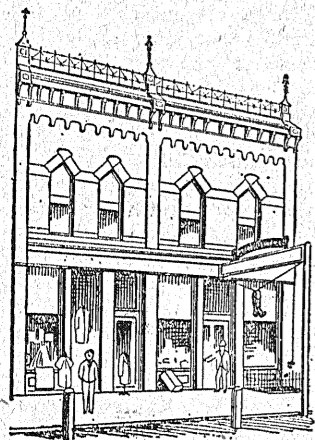


CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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BY A. A. P. M'DOWELL.



A Hope Realized

A Promise Fulfilled. That is what every sale we make means. Your responsibility ends and ours begins. When you buy of us we are right behind every transaction we make. Come and look at our

New Spring Stock of
Footwear

Clothing,

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Etc., Etc. You will find the largest stock and strongest aggregation of values and low prices that has ever been our pleasure to show you. Butter and Eggs Wanted.

J. D. Crosby
CASS CITY
SHOE & CLOTHING MAN.

Millinery

OPENING.

I have just returned from the City with a complete stock of

Spring and Summer

Millinery which I will have on exhibition on and after April 13th.

Mrs. F. C. Lee

Furniture and Undertaking.

Goods must be sold to make room for Spring Stock.

F. C. LEE.

Cass City Markets.

Cass City, April 8, 1897.	
Wheat, No. 1 white	75
Wheat, No. 2 red	70
Wheat, per bu.	14 to 17
Oats, per bu new	40 to 50
Rye	40 to 50
Barley, per 100 lbs.	25 to 32
Peas	40 to 45
Beans	40 to 45
Clover seed, per bu.	4 00 to 4 10
Potatoes per bu.	10 to 12
Apples per bu.	15 to 20
Butter	10 to 12
Hogs, dressed	4 25
Live Hogs, per cwt.	2 75 to 3 40
Beef, live weight	2 00 to 3 25
Mutton—live weight, per lb.	2 to 2 1/2
Lambs, live weight	\$ 60 to 4 25
Veal	3 to 4
Turnip, per lb.	2 1/2
Chickens—live, per lb.	10 to 12
Chickens—dressed, per lb.	8 to 10
Dressed ducks	6 to 6 1/2
Hay, pressed	4 50 to 8 00
Wool, washed	14 to 18
Wool, unwashed	6 to 13

MARKETS AT ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily Flour	\$ 2 45 cwt.
Crescent	\$ 2 10 cwt.
Graham Flour	2 45 "
Bolton Flour	1 50 "
Feed	80 "
Meal	60 "
Middlings	75 "
Buckwheat Flour	2 00 "
Rye Flour	2 00 "

HOME HAPPENINGS

ITEMS OF PURELY LOCAL INTEREST.

Will Davis is assisting at the roller mills.

Chas. S. Seed went to Detroit this morning.

A. Frutchey made a trip to Detroit last week.

Did you see Giles' adv? It will interest you.

Rev. J. S. Deming is very ill with gastric fever.

Chas. McCue, Sr., has returned from his visit in Iowa.

Mrs. J. L. Purdy, of Gageton, was in town yesterday.

Tom Ross is improving after an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Oscar Auten, of Gageton, was in town this morning.

Jacob Schenck, who has been on the sick list, is around again.

Mrs. R. E. Gamble, of Caro, called on friends here this week.

Jesse Withey is moving to the Gamble house on West Street.

C. A. Lambkin, of Canboro, transacted business here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Davis, of Deford, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Oathout.

T. H. Fritz talks about house-cleaning this week. Look his adv. over.

Scott Brotherton is ill and Charlie Cooley attends to his dray business.

D. J. McArthur is helping at the planing mill of Landon, Eno & Keating.

Norman Morrison has been unable to wield the smithy's hammer for a few days.

Miss Iris Hitchcock, who has been temporarily confined to the house, is improving.

H. L. Pinney has purchased a Hitchcock student lamp. Jas. Tennant has the agency.

Miss Nancy MacArthur returned to Millington on Saturday, where she is engaged as a teacher.

There was a pleasant gathering at Mrs. Ale's residence last evening, in honor of J. T. Berry.

M. Fred Gray said good-by to our town last Friday, but has not decided yet where he will locate.

J. A. Roberts, moulder at the foundry, has moved to the corner of Houghton and Ale Streets.

C. W. Heller did business at Deford and Wilmot on Monday and is now amongst our northern villages.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Mrs. P. R. Weydemeyer's to-morrow afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Monroe, who is teaching near Marlett, spent a brief vacation at her home here, returning Monday.

Dan McGillvray and T. J. Clements are completing the remodeling of Mrs. Wm. Wallace's residence on Seagr Street.

Dr. J. Etherinton has contracted for space in the ENTERPRISE to proclaim the merits of Kaskarilla. See adv. in this issue.

S. Champion has made several sales through advertising in the Fancier's Press, a poultry journal printed at this office.

G. H. Broesamle, agent for the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., smiled upon our sanctuary yesterday afternoon.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. T. H. Fritz yesterday and an unusually large number partook of the evening repast.

FOUND—A set of silver napkin rings. Owner may have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for the same.

A. E. Geitzgey, an employe at the foundry, got a "splinter" in his eye the first of the week and was obliged to lay off a day or two.

While cutting a nail yesterday, S. Champion was hit in the left eye by a bit of steel and a doctor's skill was necessary to remove it.

George Killins, of Kingston, was in town last Friday and while here disposed of his twenty-acre farm east of town to Jas. D. Brooker.

Mrs. R. Randolph, of Bad Axe, daughter of Mrs. P. R. Winegar, of this place, is quite ill, and is being cared for by her sister, Mrs. R. S. Mitchell, of Chifford.

While at play on Tuesday, Dugal, the son of Alex. Gillies, fell backward in such a way as to dislocate his right arm, also fracturing it. Dr. Deming was called and the boy is reported as doing nicely.

Mac Chamberlain was the guest of Miss Frances Martus, west of town, on Saturday.

You need a new hat feather? Color the old one, any color, rich, bright and fast with Magic Dyes. 10c of T. H. Fritz.

Preparations are being made at the planing mill for the placing in position of the new forty-horse power boiler lately received.

