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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

There are seven chieftain factories in Michigan, with an aggregate capital of \$175,000.

Date palms brought in from Africa are thriving in Arizona and southern California.

If the United States were as densely peopled as San Salvador, the smallest of American states, the population would be 350,000,000.

The cost of the water supply in Manhattan and the Bronx at its present scale is at the rate of more than \$2 per head for every one of the population.

The courthouse in Williamsburg, Va., where Patrick Henry made his famous speech on the stamp act, is still in existence. It is used for judicial purposes, and every Saturday morning petty offenders are tried there.

The sensation among mining men in the southwest is the discovery of rich anthracite coal in inexhaustible quantities. This means the development of vast mineral beds heretofore practically useless for lack of fuel.

There are about 8,000 self supporting Pueblo Indians in twenty-six villages, twenty of which have day schools, costing the United States not less than \$20,000 annually, besides the much larger sum expended upon the boarding schools.

BETWEEN THE ACTS.

Bertha Galland was born in Scranton, Pa.

Miss Maude Thomas is considered to be one of the handsomest women of the American stage.

Charles Frohman has engaged Richard Bennett for one of the brothers in "Sweet and Twenty."

An English version of Paul Hervey's new play, "L'Enigme," has been secured by Mrs. Beerholm Tree.

An Italian actor is endeavoring to found a theater in Rome for the production of old and new melodramas.

Miss Margaret Bourne, who plays the Countess of Hauterive in "The Forest Lovers," is a native of Maiden, Mass.

Carrie Behr is the soubrette of Hanlon's "Superba." She will be remembered as a prominent feature in many of the E. E. Hice productions.

Helen MacGregor, who has just been engaged to succeed Cissie Loftus as leading lady in Mr. Sothern's company, is twenty-three years old and has been on the stage for eighteen years.

TURF TOPICS.

Creseus' turf labors are nearly over. Lady Geraldine, 2:11¼, will be bred to Onward Silver next spring.

Peter Stirling, recently sold for \$9,200, is to be used as a road horse.

Hans McGregor is picked for king of the Buffalo snow path this winter.

The Gentlemen's Driving club of Peoria, Ill., will give two meetings next season—July 1 to 4 and Sept. 1 to 4.

Auntie Shucks, 2:08¼, the fastest pacing mare in Canada, is owned in London, Ont., by R. T. Barnes of the Barnes breeding stables.

Thacher Hambletonian, the veteran Michigan sire, has a new trotter this season in Alice Mack, 2:28. Her dam is by Hambletonian Charta.

James Hanley of Providence, R. I., has sold to John Splan the fast gelding Pilot Evans, 2:13¾. Mr. Splan has shipped the horse to Chicago.

The dams of Shadow Chimes, 2:06¾; The Monk, 2:08¼, and Que Allen, 2:06¾, are all owned in Austria, and all three were bred to Caid, 2:07¼, this season.

PITH AND POINT.

Every man hides his deformity. We are all caught oftener than we imagine.

When a woman acts mad because a guest doesn't stay longer, she never means it.

When you suddenly meet a man you hate, ever remark that you hope you are looking well?

Every man cuts his eyeteeth in time. He may keep his troubles to himself, but not one ever escaped.

Some women just naturally boss their husbands, while others arrive at the same result by being clinging vines.—Aetchison Globe.

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WEAR OF THE EARTH

HOW THE FACE OF OUR GLOBE IS CONTINUALLY CHANGING.

Geological Agents That Are Always Busy In Nature's Great Workshop. Where Man Has Comparatively Little Influence.

The atmosphere plays its part in geological operations. Its corroding power, backed by rain and wind, helps to decay and disintegrate those rocks which are exposed to its influence. Rain completes the work thus begun. Wind blows dust, sand and volcanic ashes over large tracts of earth—in fact, over the whole of it.

It is only of late years that geologists have discovered that fine volcanic dust is carried over the whole of the earth's surface and plays a very important part in the deep sea deposits. On deserts and nearly rainless regions blown sand will wear away the hardest rocks by beating against them. Some sandstone formations appear to have been piled up by winds.

Winds cause ocean currents, waves and storms. The great denuding power of the sea is largely due to the atmosphere. Some parts of the English coast are being rapidly washed away. Plants and animals have their distribution considerably affected by winds and ocean currents. Again, whether living in water or on land, animals live on the oxygen supplied from the atmosphere, and land plants absorb carbonic acid from the same source.

Rain acts in two ways: (1) chemically by dissolving certain substances, such as lime, out of the rocks, and (2) mechanically by wearing down their surfaces as it flows over them. Any old building—a ruined castle or cathedral, for instance—shows a "weathered" surface resulting from the action of rain and wind. In sandstone structures the details of carving are often lost, and on old tombstones the lettering can hardly be deciphered. Springs are due to rainwater collecting in rocks and rising to the surface. Rivers are fed by rains and springs.

