

**Personal and Pertinent.**

Secretary Rusk should have his forthcoming book on cattle bound in calf.

Sir Julian Pauncefote is an inveterate cigarette smoker. That ends his popularity here.

Lord Randolph Churchill has gone to Paris, having failed to catch any salmon in Norway.

Vice-President Morton has been trying to find something to do in Washington. His efforts are fruitless.

Saratoga has been rejoicing in the presence of Senator Everts. Senator Hancock sticks close to the White House.

Secretary Blaine will spend a large part of the summer at Bar Harbor. But it is not cool enough now in Washington for him.

It is said that the new Duchess of Portland had a very economical trousseau. As she is six feet tall this may have been necessary.

James Jackson, who was a candidate for the office of District-Attorney of the Northern District of Alabama, has gone crazy because of his failure to obtain the place.

Andrew Carnegie is in London getting up a dinner for Gladstone. Some of Carnegie's employees in this country are hungry for a dinner. Is this triumphant democracy?

It is rumored that George Augustus Sala has declined an offer of knighthood. Sala is a queer newspaper man. He objects to being a knight editor, probably because he is too old.

Conductor Harry Mulliner, who took Mrs. Harrison to Cape May was the conductor on the first train of cars that ran from Camden to Cape May over twenty-five years ago. He should have a government office.

President Harrison insisted upon paying the fare of his wife and party from Washington to Cape May. He said that the Interstate Commerce law made this necessary. But the law does not cover junking expeditions on the revenue cutter, Despatch.

Says a Washington journal: "The impression has gone abroad that this is a very delicious administration. A number of clever hypocrites have taken to dressing like ministers and writing religious sentiments on their cards. They try this especially on Private Secretary Halford, who is a very serious, devout and reverential sort of a fellow."

King Mataafa of Samoa, will soon receive a useful present from this country. The commandant at the Mare Island (Cal.) Navy-Yard has been ordered by the Navy Department to have built a whaleboat of the finest material and workmanship. Its construction will take about six weeks. When it is finished it will be sent to Apia in care of three officers, survivors of the recent disaster in the harbor of Apia. They will bear a letter of thanks and gratitude from President Harrison to the Samoan King.

Five Indians recently appeared as witnesses in a land case at Los Angeles, Cal. one of whom, Juan Sabera, claimed to be one hundred and twenty years old, and said he was twelve years of age when the San Gabriel Mission was founded. Another of the quintet was Juan Camila, whose years number one hundred and fifteen. The other members of the group were San Francisco Apache, one hundred and five; Ramon Largo, one hundred and four, and Harahisjo Cobojo, who was a mere boy of eighty.

Doorkeeper Loeffler, of the White House, has a wonderful memory. He was with Stanton at the time of Lincoln's assassination, and during the trials of 1869 was ordered to the White House for the duties he is still performing. His recollection of faces is remarkable. "You called on Mr. Garfield," or "I remember you during the Hayes regime," he will sometimes say to a man he has seen but once, and that years ago. He can tell a "crank" by sight and sometimes saves the president a great deal of annoyance by his acuteness.

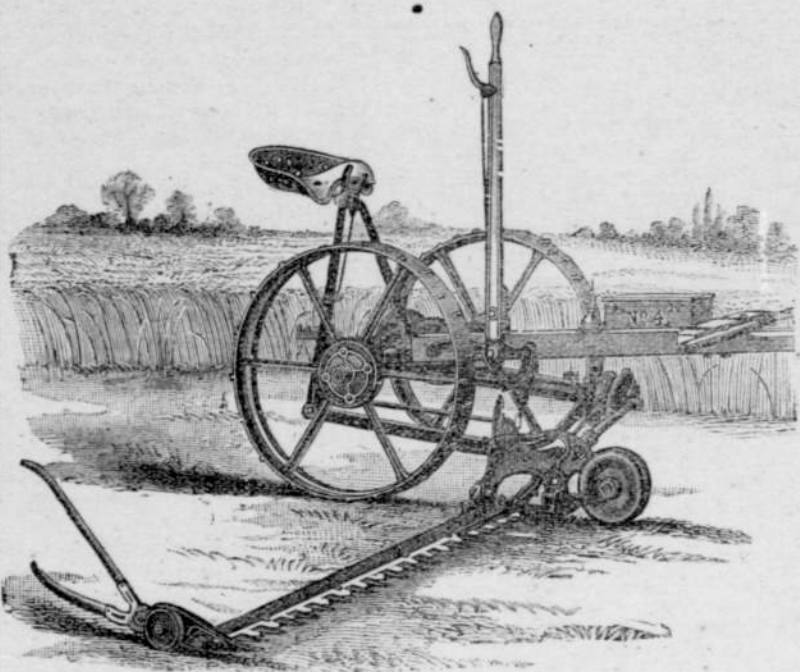
Lon Allen Sprint is the name of Baltimore's musical prodigy. She is only three and a half years old but her piano-playing is wonderful. She plays entirely from ear, and the discovery of her accomplishment was made by a toy piano. Her little hands are so small that she cannot execute in detail the music that arises in her mind, but her improvising is very remarkable, nevertheless. She has never had any instruction in music, and her genius has had to work out its own salvation. Baltimoreans claim that Josef Hofmann is nothing compared with Lon Allen Sprint.

