

CRAVING BEST.
Oh! for the leisure to lie and to dream
By some woodland well, or some rippling stream...

A Georgia Plantation.
I thought the readers of the GAZETTE
might be interested in a description of a southern plantation...

Deeds of Darling.
Four young people, two of either sex,
were enjoying an afternoon walk on the charming bluff...

OUR AMERICAN WOMEN ABROAD.
Speaking of the habit which many American women have of writing themselves...

THE GREATEST MONEY-SPENDERS IN THE WORLD.
at least in one condition, is forced upon Americans the moment their arrival is announced in Paris...

work, and a twisted, and was accounted for
in which he lived, and the government under which he lives...

CELEBRITY HUNGRY.
Rev. Florence McCarthy, late pastor of
the Union Park Baptist Church, Chicago, gave a humorous lecture...

THE GREAT TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.
For years, and years, and weary suffering years,
multiplied into decades, have the women of America waited...

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The official vote has at last been published. The total vote was 91,701, an increase over last year of \$10,765. Mr. Wilson's vote was 46,725; Harrison's 39,973; Smith's 4,000; 100 cast.

Editorial Letter.

WASHINGTON, April 25th, 1874.

DEAR GAZETTE:—The President's veto of the four hundred million bill has been the subject of some of the most important and important which has been much more than a double surprise. The veto was a double surprise. The veto was a double surprise.

YESTERDAY SENATOR WINDOW submitted his report on Western and seaboard territories. It was the most important and important which has been much more than a double surprise.

On Monday the death of Mr. Sumner is to be announced, and on Tuesday it is proposed to consider the veto in the Senate.

The democratic carried the State and can elect a U. S. Senator—and still they can elect a U. S. Senator—and still they can elect a U. S. Senator.

Mr. Chas. C. Wildman, the new captain of the Navy, is a brother of Conductor E. D. Wildman, and was formerly a clerk of Asst. Sup. E. S. Quintard.

The Connecticut State Sunday School Convention is to be held this year at Meriden, May 19, 20, and 21. Much care is being taken by the State Committee to make the exercises of practical value to Sunday School workers.

The election promise at New Haven, next week, parades to be an unusually grand affair. Many of our people will undoubtedly go over for excursion trains are run and properly advertised.

The ladies can find transfer tickets (good for the amount in fine season) at the old Bridge Fish Market, at 50 W. Lockwood. Fred having an eye for eye arts has taken shelling-crowns and gone into business in a small way on his own account.

Some of the "Independent" papers are just now supposing "C. S. P." is the president of the "Hundred Post."

The Borough meeting held on Friday afternoon last was largely attended, and some features about it were rather strange.

The Memorialists have closed their case before the District Investigation Committee. A strong feeling in favor of putting the District Government under a Commission is shown.

There was a two hours cabinet meeting yesterday over the Arkansas troubles. But the improved condition of the gubernatorial scrimmage seemed to render any further anxiety unnecessary.

When the next business was introduced, the resolution to send to the President a letter of remonstrance, the cost of the letter was entirely unprepared to state, and no one present volunteered any information.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Association of the First Congregational Church is to be held on Thursday afternoon, next.

The city meeting held last Wednesday evening, at Military Hall, to act upon the Water question, did not amount to much.

Messrs. Demmon & Newcomb have put in a plan for a new water supply. A meeting was held on Monday, at the residence of Mr. Demmon.

The committee on charter amendments appointed at the last special meeting of the Borough Board, met on Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mr. Demmon.

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Annual meeting of the Norwalk Mills Company, May 11th. Rev. Levi B. Stimson is lecturing on temperance in Indiana.

The Steamer Nelly White commences her trips next Thursday. Sale of Pews in the First M. E. church next Monday evening.

Mr. Jesse Newcomb lies very sick, and his life is despaired of. Barnum is after the pen used by Grant in signing the veto message.

Bishop McFarland has returned from Florida improved in health. Sunday evening services at our churches now commence at 7 1/2 o'clock.

The first circus of the season will arrive in Norwalk on Tuesday, May 3th.

The Summer term of the Misses Brockway's commenced yesterday. The Sabbath School of the First Congregational Church reported last night.

Thinking wanted to amend the Borough charter. None but democrats need apply.

Mr. Alden, Westport, has several desirable houses to rent, furnished and unfurnished. The Spring term of Mr. Olmsted's Normal Academy opens next week Tuesday, May 5th.

