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WE NOW OCCUPY the rooms in the LaBue building where we will be prepared to do dressmaking as heretofore. Miss W. H. MERRITT, 5-9.

FOR SALE—Profiled buckwheat seed, early Three and Pea beans, Honey, and brood sow with five pigs. P. C. LEE, 1/2 miles north of Cass City. 4-29-4.

REAL ESTATE—Farm lands and village lots for sale. J. L. HITCHCOCK, 4-29-4.

REAL ESTATE—80 acres for sale, one-half cleared and seeded to clover. Nine miles east. Price, \$1,000 on time. Also house and lot in town. Price, \$300 on time. DR. McLEAN, 4-29-4.

FOR SALE—Good work horse, 4 yrs. old. Terms to suit purchaser. T. A. CONLON, 4-22.

FOR SALE—One new platform Howe scale. Also one second hand platform Buffalo scale. Inquire of G. A. STEVENSON. 4-22.

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SALE OR EXCHANGE—Will sell or exchange in part payment on a piece of land, a house, lot and stock of Millinery. Good location. Inquire at this office. 4-8.

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SHINGLES and brick for sale by J. L. Hitchcock. 3-25.

FOR SALE—40 acres at \$10 per acre, on time. Being half of Burt 80, in Greenleaf. 1-22. DR. McLEAN.

MONEY to loan on real estate. E. H. PINNEY, 12-18.

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We Solicit Your Orders. Respectfully, WITTERS BROS.

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Fresh Fish once a week at Winegar's Meat Market.

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Try Dullman's Great German 25 cent Cough Cure at Fritz Bros.

A RARE CHANCE. A rare chance is given the farmers of Northwestern Tuscola to breed to the famous horse Roland, owned by Wm. N. West, of Caro, as he is at Elmwood P. O. every Monday forenoon. 5-20-3.

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CASS CITY MARKETS.

RECORDED EVERY THURSDAY NOON.

Wheat, No. 1 white.....	83
Wheat, No. 2, white.....	78
do No. 2 red.....	84
do No. 3 red.....	79
Oats.....	24 @ 30
Beans hand-picked.....	10 @ 120
do un-picked.....	70 @ 100
Potatoes.....	@ 18
Rye.....	@ 70
Barley.....	80 @ 110
Clover seed.....	@ 400
Peas per bushel.....	36 @ 45
Buckwheat.....	25 @ 35
Pork, live weight.....	35 @ 425
Pork, dressed.....	45 @ 500
Butter.....	roll 12
Eggs.....	12
Wool, unwashed.....	1 1/2 @ 20
Wool, washed.....	20 @ 30

Caught On The Fly.

Prof. T. A. Conlon was in Caro on Saturday last.

Miss Ella Bader spent Sunday with friends in Caro.

Mrs. Jno. Castle, new of Caro, was in town last Monday.

C. D. Striffler has bought a driving horse from G. A. Striffler.

N. Gable, of Unionville, was with friends in town on Decoration Day.

Mrs. Walters visited friends in Brookfield the latter part of last week.

Shrewd buyers will not overlook the new ad of C. D. Striffler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pinney were visitors in Caro Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Dottie Leonard, of Bad Axe, is visiting her young friends in town this week.

Miss Libbie Randall, of Unionville, is visiting her parents and friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Brown, of Cumber, visited their daughter, Mrs. E. F. Marr, last Friday.

James Reagh has moved his electrical equipment to the rooms over Schwaderer & Ellis's store.

Mrs. Rev. W. L. Baker will leave next week for a visit with her parents and brother in Ohio.

C. W. McPhail, E. H. Pinney and D. P. Deming made a "flying trip" to Gagetown last Saturday.

The grangers of Sheridan have purchased an organ from W. J. Cloakey for use in their hall.

Mrs. A. W. Seed and children left Tuesday morning for an extended visit at Pt. Edward, Ont.

H. C. Weydemeyer is in town at present, being called here by the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. O. A. Briggs and daughters have returned to Cass City and occupy their residence on Grant street.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist Church will meet at the residence of Mrs. E. P. Smith on Wednesday, June 8th.

E. B. Landon and L. A. DeWitt were in Caro last Saturday attending a meeting of the soldier's relief committee.

This week we have placed time boxes in the stores of C. D. Striffler and 2 Macks 2. You are at liberty to "stuff the ballot box."

Mrs. P. S. McGregory left Wednesday morning for Danville, Pa., her parental home, where she will visit for some time. She was accompanied as far as Detroit by Mr. McGregory.

Considerable wool is being brought to town this week. There are two buyers in the market—A. G. Berney and Wm. Fairweather—and the farmers are receiving a fair price their wool.

There was to be a game of ball on the afternoon of Decoration Day, between picked nines from the north and south sides of Main street. Rain prevailed and the game has been postponed to some future date.

Lorenzo Hopkins has sold his house and lot on Church street to T. A. Conlon, and will move with his family to Oscoda county the latter part of this month. We understand that Mr. Conlon offers this property for sale.

The usefulness of hand grenades was practically demonstrated the fore part of the week when a "right smart" of a blaze started in H. S. Wickware's wagon shop. The fire was caused by the upsetting of an oil lamp, which ignited a pile of shavings and a quantity of linned oil. It was gaining dangerous headway, when a hand grenade, which was hanging in the shop, was brought into use and the fire quickly extinguished.

The question is often asked why is not a summer school held here. There are many teachers and others in this part of the county who would like to be able to review and become more proficient in the courses of study, and a school of several weeks duration would, we believe, be well attended and profitable to its promoters. Board can be had at reasonable rates, and this point would be very accessible from the three counties.

John Schwaderer is numbered with the sick this week.

H. Daugherty, of Marlette, was in the city last Friday.

Jacob Fry, of Saginaw, spent the fore part of the week in town.

Landlord Gordon was a caller at the county capital last Saturday.

Wm. Wallace, of Cumber, is laid up with a broken arm, occasioned by falling from a building.

Rev. E. Collins, of Detroit, and Miss Morse, of Gagetown, were guests at Hough Cottage the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fairweather were in Inlay City yesterday in attendance at the funeral of the latter's sister, Miss Nettie Clapp.

The supply of rain seems to be inexhaustible. Crops on the high lands are having a good growth, but those on the low lands in some places are nearly inundated.

The Toledo fruit tree men report having sold \$1,600 worth of trees in this vicinity. They are now at Bad Axe. Robert Walmsley is in the employ of the company.

Rev. Williamson delivered a very interesting discourse last Sunday morning in observance of Memorial Day. The church was well filled, the G. A. R. post attending in a body.

Henry Edwards, of Komoka, Ontario, is here on business connected with his loans, etc. He will take his mother back with him for a visit. Mr. Edwards is the well known cancer doctor of Ontario.

The organization of a Democratic Club was effected Tuesday night with the following officers: President, G. S. Farrar; Vice-Pres., J. D. Crosby; Secretary, A. H. Ale; Treasurer, E. H. Pinney. Meetings will be held the first and third Monday evenings of each month.

David Leslie, of Evergreen, brought into our office last week a stalk of barley, headed out and 16 inches long. He says that he has a field of this kind of grain that will average as good as this specimen. Heber Howell, of Elmwood, came into our office Wednesday, not to horse-whip the editor but to show an apple tree sprout of one year's growth, which measured 5 feet 11 inches. This is a remarkable growth. Either of the above can be seen at our office.

Two young boys, of Caro, who had no doubt been studying dime novels, wended their way to this place last week Thursday and proceeded to "do" the town. Their first movement was to repair to the store of Howe & Bigelow, where they helped themselves to a revolver and a few pocket knives, after which they "held up" some of the boys of their own age, and finally went to the depot and took possession of a drummer's grip. The owner of the grip suspected the boys, who had started for Caro, and telephoned the sheriff, who upon their arrival took them into custody and sent back the stolen articles. The older boy has been sent to the reform school for five years, and the other being under age, escaped with a parental punishment.

The editor of the Vassar Times allows his mind to wander as follows: "In our short experience in Vassar the Times office has been taken for several different articles. The first deluded person was a gentleman who inquired "Is this the postoffice?" second was a man, who after looking over our smallest job press, asked "What do you charge for a sewing machine like that? my wife never had one," and on several occasions we have been thought to resemble a meat market. All these we have been able to explain satisfactorily, but what answer could we make to a lady who very recently called, taking our print shop for a lively stable, and insisted on us telling her our charges to drive her two or three miles into the country? LATER: As we go to press, a lady comes to the door and asks if we keep knives and forks here.

Every town has its advantages and should make the most of them, says an exchange. Every town is peculiarly fitted for some enterprise more than another, and as soon as it is ascertained what would be the most conducive to the growth and prosperity of the place the citizens should take hold of the matter and push it for all there is in it. One man cannot make a town. The newspaper cannot do it. But one man or a newspaper with the help of the wide awake men of the place, all pulling together, can make a wide difference in a place. Every man who succeeds in a place is a help to it. The more money he makes, if he spends it, the better for the whole community. The larger business he holds up, the more he advertises, the more attention is called to the town. A man cannot build up and honorable business in a town without helping the town. A town cannot build up without helping the country. The interest of one is the interest of all.

Caro proposes to make the eagle scream on July 4th.

Allen Bickford is working on the farm of Oscar Wood.

Daniel Dickson, of Caseville, was in the city on Monday.

A select circle witnessed some interesting tableaux at Hough Cottage on Monday.

J. M. Tylor, of Grand Rapids, is in the city looking after the Howard Furnace business.

James Ardell, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of Miss Mollie Ormsby the fore part of the week.

E. H. Pinney is removing the fence from around his premises on Segar street and improving his lawn.

The dance given by J. W. Gordon in the riot Monday evening was largely attended. Good order was maintained and all seem to enjoy themselves exceedingly.

Wallace Greenleaf, of Cumber, was not fooled the first day of April, but a mischievous old school hen has since fooled him by not hatching out "nary an egg" that was placed under her on that day.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.—The following is a list of advertised letters remaining in the postoffice at Cass City, Mich., for the week ending June 4th, 1892: Ida Vanooman, H. B. Webber and John Sinclair.

Persons calling for above will please say "Advertised." A. W. SEED, P. M.

Caro Advertiser: "Bro." Willis completed his labor here last Sunday, and has doubtless accomplished good. He is honest and earnest in his talks, but we think that his blunt, outspoken way of getting at a point which he wishes to make, was better understood toward the last, and more considerably received. The next time he comes he will doubtless be able to accomplish still more good.

Henry Butler, J. W. Muma, S. Ale, Jas. McArthur, L. M. Howey, M. Beach and D. P. Deming were the delegates from this township to the Peoples' party convention held at Caro Tuesday. D. P. Deming was chosen as the delegate from this township to the state convention at Lansing, June 16th, and Henry Butler to the congressional convention at Saginaw. "No fusion!" was one of the resolutions of the delegates present.

By request we publish the following clipping taken from the Detroit Tribune's report of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, recently held at Portland, Oregon: A resolution was adopted saying "Our church holds that the inspired word as it came from God is without error. The vow of ordination recognizes that the bible is the only infallible rule of faith and practice," and it was recommended that those officers of the church who have ceased to hold this view should seek a congenial place outside of the denomination without waiting for discipline.

The rain interfered with the decoration Day program to a considerable extent this year—in fact it was necessary to dispense with the out door ceremonies but the program in the hall was nicely carried out as published. Rev. C. E. Clark, the orator of the day, is an earnest and pleasing speaker and commanded good attention during his forty-five minutes talk. Most excellent vocal music was rendered by a choir composed of Messrs Laing and Ale, and Mesdames McLean and James, with Miss Kate McClinton organist. The cornet band gave several selections appropriate for the occasion. A large number of people from the surrounding country were in attendance.

The Bad Axe Democrat relates how a clerk of that place didn't attend a wedding at Elkton, and got on the wrong road and came to Cass City: "A clerk in one of our leading stores, mounted his "safety" Wednesday morning at ten o'clock and started for Elkton, fourteen miles distant to attend a wedding. Notwithstanding the fact that he had been carefully instructed as to which road to take, yet when he got at Popple he made the same mistake that anyone would who was making their first trip over the route, and naturally took the road that leads to Cass City twenty-two miles distant, instead of the one that leads to Elkton. After two hours had elapsed he began to think that the fourteen miles from Bad Axe to Elkton were the longest he had ever seen, and stopping at a farm house to learn something definite of his whereabouts, he was quite surprised to hear that he was only two miles from Cass City and seventeen from Elkton. It then being too late for him to reach the intended destination in time for the ceremony, he went to Cass City where he remained just long enough to eat dinner and then started back, reaching here at half past two, covering a distance of forty-four miles in the time mentioned. For a day or two he felt a trifle sore over his failure to attend the wedding and from the effects of his over exertion."

Mrs. C. D. Striffler is visiting in Flint.

Miss Etta Tennant is at present calling on her many friends in this vicinity.

Robt. McIntyre is assisting in C. D. Striffler's store this week.

Delbert Schenk left for Paines, Saginaw county, Tuesday morning, where he has secured a situation with a lumbering company.

Mrs. G. R. Coleman attended matins and evensong at Grace Church, Gagetown, on Sunday, and visited at the residences of Messrs Morse and Coon.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, who live in the rooms over Howey's tin shop, fell from the platform to the ground Wednesday, and was quite badly hurt internally. It is wonderful that the child was not killed. Tight railings should be placed around platforms—that small children have access to.

The change proposed in the ritual of the Methodist Church at the Winchester, Maryland, conference in striking the word "obey" from the marriage service has excited a good deal of comment and some criticism. There is no reason why the change should be greeted with anything but unqualified approval. It is a change in the right direction, an elimination of a meaningless form. There may have been a time when the bride regarded herself assuming the obligation of obedience; but it is no longer thus.—[Free Press.