Miss Emma Parr, of Beasley, has returned from her sojourn in Detroit, and is now the guest of her sister, Miss Anna Parr, of this place.

The Epworth League will give a match social at the residence of Mrs. L. A. DeWitt, on Oak Street, on Tuesday evening next. Don't miss it.

Miss Myra Havens, of Pontiac, visiting with Miss Mary McPhee, of this place, while en route to the Jackson-Farrar wedding at Pigeon.

Mrs. F. C. Lee returned from the city on Saturday with a large stock of millinery which she will have ready for inspection next week. See adv.

D. J. Giles left for the east on Saturday afternoon to purchase goods. He has a new adv. in this issue regarding a new line of dress patterns and other lines.

Little Georgie Fitch, who has had such a serious and prolonged illness, is now able to sit up and hopes to rejoin his playmates at school this summer.

Of those who wrote at the recent examinations at Caro the following were successful:—Ed. Pinney, Chas. McCue, Molly Annin, Cassius Wood, Kate Miller, Wm. Miller and Belle Schell.

P. R. Weydemeyer, of Turner, spent a part of the week at his old home here. He returned on Monday and Mrs. Weydemeyer will probably join him in the near future.

Little Freddie Withey had his leg broken while playing at school Tuesday. The fracture was promptly reduced and he is doing as well as can be expected.

Wm. Schwaderer, on Saturday last, accompanied a large shipment of live stock to Bvffalo. On the return journey he will visit friends at Wardsville and Newbury, Ont.

A cold wave is coming! The Social Workers will give an ice cream social at the residence of Mrs. Rich. Fancher on Wednesday evening, April 14th. Everybody cordially invited.

Sid Summers, who has been employed in the barber shop here for a year, has gone to Vassar where he has secured a similar position. Alex. Klein now fills his place here.

H. C. Downing, who has been sick all winter, is now able to be around the house and sometimes when thinking of the days gone by he sings "Marching through Georgia." Go and see him, boys.

On Thursday last, L. H. Huffman, of Cedar Run, received a kick from a playful colt which caused a bad fracture of one rib and injury to others. He is still confined to his bed but will probably recover.

The school board had a meeting Monday evening. It is quite probable that Prof. G. Masselink will be re-engaged as principal for the coming year but a change is contemplated in assistant teachers.

Gov. H. S. Pingree has issued a proclamation setting apart Friday, April 10th, as Arbor Day, and recommends that all public schools and all the citizens of our great state, do observe the same in an appropriate manner.

Forty-eight subscribers have been added to our list this week so far, which gives a slight idea of how the ENTERPRISE is coming to the front. We have reason to believe that this is but the "droppings before the shower," so if you are not a subscriber you had better "come in out of the wet."

At noon to-day, Miss Jennie Farrar, youngest daughter of Geo. S. Farrar of Hotel Heasty, Pigeon, is to be wedded to N. L. Jackson, foreman of the Bad Axe Democrat. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick, Miss Hattie Wood and others from here are among the invited guests.

An effort is being made to organize a cornet band, and prospects for success are encouraging. A meeting was held at the Council Rooms on Monday evening and the matter discussed quite freely. It was decided to find out at once if the services of a suitable leader could be secured and to what extent citizens would be willing to help the organization. With the addition of two or three instruments and a competent leader there is no reason why we cannot have a first class band. Another meeting will be held next Monday evening.

John Parkes, a sixteen-year-old boy living near Akron, Tuscola county was drowned in a ditch by the roadside. It is supposed that he fell into the ditch, which was full of water, while in an epileptic fit, to which he was subject.

The undersigned wishes to hereby express her gratitude to all friends for their sympathy shown in her recent bereavement in the loss of her husband.

SUSANNA LENZNER.

We have just Received a New and Elegant Line of
Dress Goods in Patterns Only,
To which we invite your inspection. The prices are astonishingly low. Don't fail to see 'em. If you see them you are sure to buy.

Beautiful

Percales,
Ginghams,
Etc.

Dress Patterns,
No Two Alike.

The very Latest in
GENTS' SHOES,
and all other lines complete in this department.

Full line of Groceries always fresh.

Cheap!

D. J. GILES, CASS CITY, MICH.

HAPPY HOME.

When you buy a Happy Home suit you can rest easy about the fit, quality and style.

Our line of Spring Coats

Is the Most Complete

we ever had in Clothing, Shoes, Furnishings and Hats and Caps, Dry Goods, Ladies' Jackets, Carpets, Groceries, Etc., and, for prices and quality we are strictly in it to please our customers with the best possible quality at the lowest possible prices.

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SHOES!

We intend to be headquarters for shoes this spring and have a fine line to select from.

NEW STOCK

Men's plain and heavy shoes from \$1.00 up.
" fine shoes both Black and Russet.
Women's fine shoes from \$1.00 up.
" fine shoes (for \$1.10, special price).
Misses fine shoes both Black and Russet.

HOSIERY

Our Hosiery can not be excelled in quality and price. See our leader at 10 cents.

Carpets at Cost.

A fine line of Prints, Cottons, Staple Dress Goods, Cottonades, Etc. to select from. Groceries as cheap as the cheapest. Seed Peas and Millet Seed for sale.

LAING & JANES.

SILKS

LADIES!

Do not buy your Trimming Silks until you look over our Spring Stock.

SATEENS.

The finest line of 10 and 12½ cents Sateens in the Market.
Oil 10 cents per gallon.

Frost & Hebblewhite.

Highest market price for Butter and Eggs.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the seventh day of March, 1894, was executed by Joseph Young and Margaret Young his wife, to Luther E. Karr and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in Tuscola County and State of Michigan, in liber 65 of mortgages, on page 277, on the 31st day of April, 1894. That said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Luther E. Karr to Margaret Young by a written assignment dated the 25th day of June, 1894, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in said Tuscola County, in liber 88 of mortgages on page 3, on the 28th day of June, 1894. That default has been made in the condition of said mortgage and in the payment of any part of the interest due thereon, whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and is hereby declared to be due according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of eight hundred and sixty dollars and twenty three cents. That under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday the 28th day of June, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Caro, in said Tuscola County, and that said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the Township of Elkfield, County of Tuscola, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter also the north half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, all of section two (2), in town fourteen (14), north range eleven (11) east, containing sixty acres of land more or less, and will be sold as aforesaid, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the costs of foreclosure. Dated March 22nd, 1897.