The steamship Abyssinia, which Monte Bailey took passage, arrived safely at Queenstown. This is the month of smiles and tears. You see the smiles through the tears, as in a glass, darkly.

Mr. Thayer, agent of Fairbanks & Co., was in town last week, and secured several orders for plumb lines, etc., from the Pacific Iron Works. The parish of the Phoenix Steam Fire Engine Company is about to be repainted and ornamented, at Company expense.

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The Sons of Temperance. The Grand Division, S. of T., held its semi-annual session at Meriden, on Thursday last.

All the officers attended except Grand Sentinel Northrop, of Southport. R. L. Ellis, of Concord, was appointed G. S.

W. P. Davenport read his report, giving an account of work done and the Divisions visited by him. G. Scribner Tucker gave his report, giving the returns from the Divisions and such other matters as needed to be acted upon by the Grand Division.

At the noon recess the members of Hand-in-Hand Division, whose guests the Grand Division was, took the Representatives home with them to dinner. All those who remained to the close, or over night, were a grand affair.

After dinner the early ones at the hall were favored with a song, "Auld Lang Syne," finely rendered by Bro. Redfield, of Meriden. The recess over, matters of interest to the Division were presented and acted upon.

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General Griggs and Thanks. For the country a second Appropriation. He has risen above the ignorance and prejudice of congress and the people of his country. It requires the noble firmness to do this under all the adverse influences which he has had to contend with.

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MUSIC, LANGUAGES, DRAWING AND PAINTING. Teachers: Misses Brockway, Misses Stevens, Misses Brockway.

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FAIRFIELD COUNTY ITEMS.

The Gazette in Westport. Hereafter copies of the GAZETTE can be obtained in Westport at the News Agency of JOHN N. BERRY. Price the same as at the Publication Office, 5 cents.

WESTPORT. Mr. Patrick Tillis, who had been in the employ of Morris Ketchum, Esq. died suddenly at "Hocknunk" on Thursday last in his 66th year.

Frederick Bradley, son of Jesse Bradley Esq. of Saugatuck, has an apple two years old, and likely to keep ten times that period. In the summer of 1872 he fastened a large mouthed bottle over a growing apple, securing the same in its place among the twigs by cords. As the apple developed it was forced within the bottle, in time filling its entire space. In the autumn it was taken in that condition from the tree, was tightly corked, and has remained in tact ever since.

Speaking of apples, the writer has one, a "Greening," which is fourteen years old, originally, the surface of the apple being covered with clove, so closely forced through the rind as to entirely cover it. Some of the clove has now dropped out but the apple in its peppery-dried condition remains and very likely, unless in contact with water may retain its identity for a generation in antiquated fruit Mr. Lewis Bradley is agent of all. He has an orange 27 years old, and, so far as form and color is concerned, is in a perfect state of preservation.

His history is interesting. The orange was given to Miss Marietta A. Bradley, sister of Mr. Bradley, in 1827 by a Mr. Nelson B. Ellis, during a passage from New York to Norwalk on the steamer Fairfield, Capt. Peck. Previous to her decease, Mrs. Bradley gave the orange to her sister Lucy, residing in Newburgh, from which family, four years ago it was sent by express to Westport. It bears the inscription, "The orange presented by Mr. Ellis to M. A. Bradley of Westport, Fairfield county Conn., 1827."

Saturday April 25th 1874 will be memorable in history as having furnished a snow storm from the North East, by way of keeping up the variety in unexpected weather development. Property holders on the line of the depot road who are now throwing back fences and buildings to the commissioners line, and who in one instance have had to pay \$800, benefits to get five dollars damage, and in numerous other instances have submitted to most ridiculous decisions, are deliberating the subject of obtaining photographs of the said Commissioners to hang in their parlors.

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Rev. John K. Williams exchanged pulpits Sunday with Rev. Marvin, of Marblehead, formerly of Weston.

Rev. Dr. Shaw, at one time connected with Memorial Church, took part in a Service there Sunday.

George S. Adams was driven from his potato planting Saturday by the Snow storm.

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Sundays was a terrible bore to growing plants in the vicinity of the depot. Mr. T. F. Croft, of Saugatuck, is suffering from an affliction of the eyes.

The late residence of Mr. O. W. Hotchkiss, owned by Mr. J. E. Wheeler, will be soon moved to a front on River Street, and be enlarged.