Miss Irene Pinney will give an elocutionary entertainment at the Town Hall, Friday evening, June 10th, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church. As will be seen below, the program will be interspersed with vocal and instrumental music:

1. Quartette—Messrs Laing and Ale, Mesdames James and McLean.
2. Fishing.
3. The Leak in the Dike.
4. Cornet Solo—M. Kirby.
5. A Day in the Woods.
6. How he saved St. Michael's.
7. Vocal Solo—A. H. Ale.
8. Next Morning.
9. Instrumental Solo—Miss Kate McClinton.
10. College "Off Cans."

All will spend a pleasant evening and also help swell the treasury of the Ladies' Aid.

As there was some difference of opinion between the physicians in regard to the case of our late lamented townsman, Henry Robinson, Sr., a specimen of the deceased portion of the stomach and liver was sent to Ann Arbor for microscopical analysis, and the following letter has been received by Dr. McClinton: "The specimen from the liver did not harden readily, hence the delay. The specimens from both stomach and liver shows the disease to have been scirrhus carcinoma, (hard cancer.) It is not often that this variety of cancer runs its course so rapidly, but it is highly probable that the growth existed for some time before any urgent symptoms presented. It is quite probable, almost certain, that the stomach was primarily effected, then the liver became invaded by secondary infection."

A meeting of the township board was held on Tuesday. There were present Reid, Wales, Landon and Tennant. Bills were allowed as follows: I. K. Reid, \$75; John Benkelman, \$10; N. Biglow, \$10; H. Stewart, \$0c. It was not deemed advisable to purchase a grader this year. The highway commissioner was authorized to purchase an iron bridge to be put across center drain, between sections 28 and 29. The clerk was also authorized to place shelves in his office for holding books, etc. It was voted not to allow the chairs to be taken from the town hall under any consideration. James Tennant, the present clerk, owing to his duties at his store, tendered his resignation, which was accepted, and I. H. Hunt was appointed in his stead. The resignation will take effect June 15th. The report of committee to the soldiers' relief committee at Caro, was accepted, after which the board adjourned.

The most comprehensive article in the June number of the Review of Reviews is entitled "Our Indian Problem and How we are Solving it." It goes straight at the heart of the topic and explains just what the new Indian policy means and how it is being carried out. It is an optimistic article, and predicts the early transformation of the Indian population into a creditable element of American citizenship. It is strikingly illustrated not only with portraits of Senator Dawes, Gen. Morgan, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs; Gen. Armstrong, the head of the Hampton Institute; Captain Pratt, of the Carlisle Indian school; Mr. Herbert Welch, the Indian reformer, and Superintendent Meserve, of Haskell Institute, but also with numerous groups and portraits of Indians, showing how life and training in the new industrial institutes is transforming the younger generation of our Indian population. This article may be commended to all those who would like to know the true outlines of the Indian question up to date.

Landon, Eno & Keating received two car loads of dry pine lumber this week.

The Maccabees of Pinnebog are as energetic and enthusiastic a lot of people as we have ever had the pleasure of mingling with. Their quarters becoming too small for their rapidly increasing hive, they repaired to the now quite little town of Pt. Crescent on the shore, and effected the purchase at a nominal price, of a large store building, which had been built but a short time, but at the subsidence of the boom fell into disuse and the owner was anxious to dispose of it. During the winter months following the purchase the bees swarmed around it in large numbers with hammer and saw, team and sled, and when Old Winter had given away to spring the building had been transferred from its home at the seaside to Pinnebog soil, a distance of six miles, and put together in even better shape than formerly. The bees, jubilant over their success, now prepared to dedicate their new and commodious hive, and accordingly sent for Great King Bee, Roynnton, and two other leading lights of the order, of Pt. Huron, to furnish "speech," and the Cass City Band, music, on the occasion.

The dedicatory exercises which were held last week Thursday were interesting and well attended, and the receipts from dinner and dance will aid considerably in paying for the hall. The band report good usage while there. They came home on the installment plan—one load the same evening and morning, and the other the following forenoon.

The load that started for Cass City through the rain, mud and darkness, got lost, and despite the ability of the experienced (?) driver to "drive home if it was as dark as a stack of blackcats," it was necessary for "Charley" to arouse a tired and sleepy farmer to ascertain which was the north end of the house so that they might get their "bearing." They arrived home in time for breakfast.

Mr. Lyman Heard From.

In response to a marked copy of the ENTERPRISE sent J. S. Lyman a few weeks ago, wherein was published an article from the Bad Axe Democrat charging him with defrauding citizens of Grant township, we receive the below letter. While the charges preferred by the Democrat are not very convincingly contradicted in this epistle, yet we publish it verbatim and our readers can draw their own conclusions:

Waverly, Virginia, May 23, 1892

Editor ENTERPRISE:

Dear Sir—Marked copy at hand. The charge brought against me by the Bad Axe Democrat is false as can be easily seen. I think as some of those numerous persons so seriously injured would have gone to the expense of a letter to Cass City, as my wife and family are there. I do not see that any explanation is necessary. Thanking you for your kindness, I remain,

Yours Etc.

J. S. LYMAN,

A Challenge.

We, who do business on the north side of Main street, hereby challenge those who do business on the south side, to a friendly game of ball, game to be called Monday, June 13th, at 3 o'clock sharp, (not 4 o'clock,) losing side to pay for the ball.

M. KIRBY J. H. McINTYRE
CHAS. STEVENSON E. F. MARR
WM. H. HEBBLEWHITE A. W. WOOD
C. S. SEED CAL ALE
C. W. MCPHAIL

CASS CITY BANK.

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CAPITAL, \$30,000.

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the security is at least three times in value the loan required, and all other conditions favorable, I can loan money on improved farms at 7 per cent, with a reasonable amount for commission and expenses paid at the time loan is made. We will draw a mortgage so you can make a payment each year, which is a great advantage to the borrower.

If you desire to send money to any foreign country, we can do the business for you to your entire satisfaction.

Money to loan on any reasonable security for long or short time, in small or large amounts to suit purchaser.

C. W. MCPHAIL,

MICHIGAN NEWS.

TWO MEN DROWNED BY COLLISION IN DETROIT RIVER.

The Steamer Mackinac Runs Into the Tug Washburne at Night Throwing Two Men Overboard—By Rare Presence of Mind Four Other Lives are Saved.

John H. Hurley and Engineer Robison were drowned in Detroit river by a collision between the steamer City of Mackinac and the tug Washburne about midnight Saturday. Mr. Hurley is a member of the well-known firm of J. & T. Hurley, vessel owners, trucking agents and coal dealers, of this city. Robison was chief engineer of the steamer Majestic, owned by the Hurleys. The tug had on board besides the two drowned Capt. Burns, Engineer Horn, and two members of the crew. The tug had taken Mr. Hurley to the Mackinac side, where he was to be taken to Detroit with coal, and when he had finished his business with the captain the tug started for its dock, taking Engineer Robison on board. Suddenly Capt. Horn saw a number of lights directly ahead, and before he could get away the big black hull of the Mackinac loomed up directly in front. Full steam was given but the crash came and Mr. Hurley and Mr. Robison, who were seated on the deck forward, were thrown into the water and Capt. Horn was thrown through the pilot house into the river. The latter managed to board the tug and with the aid of the engineer and fireman ran her to beach on the Canadian side, when it was seen that she would soon go down, thus saving all on board. All possible search was made for the drowned men without success. Those on the tug, which was almost submerged, were chilled through when found by a yawl sent out by the Mackinac.

GOT IT IN THE NECK.

A probably fatal shooting scrape ends a quarrel over a girl. Elmer, alias William Carr, a cigar-maker, shot Gen. Witzel in White's saloon at Ionia. Both attended a dance the night before and after having quarreled over a girl had a fight, Carr getting the worst of it. He threatened to shoot Witzel. He found him in the saloon and attempted to get a knife from behind the bar. Being prevented from doing so he went outside and bought a revolver in a hardware store next door. A few minutes later he came into the saloon. Witzel told him if he was satisfied he would go out in the yard and settle it. Carr stepped toward the front door, turned and fired at Witzel, the ball entering the front of his neck and glancing over the shoulder, lodged in Witzel's back, where it was found and recovered an hour later. Doubt is expressed of his recovery. Carr served two terms at the state house of correction in 1887 and 1888 for resisting an officer and for assault and battery. Both are 29 years of age. After the shooting no attempt was made by bystanders to detain Carr and he ran north over the hill. Two hours later he was found hiding in the woods two miles from the city by Constable Lee Bull and jailed.

TAXING INDIAN LANDS.

The Isabella County Reservation the Subject of Contentions. For several days prosecuting Attorney Sanford of Isabella county has been engaged at the state library in bringing an important case which will be heard in the supreme court next month. The Indian lands on the reservation in that county are classed as "competent" and "incompetent." The attorneys for the owners of the latter claim that as the patents on these lands except by the consent of the superior court, and that they are not subject to state or county taxation. The matter was before the auditor general in 1874, who, upon the advice of Attorney General Marston held them subject to taxation the same as other lands, and they have been so treated. But some of them being returned to department recently as delinquents, Attorney General Stone filed his petition in the Isabella circuit court for the sales with other lands for taxes, and Judge Hart held them not subject to taxation. The county appeals the case.

This spring weather is having a bad effect on lambs—say our correspondents.

Wm. Dodge, who was arrested for the murder of School at Chesaning, is now a free man, the jury in his case being out all night and reporting they could not agree. This is the second time a jury has failed to agree in his case.

Last fall Saginaw made a great hurrah about capturing the Warren cigar factory. Mr. Warren was found that doing business in Saginaw and doing business in Flint were two different things. He is moving his entire plant back to Flint and is now running again.

The mutilated remains of J. Nosky, a locomotive engineer on the Canadian Pacific railway, were found on the track one mile east of Cheimsford. Friday was pay day and it is thought he was murdered for his money. In this the murderer or murderers were followed, as Nosky on receiving his pay sent it to his wife who lives at the Canadian "goos."

By order of the government Light-house board notice is given that the tower on the east pier at the entrance to Fairport Harbor, mouth of the Grand river, Lake Erie, has been moved 117 feet to the northward of its former position, and the light is now exhibited at a point 27 feet from the outer end of the east pier.

A boy unable to converse intelligently, dressed in blue jeans, black pants and heavy boots, applied to the hospital at the state university for admission. There was a chain about 10 feet long attached to his person. He was turned over to the child authorities who have since cared for and are holding him for identification.

TOMPKINS SUICIDES.

A Bay City Scandal Ends in a Sad Suicide.

The Ellsworth-Tompkins scandal in Bay City had a tragic page added to it by the suicide of Frederick W. Tompkins, the plaintiff in the famous corpus case against Warren Ellsworth for \$15,000 damages for alienation of his wife's affections. The deceased has been worrying ever since the suit was begun. His place of employment he brooded over the unpleasant state of affairs at his home, often remarking to his shopmate that he wished he might not wake up again after going to bed.

Yesterday he ate breakfast with unconcern. When one of his daughters started to go to work he went to the front door and kissed her, which was something unusual. Miss Tompkins thought nothing of it, however, attributing his affection to his changed condition of mind. After his daughter's departure Tompkins went up stairs and taking a bottle of carbolic acid, swallowed the contents.

His groans brought his family to his side, and two doctors were summoned, but they could do nothing, and the deceased having passed away before their arrival. Judge Perrot, who impelled a jury to hold an inquest, found a square envelope in his pocket, on one side of which was written: "To the People. Don't persecute my children for my faults. I have done this myself. Oh, Green, God help you. Your object for money. My blood will tell you so. God be merciful to me a sinner. F. W. TOMPKINS."

This message was illuminated with a blood mark under the word "blood," and Orren was inclosed in black lines as if in mourning. The Orren is Orren Ryerse, Mrs. Tompkins' brother. Tompkins' tragic ending is said to be directly attributable to Ryerse's conduct. Suspecting that intimate relations existed between Ellsworth and Mrs. Tompkins, (Ryerse's sister) he secured the services of a constable, with whom he laid in wait about the Tompkins residence. After watching for nearly a week the pair saw Ellsworth enter the house. After waiting a reasonable period they entered the building, it is alleged, and breaking into an apartment found Ellsworth and Mrs. Tompkins in a compromising position. Ryerse struck Ellsworth and demanded a settlement forthwith. The latter refused to come to terms, whereupon Ryerse went to the woman's husband, told him what he had seen and urged the latter to bring suit for damages. The scandal has undoubtedly unsettled Tompkins' mind.

AROUND THE STATE.

Forty cents an hour is the price paid lumber shovers at Ontonagon and not enough men can be had at even that price. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad will build a line to Escanaba and erect large steel works there. A line will be built from Ludington to Big Rapids, local and Milwaukee capitalists being the projectors of the scheme.

The State Agricultural society has issued its program for the state fair Sept. 13 to 17. Good sized purses will be hung up. Miss Nellie Gilbert, of Bay City, sustained severe injuries while attempting to jump off a street car while it was in motion.

Game Warden Flaherty, of Iron Mountain, has sworn out a complaint charging Lewis Tremontine with the killing of six robins contrary to law. The business of C. Y. Randolph, an electrician of Saginaw, who has left the city after a two months' residence. Lucas Zettica and Antoine Gorelic were run over and killed by a passing train at Houghton, while walking on the Calumet St. Hecla railroad. The former was badly mutilated.