MARGARET YOUNG,
Assignee of Mortgage.
E. B. LANDON, Attorney for Assignee.
3-25-13

3-CENT COLUMN.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading for three cents per line each week.

FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Call or address O. K. JAMES, Cass City. 2-14-97

FOR SALE CHEAP—Lumber wagon and heavy platform spring wagon. FROST & HEBBLEWHITE.

GOOD heavy farm team, 5 and 6 years old, for sale, 1 1/2 mile west of Cass City. O. C. WOOD.

PAMPHLET WORK of every description, clean and quick at the ENTERPRISE Job Department.

ROOMS TO RENT over store. Enquire of J. L. HITCHCOCK.

SHIPPING TAGS—At close prices—ENTERPRISE Office.

WANTED—Boy to do light work on farm 5 miles from Cass City. Enquire at this office. 4-4-97 DANA LOSBY.

WANTED—A good driving horse. 3-25 E. W. KEATING.

WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR WOMEN to travel for responsible established house in Michigan. Salary \$75 and expenses. Position permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago. 11-26-96

New supply of Photo Mounting board just received at the ENTERPRISE office.

Subscribe for the ENTERPRISE.

THE TREASURE OF JEAN-MARIE FRANCHARD.

BY ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

INTERNATIONAL PRESS ASSOCIATION.

CHAPTER XIV.—(Continued.)
"What a streak of luck for you, my good brother," he observed, when the table was over. "If you had gone to Paris, you would have played duck-drake with the whole consignment in three months. Your own would have followed; and you would have come to me in a procession like the last time. But I give you warning—Stasie may weep and Henri ratiocinate—it will not serve you twice. Your next collapse will be fatal. I thought I had told you so, Stasie? Hey? No sense?"

The Doctor winced and looked furtively at Jean-Marie; but the boy seemed apathetic.
"And then again," broke out Casimir, "what children you are—vicious children, my father! How could you tell the value of this trash? It might have been worth nothing, or next door."
"Pardon me," said the Doctor. "You have your usual flow of spirits, I perceive, but even less than your usual deliberation. I am not entirely ignorant of these matters."
"Not entirely ignorant of anything ever I heard of," interrupted Casimir, bowing, and raising his glass with a sort of port politeness.
"At least," resumed the Doctor, "I gave my mind to the subject—that you may be willing to believe—and I estimated that our capital would be doubled." And he described the nature of the find.

"My word of honor!" said Casimir, "I half believe you! But much would depend on the quality of the gold."
"The quality, my dear Casimir, was—" And the Doctor, in default of language, kissed his finger tips.
"I would not take your word for it, my good friend," retorted the man of business. "You are a man of very rosy views. But this robbery, as he continued—"the robbery is an odd thing. Of course I pass over your nonsense about gangs and landscape-painters. For me, that is a dream. Who was in the house last night?"
"None but ourselves," replied the Doctor.
"And this young gentleman?" asked Casimir, jerking a nod in the direction of Jean-Marie.
"He too?"—the Doctor bowed.
"Well, and if it is a fair question, who is he?" pursued the brother-in-law.

"Jean-Marie," answered the Doctor, "combines the functions of a son and stable-boy. He began as the latter, but he rose rapidly to the more honorable rank in our affections. He is, I may say, the greatest comfort in our lives."
"Hat!" said Casimir. "And previous to becoming one of you?"
"Jean-Marie has lived a remarkable existence; his experience has been eminently formative," replied Desprez.
"If I had to choose an education for my son, I should have chosen such another. Beginning life with mountebanks and thieves, passing onward to the society and friendship of philosophers, he may be said to have skimmed the volume of human life."
"Thieves?" repeated the brother-in-law, with a meditative air.
The Doctor could have bitten his tongue out. He foresaw what was coming, and prepared his mind for a vigorous defense.

"Did you ever steal yourself?" asked Casimir, turning suddenly on Jean-Marie, and for the first time employing a single eyeglass which hung round his neck.
"Yes, sir," replied the boy, with a deep blush.

CHAPTER XV.

CASIMIR turned to the others with pursed lips, and nodded to them meaningly. "Hey?" said he; "how is that?"
"Jean-Marie is a teller of the truth," returned the Doctor, throwing out his bust.

"He has never told a lie," added madame. "He is the best of boys."
"Never told a lie, has he not?" reflected Casimir. "Strange, very strange. Give me your attention, my young friend," he continued. "You knew about this treasure?"
"He helped to bring it home," interposed the Doctor.
"Desprez, I ask you nothing but to hold your tongue," returned Casimir. "I mean to question this stable-boy of yours; and if you are so certain of his innocence, you can afford to let him answer for himself. Now, sir," he resumed, pointing his eyeglass straight at Jean-Marie, "you knew it could be stolen with impunity? You knew you could not be prosecuted? Come! Did you or did you not?"
"I did," answered Jean-Marie, in a miserable whisper. He sat there changing color like a revolving pharos, twisting his fingers hysterically, swallowing air, the picture of guilt.
"You knew where it was put?" resumed the inquisitor.
"Yes," from Jean-Marie.
"You say you have been a thief before," continued Casimir. "Now, how am I to know that you are not one still? I suppose you could climb the green gate?"
"Yes," still lower, from the culprit.
"Well, then, it was you who stole

EX-AUDITOR GENERAL STONE AND OTHERS.