Says the Philadelphia Inquirer: "The election of Co. Calvin S. Brice to the chairmanship of the democratic national committee is likely to promote an already prominent Pennsylvanian into increased prominence in the councils of the party. Capt. William McClelland, of Pittsburg, who was Col. Brice's secretary and right-hand man during the last campaign, while he was chairman of the executive committee, will likely be raised to the full secretaryship. Capt. McClelland was chairman of the Pennsylvania state committee during the campaigns of 1870 and 1877."

Princess Metternich of Austria will soon visit Paris. This is important news for Paris. The Princess is the wildest, most dangerous, brilliant, sarcastic and fascinating woman in Europe. She does the most eccentric things—to use a gentle adjective—and society applauds. To her is due the introduction of the circus among people of leisure. She is fond of smoking a pipe, and as she increases in years is more and more dependent on tobacco for consolation. She speaks a number of languages fluently, even the profane. Altogether she is the most picturesque woman in Europe.

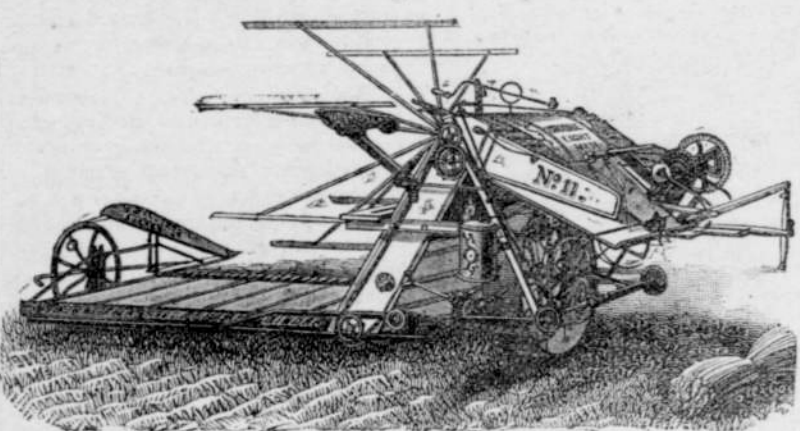
Positively the oldest living Mason in the world has been discovered. He is Robert L. Chester, of Tennessee, one of the Cleveland electors in 1884. He was born in Tennessee in July, 1793, and will complete his ninety-sixth year next month. He joined the Masonic order in Tennessee in 1814, when he was twenty-one years of age. He is still an enthusiastic member. Mr. Chester served in the war of 1812. He was a slaveholder, and he and his sons owned 115 negroes. Mr. Chester carried the presidential vote of Tennessee in 1884 to the president of the senate at Washington. He is still strong and energetic, though he has the rheumatism now and then.

