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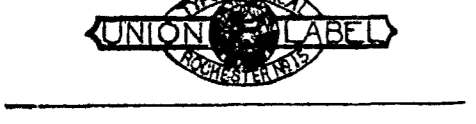
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WILLIAM EWART GLADSTONE

"The Grand Old Man" is dead. He passed away peacefully at Hawarden early Thursday morning.

In 1895 the octogenarian statesman made a stirring speech on the Armenian question at Chester. In March, 1897, he wrote and published a letter to the Duke of Westminster pleading the cause of Crete and Greece as against Turkey.

POPE DESIRES PEACE

The attitude of the Pope regarding the war existing between the United States and Spain has been announced by Mgr. Martinelli, who gives to the American public the following cablegram received from the Vatican with the hope that it may put all on their guard against giving credence to any of the rumors which have been or may hereafter be published concerning the position or tendency of the Pope and the Catholic church.

CARDINAL RAMPOLLA

If the new Spanish cabinet are to force the war, as reported, we think they will have a much larger job than their predecessors.

The students of Notre Dame University are willing and anxious to go to war. They have organized a military to go to the seat of war when the call for volunteers is made.

When the call was made 250 students surged forward to sign their names, and after this was over the patriotic songs and cheers echoed at the foot of the golden dome, and it was far in the night before the noise of war was quieted.

The companies drill every day until the call is given them. Dr. O'Malley will offer his services as surgeon, and, if need be, as private with the young soldiers. The University band are also prepared to go.

Rev. Father Thomas Sherman, son of Gen. Sherman, has accepted the post of chaplain of the Fourth regiment of Missouri National Guards. An exchange says: "Although he has enlisted for life in the army of the Lord, he cannot resist his inherent desire to be, since the war has come, where the battle rages."

Commissioner Johnson is not to be the "whole thing" in the executive board after this. We have often wondered what the other two members were elected for by the people.

Admiral Sampson is having a time catching the Spanish squadron. But he is after Cervera and is bound to come up with him soon. Then look out for a battle.

Joseph Chamberlain's speech seems to have aroused the nations.

"Remember the Maine" is to be stamped on all army crackers.

Senator Polo's secret service system at Montreal is likely to be closed ere long. John Bull is investigating.

The Oregon is reported safe by the navy department.

NEW PUBLICATIONS

By Benziger Brothers, New York and Chicago. "Fabiola's Sisters." A tale of the Christian heroines martyred at Carthage in the commencement of the third century. A companion volume to Cardinal Wiseman's famous novel, "Fabiola, or the Church of the Catacombs." Adapted by A. C. Clarke, 12mo, cloth, \$1.25.

THE BISHOP'S PICTURE

Every Catholic Family in the Diocese Should Have One. As this year marks the fiftieth anniversary of the ordination of Rt. Rev. Bishop McQuaid as a priest and his thirtieth as a bishop, every Catholic family in the diocese should be in possession of our beautiful large photograph (not lithograph), 11x14 inches of the Rt. Rev. Bishop.

tain to get the gold hidden there in a place known only to him. He and his young daughter are shot by a white adventurer for their treasure Jack Hildreth and Winnetou meet with hairbreadth escapes, and thrilling combats in their pursuits for the murderer. The ride of Jack on his fleet horse "Swallow," with the child in his arms, to escape the burning lake of petroleum from the exploded oil wells; the rescue of the train from the Comanches; the escape of Jack from the hands of the Kiowas; and finally the death of the murderer through his own rapacity, when the great rocks of Nugget Mountain are hurled into the lake, taking him along, are all chapters that do not allow the reader to lay the book down till he has finished the last syllable.

THE GOSPELS

GOSPEL: St. John, xv.—26-27; xvi. 1-4.—At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: "When the Paraclete cometh Whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, Who proceedeth from the Father, He shall give testimony of Me. And you shall give testimony, because you are with Me from the beginning. These things have I spoken to you, that you may not be scandalized. They will put you out of the synagogues: yea, the hour cometh that whosoever killeth you will think he doeth a service to God. And these things will they do to you, because they have not known the Father nor Me. But these things I have told you that when the hour of them shall come, you may remember that I told you."