A cultiver under the roadway front of Mr. A. E. Harn's premises has been repairing the same for a long time it had been clogged with dirt, forcing the water to run on the surface to the annoyance of travellers.

The moving of Hubbell & Wakemans' Store to the opposite side of the street at Saugatuck, changes the look of things there, and when Mr. J. E. Wheeler shall have completed his grading, fencing, house and barn moving, one will no longer be the place.

DANBURY. John Waters, recently broke a leg in a "playful scuffle." The Washington Jubilee was a pleasant affair, largely attended.

BRIDGEPORT. W. C. Ellison, of New York, is about erecting a handsome block of buildings on Fairfield avenue, four stories high with French roof, to contain three stores on the ground floor. Estimated cost \$25,000.

Mr. Alonzo Acker while playing with his ball recently had his under lip bitten entirely off by the animal. The accident occurred near the corner of Wall and Water streets, and the young man was trying to catch his horse. It was the horse of the circus performers.

Companies B, E, K, 4th Regiment, held a ball last Friday last Friday. Murry's Circus, exhibits to-day. Two men were convicted of an attempt at highway robbery and sent to jail last week.

St. George's Society celebrated Shakespear's birthday by a banquet, on Thursday evening last.

Rev. Mr. De Mille, of Long Hill, has accepted a call to Cherry Valley, N. Y. Trade is represented to be reviving and freighting business is brisk.

Patrick H. Masterson, of Bridgeport recently attempted to shoot his wife, from whom he had parted in New Haven. He was prevented by another woman stepping between them and was afterwards arrested.

STAMFORD. The Alert is the name of the propeller put on the Stamford route by the new Freight company.

Three boys were locked up on Sunday week for drunkenness. The man who recently had his legs cut off by the water mill, and is now at the Naval Hospital. It is thought that he will recover.

The temperance movement is progressing. On Wednesday afternoon the residence of Mr. W. D. Soulelet was entered by a sneak thief, who was carrying off a gold watch valued at \$175.

The Congregational church society voted not to accept the resignation of their pastor, Rev. Mr. Thurston.

The semi-annual session of the Presbytery of Westchester was held last week and was well attended.

Mr. William W. Eaton, of Hartford, and the Hon. William H. Barnum, the present member for the district of representatives from the Fourth District of Connecticut, are brought into prominence just now as probable candidates to succeed Senator Buckingham.

The New York Tribune is authority for the assertion that the first named gentleman will receive the support of General Grant in this contest.

General Hawley still claims to be a Republican, although the newspaper which is known as his home organ sometimes assails that party. The Tribune has blundered, no doubt, but it is an excusable blunder under the circumstances.

Sad Death of a Bride. BROOKLYN, April 22.—Last night a wedding occurred at East Meadow, L. I., and a young bride, who was a beautiful girl, and beautiful girl, was placed in a carriage to be driven home. Her husband was preparing to enter the carriage, when some one from the back of the carriage, and dashed down the street. In rounding a curve the carriage fell from the high way, and the bride was killed.

The proprietor of the Mansion House, Litchfield, discharged a colored waiter recently, and having had many years experience in the business, he was recommended to the proprietor of the Mansion House, Litchfield, who was hereby aroused so that he struck his employer and a mole ensued, in which a constable, sheriff and three negroes were involved.

School Attendance in Connecticut. The Connecticut School Journal says that the average attendance in the State for the year ending in the month of April, was 75 per cent.

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GO TO UHLE'S DRUG STORE. If you want a Chance to Get Four Large Bottles of Laundry Blueing for 25 cents; Macilage for 10 cents; Fine Writing Paper at 12 cents per bottle; and Go as soon as you can before that Job Lot is gone.

A Full Line of Popular Patent Medicines, Pressed Herbs, Medicinal Preparations, H. L. UHLE, No 11 MAIN STREET.

NEW LAUNDRY! The subscriber has established a Laundry in the Hat Shop lately occupied by C. T. Rowe, on South Avenue, and having had many years experience in the business, he is confident of giving satisfaction to all who may entrust their work to his hands.

DR. W. A. LOCKWOOD Has Removed His Office from 75 South Avenue to 125 South Avenue, opposite the Old Store, at the corner of South Avenue and E. P. Wood's Drug Store.

PLANTS! PLANTS!! All kinds of Cabbage, Lettuce, Tomato, Cauliflower, Pepper, Egg Plants and Celery Plants, by the dozen or hundred. A liberal discount to dealers.

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