Speak of the Benefit Received From the Use of Pink Pills for Pale People.
From the State Republican, Lansing, Mich.
"We are very much pleased to give to our readers to-day the results of several interviews with citizens of Lansing as to the merits of the ever popular Pink Pills. When this preparation first became known to this part of the State it attracted immediate attention owing to the quaintness of the name—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The name signified a measure the purpose for which the pills were intended. Since their introduction probably no other medicine has equalled it in extent of sales. Why is this? Is the popularity of Pink Pills due to the name? Yes and no. The individuality of the name doubtless hastened their introduction, but that is due only to their great merits. It was a surprise to your reporter to find so many people ready to talk for them; and if any reader will take trouble to inquire he will be surprised to learn how many of his friends have taken and are taking the deservedly popular medicine. The first gentleman interviewed was Mr. Geo. W. Stone, Esq., of Lansing, who spoke as follows:

"This has been, on the whole, a most amusing episode," he said. "We are not a penny the worse—nay, we are immensely gainers. Our philosophy has been exercised; some of the tortures still left—the most wholesome of delusions I have my staff, Anastasia has her new dress, Jean-Marie is the proud possessor of a fashionable kepl. Besides, we had a glass of Hermitage last night; the glow still suffuses my memory. I was growing positively nigardly. Let me take the hint; we had one bottle to celebrate the appearance of our visionary fortune; let us have a second to console us for its occultation. The third I hereby dedicate to Jean-Marie's wedding breakfast."

CHAPTER XVI.
THE Doctor's house has not yet received the compliment of a description, and it is now high time that the omission were supplied, for the house is itself an actor in the story, and one whose part is nearly at an end. Two stories in height, walls of a warm yellow, tiled with an ancient ruddy brown delftware with moss and lichen, it stood with one wall to the street in the angle of the Doctor's property. It was roomy, draughty, and inconvenient. The large rafters were here and there engraven with rude marks and patterns; the handrail of the stairs was carved in countrified arabesque; a stout timber pillar, which did duty to support the dining-room roof, bore mysterious characters on its darker side, runes, according to the Doctor; nor did he fail, when he ran over the legendary history of the house and its possessors, to dwell upon the Scandinavian scholar who had left them. Floors, doors, and rafters made a great variety of angles; every room had a particular inclination; the gable had tilted toward the garden, after the manner of a leaning tower, and one of the former proprietors had buttressed the building from that side with a great strut of wood, like the derrick of a crane. Altogether, it had many marks of ruin; it was a house for the rats to desert; and nothing but its excellent brightness—the window-glass polished and shining, the paint well scoured, the brasses radiant, the very prop all wreathed about with climbing flowers—nothing but its air of a well-tended, smiling veteran, sitting, crutch and all, in the sunny corner of a garden, marked it as a house for comfortable people to inhabit. In poor or idle management it would soon have hurried into the backward stages of decay. As it was, the whole family loved it, and the Doctor was never better inspired than when he narrated its imaginary story and drew the character of its successive masters, from the Hebrew merchant who had re-edified its walls after the sack of the town, and past the mysterious engraver of the runes, down to the long-headed, dirty-handed boor from whom he had himself acquired it at a ruinous expense. As for any alarm about its security, the idea had never presented itself. What had stood four centuries might well endure a little longer.

It is the rawest recruit who believes himself the greatest commander.
The following interview was had with Mr. A. L. Landon, of 228 Larch Street, N. Lansing.
"I had pain in my back, accompanying kidney and urinary trouble. I began to take Williams' Pink Pills about a year ago and I could not walk down town, a distance of three quarters of a mile. About August 1, 1896, after having had doctors and having tried many remedies, I began to take Williams' Pink Pills. When I had taken them for a time I began to improve and soon felt more like myself. Before I began to take the pills I could not write my name. My feet and legs were as useless as a new born baby's. I am now able to speak as freely as well as ever. My strength is not entirely restored, but my general health is good and I am gaining rapidly. I have recommended the pills to my family and to my friends. I cannot say too much for the benefit they have derived from them."
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AN ACCIDENT.
Mr. Quintus Hummel, of 118 Michigan Ave., Detroit, tells a War Story of his own Experience, and the Result.
(From Detroit News.)
Our representative called at 118 Michigan Avenue, the residence of Mr. Quintus Hummel. Mr. Hummel is a veteran of the late war, and received, in the campaign, an injury which has given him much pain during the winter. He belongs to a Michigan cavalry regiment and his horse becoming frightened one day reared up, throwing him backward. In falling he struck his spine on a sharp stone, inflicting a deep cut over five inches long. The injury affected the kidneys, and about two years ago the left kidney started to bleed, and has been doing so ever since. Mr. Hummel, in a few pointed sentences, gave our representative the following account:
"The accident of my war days left me in bad shape; pain in my back and spine rendered me almost useless, and I was compelled to give up work entirely. I could not turn over in bed without assistance. I have spent hundreds of dollars in various ways trying to find relief. Physicians have told me my spine was hopeless, and I had given up in despair, never hoping for relief, when a friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have done me a world of good. The pains have disappeared from my back, and the bleeding of my kidney has almost entirely stopped. I know I can never be entirely cured, as I would have to be a new man, but Doan's Kidney Pills have done more to make me feel like a new man than all the other things I have tried during past years. I have not had any recurrence of the pain or bleeding since taking them."
Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents, by mail, from Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.
On April 20 the North-Western Line will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South for the next six months. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.
Some reformers waste their time in seeking to remove sun spots.
No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. St. Al. druggists.

What are our faults to some are our virtues to others.

Smoking Meat Without Fire.

It may sound absurd to make a statement about "smoking meat without a fire," for it is a well known fact that wherever there is smoke there must be fire. The advance of science, however, has made this idea obsolete, and today with the use of Krauser's Liquid Extract of Smoke it is possible to quickly, economically and successfully smoke meat without a fire. This liquid extract is made by distilling the smoke from hickory wood and is absolutely harmless. In fact, meat smoked by this method has a genuine smoke flavor, remains moist and soft, and is not infested with insects. Every objection of the old method is overcome, every trouble ended and the unsightly and dangerous smoke house is a thing of the past. Krauser's Liquid Extract of Smoke long ago passed the age of experiment, and thousands are using it today with profit and satisfaction. By writing E. Krauser & Bro., Milton, Pa., those who are interested can secure free of charge instructive printed matter about methods of curing and smoking all kinds of meats.

South Dakota in Springtime
Is clothed with verdure green and spotted with the beautiful blue and white prairie flowers, tokens of luxuriant soil like that of the fair country to which Moses led the children of Israel in ancient times.

And like unto that land of plenty, South Dakota outtrivals its sister states of the east in the products of its soil, sown, cultivated and harvested in less time and with greater ease than in any other portion of the United States.

