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TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice of changes must be left at this office not later than Monday noon. The copy for changes must be left not later than Wednesday noon. Casual Advertisements accepted up to noon Thursday of each week.

Local Notices.
All advance notices in the local columns of THE SIGNAL of meetings or entertainments at which an admission fee is charged, or from which a pecuniary benefit is derived, must be paid for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, no charge less than twenty-five cents. Where advertisements of entertainments are inserted a brief local will be given free.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Removed—Mrs Mackay.
Testimonials—J. M. McLeod.
Bulls for Sale—J. T. Dickson.
The Deserter—S. O. O'Brien.
Excursion Notice—E. Campbell.
Our Quack Chat—S. J. Saunders & Son.
Prescription Work—W. C. Goodie.
Tenders Wanted—Thos. Hawkins.
House and Lot for Sale—Robert Reid.
North American Life Assurance Co.—F. J. T. T.
Notice of Assignment and Meeting of Creditors—Geo. B. Meadows.

BORN.

STARKS—At Goderich, February 10th, the wife of Robert A. Starks, a son.

MARRIED.

MORRIS—McWHINNEY—In Coburne, on Wednesday, Feb 12th, Miss Emma McWhinney, of Coburne, to Mr. Frank Morris, of Wheatland, Dakota.

DIED.

COLE—In Goderich, Monday, Feb 10th, 1890. Aged 45 years. Beloved wife of Mr. Harvey Cole.

TOWN TOPICS.

"A child's among ye, takin' notes, An' faith he'll print 'em."

A GOOD PRESENT.—The most useful gift you can make is to give a Writ Pen to D. McMillan, agent, Goderich.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meet in the basement of North-st. Meth. church every Tuesday afternoon. Prayer meeting at 7:30, business meeting at 8.

If you want a fine photograph, framed in handsome moulding, at a reasonable rate, go to Geo. Stewart's picture studio. He can suit you every time with his beautiful assortment of picture frames.

Mr. R. Sallows is doing a brisk business in photographing in town. He has a large stock of elegant artotypes and handsome picture mouldings, the latter of which he fits with great neatness.

According to the signs of Candlemas Day, spring will be upon us at an early date. Morning frosts will be followed by a thaw, and the best goods and in the latest style. He has a large stock to select from.

That people will buy even during dull times, if they get bargains, was fully exemplified, as the result of the quiet chat of Saunders and Son with their patrons in our last issue, and will paper moved off freely. They have some further bargain talk in our present issue on page eight. Read every line and when you are down town for your mail call in and see them. They are next door to the post office, and will be pleased to show you goods, and quote prices. This is the last year of their partnership and they are going to reduce stock.

BRIEFLETS.

Today is St. Valentine's Day.
Mr. J. T. Garrow, Q. C., is in Toronto this week.
Mr. R. Radcliffe made a visit to London this week.
Mr. Abraham Smith left on Tuesday on a trip to Chicago.
Mr. Geo. Swanson, jr., left yesterday for British Columbia.
Mrs. Thos. Andrews left on Wednesday last to visit her daughter, Mrs. Perry, at St. Thomas.
Mrs. E. H. Hodgson, who had been visiting friends in town, returned to Hamilton on Wednesday.
Mr. Jas. Addison left on Monday for Toronto, where he has business at the Public Works Department.
The regular fortnightly meeting of the High School Literary Society will be held this (Friday) evening.
Mr. Geo. B. Cox, of the British Exchange Hotel, is having his reading room neatly papered and calicoined.
Mrs. H. H. Smith, of Winnipeg, left town on Wednesday to visit Clinton, Toronto and other points before returning home.
Mr. O. A. Mountney desires us to state that the rumor that his family has been afflicted with diphtheria is entirely without foundation.
The number of registrations by the town clerk for the town of Goderich in 1889 is as follows:—Births, 51; marriages, 25; deaths, 35; total, 111.
Dr. M. Nicholson, the West-end dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a. m. for the painless extraction of teeth.
Miss A. Trainor, of Chicago, who has been visiting the Misses Rabson for some time past, left on Monday last for London, where she will make a stay before proceeding home.
A large number of ladies and gentlemen from Goderich attended the ball in Clinton last Friday evening. We understand that the belle of the evening was a fair mademoiselle of Goderich.
County clerk Adamson the other day was nearly a victim of the furious driving around the Square indulged in by a few "sports." What's the matter with the town bylaw prohibiting "his practice?"

