

ADOLESCENTS DISCOVERIES IN THE PHILADELPHIA FIRE RUINS
Two Bodies are Recovered—One Identified as Mrs. Thomas Loretta of the Theater Company...

PHILADELPHIA, April 29.—A large crowd is gathered around the ruins of the Central theater on Walnut street...

At 9:30 this morning one of the bodies was found. It was a headless trunk. From the body of cotton clothing...

Special Officer McCarthy, who was in the Central theater at the time the fire broke out, says that he saw three apparently companions, rush for the fire escape...

CHARGE, Mich., April 29.—Fifteen acres of ground, but recently occupied by a brick factory, are this morning a mass of black and smoldering ruins...

While it is a crushing blow, our citizens are united as they have never before...

There was no insurance carried in the town except on the drug stock carried by Ross in the building where the fire originated...

STANLEY'S ARRIVAL. It does not afford the liberals much satisfaction.

LONDON, April 29.—The proposal of Henry M. Stanley to enter parliament is not a popular one...

RACE HORSE POISONED. Serious Charges Against the Bookmakers by the Duke of Westminster.

LONDON, April 29.—A great sensation has been caused by the public statement of the duke of Westminster...

AFTER THOUSANDS. Pillular Will See the Millers at Cincinnati.

FOUND VERY DEAD. A Young Man Found in the Lake Supposed to Have Been Murdered.

MORNING, April 29.—This afternoon a member of the life saving station discovered the body of a young man...

DEEMING IS ON TRIAL. HIS ATTORNEY TRIES TO PROVE THAT HE IS INSANE.

The Young Lady to Whom He Was Engaged Tells the Story of Her Arguments—Was Well Attended in Her Great Court...

McBURNIE, April 29.—The trial of Deeming for the murder of his wife, which was continued in the central criminal court today...

PLUCKY CHARGE. The Business Men Will Reinhold at Fifteen.

CHARGE, Mich., April 29.—On acres of ground, but recently occupied by a brick factory, are this morning a mass of black and smoldering ruins...

LIVINGSTON ALARMED. The Sold South Lost to the Democracy Unless They Adopt Suitable Legislation.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Congressman Livingston, of Georgia, who has been a member of the Farmers' Alliance...

REVOLT IN AFGHANISTAN. Villagers Rise Against the Amer's Troops and Have Them Cornered.

THE STATE OF TRADE. BRADSTREET'S REPORT OF BUSINESS FOR THE PAST WEEK.

The Condition in the Cotton Growing State is Encouraging—Unfavorable Weather Checks the Demand for Spring Staples—Plugs Still Low.

New York, April 29.—Bradstreet's State of Trade report says that the general financial condition of planters and merchants in the leading cotton growing states on the whole is not encouraging...

Unfavorable weather has checked the demand for spring staples and south. Yarn spinners report no special demand. Anthracite coal production has not been restricted for May...

Higher water in its streams has made the lumber harvest more difficult. General trade has increased with better weather at Kansas City...

SMEDLEY vs. SMEDLEY. Jesse Smedley Seeks a Divorce From Her Sister for Desertion.

Ward and Ward filed a bill of complaint yesterday in the Circuit court for a divorce from Thomas J. Smedley...

LEBRON, O., April 29.—"Aunt Jane" Robinson, aged 105, probably the oldest woman in Ohio died here today.

CINCINNATI, April 29.—A harness maker's strike continues. Business in that line is prostrate.

THE FAITH CURE. Christine Scudamore in Toronto Charmed With the Gift of Mending.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. THE CHILDREN'S HOME OPENED FOR INSPECTION.

The Ladies of the Children's Home association last evening threw open their temporary quarters at 43 South Lafayette street and treated their friends to an old fashioned home-warming...

ROTHFUS & POWERS MAKE TERMS WITH THE STRIKERS. The Question Seems to Be One of Settlement as to Discretion—The Demands of the Men Are Not Reasonable.

The strikers, gas and steam fitters strike is still on with but little change, except that the strikers yesterday signed a victor's contract with the firm of Rothfus & Powers...

SOME SLOW TIPSIES. Henry Robinson Dumps Congressman Stout on Facts About Silver.

Representative Stout of Pontiac, who was one of the three Michigan Democrats who were invited to dine...

MICHIGAN HARBERS. The Board of Police and fire commissioners held a meeting on Wednesday...

THE NEW GAS PLANT. Getting Ready to Do Business on an Extraordinary Scale.

