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Fairview Notes. Fair View, Dec. 8.—John and Miss Loucks, Stanley Elie and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowery attended the wedding at Dr. Fife's. Charles and Arthur Switzer spent Saturday at their uncle's, A. D. Sudder, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baker took a trip to Sharnbroke on Tuesday. Mr. Weidman has bought Mrs. Weather's place and has moved there. Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett spent Sunday at Deseronto.

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BAPTISED 'EM SIX FINGERED AND SIX TOED TWINS Mrs. Hartney's Remarkable Babies Receive Sacrament of Church—Rejected all Offers to Have Twins Exhibited. Chicago, Dec. 9.—Marion Julia and Myrtle Anna Hartney, the six-fingered and six-toed twins of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hartney, 333 West Harrison street, were baptized Sunday, at St. Patrick's church, Adams and Desplaines streets. The babies were two months old that day, and although weighing only twelve pounds each, are in splendid health. The twins have been the object of much curiosity since their birth, hundreds of visitors calling weekly to see them. The medical fraternity is particularly interested in the children, and the parents are being urged to have them put on exhibition at some of the local colleges. Several offers have also been made by other persons but all have been rejected.

PITH OF THE NEWS. The Very Latest News Culled From All Over The World. Over 100,000 tons of coal have been shipped from Oswego since the strike ended. The propellers Hecla and John Rugee have gone into winter quarters at Ogdensburg. The Edwardsburg Starch works a Cardinal are so full of trade that an additional spur line to hold twenty-five cars is being built. "Prof." Dudley told a Toronto audience that Christ's second coming would be at 2 a.m., on April 11th 1911. He is very positive as to that date. The library of the late Amos J. Cummings, of New York, congressman and editor, is to be given to the town founded at Colorado Springs, Col., by the International Typographical union. Lord Strathcona and Lord Moun-Stephen have devoted securities to King Edward's hospital fund which will yield annually at the prevailing rate of interest the sum of \$79,009.83.

Charles Greifer, the convicted murderer of Constable Adam Strunk, has escaped a second time from the Stranburg, Pa., jail. Daniel Van Buskirk, another prisoner, escaped with him. The official vote in New York state for governor has been at last summed up: Odell, republican, 655,150; Coker, democrat, 656,317. Maniere prohibitionist, 20,190; De Leon, socialist labor, 15,886; Hanford, socialist democrat, 19,167; Ryder, liberal democrat, 1,894.

Lochinvar In An Auto. Paris, Dec. 9.—M. Marcile, a medical student, recently became affianced to Mlle. Cordelia Lepage, the eighteen-year-old daughter of ex-Senator Lepage. A month ago M. Lepage suddenly withdrew his consent to the marriage, and M. Marcile resolved to elope with his sweetheart. On Friday he and a friend arrived in an automobile in the Avenue de Villars, near M. Lepage's residence, and three other men arrived in a cab. Mlle. Cordelia and her friends surrounded M. Marcile and Marcile seized Cordelia and carried her to the automobile. The other men prevented the young lady's friends from following her, and the automobile sped away. The couple reached Brussels and telegraphed for money.

This Afternoon's Fire. At three o'clock fire broke out in the residence of the late William Mueller Johnston street, near University avenue. The furniture was removed and the firemen summoned. The house is one of three in a row.

To Appear In Vaudeville. New York, Dec. 9.—The announcement is made that Florence Burr, who was acquitted of the murder of Walter Brooks, will soon make her appearance on the vaudeville stage in this city.

Would Prefer to Rest. London, Dec. 9.—Lord Milner, even if offered the governor-generalship of Canada, would not accept, having declared that it is his desire to enjoy a rest after his years of hard work in South Africa.

The Ramblers and hockeyists of the Kingston Hockey Club will amalgamate for hockey purposes and to place a team in the intermediate series of the O.H.A. and also a team in the Quinze League.

The young man for whom the prohibitionists are seeking on a charge of personation, and for whose arrest a warrant has been issued, has left the city. He went out Saturday night.

