town. All afternoon the streets were crowded with women and children. Everybody was happy, and the healthy glow in their faces indicated perfect health. How a few pleasant days after six months of rain, a little snow and much cold revive the

irooping spirits of mortals.

The old political wheel horses deserted the saloen and the City Hall corridors yes-terday, and they could be seen standing on the corners, or leaning against posts, discussing the best means to be adopted to save the country. Of course, this is always supposed to be the high aim of politicians, or else why do they struggle so hard to elect

SPRING'S GAY ENTRY. this man or push that piece of legislation? The good citizen will wish it were so. "Ah," remarked an old man, as he stopped an, remarked an old man, as he stopped to greet a friend, "this is a beautiful spring day." All winter he had nursed limbs racked with rheumatism, and the temporary relief from pain made him happy. He was glad to take a short walk, the first he had had in many months.

The One Season for the Old. "This is the only season of the year I en-joy any more," he continued. "The sun-shine, the bright faces of the people and the



Old-Style Politicians Warming Up.

perfect weather make me feel good. It is neither too warm nor too cold. The time for that fired feeling that we call spring feer hasn't come. In the summer the intense heat makes me weak, and the winter constantly reminds me that I am growing

You could see men flitting around yester-You could see men flitting around yesterday minus their overcoats, and ladies wore
jackets instead of the proverbial sealskin.
"This practice of throwing off the overcoat
on the first warm day," said a doctor by
way of warning, "is very foolish. The
weather is treacherous at this season of the
vear. Toward 4 o'clock in the afternoon it
begins to get chilly, and the air is not
warmed up before noon. Many a man has
contracted pneumonia or other lung troubles
by his yearning desire to doff his topcoat
too early in the spring."

Too Impatient to Walt for Northes.

Too Impatient to Wait for Spring. As the frost is still in the ground, passengers on the Pittsburg and Lake Eric Railway have during the past week been treated to the unusual sight of frozen ground being broken up and planted in onions, lettuce, etc. The gardeners are Italians. Some people suppose they are not versed in the business, but the French colony at Imperial has also taken time by the forelock in this matter. American the forelock in this matter. American gardeners forward plants in cold frames and in hot beds, but they do not think of gar-dening in the open air until the frost is out of the ground, and then they generally wait until the earth is somewhat warmed.

False Economy

Is practiced by many people, who buy in-terior articles of food because cheaper than standard goods. Surely infants are entitled to the best food obtainable. It is a fact that the Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Con-densed Milk is the best infant food. Your grocer and druggist keep it. grocer and druggist keep it.

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MARRIED, FOWHL-ROSS-On Thursday evening March 24, 1892, at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 6 Herr street, Allegheny, by the Rev. Dr. Holmes and Rev. S. J. Glass, Harry E. FOWHL and MARY ROSS.

DIED.

BAKEWELL-Mrs. ANN P. BAKEWELL, widow of the late John P. Bakewell, in her

87th year.
Funeral services on Sunday afternoon, at 3:30, at 334 Ridge avenue, Allegheny. Private burial at later hour. BELLES—On Friday morning, March 25, 1892, at 4 o'clook, Martha Virginia, infant daughter of Victor V. and Mary Eckley Belles, aged 3 months and 12 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her

grandmother, 132 Jackson street, Allegheny, on Saturday apternoon at 3 o'clock. Inter-CRISWELL—On Friday, March 25, 1892, at o'clock A. M., ANN CRISWELL, wife of Henry Priswell.

Funeral services at the family residence, No. 627 Wylie avenue, Pittsburg, on Sunday AFTERNOON, March 27, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to at-

DAVIS—In Ontario, Cal., Tuesday, March 22, 1892, NANNIE J. PAUL, wife of John C. Davis, of this city. DUER-At the residence of Harvey D. Hosack, Blairsville, Pa., on Friday, March 25, 1892, at 3:30 P. M., SUSAN DUER, in the Sist year of her age.

FOLEY—On Friday morning, March 25, 1892, at 4 o'clock, John Foley, in the 63d year of his age.

Funeral will take place from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Brown, Watt street, near Wylie avenue extension, on Monday Morning at 9 o'clock. High mass at St. Bridget's R. C. Church. Friends of the faut.

