

WHITNEY'S WEEKLY BUDGET OF NEWS

FARMER REARDON'S ADVENTURE WITH "KITTY."

John Tarbox Has a Lively Time with an Eagle Near Montrose—Funeral of John Kane—Susquehanna Men Return from the Gold Fields of Klondike—Told in a Line or Two.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune. Susquehanna, Dec. 12.—Several days ago, Farmer Reardon, while passing through a thicket near Pleasant Mount, saw what he supposed was an ordinary cat climbing some small tree, about ten feet away. Reardon says that he thought the cat was unusually large, and that its eyes had an unusually-ely glitter in them, but thinking by its cries that it was in pain he approached it and began calling, "KITTY, KITTY, come, KITTY! KITTY, come, KITTY! KITTY, come, KITTY!"

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Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints. When a man's coat is threadbare it is easy to pick a hole in it. Don't believe all the tombstones say. In too many cases, the man lies below and his monument lies above. A wise man ought to hope for the best, be prepared for the worst, and bear with equanimity whatever may happen.

THE NEWS RECORDED. Richard M. Brown, a pioneer resident of Oakland borough, died on Sunday, aged ninety-nine years and six months. He is survived by several children. The funeral will occur on Wednesday afternoon from the Oakland Methodist church, Rev. D. L. Sutherland, pastor of the Susquehanna Presbyterian church, officiating. The remains were interred in the McKane cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGED BY DIRECTORS OF THE HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL. The directors of Hahnemann Hospital thankfully acknowledge the receipt of the following donations for the month of November: Mrs. W. T. Smith, old muslin, ten sheets; Mrs. C. D. Jones, quantity muslin; Mrs. Ellinger, reading matter; Mrs. E. A. Clark, twenty jars canned fruit, one piece muslin; Mrs. London bed pan; Mrs. Fritz, clothing; Mrs. H. M. Boies, door mat, ham, potatoes, apples, coffee, tea, oranges, chickens; Mrs. Walter S. Collins, pajamas; Mrs. C. B. Derrman, old muslin; Mrs. Geo. B. Smith, muslin, twelve sheets; Mrs. Katho, reading matter; Mrs. E. H. Tracy, case tomatoes; Misses McKenna, night gowns, grapes, pears, jelly; pupils of Kindergarten and school of the Misses Gilmore, cranberries, apples, grapes, oranges, nuts, walnuts, coal, beans, peas, jelly, cocoa, chickens; Mrs. J. A. Robertson, grapes, apples, old muslin, ice cream; Miss Mulley, old muslin; Miss Mary Farrell, fifty-cent; Mrs. E. B. Jermyn, turkey, corn, tomatoes, egg plant, celery, potatoes; Mrs. E. Robinson, grapes, oranges; Mrs. Wm. P. Halstead, turkey, cranberries; Mrs. C. H. Welles, oranges, onions, cranberries; Mr. Armbrust, turkey; Mrs. Henry Bellin Jr., cranberries, oranges, butter, fourteen sheets; Mrs. E. L. Fuller, old muslin; Mrs. N. G. Robertson, celery; E. G. Courter, turkey; Mrs. Broome, old linen; Mrs. T. E. Jones, twelve sheets; Mrs. George Jermyn, six sheets; six pillow cases; Mrs. T. H. Watkins, piece muslin, oranges; Mrs. J. A. Price, piece muslin; Temple Iron Company, car load coal; Miss Rita Platt, \$5.

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PALMISTRY DEPARTMENT.

Arrangements have been made with the distinguished young palmist, Martini, whereby readers of The Tribune will be allowed the benefit of free readings of the hand. Martini will answer in the columns of The Tribune questions which may be asked according to directions below, and will give the answers in following issues as soon as possible after the questions have been received.

- 1. What sickness is there to come to my life and if so, when?
2. What I best adapted for?
3. When will I marry?
4. Will my marriage be a success or failure?
5. How often will I marry?
6. How large a family will I have?
7. Will I die wealthy or poor?
8. Will I travel or go abroad?
9. Should I make any changes in business?

YOUR QUESTION OR QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED EITHER UNDER YOUR FULL NAME INITIALS OR NOM DE PLUME. HOW TO TAKE AN IMPRESSION. Directions for making an impression of your hand: Place a small piece of gum camphor upon a saucer and ignite the same with a match, or use an oil lamp. (Remove cloth, etc.)

Answers to Questions. Chauncey asks the following questions: What am I best adapted for? Will I become wealthy? When will I die? This palm contains a nice sloping head line, fingers slightly conic; would succeed in literary or journalistic work; will become rich, but result of own efforts.

W. A. S. asks the following questions: When will I marry? What am I best adapted for? Should I make Will I travel or go abroad? This palm would indicate marriage before 25; is the hand of a successful business man; has courage; If past 35 a change in business would be successful.

Grace Gilligan asks the following questions: When will I marry? Will I travel? Will my marriage be a success or failure? This impression does not show a marriage line. However, the line of influence of the opposite sex would show an opportunity as to marriage close to 25. The fate line tells of troubles in marriage at 35, beyond that happy; will travel a good deal late in life.

Bob White asks the following questions: What am I best adapted for in my life? When will I marry? Will I die wealthy or poor? This palm would indicate a person that is likely to suffer from such as dyspepsia, kidney or bladder trouble. Marriage is shown before 35; is a favorite and much admired by the opposite sex; will amass wealth before 50.

CHRISTMAS DINNER FOR POOR. Salvation Army Is Making Arrangements for It. The Salvation Army throughout the states are making great preparations for the feeding of the poor on Christmas Day. In New York city they intend feeding 20,000, the Madison square garden having been engaged for the occasion. Philadelphia will feed 6,000, Pittsburg, 2,000; Baltimore, 2,000, and so on. The local corps don't intend to be behind for already appeals are out among the friends of the poor of this city asking for help to enable them to give a free dinner to 500 on Christmas Day, and quite a number of liberal response show; already been sent

in to Adjutant Yates, 108 Price street, where gifts of food, clothing or money are thankfully received for the poor dinner. It will be necessary to know what help the friends of the poor can give at once to give time for cooking, preparing, etc., as Christmas is drawing very near.

CITY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. Programme Arranged for One to Be Held Saturday. Superintendent Howell has arranged a very interesting programme for next Saturday morning's teachers' institute to be held in the high school auditorium. These institutes are to be special features of the coming winter's work and the teachers are already taking much interest in them. The following is Saturday's programme:

Talk on Attention—Miss Ormstead, of the training school. "Familiarity"—Prof. E. A. Crutenden, high school. "Art of Expression"—Miss Nettie Nov, of the high school. Shakespearean readings—Miss Nettie Heath.

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