A coroner at Iron Mountain declined to fish a "boater" out of the river because it had drifted from the Wisconsin shore. He notified the latter officials and calmly watched them recover and sit on it. The barge Leader was overloaded with lumber at Alpena and rolled at her dock, partially filling with water. A portion of her deck load was removed. She was pumped out and cleared.

The fish hatchery at the Soo has been closed until September. The product this spring was 15,000,000 white fish, 170,000 brook trout and 200,000 salmon trout, all of which were planted in northern peninsula waters. While Cadet W. W. Waterman, of Detroit, was in charge of the mounted artillery squad at Orchard Lake his horse reared and fell backward. Waterman's leg caught under the pommet of the saddle and was broken below the knee.

The side-wheel steam Milton D. Ward, which has been out of commission for a number of years, was taken to the lower dry-dock in Detroit. It is reported that she is to be fitted out and sent to the St. Lawrence river for service. The United States steamship Michigan arrived at Detroit and anchored at her old holding ground. She was on her way to Chicago, where she will remain until a complete survey is made of the lake front between the harbor and Jackson park.

Postmaster Briggs, of Grand Rapids, received a letter from Geo. M. Dyer & Son, of Bandon, Oregon, inquiring for friends of J. P. Train, formerly of Michigan. Train was murdered a few months ago on his farm near Bandon. He leaves \$2,500 worth of property, which will go to the state unless heirs are found. Joseph Dunnebacke, formerly of Detroit, died on his farm Ypsilanti near here of glanders. He bought a horse some time ago suffering from the disease, from which in time infected every other horse, cow and pig on the place, even the barn yard fowls contracting it. About a week ago he developed symptoms of the disease, and after much suffering succumbed to it.

A colt with only two legs which were placed at the latter end was born on J. L. Chapman's farm near Coldwater a few days ago. He is bright, strong and healthy.

THE CAPITOL TOWN.

MATTERS OF INTEREST FROM WASHINGTON.

Senator Peffer Proposes a New Plan for Government Loan Offices—Figures presented to the House by the Legislative Committee for Expenses of Congress.

GOVERNMENT LOAN OFFICES. Senator Peffer introduced a bill to increase the currency and provide for its circulation; to reduce the rates of interest and to establish a bureau of loans. It was laid on the table for the present. It provides for a bureau of loans within the treasury department to be conducted by three commissioners with salaries of \$5,000 each. This bureau is to establish loan agencies, one of which is to be at the capital of every state and territory. The business of these local agencies is to lend money to the people, just as such business is done by "responsible and well regulated real estate and loan agencies." No loan is to be less than \$100 or more than \$2,500, and no loan is to be granted unless it be to procure or save a home. The funds required to carry out the law are to be provided by the issue of treasury notes, equal in amount to \$1.50 for every dollar worth of gold and silver coin and bullion belonging to the United States. The bill prohibits banks or corporations from demanding or receiving more than 5 per cent interest or 4 per cent where the loan extends over a year.

THE COST OF CONGRESS. The legislative appropriation bill has been completed by the appropriations committee and reported to the House. The important features of the bill and one which, without doubt, will lead to a bitter contest in the House, is that abolishing the Utah commission. The total appropriation made by the bill is \$21,082,752 which is \$1,070,281 less than the estimates. The appropriation for the current fiscal year was \$22,141,874, being \$438,122 more than is recommended in this bill. Under the head of the Senate the principle cut is in the abolishment of the 33 clerks of the senators who are not chairmen of committees.

JUDAN WAR IN MEXICO. A telegram from Guaymas, Mexico, says that 200 Mayo Indians rose in rebellion and attacked the towns of Manojoa and San Ignacio in the Mayo river district. They marched against the town of San Pedro but failed to attack it. The mayor of Manojoa was killed and the principal places of business were destroyed. The army of police and his brother were killed and several inhabitants severely wounded. The inhabitants of the town bravely rallied, repulsing the Indians and killing several of them. The state troops were sent in conjunction with the federal soldiers to pursue the insurgents. The Mayo Indians heretofore have been D. P. Hitters and the latter is a surprise. It is feared they have made an alliance with Yaquis who are concentrating all their forces for a prolonged fight against the Magos lay down arms on the approach of the troops a decree of extermination will be promulgated against them.

Killed by Electric Cars. The Battle Creek Electric street railway company has killed its first man. Andrew Casey attempted to get on the forward end of a rapidly moving car on Main street, in front of the Bidwell house, when he slipped and fell. Scores of spectators were horrified as the car rolled by, and he lay for a dozen times like a huge animal toyed with by its prey and then with a fendish cackling noise raised itself up and crushed the life out of the man. Casey was an unmarried man, 35 years old, and employed at the Michigan foundry. At the coroner's inquest the evidence showed that Casey had been drinking and the verdict was that death was the result of his own carelessness. It is hoped that the street railway company will now place guards at each end of its cars.

Furniture Makers Meet. The Furniture Manufacturers' association of northwestern Michigan met at Muskegon in annual session. The principal matter discussed was with reference to receiving a better classification of freights on their goods. The meeting was presided over by the following: President, A. O. Wheeler, of Manistee; vice-president, Charles F. Ross, of this city; secretary and treasurer, Wm. H. Smith, of O. Wheat was that William Benz were chosen delegates, and Louis Kanitz of this city and W. B. A. Sands, of Pontwater, alternates to the national convention of the furniture makers to be held in Cincinnati June 8, 9 and 10.

Norwegian Steamship Arrives at Chicago. The Wergeland, Capt. W. Weise, the first steamship to make a trip from Norway to Chicago, has arrived and hundreds of enthusiastic Scandinavians went out on three excursion boats to meet her on a brass band. Tugs and yachts were also pressed into service and an imposing procession was formed, to the delight of several thousands of people who gathered on the docks. The Wergeland brought a cargo of fish and cod liver oil, and will carry provisions back to Norway. Part has to be lightered in the fresh water canals on this side.

An athletic amateur association has been formed at Benton Harbor with 75 charter members. Labor Wants a Sunday World's Fair. The American Federation of Labor has come out flatly in favor of the opening of the World's Fair on Sunday. President Compere has addressed a circular letter to all the trade unions in the United States, urging them to use whatever influence they have to secure the opening of the fair on Sunday. He claims that this is the only day on which the large majority of workingmen can visit the great exposition, and from this standpoint argues that they should not be deprived of such an opportunity for enjoyment and instruction.

WED FIFTY YEARES.

The Sovereigns of Denmark Celebrate their Golden Wedding.

Special from Copenhagen.—For several days the city has been in gala holiday attire in view of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of the King and Queen of Denmark which was celebrated on the 26th.

The celebration began very early in the morning by the ringing of the bells and all the societies of the city proceeded to Amalienborg Palace to serenade the royal couple and their imperial and royal guests. A vast multitude assembled and King Christian appeared at a window, then lifting in his arms his great grandchild, Prince George, infant son of the crown prince of Greece, stepped out upon the balcony. His majesty thanked the fingers for the great pleasure they had given him and his remarks were greeted with thundering cheers.

At 10 o'clock there was a grand procession of imperial and royal personages from the palace to Christianburg church where divine services were held. The procession included the king and queen of Denmark, the czar and czarina, the king and queen of Greece, the prince and princess of Wales and their two daughters, Princess Victoria and Princess Maud, the duke and duchess of Cumberland and a number of lesser notables. The route to the church was literally packed with humanity and cheer followed cheer until the last member of the party disappeared within the church. Dozens of magnificent triumphal arches adorned the roadway.

The scene in the church was a brilliant one. The service, which was entirely musical, lasted an hour. On the way back from the church the procession was halted to receive addresses that were presented by various deputations and by the municipal authorities. King Christian, who was deeply moved by the warm words of love and appreciation contained in the addresses made a short speech in reply. At high noon the king and queen received the crown prince and princess. At dinner 100 guests, including the royal visitors, cabinet ministers and diplomats. In toasting the health of his parents the crown prince made a speech full of filial affection and gratitude. The king suitably expressed his thanks.

State W. C. T. U. Convention. The State Women's Christian Temperance union in convention in Detroit held the following officers: Mrs. Mary T. Lathrop, president; Lizzie M. Johnson, Emma Wheeler, of Grand Rapids, delegate-at-large to the national convention at Denver in October. Mrs. Emma Obermaier, of Detroit, alternate; Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker, of Brooklyn, N. Y., made the addresses of the day. The following district delegates to the national convention were announced and named: First, Mrs. G. W. Scripps, of Detroit; Belle Rowley, of Flat Rock, alternate; second Mrs. Lucy Parker, Ann Arbor; third, Mrs. Marion B. Baxter, of Charlotte; Mrs. Caroline D. Pitts, of Grand Rapids, alternate; fifth Mrs. C. P. Hale, of Otsego; Mrs. M. E. Rork, Agnew, alternate. State superintendents were also appointed.

CROP REPORT. The Government Bulletin on the Prospects for Grain. The weather crop bulletin says: Cool weather has continued in all districts east of the Rocky Mountains and the season continues late, the deficiency in temperature amounting to from two to four degrees per day in the central valleys and gulf states. The seasonal rainfall generally conforms largely in excess. In Illinois conditions are improved; corn planting is progressing rapidly and report wheat as heading. Warmer weather is needed. In Indiana conditions are more favorable in central and southern portions. Much plowing is done and corn planted. In the northern portion wheat is growing rank and yellow and is heading; grass, oats and fruit are in fine condition. In Ohio wheat and showers retarded farm work. Little corn is planted in the northern section. Plants are turning yellow in the middle and southern sections. Wheat and grass are growing well, but it is too wet for oats. In Michigan the week has been favorable for crops and farm work. Wheat, oats and barley have improved. Corn and potatoes are being planted. Plowing and seeding of late crops is progressing rapidly in the central and northern countries. In the western and northwestern states crops are showing marked improvement, though a little more sunshine is needed.

NEWS IN BRIEF. The Cleveland ore dock strike was settled by the men returning to work at old figures. Judge Sonnenschein, of Zanzibar, has sentenced 17 Arab slave traders to be hanged for holding a slave market at Lindi, within the German East African protectorate. H. McKenzie was found dead in his room at a hotel, Fargo, N. D. He had been taking the Keely cure for the drink habit. He was one of the earliest settlers in Red River Valley and was 65 years old. Maggie Burns went to the house of Melville Tolen, Clifford, Ind., a prospective farmer, and asked him if he intended to keep his promise to marry her. He said no, whereupon she drew a revolver and fired at him five times inflicting fatal wounds. The British envoy at Pez, Morocco, has hoisted the British flag over the Embassy building. This is the first time a foreign flag has ever floated in the Moorish capital and there is loud murmuring among the natives. Serious trouble may result. The four largest schooners afloat are: Golden Age, 1,764 net tons, built in 1883 at Milan, Ohio; Governor Ames, 1,889 tons, built in 1889 at Waldboro, Mass.; Magnetic, 1,592 tons, built in 1889 at Cleveland, and the Tecumseh, 1,500 tons, built in 1880 at Bath, Me. The Golden Age and Magnetic are on the lakes, the Ames is on the Pacific coast and the Tecumseh on the Atlantic.

KANSAS CYCLONE.

LATER DETAILS OF THE DESTRUCTION OF WELLINGTON.

The Murder of Killed not yet Definitely Known, but will Reach the Large Figures it is Feared.—Several Killed in Harper and Rags.

All is confusion to a great degree since the terrible cyclone of last Friday, although all that human aid could do has been done to aid the wounded and homeless and to render assistance to any who need it. The storm came in a manner that no two can agree in describing. Some say it came in the shape of a twister, while other say it did not have the characteristic funnel shape of a tornado, while still others say that it simply descended in the shape of a storm cloud. The appearance of things this morning, however, leaves no doubt but that it was a twister and a genuine twister at that, for trees have been torn from their roots and houses were turned right about face. Stoves were lifted until they finally landed in the upper floors of the ruins. How this could have been done it is almost impossible to tell, but it is a fact nevertheless. Freight cars which stood on the tracks of the Rock Island road were picked up and carried a distance of 200 feet. In one instance a horse was actually taken from his stable and dumped on the top of a two-story building. The little child of a barber named Bowers was taken out of its cradle, carried a distance of two blocks and dropped gently on the green sward of a well kept yard without sustaining any serious injuries.

The Lutheran church, a massive frame building, one of the most substantial of its kind in the city, was taken up, turned completely over and now stands with the floor upward, as solid apparently as if it had been built in that way. It is not a small building, either, for it had a seating capacity of 700 people. The old court-house, a solid two-story stone structure was completely demolished and reduced to gravel and splinters with the exception of one little frame office that a pair of donkeys could drag from its foundations, and that was left standing intact by the side of the ruins of an old court house. Its stately neighbor of yesterday, the Presbyterian church, a very nice and substantial frame edifice with a seating capacity of 1,000 persons, was reduced to the merest splinters. The frail paragon beside it, was comparatively unharmed.

At the Phillips house there was a ball in progress when the storm burst and what was a scene of gayety was in a moment made a mass of ruins from which seven bodies have since been taken and undoubtedly more will be found. The Salvation Army was at prayer in their hall when the walls were crushed in upon the kneeling figures and no chance of escape was given, but strange to say only two persons were killed.

The scene at the temporary hospital was one such as is rarely witnessed except upon a battlefield. The floor was saturated with blood which gushed from the many wounds of the many persons who were taken there as soon as they could be extricated from the wrecked buildings. There was little effort at order. Every one was too excited for that. The injured were carried in and placed in the first vacant place that could be found upon the floor. Then the rescuers hurried away to renew their efforts in behalf of those still in the ruins. All the physicians in town hastened to the spot, but there was not enough to attend to all the calls upon them. They in no case could effect more than temporary relief. Not a wound could be dressed beyond the immediate requirements of the case. In some instances limbs were amputated in the hurried manner that was common in field hospitals 30 years ago. Scalp wounds and lacerations were left to be attended to by volunteers for the surgeons and their hands full reviewing the more seriously hurt.