Imperial Parliament met Tuesday. Mr. Wm. Halliday, of Calgary, N. W. T., is visiting friends in town.
Miss Maud Rutson left this week to pay a visit to friends in Stratford.
Miss Emma Campbell is at present visiting friends in Goderich township.
Mr. and Mrs. Warnock have arrived in Goderich after spending a pleasant time in the Southern States.
A number of our young men took advantage of the ice this week, notwithstanding its frailty, and to all appearances had a good time.
Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Lozette, 237 Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus free, as advertised in another column.
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SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—The special religious services in Victoria church are increasing in interest. Mr. Hutton informs us the attendance is good and a number have started in the Christian life.
The spring sittings of the Assize Court will begin in Goderich on Monday, March 31st, before Mr. Justice Street. The Chancery spring sittings will be held on Monday, April 14th, Mr. Justice Ferguson presiding.
Mr. C. F. Straubel left for Toronto on Monday last to visit his daughter, Mrs. Bastedo. He will also represent Maple Leaf Lodge, A. O. U. W., of Goderich, at the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Order in Toronto next week.
Dr. J. N. Cadieux, of New York, the renowned Franco-American orator, physician, chemist and author, will deliver three of his popular, scientific and thrilling lectures in Goderich on Feb. 23rd, 24th and 25th. Further particulars next week.

A VOICE FROM PRISON.—Chaplain Sear's lectures need a Tuesday evening in North-st. Methodist church for the people of Goderich a treat seldom enjoyed in these parts. Large and enthusiastic audiences greet him everywhere and all want to hear him again. Chair taken by the Rev. Dr. Ure at eight o'clock.

CURLING.—Although they had had little or no practice this season a couple of rinks of Goderich curlers went to Stratford on Tuesday last to compete in the bonspiel there, but they were unfortunately defeated in their first game. Their opponents were from Harriston and the score stood:—Goderich, 40; Harriston, 42.

VICTORIA STREET Y. P. S.—The Y. P. S. of Victoria-st. Methodist church are preparing for the beginning of religious services they met and elected officers for another quarter:—President, James Strong; vice-president, Minnie Reid; secretary, Miss Hamlin; treasurer, Amelia Kirkpatrick.

At the regular meeting of Huron Encampment, No. 23, I. O. O. F., Monday evening last, the following officers for the current term were duly installed by P. C. P., I. F. Toms, P. Holt and W. Knight:—C. P., P. Holt; H. P., Geo. H. Nairn; S. W., John Straton; J. W., Geo. Porter; R. S., Ross Rastall; F. S., H. W. Ball; Treas., W. H. Turney; Guilt., M. J. Proudfoot; O. Sentinel, A. Johnston; I. W., I. F. Toms; 2. W., C. A. Nairn; G. of T., W. Knight.

COMING TO GODERICH.—Of Dean's company, which will appear in the Grand Opera House on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week, the giving away many costly presents at each performance, the Sherbrooke, P. Q., *Evangelist* says:—"Dean has been drawing fine houses in the city hall during the week. As a ventriloquist and mimic Prof. Dean manifested the possession of great powers in his art and presented a clever and humorous entertainment." Don't fail to hear the king of ventriloquists.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The Y. P. S. C. E. in connection with North-st. Methodist church held its semi-annual election of officers on Friday evening last, resulting as follows:—Vice-president, Mr. Walter Pridham; secretary, Miss M. Sharmar; assistant secretary, Miss S. Campbell; treasurer, Miss Downing; organist, Miss I. Sharmar; chorister, Mr. W. Pridham. The pastor of the church is the standing president. The Society has just purchased a piano, which will be used in the Sunday school, the Society and on special occasions.

CRANES OF BUSINESS.—The firm of F. & A. Pridham has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. A. E. Pridham taking the furnishing department of the business, which he will carry on in the corner store of McLan's new block. Mr. Pridham intends to carry only the best of goods in his line, and the business will be conducted on the same sound principles and with the strict integrity and pushing enterprise that characterized the late firm. The store will be opened about March 1st.

SPECIAL MEETINGS AT THE ARMY BARRACKS.—Grand welcome meetings to Major Philpott and his A. D. C. will be held at the Salvation Army barracks next Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Feb. 15, 16 and 17. Capt. Drew and Lieut. Tracey, formerly stationed at Goderich, will be among the many officers who will take part on the occasion. A silver collection will be taken at the door at each meeting, with the exception of Monday night, when an admission fee of only 10 cts. will be charged.

McLEOD'S SYSTEM RENOVATOR is a preventive and cure for La Grippe.