St. Gregory says that a wound is less painful when it has been foreseen, and these predictions had this effect on the apostles, that the persecutions would be less painful, inasmuch as they expected them. Moreover, they would rejoice in the midst of those persecutions at beholding the predictions of their Divine Master fully verified, and the more their faith was strengthened the more they were encouraged by the hope of the reward which they were to gain by their sufferings.

THE FORTY HOURS' ADORATION

May 23—Nunda, Clifton Springs, Union Springs, West Bloomfield, Holy Apostles, Rochester; St. Mary's Elmira. May 29—Corpus Christi, Rochester; Trumansburg, Ithaca, Naples, Shortsville.

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HERE WE ARE AGAIN!

With Our Low Rates of Travel via Nickel Plate Road.

Only \$11.05, Buffalo to Warsaw, Ind., and return, tickets on sale May 16th to 21st, account of General Assembly Presbyterian church; tickets good to return until June 3rd.

Only \$11.85, Buffalo to Warsaw, Ind., and return, May 15th to Sept. 15th.

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Only \$8.20, Buffalo to Toledo, Ohio, and return, account, Young People's Biennial convention, tickets sold June 15th and 16th, good returning until June 30th.

Only \$35.55, Buffalo to Dallas, Tex., and return, tickets sold June 11th and 12th, good returning until June 28th, account Mystic Shrine.

Only \$14.50, Buffalo to Louisville, Ky., and return, tickets sold June 19th and 20th, good returning until June 26th. For all information, call on your nearest ticket agent, or address F. J. Moore, General Agent Nickel Plate Road, Buffalo, N. Y. Low rates to other points will be quoted from time to time. Elegant service, superb dining cars. Vestibuled sleeping cars. 21-m31

The Dangers of Spring

Which arises from impurities in the blood and a depletion of the vital fluid may be entirely averted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine cures all spring humors, boils, ructions and sores, and by enriching and vitalizing the blood, it overcomes that tired feeling and gives vitality and vigor.

SILVER PLATING FOR BOYS

How to Make a Simple and Cheap Battery from Electric Light Carbons and Zinc. How would you like to try copper and silver plating? "Oh, I can't do that," cries the boy on the bank seat, "it's too hard." But it isn't hard. As a matter of fact any boy can learn how to do electroplating with very little trouble or expense, for he can make his entire outfit himself. And when he has mastered the art he should be able to make a good deal of pocket money from plating spoons, keys and other objects for his relatives and friends. A few weeks ago The Record told how a boy could make a simple and cheap battery out of electric light carbons and bits of zinc. Either this battery or any cheap battery will do. The writer knew of a boy who made a battery in a big glass tumbler by using bits of copper and zinc which he found in the attic, with ordinary vinegar for the active agent. A very weak and slow-working battery is better than a strong one for use in electroplating, because a strong battery is likely to work too rapidly, with the result that plating flakes off. The amateur electroplater would do well to try copper plating first. At a drug store buy a small quantity of blue vitriol, which is a common copper salt, and dissolve the crystals in water. The solution will be a deep blue.



SILVER PLATING. Now provide a large, deep tumbler or a fruit can and into this pour the vitriol. Bring over the wire that is connected with the zinc in your battery and to its end tie an old iron key or button hook. Allow this to sink into the vitriol solution. The end of the wire that comes from the copper or carbon of your battery should also be immersed in the liquid. In a few hours the key or other object will be beautifully coated with the copper. It is a process exceedingly interesting to watch.