A laborer named Quigley had one of his feet badly injured in the locomotive works last night, by a large piece of iron falling on it.

NOT A KEEN FISHERMAN. The Record of His Majesty as an Angler Is Not Startling. There is an interesting article in The Fishing Gazette by the editor, Mr. H. B. Marston, on the Royal Family as anglers. The King, it seems, is not a very keen fisherman, not half so keen as his brother, the late Duke of Edinburgh, or his son, the Prince of Wales, but it is quite a mistake to suppose his Majesty has never taken any interest in fishing. As a youth he fished in the Highlands, and when as Prince of Wales he rented Aberfeldie on the Dee he used to fish for salmon now and then, though as old Donald Norman says, his Majesty was "not awfully enthusiastic." Lord Knollys, however, recently informed Mr. Marston that the King on one occasion caught a 21 lb. salmon on the Floors Castle water on the Tweed. As regards the Queen, we have long known that she is a keen disciple of Izaak Walton, as is also Princess Victoria, and they often fish together when in Scotland. Her Majesty has killed salmon in Ireland, and so deadly is the "Alexandra" fly, named after her, that its use is prohibited on many waters. The Prince of Wales is perhaps the keenest and best angler of our Royal Family has produced, and will spend long days on the seaside enjoying the sport. Then the Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, and the Duchess of Fife are devoted to angling. When in Canada Princess Louise had grand sport with the salmon. The Duchess of Fife has had many good days' sport on the Dee, near Mar Lodge, and spends much of her time with her children in the enjoyment of her favorite sport while the Duke is deerstalking. Prince Edward and Prince Albert, sons of the Prince of Wales are both keen on fishing, and each of them caught a nice lot of roach with the fly recently, even little Princess Mary was successful in landing one. Last month the young Princess tried their hands at trout in a Norfolk stream, and Prince Albert (aged 6) got a brace, and Prince Edward (aged 7) half a brace, with the fly, March Brown and Black Gnat. The fact that they were able to send a trout to the King, who was then staying at Sandringham, and a brace to their parents in London, afforded them as great pleasure as the catching of the half-pounders. They have taken as many as fifteen or twenty roach each of an evening.

A BLIND MAN. A Musical Doctor Who Has Become Famous and successful in London. Dr. F. J. Campbell, the founder and principal of the Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind, takes premier rank in the great kingdom of the blind. From boyhood he has thrown off the inertia which attacks the blind, and has revealed a constant tenacity and persistence worthy of his Scotch ancestry. Born in the slave State of Tennessee with normal eyesight, it was during play between his third and fourth year that a sharp spicae horn on his father's farm pierced the eyeball. Bad doctoring caused inflammation, and the sight of both eyes was lost. Dr. Campbell then began to learn music—his great mainstay in life. He then obtained pupils, learnt Latin and Greek, beginning at 4 o'clock in the morning; climbed mountains, hunted, fished, skated and thus preserved the vitality which was his heritage. At length he went to Harvard University, graduated, lost his money, began again to music teaching in Tennessee and was within a few hours of being hanged as an Abolitionist but his infirmity saved him. Boston for seven years provided him with music pupils. A year's thorough enabled him to visit all the principal blind institutions in Europe, with a view to studying the great conservatories for music in the States. During a three days' stay in London on the homeward journey he met Dr. Arncliffe. Thanks to his assistance, with that of Prof. Fawcett, the Duke of Westminster and others, the institution intended for the States has blossomed among us instead.—The London Chronicle.

Case Not Sued. At the county court, this afternoon, the case of Robertson vs. the locomotive works company, for \$200 damages for breach of contract, was nonsuited.