Miss Williams returned from a visit to Brantford on Saturday last week.
THE HIGH SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.—Don't forget the High School entertainment on Friday, the 21st. All that have heard Mr. Clark speak in the highest terms of him as a reader, and Mrs. Clark is also winning an enviable reputation as a singer.
THE SEAGER SALE CONTINUED.—Mr. Seager's sale took place yesterday, but there was too much to dispose of in one day, and the best part of the property was not disposed of. Mrs. Seager will be at the residence today, tomorrow and Monday, from 10 a. m. to meet persons desirous of purchasing anything remaining on hand.
Owing to the serious illness of Mr. D. McMillan, editor of THE SIGNAL, during the past week, any deficiency in the get-up of the paper this issue will have to be overlooked. Mr. McMillan was taken ill on Saturday last and has not since been able to leave his room. On Wednesday he began to improve, and is now steadily mending.

NEW STEAMBOAT ACCOMMODATION.—Mr. Wm. Lee has received word that the handsome new propeller "Laura," of Cleveland, is to be placed on the Goderich route during the coming season. She has between 40 and 50 staterooms, and is first-class accommodation in every respect. Her route will take in Saginaw, Goderich, Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo, and a weekly round trip is expected to be made. Capt. Roach and Purser Marion, formerly of the "Saginaw Valley," will have her in charge.

AUCTION SALES.
All parties getting their sale bills printed at this list up to the time of sale.
Sale of valuable stock of Wm. Malloy, comprising, besides first-class horses, etc., several herds of thoroughbred short horn cattle (registered in the Dominion herd book), on his premises at Duncannon, Friday, Feb. 22nd. Also at the same time and place 37 village lots in Duncannon will be offered for sale. Jos. Malloy, auctioneer.
Sale of farm stock and implements of Mr. Thos. Precious, lot 3, Lake Range, Ashfield, 14 miles from Port Albert, on the Jas. Scott farm, Thursday, Feb. 20, at one o'clock p. m. Jno. Knox, auctioneer.

Mortgage sale of lots No. 78 on Warren-st. and No. 111 on Wilson-st., in Hutchinson's survey, Goderich, at Martin's Hotel, Goderich, on Wednesday, Feb. 19th, at 12 o'clock noon. Jno. Knox, auctioneer.

NILE.
From our own correspondent.
La Grippe has had many victims around Nile. Mrs. Cousins, who lives on the 2nd con. of Ashfield, has been very low as the result of a relapse.
Mrs. D. McNea has been very sick and is still confined to bed.
A very large number of people followed the remains of Christopher Stewart to Duncannon cemetery, last Thursday afternoon. Deep respect is tendered to the loss sustained by the Methodist church and the whole neighborhood, in the death of our aged neighbor. Much sympathy is expressed for the two children who are now motherless and fatherless. By the will of the deceased, the children are supported out of the estate till they are of age. When the daughter reaches the age of 21 she receives \$1,000. The residue goes to the son when he reaches his majority. The estate is to be sold as soon as convenient. George Burrows and James Stewart, of Goderich, are executors.

Nile church was packed Sunday evening, when the funeral sermon of Mr. C. H. Irwin for his text John, 14: 2, 3, "In my father's house are many mansions," etc.
Richard Cousins is also seriously ill with inflammation of the lungs, caused by getting wet while ill with la grippe. He is dangerously ill at present.
Miss Lucy Dodd still continues very low. She has been in Goderich for a couple of weeks, but is expected home this week.

\$2,500 Reward for a Lost Cat.
The equivalent in English money of \$2,500 was once offered by an old lady in London for the return of a favorite cat which had strayed or been stolen. People called her a "crank," and perhaps she was. It is unfortunate that one of the gentler sex should ever gain this title, yet many do. It is, however, frequently not their fault. 'Tis often functional derangements will apparently change a woman's entire nature. Don't blame such sufferers if they are "cranky," but remind them to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is an infallible remedy for "female weaknesses." It will soon restore them to their normal condition. It is warranted to give satisfaction in every case, or money paid for it will be returned.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, the original and only genuine Little Liver Pills; 25 cents a vial; one a dose.
Mr. R. Irwin, Clinton, shipped a large quantity of barley to New York last week.
Mayor Doherty, Clinton, has been offered a farm 100 acres in Dakota, with the control, in five States, of his patent organ pedal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. Contributors to this department must confine themselves to public questions, and be brief.