Crystal Springs, a short distance northwest of here, was completely demolished. It is thought that several were at least fatally injured, but nothing definite has been learned. Eleven Killed at Harper. Communication cannot be had with Harper, but at Wichita it is learned that the storm which laid Wellington in ruins also caused vast damage in Harper and Rago. The report from Harper says that a cloud from the east and one from the west seemed to meet directly over the city. It is thought that the business houses of the city were either totally destroyed or badly twisted. Both the Santa Fe and Atchison & Southern depots were entirely blown away. The end was blown out of a fine school building, a church wrecked, and many residences ruined. Patterson's Hotel was blown down and the opera house and roller mill destroyed. Will Stevenson had his neck broken. Seven deaths are reported and many injured. All communication was cut off for 12 miles and wires are down yet, messages being sent from Cleveland, 12 miles north. The track of the storm was a mile to a mile and a half wide. At Rago, 19 miles north of Harper, there was a damming water-spout. No loss of life is reported from Rago.

Realistic Sham Battle. CINCINNATI, May 30.—The First regiment of Ohio National Guards gave a sham battle at Woodsdale Island, 30 miles north of here yesterday in which infantry, a battery of Gatling guns and two pieces of artillery were used. In a charge to capture the Gatling gun five men were wounded with sabres. One had his left eyelid cut off and the eye seriously injured. Three others had more or less severe sabre cuts in one or both hands. One suffered a severe injury by a gunwad striking his left eye.

SCHOOL GIRLS ASSAULTED.

Two Cases Which Are Held Subjects for White Cap Society.

Levi Smith, a youngster of the school district immediately southwest from Sand Beach is under arrest. It is alleged that he is a member of a gang of juvenile toughs, and that a week ago he laid in a woodshed and criminally assaulted Violet Shepherd, a seven-year-old school girl, who was passing. His examination will take place Tuesday. Smith denies the charge but claims to know the guilty party.

While on her way from school near Sanilac Center Parney, nears, aged eight years, was enticed into a deserted house by Edward Greenbridge, aged 18 years, and criminally assaulted. Greenbridge was arrested the same evening, but denied his guilt. It is thought the boy is not strong minded. He was remanded to jail.

Labourers Will Test Keely's Cure. LONDON, May 30.—Keely, the drunkard renovator, is in London for the purpose of establishing a shop here. With this end in view he consulted that well-known philanthropist, Colonel Tom Ochiltree, who advised him to prove the efficacy of his cure to Henry Labouchere, M. P., editor of Truth, before bringing the matter before the British public. As Truth is the most powerful newspaper in England, either to champion a good cause or to down a sham, Keely called on Labouchere yesterday and agreed, as tending to prove the quality of the bichloride of gold system to cure six drunkards, Labouchere might produce. Labouchere has agreed to meet Keely's demand and the experiment will be made at once.

Four Drowned at Red Wing. RED WING, Minn., May 30.—Three young men were drowned in the river here yesterday. They were Gustaf Halgren, Swan Soderland and John A. Benson. In company with Sam Johnson they went out in a cable boat. The cable ferry was crossing and in attempting to cross over the cable the boat was upset. Johnson clung to the upturned boat and was saved, but the others all drowned.

The Expensive Business. WASHINGTON, May 30.—Secretary Foster has sent to the House a letter asking that \$100,000 be added to the \$60,000 heretofore appropriated for the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion act during the next fiscal year.

A Pan Handle passenger train from Chicago had a head end collision with a freight train near Howland's station, Ind., on Saturday. A dozen people were injured and probably fatally.

No further word has been received from F. W. Egan, of Chicago, than the letter received several days ago. George Woodliff, a resident of Hillsdale county, has been killed by falling down a deep well, a distance of 40 feet. The steam-barge Ella G., of Toledo, was fined \$500 for violating marine laws. She was rebuilt and sailed without papers.

Earl Grey has written a long letter protesting against Lord Salisbury's Ravings speech, and declaring in favor of tariff for revenue only.

WEEKLY MARKET. CATTLE—Good to choice... \$3 85 @ \$4 15. HOGS... 4 05 @ 4 75. SHEEP... 5 00 @ 6 15. LAMBS... 6 00 @ 6 00. WHEAT—No. 2... 81 1/2 @ 82. WHEAT—No. 3... 81 1/2 @ 82. CORN—No. 2... 27 1/2 @ 28 1/2. OATS—No. 2... 27 1/2 @ 28 1/2. HAY—No. 1... 14 50 @ 15 00. POTATOES—Per bu... 1 40 @ 1 40. APPLES—Per bu... 5 00 @ 5 00. BUTTER—Per cwt... 25 @ 26. CREAMERY... 18 @ 20. EGGS—Per doz... 13 1/2 @ 14. LIVE POULTRY—Per doz... 10 @ 11. SPRING CHICKENS... 25 @ 26. TURKEYS... 12 @ 12. DUCKS... 11 @ 11.

CATTLE—Steers... \$4 25 @ \$4 85. Consumption... 3 25 @ 3 75. LAMBS—Native... 5 00 @ 5 75. SHEEP... 7 75 @ 8 25. HOGS—Common... 6 00 @ 6 50. WHEAT—No. 2... 81 1/2 @ 82 1/2. No. 3... 81 @ 82. CORN—No. 2... 27 1/2 @ 28 1/2. OATS—No. 2... 27 1/2 @ 28 1/2. HAY—No. 1... 14 50 @ 15 00. POTATOES—Per bu... 1 40 @ 1 40. APPLES—Per bu... 5 00 @ 5 00. BUTTER—Per cwt... 25 @ 26. CREAMERY... 18 @ 20. EGGS—Per doz... 13 1/2 @ 14. LIVE POULTRY—Per doz... 10 @ 11. SPRING CHICKENS... 25 @ 26. TURKEYS... 12 @ 12. DUCKS... 11 @ 11.

NEW YORK, May 30.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review: Better weather has wrought a quick improvement in business at many points. Other conditions are generally favorable. Speculation in cotton has been active with a sixteenth advance. Goods and had weather tending to lessen production. Wheat is nearly a half a cent higher. A speculative corner makes the price of May corn fictitious, and oats are a fraction higher, while pork products have risen a little and also oil. Coffee is an eighth lower, copper unchanged, tin slightly advanced by speculation, and lead stronger. Nothing disturbs the money market. Merchandise exports are large. The business shares occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 198. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 247.

Good Prices for Brandy. Grand Rapids society has made its last visit to the old Owastanong club-rooms to buy the club's assets at auction. The beautiful club-rooms were stripped of furniture, adornment of every kind, curtains, draperies and carpets, all knocked down to the highest bidder. The prices paid were very liberal. A lot of wines and liquors was sold in the lot was a case of brandy made in 1830 which brought \$3 a bottle.

A Keely cure is talked of at Ho ugh ton.

JENNIE'S SECRET.

Jennie has a secret
She is loth to tell,
Whom she loves so well.
'Tis not shame that kindles
Roses on her cheek;
'Tis of joy the deepest
Jennie dare not speak.

Jennie's step is lighter,
Jennie's songs more sweet;
And the good-night kisses—
She will oft repeat.
By these many tokens
She cannot repress,
Jennie's precious secret
Mother'll surely guess.

Mother eyes are watchful
As these signs appear;
Mother love is faithful,
Unto one so dear.
All these sweet dissemblings,
All this pretty show,
Seems a pretty story
Written long ago.

'Twixt her heart and Jennie's
Love has brought eclipse.
Mother feels, however
Silent are her lips.
Tail-tale blishes flitting
Over brow and cheek,
Whisper Jennie's secret,
Though she does not speak.
—Josephine Pollard in N. Y. Ledger.

HIS REPENTANCE.

The chateau of Plornouf was the terror of the Breton people. The country folk made the sign of the cross as they passed by, and murmured, "There is the accursed one's castle!"

About the walls that surrounded the grounds was a brier hedge, which no one dared to cross. The servants passed each other by like shadows, afraid to speak above a whisper. No one dared to address the master. Only the young Count Robert found favor in the eyes of the lord of the manor, the old Duke de Kerberzoff, his uncle.

At the time when this story begins, Robert was seated at the old man's feet. He was seated in the great ducal chair; his chair; his face was livid, his eyes gleaming, and his countenance distorted with fear. He was listening intently, one would have said that he was the ghost of terror.

Beside him on a porphyry column burned a small golden lamp set with precious stones. Behind it stood a tall negro, who, as each minute passed, fell a single drop of oil upon the flame. Close to the old man's withered hand lay an ax, and the negro would have atoned with his life for a single forgetfulness of duty.

The duke was even paler than usual; his long white hair was matted upon his temples, and from his terror-stricken eyes great tears rolled down into his silver beard.

"My dear lord, is your suffering worse?" asked Robert gently. The duke shuddered; he was still listening intently.

Then the old duke rose up like a specter. "Listen, Robert!" he said. "Listen." The old man had not spoken for twenty years. His sepulchral voice echoed through the great hall, and the ancient armor hanging on the walls gave forth a metallic sound. The young count was petrified with fright.

"Twenty years ago I had a son; he was handsome, brave and generous. He loved a young peasant girl and wished to marry her, but I refused my consent; I could not countenance such an outrage. My son pleaded with me, but I was inflexible; my scutcheon would have been eternally disgraced. I was wrong, my boy, I was wrong! Never give way to pride! It is a mortal sin!" Sobs choked the old man's utterance, but he continued:

"The maiden was beautiful and virtuous. I offered her money; she refused it. Then I had her carried off and imprisoned in the tower of the castle. Several months passed; my son was faithful to his word. I to my pride. I decided to kill the maiden, so I sent word to her secretly to escape at the first opportunity. A silken ladder was given her, and she was carefully instructed as to its use and how to fasten it to the window. She prepared for flight. Then I arranged an infamous trap for her. Listen, Robert! Listen! I had the stones of the window sill loosened, so that it would give way beneath her weight, carrying the unfortunate girl with it as it fell, and she would be dashed to pieces upon the marble floor of the court-yard below.

That night I fell asleep in the fear of God. Then I was transported to an immensity of clouds. Innumerable arches followed each other in never ending succession. Beneath these arches small golden lamps were swaying gently to and fro, so numerous that it would have taken years to count them. Some burst suddenly into flame others were as suddenly extinguished. Some burned with a fierce light, others flickered for a long time before they died out completely.

"Each one of those lamps was guarded by an angel. All the new lamps were tended by fair, white angels with faces of unspeakable beauty; by others stood black angels, ugly and evil looking, and these seemed to await with impatience the moment when the flames should be finally extinguished.

"What is all this?" I asked my guide. "These lamps are the souls of men," he replied. "The ones which start suddenly into flame are the souls of new-born infants, and spotless angels guard them. Here are the souls of those who have reached the time of life when they can think for themselves, and the Spirit of Evil and the Spirit of Good dispute their possession. Those lamps which are flickering and fading out are the souls of the dying. See!" he cried, pointing out several flames which were on the point of extinction, see! at the supreme moment the soul almost always turns to the Spirit of Good!"

"When I asked him to show me my own lamp. "Come!" said the strange being who conducted me.

"Leading me on through innumerable arches, we went on and on for a long time. Then stopping suddenly, 'See!' he said. 'Behold thy soul!' I was petrified with terror. One single drop of oil remained in my lamp, and over it hovered an angel with coal black wings who blew upon the flame to make it burn out more quickly. I was in mortal fear, and I was a coward; yes I was a coward," said the duke trembling violently.

"Listen, Robert! listen! Beside my lamp burned another with a steady and brilliant flame: a white winged angel watched over the golden vessel. The spirit of evil came and whispered in my ear."

The old duke ceased. It seemed as if he heard the Spirit's voice at that moment. His eyes were bloodshot, his hair stood on end with fright and his teeth chattered. He continued in a hoarse voice:

"The white winged angel looked at me sadly, but the black kept whispering in my ear. I saw nothing. I would see nothing. From the black angel's wing I plucked a feather, and dipping it into the brilliant lamp I took the oil out drop by drop and let it fall into my own. My flame became brilliant and red as blood; the other grew paler, but retained its stary brightness. Only one drop of oil remained; the white angel stretched forth his wing to stop me, but another with wings gleaming like mother of pearl and bearing a golden sword came to us. Let the man do his will! God will judge him! he said. Then I took the last drop of oil.

"Then I was afraid. Whose lamp is this?" I asked, pointing to the flame which was just on the point of going out. And the voice replied: It is the soul of thy beloved son." At that moment the flame went out. The white angel took the soul in its wings and flew away with a cry of grief; but the spirit of evil responded with a loud cry of triumph.

"I awoke frozen stiff with horror. Two corpses were stretched out upon the floor of my room, crushed almost out of human shape. My son, notified by his betrothed, had wished to protect her in her flight, and the dreadful trap which I had set for her had killed them both. It was twenty years ago.

The old man fell back in his chair, the tears streaming down his face. "Stop!" he said to the negro, who was tending the precious lamp. "Feed the flame no more! I have made my confession, now I can die—but can God find pardon for me?"

At that moment the castle bell rang loudly, and the chants of the church were heard. The doors of the great hall swung open. Through them was seen the chapel of the old manor blazing with lights, and the Child Jesus on His bed of straw seemed resplendent with glory and pardon. The old duke fell on his knees before the infant God. "Man!" said the voice of the priest. "Christ was born, suffered, died to redeem the sins of men. Thou hast sinned, thou hast suffered, thou hast repented; God pardons thee. May thy soul depart in peace!"