Copper-plating may be used to advantage in many cases, but it is not particularly pretty. Every boy will find more pleasure and profit in plating with silver, notwithstanding the fact that it is more expensive. A solution of cyanide of silver should be used. It is made ready for the plating bath in exactly the same way as the vitriol, except that a small silver coin should be suspended from the end of the wire that runs to the carbons or copper, as shown in the illustration. With this solution all sorts of small objects can be plated with great ease. It will be well for the young electro-plater to bore holes in a cigar-box cover and place it over the tumbler containing the plating solution, using one hole for each of the wires, thus keeping them firmly in place while the electric current is doing its work.

Girls' Driving Club. A young ladies' club in Lewiston, Me., proposes to get some advantage out of their organization that no other club of the kind seems to have thought possible. The girls number fifty, and they intend to buy a span of horses and a buckboard. In this way they hope to secure the means for giving every member of the club a delightful ride in the country at least once a week, and perhaps twice.

SIBLEY, LINDSAY & CURR CO. Rochester Shoes Just About the Best

The Shoe business of Rochester is another illustration of the truth contained in the scriptural passage that refers to a prophet not being without honor save in his own country.

In saying this we don't mean to reflect upon the judgment of the Rochester public in general, but rather upon the avaricious spirit of the Rochester retailer. With him it has seemed to be any Shoe but a Rochester. And why? Simply because there is more money in it for him.

Rochester manufacturers don't know how to do skimpy Shoe making. They don't know how to take 5c out of a pair of Shoes here and 10c there so you won't see it; they make honest Shoes, they make good shoes—just about the best that are manufactured in this country. We know we could make more money by selling Eastern Shoes, but we are not going to do it. This store is a Rochester store and it is going to sell Rochester Shoes as long as by doing so we believe that we are serving our customers best.

No Rochester woman need wear any but a Rochester Shoe; they are stylish Shoes, they are excellent wearing Shoes. These are some of the Rochester Shoes we have had made for 1898 summer wear:

At \$1.98 a Pair. Black vici kid lace Shoe, patent leather lace stays and tip; McKay sewed.

Black vici kid lace Shoe with cloth top, patent leather lace stays; McKay sewed.

Tan vici kid lace Shoe with either fancy vesting or plain kid top; McKay sewed.

At \$2.48 a Pair. Black vici kid lace Shoe with fancy cloth lace stays, patent tip; McKay sewed.

Black vici kid button Boot, patent leather tip; McKay sewed.

Tan vici kid lace Shoe with fancy perforated tip and lace stays; McKay sewed.

At \$2.98 a Pair. Black vici kid lace or button Shoe; turned sole.

Black vici kid lace or button Shoe with welt sole.

Black vici kid lace Shoe with plain kid tip; turned sole.

Tan vici kid Shoe; turned sole.

Tan vici kid Shoe with fancy vesting top; turned sole.

Tan vici kid Shoe on bull dog last; welt sole.

At \$3.48 a Pair. Black vici kid lace Shoe with fancy vesting, inserted lace stays, plain kid tip; turned sole.

Black vici kid lace Shoe on the English last, fancy vesting top; turned sole.

Tan vici kid lace Shoe with fancy inserted vesting lace stays; turned sole.

At \$3.98 a pair. Black vici kid lace or button Shoe on the bull dog last patent tip; welt sole.

Black vici kid button Boot, straight foxed, patent tip; turned sole.

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Among our recent out-of-town shipments was one of several hundred dollars' worth of furniture for Boston, Mass. Familiar with New York and Boston prices, the purchasers decided to avail themselves of the opportunities offered at the Home Furnishing House. The goods were sold at our regular marked prices, and the transaction well illustrates the advantages offered here to out-of-town buyers. While our city business is large, our out-of-town trade forms a most important part of our business. We have furnished homes complete as far south as Florida. Many shipments are made west of the Mississippi, and eastern sales coming in competition with New York and Philadelphia are frequent. Our facilities for handling goods in large quantities and at special prices make it an object for people to travel long distances to buy from us. We pay the freight one hundred miles on purchases of \$25.00 or more.

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