Food for Reflection.
To the Editor of the Signal.
DEAR SIR,—I was delighted last Friday to find that we had one live Ratepayer amongst us; and although he has been late in waking up it is better late than never. Now, sir, as he has promised to give more on the same subject, I beg of you to hold him fast to the fulfillment of his promise; and, if you will allow me the use of one or two of your valuable columns, as the stereotyped phrase goes, I shall have much pleasure in offering him, through them, some texts or pointers to refresh his memory by a glance, and it can only be a slight one, at the proceedings of the council from the inception of our precious scheme of waterworks, and if a thing is precious and valuable according to its cost, then, are our waterworks precious beyond comparison in Canada—and the end is not yet. In October, 1885, the council published a placard throughout the town in which it was stated that "the total cost of waterworks, electric light and Agricultural Park would be \$52,000.00." In December following a public meeting was held at which councillor Butler offered to withdraw from the council and take the contract for the three schemes for \$55,000, on which Mr. Crabb urged that the offer should be accepted, and that was the last heard in public of this proposition, and apparently the ulterior views of the project were not published. In January, 1886, a vote was taken as to whether or not we should have waterworks. The voters, having the estimate of \$52,000 before their eyes, declared almost unanimously in its favor. In February, 1887, the three bylaws were published for waterworks, \$54,046.65; electric lights, \$7,000, and Agricultural Park, \$4,000. Immediately thereafter the council published and widely circulated another placard headed "Reasons why you should vote for the waterworks, electric light and park bylaws." It cannot herein possibly give a list of the reasons given, but it was therein stated that "the decrease of insurance rates alone (25 per cent) will almost fully compensate for the increased taxes." And again—"the amounts asked by the bylaws are ample for the purpose; indeed, there is reason to believe, that if the \$10,000 were much, and, of course, only what is required will be raised and spent—that is in the control of the council." Now, sir, after such a plain statement issued from the council chamber shall I be believed when I assert, with the fear of contradiction, that in September last the finance committee of the council reported that they had not only to use all the revenue of 1889, but to draw \$8,208.00 from the surplus of previous years to meet their liabilities for the waterworks, "over and above the monies received for the sale of lots." Yet there followed a resolution:—"Let there be no private sale of the waterworks, and then if the council reported that they had not only to use all the revenue of 1889, but to draw \$8,208.00 from the surplus of previous years to meet their liabilities for the waterworks, "over and above the monies received for the sale of lots." The report was received unanimously! The three bylaws having been carried, the experimental well at the foundry was at once commenced, under the superintendence of councillor Butler, and, as I am credibly informed, at a cost of nearly \$2,000. A considerable supply of water was obtained, but for some rather inexplicable reason it was abandoned and operations commenced at the harbor, where three or four holes were bored at very considerable expense, but the supply of water being found inadequate for domestic and fire purposes, a ten-inch intake pipe of some six tons in weight was laid to the river at the cost of \$598.22 for labour, besides the original cost of the pipe; and, this being again abandoned, it may possibly remain there till doomsday. In May last the Mayor recommended to the council to charge "the cost of sinking a new well and building a reservoir, \$1,200, to the fire department instead of to the waterworks account," and that was "done accordingly." Now, sir, why was not this \$1,200 charged to the waterworks as was the \$598 for burying the intake pipe the year before? They were literally for the same purpose, and there could be no other reason for doing so than to mystify any officious inquirer into the cost of our waterworks. In June, 1888, Engineer Chipman was engaged to superintend the whole construction of the waterworks scheme "and connection with the harbor for fire service, until the final completion and testing the same, and taking the same off the hands of the contractors," for which superintendence he was to receive \$750.00. Now, sir, we have heard nothing whatever of Mr. Chipman for many months past, unless that he seems to have received \$700.45 some time before the town contract was made up by the treasurer in December last. I find, however, sir, that a Mr. Worwick, of Toronto, an expert engineer, was paid in September last \$109.75 for examining and reporting on the efficiency of the pumping machinery, and is that report amongst other things—he says:—"The contract requires the pumps to throw four 1 1/2 inch fire streams each through 100 feet of 2 inch hose, from any hydrants in town, with 150 lbs water pressure at the pumping station. I believe it is not possible for any engine to do the work required. It seems to me that there must have been a mistake made in taking the height of the town above the pumping station; or, the frictional resistance