The Michigan Fuel company expect to have their plant in operation in about two weeks...

HARRY IS HAPPY. Hubland Wins His Suit Against H. W. Long. Hubland Wins His Suit Against H. W. Long.

REPUBLICANS CONFER. THE ALDERMEN MEET WITH MAYOR-ELIOT STUBBS.

Pursuant to a call issued by Mayor-Elot Stubbs last evening the Republican assembly in his office last night...

THE STATE TAKES MONEY AND RETURNS NO EQUIVALENT. If a Tax It Will Purchase of the County and State Citizens Must Lose Their Money.

According to the opinion of the attorney general and the presenting attorney of this county the law for the sale of lands for delinquent taxes possesses some peculiarities...

FOR GRAND RIVER. A Memorial to the Senate Being Circulated in Grand Rapids for the Purpose of Securing an Appropriation of \$100,000.

"The improvement of Grand river is at least 50,000 people, the justices of the peace and the grand jury...

LOVED HIS BROTHER. Other Stockholder's Wife Bares Her Teeth With Her Brother-in-Law.

Oliver H. Stockdale of Sparta township filed a bill of complaint yesterday in the Circuit court against his wife...

DR. EST. Dr. E. S. Post is seriously ill, having been confined to his bed since his daughter's death...

DO YOU WORSHIP OVERALL? The Mayor of Grand Rapids in the state at Edenville's, 47 to 33 Canal street...

ADVERTISED AGAIN BY THE MAYOR—They Refuse to Talk to H. Porter.

The meeting was called by the mayor for the purpose of becoming acquainted with his body guard and incidentally to listen to suggestions and to offer some...

The meeting came to order at 6 o'clock and after a general introduction and hand shake the conversation drifted to the outlook for confirming the mayor's appointments...

It is possible that a reporter was consulted by the mayor as to what a proposal advocated his own claims. Congratulated some Democratic voters...

Alderman Anderson suggested that the mayor should be a member of the committee to be on, and Alderman Duggan suggested some radical changes...

Several alterations were seen after the meeting, but all were dead to the committee. Lazarus. Not a crumb would be given them...

The mayor was also seen, but as he is unimpaired in the art of parrying questions, the task was considered an almost hopeless one before him.

Other Stockholder's Wife Bares Her Teeth With Her Brother-in-Law. Oliver H. Stockdale of Sparta township filed a bill of complaint yesterday...

The specific case mentioned above occurred within the past two months, during which time the wife is charged with sustaining improper relations with Noah Stockdale...

The clock is 13 feet high, 10 feet wide, weighs 1,500 pounds, has 105 wheels and is made in the state at Edenville's...

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Against Foraker? Quite a few Republican papers talk slightly of Foraker. He is getting almost unpopular with a certain class of Republican papers as well as Democratic organs.

The silver states seem to be on one side with the silver question as the silver states were on slavery. They are hopelessly lost to both the old parties.

When buying mention THE MORNING PRESS to advertisers.

From the Hastings Journal: The silliest thing of the season, the dude in his new spring lay out, and the wider it is, the better.

The next governor of Michigan will be elected in the fall. The candidates are Judge A. E. Coo, president of the Farmers' Alliance, will take the case.

The Grand Rapids Leader is not satisfied with the position of The Journal. It is charged with the course taken by the paper.

Forest fires are showing up in the vicinity of Hesperia. The Muskogean Blowing company has commenced piling logs.

At the auction sale of lots at Benton Harbor Wednesday, fifty were sold at an average price of \$300.

James N. McBride has sold his interest in the Onyx River to E. O. Doney, who is now the sole owner.

The Central Hotel of Cheaning, Howe Bay, Michigan, was scalded by the boiler of locomotive exploding near Manistique in 1892.

The wife of Ed. F. Payne, president of the village of Saranac, died Wednesday night and died in a short time.

Port Huron Alderman defeated an ordinance last night granting a franchise to the People's street railway company.

Captain B. E. Graves of Adrian, chairman of the Michigan State committee, will, it is said, be a candidate for attorney general on the Republican ticket.

William W. Graham, at the last election the labor candidate for auditor-general, has been elected to that office.

Charles Cutcheon was married Thursday evening in Washington, D. C., to Miss Susan Arthur.

Some of the trustees still refuse to open a bank in the city of Michigan.

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- 3 pound Canned... 25c
- 3 gallon Sugar Syrup... 25c
- 3 pounds Sliced Ham... 25c
- 3 pounds our own made Lard... 25c

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