And so we say unto you that now is the opportunity of a lifetime to "Go West and buy a farm." For descriptive lists and prices, address Geo. H. HEARFORD, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Mexico has expended over \$500,000,000 in public improvements within the last 15 years, besides meeting other obligations.

Doubles the Pleasure of a Drive.
A fine carriage doubles the pleasure of driving. Intending buyers of carriages or harness can save dollars by sending for the large free catalogue of the Elkhart Carriage and Harness Mfg. Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Every sin has a dagger in its hand with which sooner or later it may strike, no matter how harmless it may look.

"If taken into the head by the nostrils two or three times a week, Thomas' Electric Oil will positively relieve the most offensive case of catarrh," says Rev. E. F. Crane, Dun-klirk, N. Y.

The Chinese dress in white at funerals and in black at weddings, while old women always serve as bridesmaids.
Skin and blood diseases, causing all sorts of dire disasters to human happiness, are easily and quickly cured by Burdock Blood Bitters, from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore.

Time is infinitely long, and each day is a vessel in which a great deal may be poured if we actually fill it up.

Lane's Family Medicine
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25c and 50c.

Let your ambition ever be to do all the good you can in order to make the world every day wiser and better.

Are you a sufferer from that terrible plague, Itching Pills? Doan's Ointment will bring you instant relief and permanent cure. Get it from your dealer.

Poverty.
Our American civilization is the wonder and the disappointment of the world. Our institutions are new, yet they exhibit the rust and stiffness of old age. Our natural resources are but slightly developed, and contain wealth enough to make the whole world rich; yet the cry of the industrious unemployed is heard in every city and town.
—Rev. H. N. Gasson.

Poverty is hard, but debt is horrible. A man might as well have a smoky house and a scolding wife, which are said to be the two worst evils of our life.
—Spurgeon.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or 1c. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Adversity's sharpest sting comes from our own impatience.

Drugs at Cut-Rate Prices.
Send 2-cent stamp for postage and we will Allege. We can save you money on everything in Drugs, Patent Medicines, Prescriptions, Rubber Goods, Wines and Liquors. PAUL V. FISCH & Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.

How many more of us sorrow for what we have not done than rejoice for what we have done.

"STAR TOBACCO."
As you chew tobacco for pleasure use Star. It is not only the best but the most lasting, and, therefore, the cheapest.

It is easy to be happy in other people's happiness when we are feeling pretty good ourselves.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Cure chronic constipation forever. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

It isn't every rich man who earns an honest living.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup
For children's teething, soothes and inflames, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

If there were meat in words no man would starve.

For Lung and chest diseases, Pilo's Cure is the best medicine we ever knew of. Mrs. J. L. Northcott, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

He is going to kiss you. She—Well, I like that!

Fit's stopped free and permanently cured. No fits after first day's use of Dr. King's Great Nerve Restorer. Free 23 trial bottle and treatise. Send to Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Today's troubles alone never kill.

Doan's Cough Balm
Is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Fat fowls are usually lazy.

Beware of Outwits for Cataract That

Chafes the Mercurial
as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Cataract Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the system. In buying Hall's Cataract Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 50c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

John Perry, a tramp, was caught while crossing the bridge of the C. P. & V. railroad at Batavia. To save his life he jumped to the water below, a distance of 75 feet. He was rescued without serious injuries.

THAT SPLENDID COFFEE.
Mr. Goodman, Williams County, Ill., writes us: "From one package Salzer's German Coffee 'Berry I grew 300 pounds of better coffee than I can buy in stores at 80 cents a pound."

A package of this and big seed catalogue is sent you by John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., upon receipt of 15 cents stamps and this notice, w. n.

Wm. Offner, a Manistee lumberman, committed suicide by shooting himself through the temple with a 32-caliber revolver while intoxicated.

"I contracted a severe cold from wet and exposure. Bronchitis followed. Doctors failed to relieve me. Several of the members of my family had died of consumption, and I thought I was doomed. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup brought instant relief and perfect cure." M. Ungler, Union Corner, Northumberland Co., Pa.

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Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 25 cents and 50 cents. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

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Professional Cards.

J. D. BROOKER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Office in Chancery.

HOMER C. EDWARDS, M. D., Graduate of U. of M., Office hours: 9 to 10, 3 to 4, 7 to 8.

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A. A. MCKENZIE, AUCTIONEER, Cass City, Mich., Sales of all kinds promptly attended to.

Societies.

TYLER LODGE, No. 317, F. & A. M., Regular communications for 1907.

I. O. F., COURT ELKLAND, No. 526, I. O. F., meets on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays.

I. O. O. F., CASS CITY LODGE, No. 208, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

K. O. T. M., CASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month.

L. O. L., CASS CITY LODGE, No. 214, meets on the first and third Friday evenings of each month.

Church Directory, BAPTIST—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

EVANGELICAL—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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12-24-17

SAGINAW'S TURN.

Bert Ellis, the Best Known Traveling Man in the Valley, Talks on a

SUBJECT OF PUBLIC INTEREST.

SAGINAW, Mich.—Mr. A. G. Ellis, of this city, is probably the best known traveling man in Michigan.

He became nervous, his sleep broken, and restless; his stomach troublesome; his heart's action irregular, and his entire system debilitated.

Mr. Ellis' experience is similar to thousands of traveling men and others who smoke to excess and are irregular and indiscreet in diet and sleep.

It is equally true that there is only one successful method of correcting such conditions.—Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer.

Sold by T. H. Fritz, druggist.

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Trains run on Central Standard Time.

Table with columns: GOING NORTH, STATIONS, GOING SOUTH. Lists train numbers and times for various stations like Pontiac, Detroit, and Saginaw.

*Flag stations. Trains stop only on signal. Trains No. 5 will run Monday, Wednesday and Friday; No. 6, Thursday and Saturday.

CONNECTIONS: Pontiac with Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Ry.; Oxford with Bay City Division Michigan Central Ry.; Elkhart with Flint & Pere Marquette Ry.; Pigeon with Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron Ry.; C. Sanford, Gen. Supt.

Cass City and Caro STAGE & LINE.