Then the old man looked at the golden lamp, and saw above it an angel with snow-white wings, and he recognized him as the guardian of the brilliant lamp. The angel smiled on him sweetly, and taking up the flickering light, flew off toward heaven.

The Duke de Kerberzoff was dead. —Sarah Bernhardt in the Cincinnati Times-Star.

ASLEEP FOR YEARS.

A Young Woman Who Dozed Off In 1833 Still Sleeping.

A remarkable case of suspended animation of scientific interest is referred to in a recent issue of the English Mechanic. The sleeper is a young woman named Marguerite Boyenval, of the village of Thonelle, in France, who fell into a cataleptic condition on May 29, 1833, since which day she has never shown the slightest sign of returning consciousness. When the actual nature of this profound sleep was realized by her medical attendants from the non-success which attended all efforts to awaken the young woman, attention was given to sustaining i. e. As the jaws were rigidly fixed, it was found to be impossible to introduce food into the stomach, and injections of nourishment were resorted to.

During these years she has been free from all cares of life, without thought or motion, consequently there has been no apparent waste of muscular or nervous tissue. The hand of time seems to have spared this unconscious sleeper, no change has taken place in her countenance, she appears no older to-day than when she fell asleep years ago at the age of 25. During this time the growth of her hair and nails has completely ceased; the joints have become quite stiff through disuse, to such an extent that the arms if raised, will remain in that position for an indefinite period. The eyes are turned upward, so that the pupils are almost entirely out of sight on opening the eyelids. The lips, when moved apart, seem to lack the elasticity necessary to return spontaneously to their original position.

Board and Clothes. "Say," said the elderly, farmer-looking man. "I want a little piece put in the paper that I want a woman who can cook, wash, iron, milk four cows and manage a market wagon."

"All right," said the advertising clerk. "Shall I state what wages will be paid?"

"Wages nothin'!" shouted the farmer-looking man. "I want to marry her." —Indianapolis Journal.

The two longest words in Worcester, Webster or the Century dictionaries are said to be palatopharyngolaryngeal and transubstantiationist.

A LITTLE IRISH GIRL.

By "The Duchess."

CHAPTER IX.—CONTINUED.

"As you will, of course!" says Eyre, very stiffly. Has all his chivalry come to this that she will none of him, of his aid, or sympathy, or affection? Surely he is as modern a Don Quixote as one may hope to find! "You really wish to return?"

"I do! I do indeed!" says the poor child, clasping her hands imploringly. Mr. Eyre makes but one answer to this impassioned and distinctly unflattering appeal—he returns to her her bag. To the man in the dusk beyond, watching them with a livid face, this act seems unprecedented.

"Has it occurred to you how you are to get back?" asked Eyre, in a tone calculated to freeze a salamander.

"I shall be able to manage that" feverishly. "I shall, indeed! Oh! there is your train," as that snorting machine dashes into the station. "Go! go!"

"I shall go, certainly sooner or later," she says, sullenly. "Though considerably later than will please you, to judge by your manner. But before I oblige you I shall see you safe into your home."

"If you do, you will miss your train. Do—oh you think of that?" says she, in a small agony. "See—they are shutting the doors, and—oh!" breaking off with a little gasp of hope that almost ends in a cry, "there is Andy! Andy!" calling out aloud. "There! Don't you see him? Just running into the station? I'd know his legs anywhere! Andy! Andy!"

It is, indeed, Andy, in the flesh and out of humor. All day long, ever since his memorable encounter with her in the vegetable garden he had decided to keep an eye upon her, and an eye he had kept, without blinking; that is, so long as the daylight lasted. But when 5 o'clock came and the short winter day was at an end, he had relaxed his vigilance, and decided to consider himself off duty.

He had been wondering would she come to tea with him, as usual, in the old schoolroom. Perhaps she would; perhaps, too, she wouldn't. As the hour struck he had gone there and waited.

He waited for quite an hour without a misgiving. He waited another quarter of an hour with considerable misgivings. At a quarter to six he waited no longer, but went three steps at a time up stairs to old Bridget to ask her if she knew where Miss Dulcinea was.

Mrs. Driscoll had no idea. She put down her knitting, and wrinkled her brows so strongly that Andy, who had not believed them capable of another crease, gazed at her astounded. Wasn't she down in the schoolroom, then? No; she wasn't. She hadn't come in yet, then?

Come in? Andy's heart began to beat a little quickly. What was it she had said?—that she would let them see? Did she begin to let them see when she went out? But when was that?

"When did she go out?" asks he. "Faix, not so long, thin," said the old nurse, in a little frightened fashion. "Have ye anything on your mind, Masther Andy? If you have, spake out! I mind me now she kissed me in a quare, mad, disturbin' sort of a way, when she was lavin'." I mind, too, that I tould her it was a bit late for a ramble, an' she laughed strange like, and said may be she'd never have a chance of a ramble ag'in, so she might as well have it now as not. Oh! werra! werrastruel! What'll I do if harm has come to me beauty?"

Andy had cut her short. It was evident her mind ran on suicide. His mind ran on Eyre. He knew that latter was leaving this evening, and the suspicion that Dulcinea, in a mad, angry moment, had agreed to go with him, seized upon him and held him. He left the old woman rocking to and fro, and praying to every saint in the calendar.

It didn't take him two minutes to find his hat and rush out into the chill night air en route for the wayside station.

"Andy!" cries Dulcinea frantically, in a subdued and piercing tone that reaches not only Andy's ears, but those of Anketell in his distant corner. His are unnaturally strained.

"Well, here I am!" says Andy, calling out, too, in a distinctly indignant tone. "He hears me!" says Dulcinea, with a little sob of delight, turning excitedly to her companion. "He is coming! Oh! before he comes, go! go! Do you hear me? See, the train is on the point of leaving! If you wait another moment you will be left behind, and I—Oh! do go!" giving him a frenzied push. "I will write—I will explain—only go!"

"Write—explain!" Eyre feels as if his senses are deserting him. The girl he has put himself in this false position to save from abominable tyranny is the one who now deliberately—nay, passionately—repudiates his assistance. Explain! "There is no explanation—none!" stammers he, hardly knowing what he says. Righteous anger is burning in his breast.

"Oh! but I will write!" declares she, growing desperate as she sees Andy approaching. "There! be quick!" Again she pushes him toward the now almost moving train, and Eyre, confused, angry, puzzled, obeys her touch, and springs into the carriage no-rear to him.

Almost unconsciously he had sprung into it, the door is banged by a passing porter, and presently he finds that he is under way, and leaving Dulcinea forever!

There must be something wrong somewhere. Eyre, enveloping himself in his rug, makes a mental vow to abjure distressed damsels for all time, and devote himself for the future to worldly reasonable beings who hitherto have been the solace of his existence.

CHAPTER X. "Those who inflict must suffer, for they must see the work of their own hearts, and that must be our chastisement or recompense."

Dulcinea, left alone upon the platform, turns with a quick breath of mingled fear and relief to Andy, who has only just joined her.

"Nice bit of business, this," says that young man. "Oh! don't talk here, Andy! Come outside; come beyond the gate. I—I don't see what going beyond the gate will do," says Mr. McDermott, looking like adamant. "May as well have it out here, where I can see you, as in the dusty road."

"I'm tired, Andy," says she faintly, with a vague but fruitless effort of softening him. "Not too tired to come here in the middle of the night, anyway."

"In the middle of the night! Oh, Andy! Why, it can't be more than half-past six!"

"How well you know the hours of the train! Who?" (malignantly) "taught you? My word! all I can say is, that you have done it this time, at all events."

"Done what?" (more faintly still). "Do you want me to put it into words?" says her cousin, regarding her in the dim dull light of the station lamps with a disgust hardly to be put into words. "You are a fool, Dulcinea!"

"You don't know anything!" says Dulcinea, taking all the courage she has into her hand and preparing to do battle with it. "You accuse me; you say things—but" (incoherently) "you know nothing! Nothing! I came out only—to—to" (desperately) "see if I could match some wool in the village down there, and I wandered on here, and—"

"What a banger!" says her cousin. "Is that the best you can do? To match wool by this light! Why not say you came to meet a young lady? There would be a pretty color about that, at all events."

"It was wool," persisted Dulcinea, dismally. "With a pretty color about it, too!" with growing scorn. "Oh, no! it went do, my good Dulcinea. Dye think I can't see how the land lies? Wait till you see Bridget! She's got a word or two to say to you, believe me! She's got it hot and strong for you, and no mistake."

"Bridget will say nothing to me," says Dulcinea. "She, at least" (unsteadily), "has always been kind to me."

"Your quarter's up, there," says Andy. "Expect no grace. She's only waiting to see you to give you the biggest bit of her mind on record."

"Take me to her," says Dulcinea, in a low tone, suggestive of intense fatigue, bodily and mental. "What makes you so tired?" asks her cousin, trying to see her face. "You seem done up. What?" as the thought dawns upon him, "do you mean to say that you walked here? Marched every step of the way through the cold and damp to meet that fellow?"

Dulcinea nods her head; words now are almost beyond her. "By George! you must be fond of him!"

"I am not!" says Dulcinea, with a faint, a very faint return of her old spirit. "You expect me to believe that, and yet you certainly come all this way for the mere sake of giving him a parting word, of seeing him safely off."

"Yes—yes," says his cousin, with such an over-eager confession that she opens his eyes to the full truth. "To go off with him!" says he slowly.

"It that it, really? Oh, Dulcinea!" There is such reproach, such surprised reproach in his young voice that Dulcinea gives way beneath it. "Oh, it is all true, Andy—all every word you have said. Father, Sir Ralph—even you, were unkind to me. And he—though I didn't care for him he was kind; and he asked me to come away from all this trouble!"

"You mean to say you spoke to him—you complained to him of Sir Ralph—of your father?"

"I did. I know now it was hateful of me; but—he was very kind and I was unhappy. And Sir Ralph was so cold, and so lecturing-like—and—She breaks off.

"There's one thing in your favor—I don't forget that. When it came to the scratch you didn't go with him. You caved in at the right hour; and no wonder, too. The barrel-organ business wouldn't be good enough for you. I say, Dulcinea, old girl, don't—don't cry, whatever you do! Keep up your pecker; leave it all to me, and I'll pull you through; I'll square it with the governor if he finds you out, and I'm afraid he's bound to do that, as you are very considerably out, not only of your house, but your reckoning. Ha! ha! that's a joke! D'ye see it?"

In this melancholy way he seeks to cheer her; but Dulcinea is beyond seeing anything. She is like Niobe—"all tears."

"You'll be in hysterics in a second, if you don't keep a tight rein," says her cousin in a horror-stricken way. "Look there" (glancing appreciatively around him), "You'll be heard if you go on like that. I wish to goodness there was some way of getting you home in a hurry; we could then put it on the pins or the wool-work safely; but—By Jove!"—starting—"there's Sir Ralph!"

CHAPTER XI. "To know to esteem, to love—and then to part. Makes up life's tale to many a feeling heart."

"What?" says Dulcinea. She stands still, as if turned into stone. Her tears cease. She feels frozen. He-he, of all men, here! Had he seen—guessed—

"Sir Ralph, by all that's fortunate," "Where?"

"Just over there; evidently come this moment in answer to my prayer." In fact, Sir Ralph, who had been going away from the platform, having seen all he never wished to see, had turned at the last second to speak to a porter; and had, therefore, when Andy's eyes fell on him, all the appearance of one coming toward, instead of going away from him.

"Was there ever such luck? Of course he's got a trap of some sort. He'll drive you home. I say, Anketell!"

"Oh, Andy!"—grasping his arm—"Oh Andy! Don't! don't!" "Don't what?"—angrily. "Don't make me go home with him!" (in an agonized whisper). "But, why—why?"—impatently. "Oh, not with him! Supposing he was here all the time, and saw—"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

FOUND AT LAST!

The American Citizen Might Be Scared, but Was True to His Country.

Some years ago, when Sir Charles Smith was traveling by special train in Dakota, he told his private secretary to instruct the conductor that he should not say "Mr. Smith," but "Sir Charles" in speaking to so great a man. Next time the conductor came round he said: "Well, sir—Charles—the next station is Glyndon." And always thereafter he continued to use the same form. "Well, sir—Charles."

Last year, when Sir James Homlake and a number of other prominent Englishmen were traveling in this country as guests of the American Iron and Steel institute, the company had a special train. The porter of the car in which Sir James traveled for two days was a singularly polite but slightly deaf negro. He always addressed Sir James as "Misser Omollette." After this had occurred several times, Sir James, who's sense of personal importance is well developed, said, in an appalling loud tone: "My good fellow, you must not speak to me in that manner. When you address me you are to say Sir James Homlake—Sir James Homlake—remember that!"

"Porter, have you remembered to say Sir James Homlake?" asked one of the Americans the next day, when he happened to meet the dandy where the knight was not. "Oh, no, sah! I don't say no such thing. Dis yer's a free country!" "What do you call him, then?" "Jus' Misser Omollette, yessah, then?" "Jus' Misser Omollette, sah." "Arn't you afraid?" "Yessah—scaared mos' to deff, but I see 'Merican citizen, sah."—The Argonaut.

Absent-Minded. Professor Kunstler was an old German pedagogue, noted for his absent-mindedness. He and a friend, another old professor, used to take a daily walk together. One day, when walking was very bad, Professor Kunstler was on his way to the corner at which he and his friend always met, when he encountered a young student whose face he recognized dimly, having seen it every day for some weeks in his morning class. The professor hailed the boy, who was wading through the mud to get across the street. "Have you seen Professor Muller?" he asked. "Yes, Herr Professor," replied the student, pausing in the midst of a mud puddle to remove his cap respectfully; "the Herr Professor Muller is at the corner, waiting for you."