of the water in the mains was overlooked when the specifications were made requiring four fire streams thrown 100 feet high with only 150 lbs water pressure at the pumping station." Does this not show, sir, that our engineering and scientific councillors in their united wisdom had the specifications prepared for the well at the foundry? and yet, in the very face of this scientific report for which they squandered \$109.00 of the people's money, they have already bored two other wells at the cost of some thousands and dollars each; and that, too, at a spot where, as Ratepayer hints, the water may very possibly be unsuitable from the presence of mineral substances at present unknown. Verily, sir, we are a long suffering people, and more patient, I think, than even Job could have ever been under such circumstances, for when we are smitten on the one cheek we virtually beg for a slap on the other; or perhaps, more correctly speaking, when our town fathers pick one pocket we tell them to clean out the other just as I must hurry on. In October last the waterworks committee reported to the council that they had "made a contract with the Reliance Electric Co. for two 50 light 4 Ampere dynamos, 40 new 4 Ampere lamps and the changing of 30 of our own 8 Ampere lamps for the sum of \$1,550—one dynamo and 50 lamps to be shipped on the 15th of November next." We have also made a contract with Mr. P. McEwan to drill an 8 inch hole at the harbor at \$2 per foot. "The report was unanimously adopted on motion of Nicholson, seconded by Cantelon." This, sir, I must confess, is purely Greek to me, with the exception of the \$1,550 and another Peter's part of it. I hope, however, that all the rest of your readers will thoroughly comprehend it. And now for a few words on Ratepayer's bathing pond, and it is simply this, that I decline bathing in four feet of water swarming with tadpoles and pollywogs; and, besides, that A. M. Polley declares that by June next the "reservoir" will not hold in a fish! But this is mere spite on Polley's part, because of the credit publicly awarded to the mayor and his first lieutenant and right-hand supporter of St. Andrew's ward, who daily devoted their time to superintending the erection of so useful a public necessity as this reservoir, and proved to be, and although some ill-natured folks denounce it as displaying no more science or mechanical knowledge than would be required in making a dry goods packing box with two cleats on each side, I beg, however, to differ with them, for that, of course, is all both. It is therefore suggested the council be publicly requested to purchase the tallest barber's pole on West street, with its appurtenances, and erect the same near "Ratepayer's" bathing place, with a suitable inscription on its base and a cat on each side of it as a bodyguard, and then if that don't bring summer visitors to Goderich I really know not what will do it. And now, sir, as to the desecration of the market square; I dare scarcely allow myself to speak of it—to that four or five hundred dollars, if not more, of the people's money has been thrown away on such tonfollery, and that then the mayor should have the audacity in his inaugural address to the council to speak of our funds being very low is monstrous. But, sir, I shall presently show your readers somewhat of the real cause of our funds being "very low." It is said, however, to be an ill wind that blows nobody good, and even in this matter friend Saunders pocketed \$106 out of it, while poor Mike Crae received only \$1.75 for patching the bottoms of the basins within three months of their completion. Within less than two years we have paid \$230.85 for deputations to this, that and the other place with small returns for the outlay. Within some sixteen months we have paid \$4,765.65 of customs duties, as Mr. Farrow can vouch for, while I am assured by one of our oldest townsmen, who has spent a long life as a working machinist and whose word I know will not be doubted, that we could certainly have had as good if not much better pumping machinery made in Galt within 80 miles of our door and saved I know not how much carriage. Now let us return for a moment to the destruction of the beauty of the Square. What could the half hundred county councillors, the leading men in their several localities, think, not only of our rulers, but of each and every one of us, seeing the ridiculous waste of money around their court house? Must it not have been something like this? That we are a community of born unprincipled fools who could stand by "making as cyphers," as your correspondent puts it—and he is one of us—and see our friends the laborers, artisans and mechanics—who have not time to spend in watching the proceedings of the council themselves—plundered, and their little properties become subject to seizure for the public debt by the madness or recklessness of the town council. Are we not all most blameable in this matter? And what would these country gentlemen have thought if, instead of finding four piles of gravel close to the county building, they had found four heaps of horse and cow dung, which they assuredly would have done but for the interference and strenuous protest for sanitary reasons of one of our superannuated tailors? As for His Worship's proposition to sell the fire engine in our present peculiar circumstances, it must have been the outcome of incipient insanity or—of something else! No, sir, keep the engine, but for any sake dispose of the two little fellows that