J. S. DUNHAM PROP.

GOING WEST: Leaves Cass City, 6 A. M. Arrives at Caro, 9 " "

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Quite a number from this place did business in Cass City between trains Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stearns, of Gageton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mathews on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kees, of Detroit, have arrived here. They will make their future home in this locality the latter being a daughter of Mrs. C. Shepard.

Rev. Forester, of Elkton, Presbyterian pastor, still continues to hold regular services in the church west of town. Despite the bad roads he never failed to make his usual trip, which is a long one, a distance of thirty miles and he preaches three sermons each Sunday. Mr. Forester is an earnest worker. Good attendance and much praise ought to be given him.

Homeowner's Excursion. The G. T. Ry. system will sell excursion tickets to a great many southern and western points at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip.

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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.

HOLBROOK. Did you get fooled? Mrs. Thos. Monn is quite sick.

Mrs. Geo. Kivel is somewhat better at the present writing.

John Somerville, Sr., had his wrist hurt quite badly last Saturday while watering one of his horses.

Elkhart and Elmwood Town Line. Jos. Rowell is drawing in his corn.

James Allen has been drawing beans to town.

Willard Nash made a trip to Saginaw Thursday.

John Evans and wife visited at I. K. Reid's last week.

Fred Reid and Roy Allen visited at Chas. Young's Sunday.

Fred Randall has gone to Unionville where he will try and find employment for the summer.

NOVESTA CORNERS. Sickness has again subsided.

Sugar making is now in vogue.

Town meeting day passed off quiet here.

Everybody is looking with longing eyes for spring.

The roads are beginning to resume their usual firmness.

Miss Wright, of Marlette, has been engaged to clerk in M. D. Mills & Co.'s store.

Lew O'Rourke has recovered from a very severe attack of pneumonia. Dr. Foote was in attendance.

Miss Mills, daughter of Albert Mills, intends going to Gladwin to spend the summer with relatives.

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SHABBONA.

Mrs. E. Phetteplace is gaining slowly.

It looks as if the rainy season had set in and the mud is abundant.

School in Dist. No. 1 has a vacation now and the teacher has gone home. School will commence next Monday again.

Joshua Sharrard is very low with cancer in the throat and it is expected he cannot live much longer as he eats but little and is very weak.

The township election came off Monday as usual and the township ticket was elected as put up at the caucus. There were a few slips used but did not cut much ice in the count.

Frank Auslander, supervisor; Andrew Lorentzen, clerk; E. F. Phetteplace, treasurer; Geo. Heberton, highway com.; John Caister, justice full term; Isaac Cragg, justice to fill vacancy.

OWENDALE. S. F. Owen did business in Caseville Saturday.

James Taylor called on friends in town Sunday.

W. J. Owens did business in Cass City Saturday.

J. D. Owen transacted business in Pontiac Tuesday.

D. E. McDougal was out of town on business Saturday.

W. S. Hamacker, of Oxford, visited friends in town Sunday.

F. J. Sheldon, of Caseville, did business in town Saturday.

Mrs. G. B. Porter and Miss Maggie Mills, of Pontiac, visited at N. H. Wells' Sunday.

John McCallum is doing a hustling business among the farmers of Huron county, with the Toohy combination hay and stock rack. John is a hustler and knows a good thing when he sees it.

NOVESTA. Election is over and everything goes merrily on.

Thomas Sheffer will work the Farrar farm this summer, so we are informed.

Mrs. D. McIntyre, of Detroit, is visiting friends in this vicinity at present.

Mrs. Rowley and Miss Mary Warner, of Cass City, visited at R. H. Warner's Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Hayner has returned home from visiting friends in the vicinity of Vassar.

Lew Deming traded horses with Bert Strickland last week. Lew now drives a heavy draught team.

M. H. Quick & Son have taken the contract of piling one thousand cords of wood for Dubois, of Wilmot.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty returned from the Traverse City Asylum Monday where they have been employed for the past year.

A. McPhee has moved back to his castle on Snore Island and will try farming for another season under the confidence and prosperity reign.

EAST NOVESTA. Isaac Irwin and Oscar Chambers labor for R. Brown.

Mrs. C. Pettinger and Mrs. Haley were Cass City callers on Tuesday.

Henry Warner, of Evergreen, was a caller on the county line on Monday.

Lou Mattoon and family visited at Jesso Soles, on the town line, on Sunday.

Miss Bertha Moshier was visiting friends in this neighborhood the past week.

Mrs. Geo. Young and two children were callers on the county line on Tuesday.

Alva Palmateer and daughter, Alma, called on friends on the county line Monday.

Mrs. Haley, of Marlette, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Pettinger, for a few weeks.

Steve Youngs, of Burnside, is being entertained by his brother, George, for a few days.

L. Palmateer and family, of Kingstons, called on friends in this vicinity on Sunday.

George, infant son of J. Coulter, has been sick the past week but is better at this writing.

SNYDE'S CORNERS.

Wm. Walsh is on the sick list.

Our school is closed for a two weeks' vacation.

James Karr and wife visited at Joe Karr's Sunday.

Warren Tuttle has tapped about one hundred and sixty trees this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Toohy, of Gageton, spent Sunday with P. O'Brien and family.

Miss Grace Pierce, of Deford, is spending the week with her friend, Phoebe Ware.

George Charter was very sick with typhoid fever but is at this writing slowly improving.

Miss Mertie Maxfield will leave Tuesday for Highland, Oakland County, where she intends to spend the summer.

James McDonnell has purchased Cherry Hill farm, formerly owned by Nate Knight, and Henry Ohering, of Elmwood, has moved on it.

The family of William Russel are again having a spell of sickness. Archie and Heady were scarcely up and around when Mr. Russel himself and Mertie were taken with the same disease, but at this writing are improving.

WEST ELMWOOD. Willie Hutchinson has a sick horse.

Wm. Scriber was in Cass City on business the 2nd.

Walter Adams and John Dawser traded horses on the 2nd.

James Faulkner will work the Hart farm again this summer.

J. O. Adams bought a cow on Wednesday; consideration, \$30.

Wm. Schriber is getting out cedar on the Ward land on Sec. 30.

Isaac Thane and wife, of Ellington, visited Cordelia Cross on the 1st.