"Good," replied Professor Kunstler, looking amiably at the lad over his spectacles; "I thank you; you may be seated."—Argonaut.

Height of the Atmosphere. Curious evidence shows that a cubic inch of air at sea level contains about 350,000,000 molecules. If the law of regularly diminishing density holds good, a cubic inch of air at the height of 100 miles will contain about 350,000 molecules and at less than 222 miles only one molecule. Opinions differ, however, as to the actual height of the atmosphere's upper surface. Prof. Young declares that no definite upper limit can be stated, while Prof. Forster, of Berlin, contends that a thin air, connected with that of the earth, pervades the whole solar system.

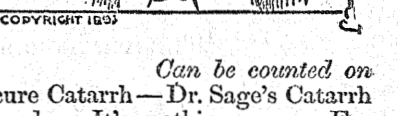
The Fact in the Case. Mrs. Kindly (meeting one of the twins)—My, my, how much you and your brother look alike. It is very difficult to tell you apart. Twin—But it ain't so hard, ma'am, to tell us together.—Detroit Free Press.

The authorities of Meran, in the Austrian Tyrol, have forbidden the outdoor wearing of long trains by women.

A lawyer in Lewiston, Me., wrote this note to the clerk of courts: "Mr. Clark, please enter this writ in its aprill Docket."

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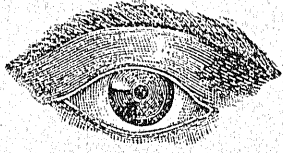
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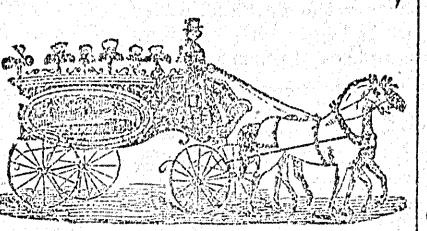
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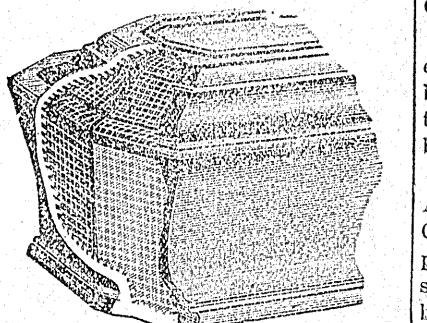
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HAPS AND MISHAPS!

As Told by the Enterprise's Corps of Correspondents

All the Chit-Chat From the Country Round About Briefly Told For Busy Readers.

NOVESTA.

Fine growing weather. Sheep washing is the order of the day. Grandma Webster is very low at present. Her recovery is doubtful. Mr. D. Gillies is improving his farm by stumping and building fences. D. Heflebover intends putting in fifteen acres of beans this summer. J. McLarty has completed his new frame barn which adds to the appearance of his farm. Quite a number of people from this town went to Cass City Monday to attend the Decoration services.

RESCUE.

Fine growing weather. Decoration Day was observed with becoming propriety. Most of the people left off their work to show their appreciation of the noble dead who saved our country and nation in its darkest day. Canboro seems quite interested in the progress of Rescue. Don't get jealous good neighbor, if we have a doctor and one more store and our streets and avenues named. We wish you success all the same.

Some of our young men are making a practice of playing ball on the vacant lot at the school house on Sunday. Boys you had better stop before legal steps are taken to prevent it, for there will if you persist in it.

ELLINGTON.

Rainy weather. Grain and grass grows now. Sheep washing commenced last week. The word has passed around a logging bee next Friday at Wm. Colwell Sr. The change of the shingle mill has been affected and will soon be in running order.

Mr. Deming, of Caro, is doing the stone mason work for C. Card in the building of his house.

J. H. Mosher has been for several days past superintending the removal and placing the shingle mill in position. Mrs. Eupperina Gould was quite ill last week, so she was compelled to keep her bed part of the time. This week she is better.

H. G. Comstock could not wait, so with horse and buggy he started last Friday for Millington after his wife. They both returned home Sunday.

KARR'S CORNERS.

Bad colds prevail. Plenty of rain for the present. Dillie Mosure was in this vicinity last week. Wet weather is preventing some farmers from seeding.

Wellington Hartsell left Karr's Corners last week and went south. Mr. Turner left Tuesday, on his way to Virginia again. Good luck and good by.

Geo. Charter has completed the fence around the school yard of Dis. No. 3. Geo. done a No. 1 job.

Prof. Hood's school disappointed more than their teacher by not going to Gagetown on Decoration Day.

Unless the Board of Supervisors lower estate labor, the people had better begin road work right away. It will take them about all of their time working between showers to do their road work.

Caught before it touched the ground: A would-be politician asked a Karrs Corners boy who would be the next president. "I don't know his name," said the lad, "but I think he'll wear cow-hide boots. Mr. Politician went on.

GAGETOWN.

The brewery is in full operation now. Nick Gable, of Unionville, was in town Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Comstock, p. m., was in Caro over Sunday.

S. J. McKizer and family have moved to Bay City.

H. Fuller has obtained a well of good water at a depth of 20 feet.

More in regard to Decoration Day will appear next week.

Mrs. Geo. S. Gage is marking an extended visit in Ohio.

Thomas McAfee has a very sick child under the care of Dr. Morris.

The Foresters received their new sashes for Decoration day.

P. C. Purdy is running the bank now while Jas. L. is having his lay off.

The station and the Washington House are now connected by telephone. Its a baby girl that attracts so much attention at the W. J. Roush residence. Fullet & Dixon have returned to Port Crescent to finish up some work there. Dr. M. Lyman, of Columbus, was out to see his son Dr. Mial R. on Friday last

Peter H. Gage has suffered with the past two weeks from a felon on his left thumb.

Henry O. Gifford has been appointed school director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Colley.

Our Decoration Day was a grand success and all interested were surprised and delighted at the large turn out, and not a thing occurred to mar the proceedings.

Comrade C. F. Stearns went out in T. McAfee's woods to gather flowers and had a fainting fit from heart disease and lay there from 9 to 12 m. Several persons were out looking for him but he came to and reached home without assistance.

DEFORD.

Wheat is improving very fast lately. Girl baby at Elmer Lewis' on the 23rd. Dance at Mr. Allens east of here June 3rd.

Much corn is planted but the ground is cold.

Miss Corn Curtis is at home from Wilmet.

Miss Larkins is at her post in the store again.

Boney Daugherty went to Marlette on the 23.

Our parsonage is nearly ready for an occupant.

George Daugherty has been failing very fast lately.

If frost don't cut us, fruit of all kinds will be plenty.

Jessie Sole and wife visited at Wilmet on the 27th.

Mrs. Susie Wright, of Clifford, visits at T. Spencer's.

Joe Frutchey, of Cass City, was in town on Friday.

Miss Bates, of Kingston, was a Deford visitor recently.

Will Patch, of Novesta, visited Jessie Sole on the 29th.

It is said that Mr. Osborne, of Novesta, will become a Defordite.

John O. Rourke has been visiting his brother, George and Thomas.

D. Sole, of Cass City, visited his brother A. M. Sole recently.

A Mrs. Wilson, of Almont, visited her niece, Mrs. B. Sharp, last week.

Stephen Sole, of the Upper Lake regions, is visiting friends here.

Lute Havens, of Dryden, visited his old chum Jessman Sole last week.

George O. Rourke makes many business trips to Hurd's Corners.

There will be a stand still of the Retherford well for a week at least.

Near Novesta Corners you will see a stump machine in almost every field.

Mrs. John McCracken and daughter Josie visited friends near Caro on the 19th.

Norman Retherford has been lame for some time past as the removal of a tumor.

Geo. Walker and Mary Retherford went to Wells last week to see sick kindred.

H. O. Wills don't like Caro people so says the Evening News. Tuscola county has no charms for him.

Miss Carrie Cooper is at home again after a number of weeks stay with her aunt, Miss R. O. Curtis.

We understand that Wm. McCracken Jr. talks 12 acres of potatoes this season. Sacks will ache surely. Hey-get-darn-it!

Mrs. Isadore Retherford and son Lewis, have returned from Capae, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ives.

Mrs. Albert Honeshelt, of Dryden, who has been the guest of Elmer Lewis for some weeks past, returned home on the 3rd inst.

Gordon McCracken writes from Harry Ill, that it is the town of towns for push and business. Population, 4000, and no saloons.

John McCracken claims he broke his back rolling a stone. He don't say much but goes around grating his teeth and cussing inwardly.

C. W. McPhail writes rather a misty letter to the New Era. Can it be that the political excitement has knocked him off his mental balance?

The Detroit Commercial Advertiser talks politics this way: "Sure wager—James G. Blain Republican nominee, and Grover Cleveland democratic nominee.

Mrs. Clark Courtiss has heard from her daughter Addie, of Denver, Col. She is much improved in health which quiets all stories of her death which have been afloat.

Robert Vance, Jr., has been ill at Whitmore for some time past. Last week his parents received word that he continues to fail. Mrs. Vance left here on the 27th to bring home her sick boy if he could be moved.

If the article in last week's ENTERPRISE signed "Pastor of Deford charge," is satisfactory to our people, we will say alright. We agree with the Divine when he says (figuratively) that saliva should not be cast on a feline who intended no harm. However, when evangelists meet it would be well if they discussed the spiritual and mental condition of the people and gave their wardrobe the go-by. When we talk of another's dress, we gossip; when we gossip, we sin; when we sin trouble surely follows.



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CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

The public actions of public men are not apt to meet with unmixed and unqualified approval. Indeed, it is sometimes held that popular approbation of a universal character would be anything rather than a compliment to the originators of any project, and that it is in the minority alone that the saving remnant is found.

The average system of public schools in American cities is singularly incomplete; and its defects lie at the end where the greatest care to secure perfection might have been expected. Almost everywhere there are high schools of great excellence, in which the few children who are able to pursue the higher education may find the best facilities for it after they have finished the ordinary work of the lower grades. But how about the many?

The age of electricity was to dawn only when the subtle current should feed on coal instead of on costly zinc. This result gradually came about as the magneto-electric machine of Faraday grew into the practically perfect dynamo of to-day. Used reversely, this dynamo is the motor for the workshop or the street car. Electric traction now serves forty per cent of the street-railroad mileage of this country; and safety alone, not the pace of horses, is the consideration limiting the speed of travel.

Every man is bound to obey laws to which he has given his assent, to respect those whom he himself has helped to set in authority. Though inviolate such a man's person may be, he must associate himself with others if he would benefit himself. In Robinson Crusoe we see a man placed alone, face to face with nature. He was a man of some education; he had at his command tools, arms, books. Although placed on an island having a fine climate and fertile soil; although in no danger from beasts of prey or pestilential marshes, yet his life was always hanging on a thread, and was not perfectly secure till the day when he formed the rudiments of society by obtaining the companionship of Friday.

Inspired by a resolute desire for advancement and aided by a wise philanthropy, the negroes in the south are working out their own moral, intellectual and financial salvation. The fact that in twenty-five years they have accomplished so much in spite of the obstacles presented by previous training is good guarantee for their future progress. "The negro problem," both political and sociological, will solve itself through the agencies now at work. The longed for time is bound to come, and it will come all the more quickly if the missionary spirit which is so strong in Americans shall labor as assiduously for the education of the "poor white trash" in the South as it does for the uplifting of the blacks.

The dominant idea underlying all religious and philanthropic efforts to-day is social service. A multitude of different and distinct tendencies all unite in this idea. Religion has ceased to care only for the salvation of the soul in another life, and has become actually eager in its efforts to also save men's bodies and brighten and enrich their lives in this present life. Philanthropic societies of every sort are coming to think less of the temporary alleviation of need and pain, and more of bringing about such conditions as will reduce pain and need to a minimum. And even queenly science herself has given over for a time the pursuit of abstract truth, while she brings out of storehouse such facts as will sweeten and fortify human life.

The rights of an American teacher or preacher abroad will be better seen if one considers the rights of a citizen of a foreign country who comes for the same purpose to the United States. A few hundred Americans are engaged in teaching and preaching abroad, while probably ten times as many foreigners are engaged in teaching and preaching in this country. They are teaching languages, teaching arts and sciences, and teaching and preaching religion—thousands of them. Every one of these men and women has a complete right to protection by the United States government, and that protection is given. Where we send scores of missionaries and teachers for religious purposes to other countries, other countries send hundreds of clergymen, priests, members of brotherhoods and sisterhoods, connected with various teaching orders, Protestant and Catholic, to this country. Every one of them has as full and absolute a claim upon the "protection" of this country as has the German or French or English merchant who resides here.

TABERNAACLE PULPIT.

TALMAGE ON THE SECRET PLACE OF THUNDER.

A Beautiful Sermon from a Familiar Bible Text—How Some Notable Conversions Were Effected by Fervent Prayers.