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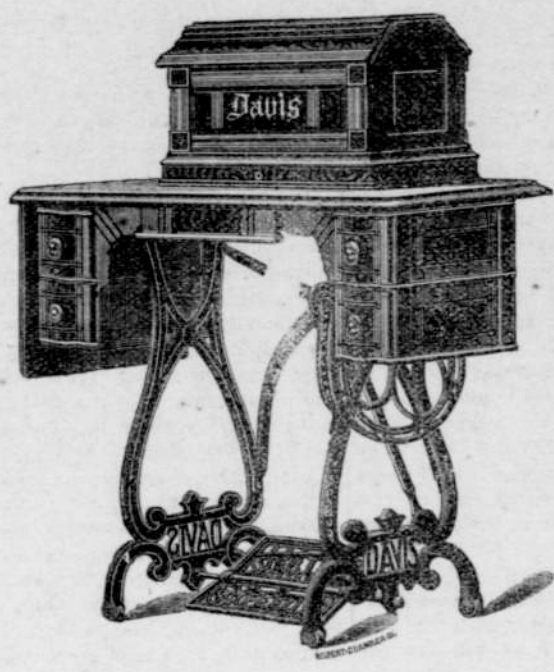
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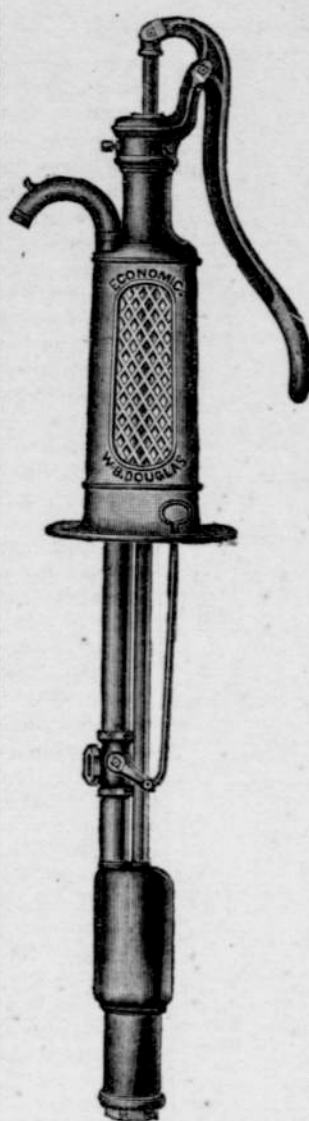
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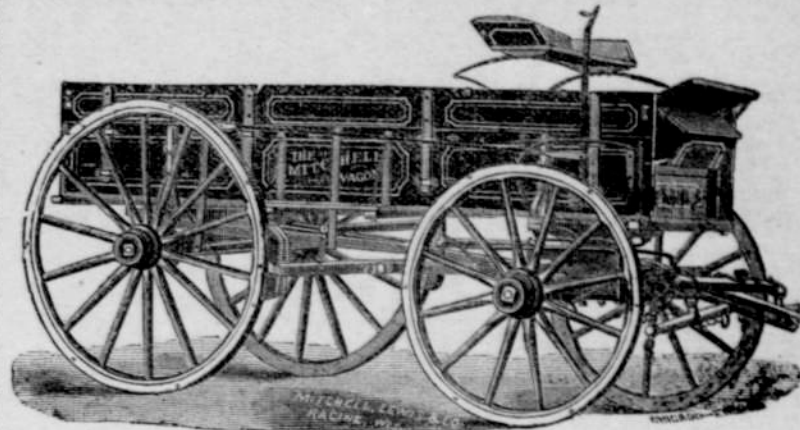
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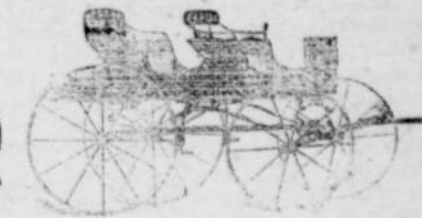
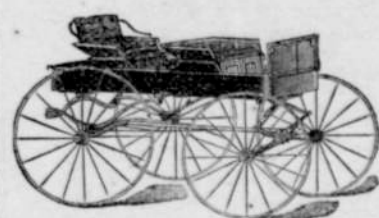
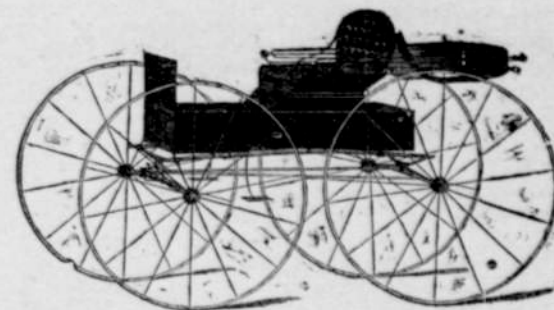
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A plat of this growing addition can be seen at Jas. Fletcher & Co.'s and J. I. Knight & Co., where all further information and price of lots and blocks will be furnished. Also at office of Barnekoff & Co., McMinnville Flouring Mills.

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