A river is a very powerful geological agent. In the hardest rocks rivers gradually carve out a valley or gorge. This is accomplished partly by chemically dissolving certain mineral substances, but chiefly by mechanical erosion, the stones, sand and mud wearing away the bed of a stream as they run and tumble over it.

The finest examples of river action are the famous canyons of Colorado, which in some places are gorges 5,000 or even 6,000 feet deep, with vertical sides. But, as already pointed out, rivers have a constructive action quite as important as their destructive action. By bringing down their burden of sediment into lakes, estuaries and seas they build up great piles of rock and "sow the dust of continents to be."

Glaciers are rivers of ice fed by the "eternal snows" of high mountain ranges such as the Alps. They wear out their own valleys as rivers do; they transport mud, sand and stones to great distances, in some cases sending them sealed up in icebergs to float far out to sea and on melting deposit their burdens on the sea floor. Off the coast of Newfoundland northern icebergs are depositing a great mass of "glacial drift."

The sea is a great denuding agent; but its work is more constructive than destructive. It is the workshop where nearly all the stratified rocks have been accumulated and ranged in layers or strata. The rivers and ocean currents continually bring in fresh supplies of debris even for hundreds of miles.

Man, compared with the lower animals, produces but little effect as a geological agent. Still the human race has considerably modified the distribution of plants by cutting down forests and by cultivating certain plants to supply food. So with animals. Certain useful species have been cultivated and enormously increased at the expense of others which prove useless or harmful.

But plants and animals have had, and still have, far more influence geologically. Coal seams are made up of vegetable remains of former periods. Forests have an important influence on climate and on animal as well as plant life. In the comparatively unknown world of the ocean marine plants doubtless have important functions.

Marine animals accomplish a vast amount of geological constructive work. Great deposits thousands of feet thick owe their existence to small calcareous creatures living in the sea. Coral reefs afford the most familiar illustration.

The force known as heat is of great importance. The earth is hotter below the surface and probably has a very high temperature toward its center. In some places not very far below its surface it contains highly heated rock, which occasionally flows over the surface during volcanic eruptions. In other places we find hot springs in connection with volcanic action.

Heat exercises a powerful influence on rocks deeply buried below the earth's surface, chiefly by means of heated water and steam. In this way rocks have been very much altered or "metamorphosed." The crystalline schists have thus been brought to their present state by a series of chemical changes due to heat, and there is no doubt that they were once ordinary deposits of clay, sand, etc.—Hutchinson's "Autobiography of the Earth," the Appleton Company.

An Unreliable Guide.
 Freddy—Ma, according to my appetite it must be near dinner time.
 Mamma—Yes, but your appetite is usually fast.—Judge.



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Tigers Ball

Krell's Opera House

New Year's Eve

PLEASURE.

December 27 to 28.—Fair of the Tigers Athletic Club at Krell's opera house.

December 27.—Fair at Eckley Catholic church.

December 29.—Entertainment under the auspices of Young Men's Corps at Grand opera house. Admission, 10 and 15 cents.

December 31.—Twelfth annual ball of Tigers Athletic Club at Krell's opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

January 13 to 18.—Fair of Loyal Castle, No. 65, A. O. K. of M. C., at Krell's opera house.

January 31.—Joint ball of Citizens' Hose Company and Fourth Ward Fire Company at Krell's opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

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Another pie was made of doves and bore a wonderful representation of Noah's ark in its center, while round the edge were placed figures of every created thing. A key went with this pie in order that it might be determined what these figures were intended to represent.

Upon the crust of these wonderful pastries appeared the tableaux of Abraham sacrificing Isaac, David slaying Goliath, the ravens feeding Elijah, Samson tearing open the jaws of the lion, and the last and most wonderful of all the pies when opened was found to contain four living birds, which all began to sing.

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6 12 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.
 7 34 a m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Pottsville and Scranton.
 8 15 a m for Hazleton, Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Delano and Pottsville.
 9 30 a m for Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.
 11 42 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Pottsville.
 11 5 a m for White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and the West.
 4 44 p m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Pottsville.
 6 35 p m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points West.
 7 29 p m for Hazleton.

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7 34 a m from Pottsville, Delano and Hazleton.
 9 12 a m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah and Mt. Carmel.
 9 30 a m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
 11 51 a m from Pottsville, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Delano and Hazleton.
 12 48 p m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Philadelphia, New York, Hazleton, Delano, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Pottsville.
 4 44 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
 6 35 p m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Delano and Hazleton.
 7 29 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

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 Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomlinson and Deringer at 6 00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8 03 a m, 4 22 p m, Sunday.
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