It is past midnight, and 2 o'clock in the morning, far enough from sunset and sunrise to make the darkness very thick, and the Egyptian army in pursuit of the escaping Israelites are on the bottom of the Red sea, its waters having been set up on either side in masonry of sapphire, for God can make a wall as solid out of water as out of granite, and the trowels with which these two walls were built were none the less powerful because invisible. Such walls had never before been lifted. When I saw the waters of the Red sea rolling through the Suez canal, they were blue and beautiful and flowing like other waters, but to-night, as the Egyptians look up to them built into walls, now on one side and now on the other, they must have been frowning waters, for it was probable that the same power that lifted them up might suddenly fling them prostrate. A great lantern of cloud hung over this chasm between the two walls. The door of that lantern was opened toward the Israelites ahead, giving them light, and the back of the lantern was toward the Egyptians, and it growled and rumbled and jarred with thunder; not thunder like that which cheers the earth after a drought, promising the refreshing shower, but charged and surcharged with threats of doom. The Egyptian captains lost their presence of mind, and the horses reared and snorted and would not answer to their bits, and the chariot wheels got inter-locked and torn off, and the charioteers were hurled headlong, and the Red sea fell on all the host. The confounding and confounding thunder was in answer to the prayer of the Israelites. With their backs cut by the lash and their feet bleeding, and their bodies decrepit with the suffering of whole generations, they had asked Almighty God to enslave their Egyptian pursuers in one great sarcophagus, and the splash and the roar of the Red sea as it dropped to its natural bed were only the shutting of the sarcophagus on a dead host. That is the meaning of the text when God says: "I answered thee in the secret place of thunder."

To one thing known about the thunder, there are a hundred things not known. After all the scientific batteries have been doing their work for a thousand years to come and learned men have discoursed to the utmost about atmospheric electricity and magnetic electricity and galvanic electricity and thermic electricity and frictional electricity and positive electricity and negative electricity, my text will be as suggestive as it is to-day, when it speaks of the secret place of thunder. Now, right along by a natural law, there is always a spiritual law. As there is a secret place of natural thunder, there is a secret place of moral thunder. In other words, the religious power that you see abroad in the church and in the world has a hiding-place, and in many cases it is never discovered at all. I will use a simile. I can give only the dim outline of a particular case, for many of the remarkable circumstances I have forgotten. Many years ago there was a large church. It was characterized by strange and unaccountable conversions. There were no great revivals, but individual cases of spiritual arrest and transformation. A young man sat in one of the front pews. He was a graduate of Yale, brilliant as the North star and notoriously dissolute. Everybody knew him and liked him for his geniality but deplored his moral errantry. To please his parents he was every Sabbath morning in church. One day there was a ringing of the door bell of the pastor of that church, and that young man, wheeled with repentance, implored prayer and advice, and passed into complete reformation of heart and life. All the neighborhood was astonished and asked: "Why was this? His father and mother had said nothing to him about his soul's welfare. On another aisle of the same church sat an old miser. He paid his pew rent but was hard on the poor and had no interest in any philanthropy. Piles of money! And the people said: What a struggle he will have when he quits this life, to part with his bonds and mortgages. One day he wrote to his minister: "Please call immediately. I have a matter of great importance about which I want to see you." When the pastor came in the man could not speak for emotion, but after awhile he gathered self-control enough to say: "I have lived for this world too long. I want to know if you think I can be saved, and, if so, I wish you would tell me how." Upon his soul the light soon dawned, and the old miser, not only revolutionized in heart but in life, began to scatter benefactions, and toward all the great charities of the day he became a cheerful and bountiful almoner. What was the cause of this change? Everybody asked; and no one was capable of giving an intelligent answer. In another part of the church sat, Sabbath by Sabbath, a beautiful and talented woman, who was a great society leader. She went to church because that was a respectable thing to do, and in the neighborhood where she lived, it was hardly respectable not to go. Worldly was she to the last degree, and all her family worldly. She had at her house the finest Germans that were ever danced, and the costliest favors that were ever given, and though she attended church, she never liked to hear any story of paths, and, as to religious emotion of any kind, she thought it posi-

HUNTING SEA OTTERS.

LONELY OCCUPATION IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST.

Keen Marksmanship and Great Perseverance Necessary to Success—The Most Expensive Fur Known to Commerce.

It is a fact not generally known, even among the residents of the state of Washington, says the San Francisco Chronicle, that off the coast along the edge of the Pacific ocean, and almost in the shadow of the majestic Olympic range of mountains is found, in numbers now rivaling the produce of the Aleutian islands the much-prized sea otter, an animal which furnishes the most expensive fur known to the commercial world. The sea otter fur requires no dyeing to fit it for use like the seal fur, and in its natural state is worth ten or twenty times the figure that the sealskin sells for. It is not usually made into cloaks or saques, because too heavy, as well as too expensive, to suit the tastes of many, and it is so rare that the fur is not often seen except as trimmings for garments made of sealskin.

It is very interesting to see the manner in which the highly prized sea otters are secured here on the coast of Washington. If it were an easy task to get a sea otter—there would no longer be any of them left in these waters, for they have been hunted here for twenty years by white men and a hundred or more by the Indians. The Indians hunt the sea otter from long heavy canoes, in which they go out through the surf, and, cruising along a mile or two, shoot or spear the animal as he lies sleeping in the water with only his head in sight. Owing to his extreme wariness it is hard to approach and difficult to hit the animal after it is found. It is only after long practice that an Indian, accustomed as he is to the use of a canoe, is able to meet with any success at all, for it takes great skill to shoot or spear a floating object in a choppy sea from an uncertain canoe. Very often a hunter remains out five or six days without result.

It is not, however, the Indians who secure the most sea otters for there are not many natives left, and the pursuit is a hazardous one. It is the white hunter, or "Boston man," as the Indians call him, who has devised a way of getting the coveted fur without risking his life in a canoe at sea. Along this stretch of beach from Gray's Harbor to Point Granville are seven or eight three-legged towers, that look from a distance like huge skeleton pile-drivers, with a rude box at the top of each. These towers are called sea-otter derricks, and they are erected as far out toward the breakers as practicable without danger of being washed away. The beach is smooth and so nearly level that at a distance of 1,000 feet from shore the water is only two or three feet deep.

From the tops of these derricks the hunters pick off the wary sea otter, and it is not an unusual thing for one to shoot and kill his game at a distance of 1,000 yards. But though these hunters are excellent riflemen and their weapons are the very best, they may shoot a hundred times without killing a single sea otter, so that in addition to being good shots they must possess unusual patience. In spite of the lack of liveliness in the pursuit, the sport is a most attractive one, and the hunter who once gets into it seldom abandons it.

The locality that I have mentioned these derricks forming a conspicuous feature of the coast scenery, are scattered from two to four miles apart. Two of these lookouts have been up a long time. One is built in the tops of two tall trees on the bank, and the other is on a rock some distance out, the little cabin on top being reached by a rude ladder built of sharp pieces of drift wood tied together. Severe storms blow the derricks on the sand down every winter, but they are easily rebuilt, as there are great quantities of driftwood handy and no lack of standing timber within a few rods of the breakers. Usually two hunters build a derrick together and share in its use.

These derricks are forty feet high and at the base are twenty-four feet wide. On one of the poles a rude ladder is built, and the three poles are braced together by cross-pieces nailed on at different points. Upon the top or apex is built a box nearly as high as a man's head, open on the side toward the sea. The ends of the poles are sawed off and a board is nailed on top, making a seat for the hunter, who sits in this wind protected coop, and with his rifle resting on the edge of the box in front of him, waits and watches for the game. He soon learns the habits of the sea otter, and can tell by the wind and the tide and the currents where to look for the first appearance of the stubby little head above the water.

Not one sea otter in a dozen sinks when it is killed by a bullet, and the next flood tide throws the carcass on the beach. When a number of hunters are shooting each one marks his bullets, so that the owner may be known when the animal is found. The hunters have implicit faith in each other, and would not think of taking skins that did not belong to them. The Indians going up and down the beach are employed by some of the hunters to look out for their expected carcasses. If they find the dead animals easily they are allowed a small sum, enough to pay them well for their time and labor. If, for some reason, an animal that has been shot falls to come in when or where it is expected, and a whole day has gone by in fruitless search, then the Indian who finds it is given \$10, two days after the Indian gets \$30 for bringing it in, and if a week elapses from the

ELECTRIC FISHES.

Members of the Finney Tribe That Carry Electric Batteries With Them.

According to the statements of the eminent English naturalist, Prof. Stirling, there are in existence to-day upwards of fifty species of fishes having more or less specialized organs, the function of which is the generation of electric discharges. These fishes differ widely, sometimes strikingly from each other, belonging mostly to different families, and occasionally even to different orders of the "pisces." In structure they closely resemble the other species of the genera to which they severally belong, differing from them with an occasional exception, mainly in the possession of organs for electric generation. The well-known "electric rays," for example, of which Nicholson mentions three, and Gunther six, are the most prominent. These rays are found in the Atlantic and Indian oceans and the Mediterranean sea, and are seen infrequently in the English channel or even still farther north; while other electric fishes are still more cosmopolitan, though most of them inhabit limited areas and warm waters.

Certain species of electric fishes have been known from very early times. Occasionally we find people ascribing mysterious powers to them, both of good and evil. It is certain that the Abyssinians knew an electric eel, and used it "as a remedy for nervous diseases; and the Hindoos and other nations of the East in times past were also conscious of its powers. Humboldt describes an old method of capturing this eel practiced by the East Indians which consisted in driving horses into waters inhabited by the eel and allowing the eels to exhaust themselves by attacking the horses with their electric organs, when they were easily harpooned by the Indians," but subsequent travelers in the same parts where Humboldt says the custom was practiced have denied the report and it is now not generally believed. However, the electric eel has been known to those people for centuries.

In recent times a considerable amount of labor has been devoted to the study of electric fishes, and some curious and valuable information has been obtained. Mr. Todd and Dr. Williamson have studied the electrical eel and electric ray with great care, states Electricity, and have made many curious experiments with the view of ascertaining the nature of the discharge and its effects upon the animals themselves and their enemies. Balon, Dr. J. Hunter Reamur, DuBois-Raymond, Jeffrey, Ranoier and others have also enlarged our knowledge of these creatures, and the information concerning them is now tolerably full and trustworthy. The structure of all electric fishes is pretty well known; also the nature of the electric organs and the power and duration of the shocks. Concerning how the animals have become endowed with such organs and powers very little is known.

Questions of Rod and Fly. There never was any reason why the butt end of a rod should be as solid as a policeman's baton and its top as tenacious as Hoiae Rulers declare themselves to be. The modern fly rod, which weighs ten ounces and is either of split cane or of greenheart in two parts spliced, is really the primitive willow wand improved upon; the drawn-gut cast is the nearest possible imitation of the cast of horsehair, with which our grandfathers fished; we learn from Hawker's edition of "The Compleat Angler" that eyed hooks, commonly supposed to be one of the discoveries of yesterday, were in use nearly 2000 years ago and "artificial flies, dressed with the wings of natural insects," are a return to the times when anglers impaled real flies on bare hooks.—National Review

Her Stationary Age. Her Father—"But my boy, surely you are too young to marry Aurelia. How old are you?" Her Sutor—"Eighteen, sir." Her Father—"And she is 24—too great a disparity! Why not wait half a dozen years? Then you'll be 24 and she'll probably be about the same age as you.—Smith, Gray & Co's. Monthly.

JESTS AND JIBES. "Ah," mused Mr. Hungry Higgins, as the "charitable officers" steered him toward the city wood yard, "I have once more struck the popular cord." "What can I do for my little boy," asked mamma, "so that he won't want to eat between meals?" "Have the meals ficker together," replied the young gourmand. Brown (at the ultra full-dress evening party)—"What enchanting costumes these ladies appear in to-night." Fogg—"Yes, that's what I should think if I were a mosquito."

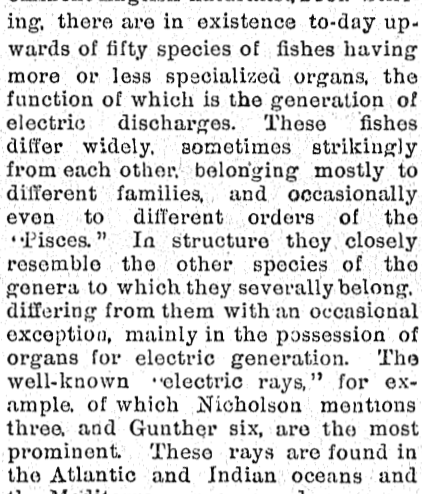
Jack—"She is not generally considered a belle and yet I have seen her look killing." Charlie—"Indeed! When was that?" Jack—"At a ball once, when I trod upon her train." A teacher of natural philosophy once asked the bright boy of the class how many kinds of force there were, and was astonished to receive the following reply: "Three, ma'am. Mental force, physical force and police force." "Say," said the elderly farmer-looking man, "I want a little piece put in the paper that I want a woman who can cook, wash, iron, milk four cows and manage a market wagon." "All right," said the advertising clerk. "Shall I state what wages will be paid?" "Wages nothin!" shouted the farmer-looking man. "I want to marry her."

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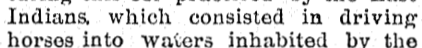
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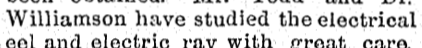
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SUPERNATURAL POWERS.

Kings Had Efficacious Ways of Testing Such Claims.

Kings, queens and other noble personages of ancient times had a rather rough but efficacious way of testing the supernatural powers claimed by so many astrologers. "Where wilt thou spend Christmas?" asked Henry VII. of Evans, a celebrated astrologer of that time. "May it please your Majesty, I am unable to tell," answered the spirit conjurer meekly. "Then I am wiser than thou," said the King. "For I know that it will be in prison."

An astrologer once appeared before John Galleazzo, Duke of Milan, and asked the privilege of casting his horoscope. After he had finished, the future-deliver informed John that he would die early. "And how long do you expect to live?" the Duke asked of the prophet. "My lord, my star promises me long life." "Never trust your star, man; you are to be hanged before night," cried the Duke. Immediately afterwards attendants put a rope around the prophet's neck and threw him out of the window, fulfilling the prediction to the letter.

