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IN CASE OF FIRE! Ordinance No. 15, Fire Alarm Signals, section 1. The alarm gong shall be sounded only at 12 M. noon and in case of an alarm of fire. For GENERAL ALARM, the gong will sound ONE LONG BLAST...

HAPPY NEW YEAR! We take great pleasure in extending at this time, to our thousands of patrons and friends, the compliments of the season...

GOOD EVENING! (In The City). When we left our hotel to go down to business, Tuesday morning, we were too sick to look at the thermometer. We didn't stay at the office very long either.

GOOD MORNING! (On The Farm). "Mother, what kind of a hat am I going to get to go to Bermuda?" Let's see, Mary dear, what "The Countrywoman's Fashion Journal" has to say about it?

"The Passing Of The Third-Floor Back." "I think the milk will bear a little more water."—Mrs. Sharpe, Landlady to Stasia, Slavey.

"Women are so wilful and you kind hearted ones are the worst of all."—"The Passerby" to the "Landlady."

"This world ain't all Jacks and Jills in a story book."—Stasia.

"The meeting-place of friends is in the heart."—"The Passerby."

"The business of Art is to reveal the Beauty underlying all things."—"The Passerby."

"It's a wicked world."—"The Painted Lady."

"Yes, you may well say that, but it don't get any better."—"The Passerby."

"What's the good of ourselves to ourselves or anybody else?"—Stasia, Slavey's Pessimistic Philosophy, Before Meeting "The Passerby."

Comments On The Play. "Oh I like it!" "He's very good!"

"Awfully overdrawn!" "After I've seen such a good play, I'm going to get breakfast to-morrow morning!"

Poor Spectator—(whose view of the stage was shut off by a lusus naturae). "My, she had a head of hair a foot and a half long behind her!"

Hon. Charles E. Terry, President Judge of Wyoming County, and Hon. Frank P. Kimble, Esq., Democratic "possibility" (or shall we say "aspirant?") for the coveted prize in Wayne county, occupied the same box at the Lyric Theatre, Wednesday evening.

POEM OF WHITTIER, YOUTH, GAINS LIGHT. Biographer Finds 300 Verses Written by New Englander Before He Was 25 Years Old.

A Boston, Mass., special of Thursday says: Poems written by John Greenleaf Whittier under the nom de plume of "Feramorz," and never recognized as his until the originals were found a few days ago in the poet's old homestead in Amesbury by his biographer, Mr. Samuel T. Pickard.

Mr. Pickard says he has found three hundred poems written by Whittier under his own name before he was twenty-five years old and that many of them have never been printed.

Mr. Pickard lives in the Whittier home. He said: "Whittier was a gay, lively young Quaker up to his twenty-fifth year. At that period of his life the whole tone of his writings changed."

Not His Style. "I thought you said the colt could win in a walk?" "Well, they went and entered him in a running race."

TOASTED ENGLISH MUFFINS. How to Make Them in the True British Fashion. Toasted English muffins are highly enjoyed for breakfast and for tea.

Down in a Coal Mine. To the ear accustomed to the constant sound of a living world the stillness of a coal mine, where the miles of crosscuts and entries and the unyielding walls swallow up all sounds and echo is a silence that is complete but as one becomes accustomed to the silence through long hours of solitary work sounds become audible that would escape an ear less trained.

The Title "Esquire." The title "esquire" is derived from the French word escuyer (a shield bearer) and originated in the old days of chivalry, when, as is well known, each knight appointed one or more persons of gentle birth to carry his shield and perform other honorable services.

Supervision Orchards. Demonstrations of Profitable Fruit-Raising Will be Made at These Places.

Wishing you one and all a Happy New Year, Yours for prompt attention ROWLAND, Jeweler.

CITIZEN CHUCKLES! A Wise Precaution. "Mr. Grimes," said the rector to the vestryman, "we had better take up the collection before the sermon this morning."

Only a Summer Dog. A little boy was entertaining the minister the other day until his mother could complete her toilet.

Once Was Enough. "Did you ever," said one preacher to another, "stand at the door after your sermon and listen to what people said about it as they passed out?"

An Exception to the Rule. "Oh, yes, Tommy," said the teacher, "if you have a dog you are the owner of a quadruped."

Danny's Weakness. "Will, Missus Mulcahy, Oi see the papers Danny's been discharged from the plintin'chery," observed Mrs. O'Hooligan.

Blunders of the Clergy. At a social evening at the home of a local merchant recently the conversation turned to the subject of "breaks" made in downtown churches, where the members of the congregation never became fully acquainted with everybody else.

LOVELY COMPLEXION A CLEAR SKIN AND BRIGHT EYES ARE EASY TO GET. All the beauty creams in creation won't improve your complexion if your stomach is out of order.

WE WISH TO WEXTEND our many friends and Patrons our heartiest thanks for their liberal patronage during the Christmas season.

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Reflections of a Spark Plug. A chauffeur, in the abstract, is any chap that drives an automobile. In the concrete, he is the person whom you pay to let you ride in the tonneau.

And The Next Day It Snowed! She entered the room hastily. He was waiting for her.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY. as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces.

NOTICE! —The annual meeting of stockholders of Milanville Bridge Company will be held at the office of Mr. T. J. Fromer on Monday, Jan. 2, 1911, at ten o'clock.

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"What are you studying about? What have you decided?" "I think I'll have to fill two of your teeth," he said, quietly. The rest are all right. You have taken better care of them than most women do."—Life.

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