Experience teaches, they say, yet who learns by it! Death takes a dear one, but are we kinder to those still living, who yet may have to go before we meet again? Ald. White asked the city council to pay \$20 to the 4th ward for turning out to receive South African veterans. The finance committee will consider the matter. Half a dozen vessels are lying in Oswego harbor awaiting coal cargoes for Kingston. The weather over there has been unfavorable to them loading. Women are in need of sewer creatures. I know at least two whom I would not marry for love or money. When money is tight it makes itself scarce, but it's somewhat different with men. Some sad hearts have to kill time as best they may, or time would kill them.

A CHRISTMAS GREETING A Poem of the Yuletide SONG for old Christmas, For jolly old Christmas, The monarch of merriment, fun and good cheer! Let all the bells chiming Ring out with a rhyming Christmas, good Christmas, King Christmas is here!

Pile up the log fire Still higher and higher; He loves the bright blaze of a wide open hearth. No shadow of sadness Must darken our gladness, For Christmas, blithe Christmas, now rules the broad earth. The stars are all twinkling As if they were drinking Time out of ethereal champagne that he brings. The winds shout in chorus: "Long may he reign o'er us! Good Christmas, King Christmas, the greatest of kings!"



"HAIL TO KING CHRISTMAS!" O'er snow piles, high drifted, His throne is uplifted! His mantle is pinned by the North Polar star, And down the dim ages Saints, sinners and sages Cry, "Hail to King Christmas, who rules near and far!" His brows wreathed with holly, Fat, rosy and jolly, He sways the proud scepter no monarch can best. O'er realms that are boundless And depths that are soundless, For he, mighty Christmas, alone rules the roasts! Then plump be the purses Of all whom these verses May reach, with their tidings of jolly good cheer. Their presents be many, Their fun best of any, For Christmas comes once—only once—in a year. —Aimee Carey in Philadelphia Ledger.

THE CHRISTMAS BIRD. How to Prepare and Cook a Goose, Old or Young. A goose is the typical Christmas bird, although most families dine on turkey that day, and some like a pair of ducks and a fine roast of beef. The goose must be young, or what is called a green goose. Yellow and flexible feet are a sign of youth. A goose is dressed and trussed in the same manner as a turkey, but the skin should be thoroughly washed. Sage and onions are the traditional seasonings, and a very good way to stuff a goose is to boll and wash some white potatoes and season highly with onion juice, sage, salt and pepper. Dredge the outside lightly with salt and pepper and thickly with flour. Lay the goose on a rack in the baking pan and put a few tablespoonfuls of water in the pan; baste often. Twenty minutes to the pound is the average time to allow for the baking. Garnish with blood oranges cut in sections on parsley, celery tips or any other green garnish. Make a sauce from the contents of the pan, thickening with flour, and after straining add the giblets, which have been cooked until tender in water and chopped coarsely. An old goose cannot be cooked satisfactorily in this way. It will need to be parboiled and then braised.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

FEEDING THE BIRDS. A Happy Christmas Custom Among Swedish Peasants. Christmas is celebrated in Sweden to an extent unknown in our country, and the celebration is not over until Jan. 13, or "twentieth day Yule." A very pretty feature of the festivities is thus described by a writer who has visited that country: One wintry afternoon, at Jul-tide (as the season is called, I had been skating on a pretty lake three miles from Gothenberg. On my way home I noticed that at every farmer's house there was erected, in the middle of the yard, a pole, to the top of which was bound a large, full sheaf of grain. "Why is this?" I asked my comrade, "Oh, that's for the birds, the little wild birds. They must have a merry Christmas, too, you know." And so it is; not a peasant in Sweden will sit down to a Christmas dinner within doors until he has first raised aloft a Christmas dinner for the birds in the cold and snow without.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Jim Dumps declared, "It is a fact: To win success a man must act, But when digestion fails to work The man himself becomes a shirk. 'Force' suits my case, it gives me vim; I'll move the world," says "Sunny Jim." "FORCE" The Ready-to-Serve Cereal makes willing workers. Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt. Like a Giant Refreshed. "I had been suffering from dyspepsia occasioned by severe mental labor, but 'Force' has corrected it, and I feel like a giant refreshed." HARRINGTON FITZGERALD.

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