The Arab general, Ben Solomon, was more courteous in the expression of his displeasure. The general was sick and near unto death when Hleggiage, the astrologer, appeared and comforted the sick man by telling him that his sufferings would surely terminate fatally. "Since you have said it," moaned the dying general, "it must be so. By the way, I have such great confidence in your skill that I shall be glad to be benefitted by your advice in the other world. You will therefore go first and await my orders." The guards were then called in and ordered to decapitate the astrologer at once.

Tiberius, while living in exile in the Island of Rhodes often consulted the astrologers and divines. His interviews with these persons usually took place on a lofty eminence overlooking the sea; and if the astrologer, by some foolish answer, convicted himself of ignorance or trickery, the slaves in attendance, by order of their master, threw the impostor head-first into the surging waves below. It chanced one day that Trasullus, one of the most renowned astrologers of the time, was called in to one of these charming seances by the great Roman. "Tell me," said Tiberius with a quizzical expression on his face, "how long you have to live." Trasullus, who was a shrewd man, absorbed himself in some mysterious calculations for a few moments, and then sprang back with an expression of alarm depicted in every feature. "My God!" he exclaimed, "I am threatened at this moment with an awful danger." Tiberius was more than satisfied with the answer, and always after reckoned Trasullus as his friend and adviser.

Connecting Heaven and Earth.

A curious phenomenon was recently witnessed during a storm near Queenstown when the gigantic waves broke on the rocks and a huge volume of water of spiral shape suddenly arose and ascended to a great height. Simultaneously a similar volume of water descended from the clouds till both spirals met, when both volumes of water spread and fell foaming into the sea.

The Oldest Striking Clock.

The oldest striking clock in England is one made in Glastonbury abbey by Peter Lightfoot, one of the resident monks, in 1325, and removed in Elizabeth's reign from Canterbury to Wells cathedral. It was exhibited at the South Kensington museum, having been lent by the dean and chapter of Wells.

Short Lobsters.

Handling short lobsters is a risky business in Maine. Recently a warden seized from two expressmen twelve barrels containing 1,924 short lobsters, and the culprits were fined \$1,924 each. The lobsters were dumped overboard and may now attain a decent size.

QUIP AND QUIZ.

Don't try to do too much. It is said that a man in Kansas is now bald-headed because he was determined that his wife should learn to eat pie with a fork.

The man who never opens his mouth without putting his foot in it certainly manages to make both ends meet, however foolish he may be in other respects.

He—"And you don't care for riches, darling?" She—"No; as long as I am able to dress better and have better things than other women, I don't care how poor we are."

"Does your pastor permit himself to make jokes in the pulpit?" said one lady to another. "Oh, yes," was the answer in an apologetic tone; "but they are never very good ones."

"Is you gwine ter let dat mewel do as he please?" asked Uncle Ephraim's wife. "Whar's you will power?" "My will power's all right," he answered. "You jes, want ter come out hyur an' measure dis her mewel's won't power."

Fenderson—"Brown and his wife, over there on the sofa, appear to be a loving pair, but if you should see them alone perhaps you wouldn't think them so happy." Fogg—"Oh, but I have seen them alone, each of them, and if anything they seemed happier than when they are together."

Squire Stakenrider (after a prolonged and gloomy reverie)—"I've spent nigh onto 900 on that boy's education already, Lizabeth, and he ain't got hat's much sense as he had fore he went to college." Mrs. Stakenrider—"You're too hard on him, Joshaway."

"Lizabeth, I ain't. I said to him a little while ago I thought it was going to rain to-morrow, and what do you s'pose he said?" "I'm sure I don't know, Joshaway." "He begged my pardon."

BITS OF INFORMATION.

Electricity in its various forms of application, is said to give employment to 5,000,000 persons.

It is seriously proposed to purify the Thames by importing a school of crocodiles to act as river scavengers.

Over 50,000 tons of cottonseed oil are consumed annually. Not many years ago cottonseed was thrown away.

One of the finest opals in the world is worn on his cap by the Chinese minister at Washington. It is as large as a pigeon's egg, and is surrounded by diamonds. The value of the cap, with its ornaments, is placed at \$5,000.

So great has been the development of the petroleum fields in Peru that pipe lines have been run from the main wells to the coast. The opinion is expressed that the Peruvian field will soon be able to supply the demand of all the west coast of South America.

The forms of sea life in the upper portion of the ocean waters may descend to a depth of 1,200 feet or so from the surface, but there then succeeds a barren zone, which continues to within 360 to 300 feet from the bottom, where the deep sea animals begin to appear.

The citizens of Chelan, Wash., are building a dam across the Chelan river so as to secure a navigable low water depth and admit of steamers reaching that point from the lake. The damming of the river it is said, will raise the body of the lake six or seven feet. The lake is sixty miles long and from one to three miles wide.

The revised edition of the German Bible has been published at last. After eighteen meetings of eleven days each, the revision committee produced the so-called proof Bible of 1883. After two years allowed for criticism the final revision began, and the last conference was held in 1890 at Halle by all who had taken part in the theological and linguistic work.

FACTS FORTIFIED.

The clock tower of the houses of Parliament is 320 feet high.

The largest fresh water lake in Europe is Lake Ladoga, which covers an area of nearly 7,000 square miles.

In the Bank of England at least 60 folio volumes or ledgers are filled daily with writing in keeping the accounts.

Lilies are raised as a regular field crop in the Bermudas. In one of the largest fields over a hundred thousand may be seen in bloom at the same time.

Of the fifty women who are engaged in active newspaper work in the state of Michigan, five publish their own newspaper independent of any associate.

The populations of the five continents of the earth, as estimated by M. Emile Levasseur, are as follows, stated in millions: Europe, 360; Africa, 153; Asia, 824; Oceania, 38; North America, 88; South America, 34; total, 1,497 millions.

The Maxim gun is said to hold the record for quick firing, for it can deliver 750 shots a minute, or 12½ a second: But an even higher rate of discharge is claimed for the new Winchester gun to be brought out shortly—no fewer than 900 shots a minute.

There are 15,000 women typewriters between Worth street and the Battery, in New York, two-thirds in number of the regular army of the United States. The employment office of one of the machine companies finds places for 250 women a month, and through its various offices for 10,000 women a year.

It has been proposed to place the complete roster of the Grand Army of the Republic within the Grant monument at New York when it shall have been completed. According to Gen. Horace Porter there are 500,000 veterans now enrolled in the organization. The New York legislature has enacted a law which will delight hotel-keepers more than their guests. Hereafter a man could deposit his valuables in the safe of the hotel and the proprietor was responsible for their return, regardless of the value. The new law limits the responsibility to \$250. If there is a loss from any cause the owner must stand all beyond the amount of \$250.

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Inlay City	12:30	7:30	9:53
North Branch	2:19	8:02	10:35
Clifford	3:30	8:29	10:52
Kingston	3:55	8:41	11:11
Wilmet	4:15	9:02	11:29
Deford	4:35	9:22	11:46
Cass City	5:45	9:25	11:45
Clagtown	6:10		11:59
Oxford	6:40		12:12
Berne	7:15		12:32
Caseville	7:45		11:50

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STATIONS.	Pass.	Mixed.	Freight
Caseville	8:30		5:45
Berne	3:38		6:15
Oxford	4:00		7:05
Clagtown	4:15		7:30
Cass City	4:32	5:20	8:10
Deford	4:46	5:38	8:26
Wilmet	5:05	5:48	8:50
Kingston	5:06	6:02	9:15
Clifford	5:25	6:26	9:55
North Branch	5:41	6:45	10:35
Inlay City	6:19	7:38	11:52
Dryden	6:34	7:59	12:25
Oxford	6:51	8:09	12:40
Pontiac	7:50	9:35	3:00

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A. H. ALE, Secretary.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.
REV. J. B. WILLIAMSON, Pastor.
SERVICES—Public service, 10:30 a. m. Class meeting, 11:50 a. m. Sabbath school, 12:30 p. m. Young people's meeting, 5:45 p. m. Public service, 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m. All cordially invited.

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Judge Wixem's Political Problems.
The president shall be our national insect. A man's political chances air like a fire, too much water puts them out. Good morals ain't always good politics. Politics is in the masculine gender. It takes an expert to stuff a ballot-box judiciously. Callin' a pollitishun tricky is somethin' like paintin' the ranebo. The man that makes much money at polliticks oughter to foller the business 'nywheres nigh a penitentiary. Wimmen voters an' cowin' hens never come to no good ends.
—[Free Press.]

Notice To Residents.
The residents of Cass City are requested to remove from the alleys and from around their barns, all sources of filth, such as decayed vegetables and slops from the house, all manures, especially from the hog pen, and from the horse stable as well, if it has been thrown in a low place where water may collect and cause it to become a source of filth and injury to the public health. I would advise (for the prevention of contagious disease and for the public health and safety) that all the above nuisances be removed from the back yards and alleys and that water closets and other outhouses that may be a source of filth, be thoroughly cleaned out and disinfected. This should be done frequently during the hot summer.
P. L. FRITZ, Health Officer.

Notice.
All persons owing me on book account are requested to settle the same at an early date. Anticipated change in my business making it necessary that all accounts be closed by April 5th, 1892.
4-S-6
J. C. LAING.

Try Dullman's Great German 25 cent Cough Cure at Fritz Bros' Drugstore.
Great Bargains in boots & shoes for the next 30 days at C. D. Striffler's.

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Visit picturesque Mackinaw Island. It will only cost you about \$13 from Detroit or \$18 from Cleveland for the round trip, including meals and berths. The attraction of a trip to the Mackinac region are unsurpassed. The island itself is a grand, romantic spot; its climate is most invigorating. Dr. William A. Hammond, of New York, says: "As a health resort so far as my personal experience goes, there is no place so good in every respect for the exhausted city worker, the banker, the merchant, the professional man and wife and children, as the Island of Mackinac." Palace steamers, four trips per week between Detroit, Mackinac, P-toskey, the "Soo" and Marquette. Every evening between Detroit and Cleveland. Send for illustrated pamphlet. Address A. A. Schantz, G. P. A., Detroit & Cleveland Steam Nav. Co., Detroit, Mich.

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We authorize our advertised Druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colic, upon this condition: If you are afflicted with a Cough, Croup or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. If you do not make this offer, we will not issue that Dr. King's New Discovery could be sold upon. Trial bottles free at Fritz Bros' Drugstore. Large size 50c and \$1.00.

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Since the first introduction, Electric Bicycles has gained rapidly in popularity, and now there is clearly in the lead among the most perfect toys and amusements—confering out on which persons means a healthy intoxication, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure sick headache, indigestion, Consumption, and drive Malaria from the system. Fritz Bros 50c per bottle. Sold by Fritz Bros.

FOR SALE.
I have for sale a good dwelling house and 1 1/2 acres of land, situated near the Presbyterian parsonage in Cass City. Inquire at Adam Muck's blacksmith shop -18 N. GABLE.

EIGHTY ANNUAL
Announcement.
WE wish to announce to the Farming Community and Public in General that the **CASS CITY WOOLEN MILLS** are now in first class order and operated under the supervision of an experienced man. Custom work in all its branches carefully attended to. Wool carding a specialty. Trusting the past history and class of work put out will command the usual patronage.
Yours Respectfully,
ROBINSON & DIBBLE.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.
Many are orphans because their mothers went with bare arms to hang out the clothes after washing. Ordinary sticking plaster makes a good remedy for corns, as it keeps them soft and prevents the rubbing. Wash white flannels in cold water with suds made of white soap and they will not shrink much nor lose yellow. For chafing try Fuller's earth, pulverized; moisten the surface first when applying it. Oxide of zinc ointment is also excellent. A good dentifrice is made of two ounces of pulverized borax, four ounces of precipitated chalk and two ounces of pulverized castile soap. One of the most effectual injections for constipation in young children is equal parts of glycerin and water. It is harmless and healing. Never make up a bed for use until the day it is needed, and then be sure the bed itself, as well as the sheets and blankets, are well aired and dried. Sufferers from neuralgia are warned by a medical writer not to drink tea, but to sink freely of coffee into which the juice of a lemon has been squeezed. Oysters roasted in the shell are very good and can be digested by a very weak stomach. Be sure they are fresh, lay them on the grate or in a hot oven and they will open themselves. Queen Victoria likes a good novel and she thinks those Miss Marie Corill writes about answer that description. The queen of Denmark has been honored with so many decorations and orders that she cannot wear their emblems all at one time. Queen Elizabeth of Roumania is one of the loveliest of characters. The Roumanian peasants call her "Our Beautiful Lady." She lost her only child, a little daughter, a few years ago, and has never ceased to mourn her. The Prince and Princess of Monaco have been quietly and unostentatiously in London for some time. The princess likes English things and English ways, and is herself tall and fair, and in manner much like an Englishwoman.

NOVEL DESIGNS IN SILVER.
An egg rests on the handle of a paper cutter. The face of a scarf clasp is in imitation of a four leaf clover. Thin pincushions of velvet are inclosed between the halves of silver eggs. Single eggs and sets of two, three or four eggs are used as paper weights. A bookmark recently shown has on its handle a heart, a cross and an anchor. Silver bonbon boxes in the form of eggs are shown. Enameling on their sides represents spring flowers. A silver punch bowl is provided with a removable crescent shaped tray which can be secured to the rim of the bowl, and is adapted to hold extra goblets. A calendar is shown on the side of a silver egg, from the point of which projects a chicken's head of gold. A cupid on one side of the egg serves to counterbalance some spring flowers on the opposite side.—Jewelers' Weekly.

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Still in the Lead!
A dog is shown running, likely for a shoe advertisement.

NEAT AND TIDY STOCK OF GROCERIES & DRY GOODS,
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