can only spout a jet of water about three feet high; and also their two nondescript companions; dump the gravel right down where it is; and restore the Square to its former beauty. G. N. Jarvis or Bob Runciman will give a cent a pound for them, and what we may lose in money will be treble repaid us in the reputation of having some common sense and a little intelligence. The past, sir, cannot be recalled, but the remedy which I shall now propose is both swift and sure, as I shall take it from the law of Ontario. If "Ratepayer," yourself or any of your readers will please turn to pages 1874 and 1875 of the volume containing the latest municipal statute you will find that section 383 says:—"In case one-third of the members of any council, or thirty duly qualified electors of the municipality, petition for a commission under the Great Seal to enquire into the financial affairs of the corporation, and things connected therewith, and if sufficient cause is shown, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may issue a commission accordingly, and the commissioner or commissioners, or such one or more of them as the commission empowers to act, shall have the same power to summon witnesses, to enforce their attendance, and compel them to produce documents and give evidence as any Court has in civil cases."—46th Vic., chap. 18, sec. 383. Thus, sir, your readers will perceive that they have the power to redress their grievances in their own hands, and a very simple matter it certainly is. And now, to show them that by moving in the matter and signing a petition to the Government they incur no personal responsibility whatever, I shall quote the very next section of the Act, that is: Section 384 says:—"The expenses to be allowed for executing the commission shall be determined and certified by the treasurer of Ontario, and shall thereupon become a debt due to the commissioners by the corporation, and shall be payable within three months after demand therefor by the commissioners or any one of the commissioners at the office of the treasurer of the Corporation."—46th Vic., chapter 18, sec. 386. Could anything be more simple and easy, sir, to get rid of the incubus that has for years past hung over our good town? Only one or two of our prominent men would shake themselves up and lead in the matter! I again repeat that I hold printed proof of every statement I have made and a good deal more. I know not what the power and duties of the Board of Trade are, but, if their President and your correspondent "Ratepayer"—and I know neither of them—will pledge themselves to act with energy in this matter of such vital importance for the prosperity of the town, I will allow you, sir, to give them my name, and I pledge myself to give them every information and assistance in my power. I have spoken. Yours, &c., CIVILIAN.

LITERATURE SELECTIONS.

For Teachers' Third, Second and First Class Grade C, Non-Professional Examinations.

Following are the literary selections for 1889-1890 as prescribed by the Ontario Education Department for teachers' non-professional examinations:—

CLASS III.
English.—The following selections from the High School reader:—
16 Orestes—contested in all Estates and Accidents.
30 The Trial by Combat at the Diamond of the Deers.
61 The Plague of Locusts.
78 The Gambling Party.
88 Earthworms.
95 From the "Apology of Socrates."
98 A Liberal Education.
103 The Trial of Socrates—"The Merchant of Venice."
5 To Desdemona.
7 To Lucrece, on Going to the Wars.
10 The Cottar's Saturday Night.
31 To a Highland Girl.
39 Go where Glory waits thee.
47 Dear Harry of my Country.
53 Come, ye Disconsolate.
74 The Bridge of Sighs.
81 Horatius.
84 The Island of the Scots.
107 The Hanging of the Crane.
99 "As Shiloh becalmed the Eve."
101 The Forsaken Garden.
*Those selections marked with an asterisk will be repeated 1890-1891.

Latin.—Cæsar—Bellum Britannicum.
French.—De Fivras Introductory French Reader.
German.—High School German Reader (Grimm, Kinder-und Haus-Märchen).

CLASS II.
English.—Byron—Prisoner of Chillon, and Childe Harold's Pilgrimage, from stanza 73 of Canto II to stanza 103 of Canto III, inclusive.
Addison—Selections from the Essays Spectator, Nos. 21, 23, 25, 47, 59, 69, 98, 114, 159, 162, 189, 193, 221, 281, 287, 458, 463, 571, 583, 598.
Latin.—Cicero.—In Catilinam II.
Virgil.—Æneid V.
Cæsar.—Bellum Britannicum.
French.—Souvèstre—U. Philosophie des lois Toile.
German.—Haupt.—Das Eiliche Hertz.
Schiller.—Der Gang nach dem Eisen-ehnenner.

CLASS I.
English.—Shakespeare—Coriolanus.
Addison—(Same selections as for Class II.)
Greek.—Demosthenes—Philippic I. II.
Horace.—Odes V. VII.
Latin.—Horace.—U. Philosophus.
Virgil.—Æneid VII.
French.—Scribe.—Le Tableau de Peinture.
German.—Schiller.—Das Lied von der Glocke, and Hero und Leander.
Emerson's Leben und Tod.

A young man named Orr, while working in the key-making department of the Doherty Organ Factory, Clinton, on Monday last week, got his hand so severely cut that he was compelled to quit work for a few days.