Mrs. W. W. Hawkins visited her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Peck, of Ellington, the 1st.

Chas. Cross is helping J. Hovinger to break his banks and get his logs started down Cass River.

The recent high water has washed out a good many small bridges and culverts in this vicinity.

Wm. Hutchinson, Jr., has raised his house and is putting a cellar under it. John Greenwood has the job.

Walter Adams took a load of supplies to Caro on Tuesday, and shipped them to his sheep ranch in Roscommon county.

GAGETOWN. Mrs. T. J. Finkle, who has been ill, is now convalescent.

Twenty-two names were added to the register, Saturday last.

John Hunter, the stock buyer of Koylton, was in town Saturday.

H. Cobine and Richard Springer, of Unionville, were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Blakley has been under medical treatment for the past week.

G. McNeal has moved into the rooms over Devilla Burton's for the present.

Dr. Wm. Morris, and Marcus Bartholomy did business in Cass City Tuesday.

R. S. Brown moves this week into a part of the Armstrong residence on State Street.

Gageton will have another opportunity of deciding whether the depot shall be moved up town.

Mrs. R. S. Brown and son, Newman, were the guests of David Quant and family, of Canboro, Sunday.

Wm. Gage, of Linkville, was smiling on his many friends in town Saturday, with grape for the past week.

P. Toohy, Jr., has bought the Monday 40 acres in section 10, Elmwood, which gives him 80 acres in a block.

Parteis having news for the Gageton items, will confer a favor by leaving them at the post office Mondays.

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DEFORD.

Roads on the gain, so there is some travel now.

We learn that Mrs. R. A. Moshier is on the sick list.

Wm. Patch is very miserable la grippe being the supposed cause.

Andrew Lewis, of Ontario, visits his brother, Wm. Lewis, of Sec. 2, Kings-ton.

"The Sparkling Cup," was well re-dered by home talent on Friday evening.

A petition is out and numerously signed for the cleaning out of Mud Creek drain.

Chas. Ashby was called to Ypsilanti last week by telegram on account of the illness of his mother.

Misses Nora and Ethel Moshier of Wilmot, visited on the town line southeast of here last week.

Died at Pontiac, March 26th, Merritt Terry aged 83 years. Deceased was the father of Frank Terry, of Kingston township. The people of Deford and townline will remember his jovial countenance when he often came to visit his son, Frank. He was a pioneer of Oakland county highly respected. He leaves an aged companion two sons and four daughters who sorrow because a form has vanished, a voice is hushed forever more.

ELLINGTON.

Last week's coroner, pondence.

The township board met Tuesday to settle with the treasurer and other business.

Earl Bailey went last week Friday to Denmark where he expects to remain until next fall working for Frank Preston.

Mrs. Julius Oesterle is very low. Her children have all been sent for and are now with her expecting her to be called away at any moment.

Miss Eva Hatch closed her term of school in Dist. No. 5 last week Friday. She has taught there for a year and has given good satisfaction as a teacher.

John and Herman Oesterle and sister, Mrs. Chas. R. Hutchinson, were called here Sunday night by telephone on account of the low and failing state of their mother, Mrs. J. Oesterle.

The Ladies Aid Society will serve dinner to the voters of the township of Ellington at Ozias Hutchinson April 5th. Those who received mite bags a year ago, if delivered with their accumulated contents, will be served free. All others will be charged 25 cents each. The proceeds will go into the M. E. parsonage fund. Save your pennies and help the ladies in a good cause.

Miss Lena Daynes closed the winter term of school in Dist. No. 6 last week. She gave a school exhibition Tuesday evening of last week at the school house. It was a stormy night but there was a good turnout, the house being filled. All enjoyed themselves. Miss Daynes has taught in that district since a year ago last fall and has been engaged to teach the spring and summer term.

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We understand the Washington House will change hands about the 10th of this month and E. Hennessy the present owner, will move onto his farm.

The Advertiser, of April 2nd., in speaking of the Union nominees for office, said Mr. Ashmore and L. C. Parly were nominated as a joke, and of course would not qualify. It was decided Monday that it would not be necessary for only two of their ticket to qualify as the entire silver ticket was elected except H. A. Gifford for clerk and Robert McCready for highway commissioner.

New supply of Photo Mounting board just received at the ENTERPRISE office.

NOKO.

A nice warm rain Sunday evening.

Rev. Schraeder, of the Mennonite church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday.

Bart Bradd, of Marlette, agent for the Moore Telephone Co., transacted business here Friday.

Miss Emma Lisky, who has spent the past winter in Flint, is expected home in a few days.

A. McRobbie, of Guelph, Ont., who spent the winter here on his new farm, has returned home.

Will Simmons left Saturday for Marlette where he expects to be employed for the summer on a farm.

Sam Sutton and sister, Lina, of Richmond, former residents of this place renewed acquaintances here last week.

Mr. Trainer, brother-in-law of A. Saigeon, has purchased the new farm directly across from Geo. Flynn's and expects to make improvements soon.

KINGSTON.

W. B. Predmore has rented the grist mill.

G. C. Voit and wife spent Sunday with his brother at Mt. Pleasant.

James Roy left town Monday to go to work on a farm near Pontiac.

D. M. Reddon has moved into the Smith house on Pine Street.

T. D. Roy, who has been on the sick list, is now able to be out again.

Wm. and Dan Ross have sold their farm and Dan Ross and family have moved to town.

A. Saigeon has made arrangements whereby he will do a general exchange flour business.

The young people of the Baptist Church served dinner election day in the Lee building.

W. G. Baker has rented his blacksmith shop to parties near Marlette who will take immediate possession.

Geo. Calder and family have moved to St. Clair, he having sold his residence on Pine Street to L. A. Maynard.

The new store which Mr. Lang was to have opened April 1st in the Lee building will open up Thursday in the Green building.

At a business meeting of the Epworth League Tuesday evening the following officers were elected:—Pres., L. A. Maynard; 1st vice-pres., W. Rufus; 2nd vice-pres., Mary Elliott; 3rd vice-pres., Mrs. W. F. English; 4th vice-pres., Lulu Mitchell; 5th vice-pres., Ella Reid; 6th vice-pres., Estella Bartholomew.