Bridget's R. C. Church. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. FREEBORN—On Thursday, March 24, at 12:05 r. M., James Paul, voungest son of Thomas and Mary Ann Freeborn, aged 6 months 18 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, No. 94
Twenty-sixth street, Southside, on Saturabay, March 26, at 2 r. M. Friends of the fam-

fly are respectfully invited to attend. FROST-On Friday, March 25, 1892, at 11 a. m., Wallac J. Frost, in the 37th year of his

Services at his late residence, 2227 Sarah street, Southside, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at 7:30 o'clock. Interment at Uniontown Monday. please copy.)

GARDNER—On Friday, March 25, 1892, at 3:30 a. M., Alfred Orlando, son of William H. and Isabella T. Gardner, aged 20 years 11 months and 7 days. Funeral from family residence, 63 Grant alley, Allegheny, on Sunday, March 27, 1892, at 3 P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend

[Burton papers please copy.] GERST-On Thursday, March 24, at 11 P. M. PREMINS GERST, aged 35 years. Funeral will take place Sunday, March 27, at 3 P. M., from his late residence, 26 Itin street, Allegheny, at 3 P. M. Members of the St. George Ritter and friends of the family are invited to attend.

GRIM-On Thursday, March 24, 1899, at 4 a. M., Frank R. Grim, in his 48d year. KETTENBURG—At Edgrewood, P. R. R., on Thursday, March 24, at 12 M., G. W. KETTENBURG, aged 51 years 7 months 3 days, formerly of 1111 Penn avenue, Pittsburg.
Funeral services will be held at his late residence on Locust street, Edgewood, on SUNDAY, March 27, at 2:30 P. M. Interment

KUHLMAN—At the family residence, No. 4 Manhattan street, Allegheny, on Thursday, Maren 24, 1892, at 4:25 P. M., C. F. Kuhlman, in his 54th year.

MACRUM—At Rockland College, Nyack,
N. Y., on Wednesday evening, March 23, 1892,
at 6:35 o'clock. of typhoid pneumonia, Nora,
youngest daughter of the late David S, and
Sarah E. Glyde Macrum, aged 19 years. Funeral services at the chapel of H. Sam-March 26, at 11 o'clock. Interment private Allegheny Cemetery.

MAXWELL—On Thursday, March 24, 1892, at 4:15 P. M., Mrs. Jane B. Maxwell, of Crafton, in the 72d year of her age.
Funeral services at No. 107 Arch street, . Interment private.

Allegheny City, on SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock P. OBERLIN-At Emsworth, on Friday morning, March 25, at 745 o'clock, of diphtheria, Christine Elizabeth, only daughter of F. P. and Maggie Oberlin, aged 1 year 11 mouths.

[McKeesport papers please copy.] POTTS-On Friday, March 25, at 2:45 P. M., CAROLINE, wife of Robert Potts, aged 52 years and 10 months. Funeral from her late residence, 5810 Broad treet, East End, Pittsburg, on MONDAY

March 28, at 2 P. M. Interment at Uniondale Cemetery, Allegheny City. RATTELMAN—On Thursday afternoon, March 24, 1892, at 5 o'clock, Milton A. Rat-Telman, son of Tillie and William Rattel-man, and grandson of Adam Weidman, aged 5 months and 4 days.

Funeral from family residence, No. 131 Sixteenth street, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON at o'clock. Friends of the family are respect

fully invited to attend. VENN-On March 24, 1892, at 8:45 A. M., JOHN FRANCIS VENN, M. D., aged 40 years 11 months and 23 days. Funeral from his late residence, 340 Taylor street, Sixteenth ward, Bloomfield, on Sun-

DAY, March 27, at 1:30 P. M. Friends of the fam-ily are respectfully invited to attend. 2 WALCH—On Wednesday, March 23, 1892, at 11:30 p. m., Julia, wife of Henry C. Walch and daughter of Frederick and Mary Wientge. WARDEN—On Thursday evening, March 24, at 7:15, at the family residence, Sewickley, in her 25:h year, BESSIE FLEMING, Widow of the late John B. Warden and daughter of the late Joseph Fleming.

WHITED—On Friday evening, March 25, 1892, at 5:45 o'clock, LIZZIE A. WHITED, in the 58th year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence, 182 Fulton street, Allegheny, at 1 P. M., SUNDAY,

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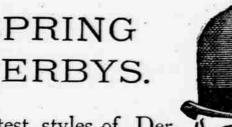
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