The election in Koylton passed off very quietly, the democrats electing supervisor, N. H. Burns; clerk, Wm. Ross; treasurer, John Hunter; school inspector, Frank VanWagoner. The republicans elected highway com., Jas. McKenzle; justice of peace, Daniel Ross and the four constables. In the township of Kingston the republicans elected the whole ticket excepting supervisor and justice.

ELMWOOD.

Mrs. Wm. Hunkins is on the sick list.

J. McCready, of Fairgrove, visited at Bert Perry's Tuesday.

We are looking for an impartial assessment this spring.

W. Beach, of Cass City, spent Saturday night and Sunday at E. S. White's.

The Farmers' Club will meet at J. W. Bingham's Thursday evening April 5th.

Miss Kate Miller, of Cass City, was the guest of J. Jackson and family last week.

D. E. Turner sold ten head of cattle and eight hogs to J. Striffer, of Cass City, April 4th.

Mrs. Jas. Bentley visited her daughter, Mrs. W. Higgs and family, at Ellington, last week.

Geo. Wilds is making preparation to move his barns south and east from their present location.

Mr. Huffman, living near Cedar Run, was kicked in the side by a colt and quite seriously injured.

D. E. Turner started Tuesday morning for a business and pleasure trip, and will bring some thoroughbred stock with him when he returns.

Fred Hawkins has so far recovered that he was able to be out to town meeting. His election to the office of town treasurer gives general satisfaction.

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A prominent building owner, with years of experience, gave the following instructions to his architect: "I have had my experience with kalsomine and other goods claimed to be just as good as Alabastine. I want you to specify the durable Alabastine on all my walls; do not put on any other manufacturers' dope, if they furnish it for nothing. Alabastine is right, and when I cease to use it I shall cease to have confidence in myself or my own judgment."

If all men spent as much time in forging ahead in the race of life as many of them do in trying to hold back what a great set of fellows we would be.—Dubbuck Times.

When Edison doesn't have anything else to do some day, it would be a good idea for him to invent some new kind of flannels that wouldn't shrink.—Somerville (N. J.) Journal.

New musical instruments are being devised every day. A woman in this town played on her husband with her curling iron. Those who heard the music say it resembled the "Gottedamerung."—Los Angeles Express.

Horchound and Elecampare Cordial.
Each of the component parts of Aunt Rachel's Cordial, viz: Horchound and Elecampare Root and Speer's Grape Juice is a cure for pulmonary complaints. The Grape Juice and Horchound are combined with Elecampare in the proportions recommended by the best physicians for throat and lung diseases public speakers and singers. For sale by druggists, or at Aunt Rachel's home, Passaic, N. J.

He-Jones is all right, I suppose, but he and I do not like each other a bit. She-Well, that is much to the credit of both of you.

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"My daughter, 9 years old, had a running sore below her right ear for three months. I got a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle made some improvement, and when the third bottle had been taken the sore was nicely healed. A year has passed since then and there has been no return of the sore."—W. E. MACRUSO, Arnold, Nebraska. Get only Hood's.

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Some Unusual Stories Told by Our Exchanges—Striving with the Youngsters for His Degree—Pumped the Polson Out.

Where Woke the transient smile or tear,
When you and I were boys.
We were youths together,
And castles built in air.
Your heart was like a feather,
And mine weighed down with care,
To you came wealth with manhood's prime,
To me it brought alloys—
Poreshadowed in the primrose time,
When you and I were boys.

We're old men together—
The friends we loved of yore,
With leaves of autumn weather,
Are gone for evermore.
How blest to age the impulsive given,
The hope time ne'er destroys—
Which led our thoughts from earth to heaven,
When you and I were boys.

Striving with the Youngsters.
From the Portland Daily Press: To find a man of sixty engaged in the study of a new profession is an unusual thing, and the Maine Medical school of this place thinks it has the only student of this age at present taking an undergraduate course in this country.

James Scott of Crow Harbor, Grosbeak, N. S., has entered upon the three years' course at the school, and when he receives his degree of M. D. will have passed his sixtieth milestone. He is a native of Dumfrieshire, Scotland, and went to Nova Scotia at the age of 18. He has been a Baptist minister at Crow Harbor and other places in Nova Scotia for many years. Within the last four or five years he has been studying and practicing medicine in a desultory way, especially in cases of accidents, and he finally made up his mind to acquire a thorough medical education. When Mr. Scott first came to college here few of the college body that in the neatly attired old school gentleman with the kindly face, whom they met on the campus, was a schoolmate of their own. Later on, though, this having become generally known, some of the would-be smart ones made a midnight visit to Mr. Scott, intent on smoking him out. They were graciously received. At this juncture one of the boys, keener than the rest of his companions, walked across the room to Uncle Jim's chair, thinking the smoke pretty thick in the immediate locality, and found the sturdy Scot contentedly puffing away at a little black "T. D." an inch and a half long, with the blue ribbons of smoke curling above him, and smiling beamingly. The gang shortly departed, and no further attempts have been made to fumigate the medic's room. Mr. Scott has a wife, three daughters and a son at Crow Harbor.

Pumped the Polson Out.
Oakland (Cal.) special: Miss Angie Willard, a charming young society girl, saved the life of a young man and has promised to make him happy until death does them part. Miss Willard and the young man, Harry Havens by name, had a quarrel and she had given him his conge. Harry left, but returned with determination in his eye and some morphine in his pocket. He pleaded with Miss Willard to recall her words, but the more he urged the firmer she appeared to become. Thinking that the jig was really up, he dropped on his knees before the obdurate fair one and swallowed the morphine. Then the girl relented, there was a frantic call for the patrol wagon and in a few minutes the love-sick young man was on his way to a receiving hospital, where a prostatic stomach pump relieved him of his load. Miss Willard accompanied Harry to the hospital, and assured the sufferer of her undying affection. He is now somewhat better, but is in the seventh heaven nevertheless. "I know I am a fool," said he, "but I loved the girl and I wanted to show her that I was willing to die for her."

An Infant's Two \$100 Bills.
From the Philadelphia Times: Mrs. Lapp, who lives on Tulpehocken street, one of the prettiest of Germantown's many pretty thoroughfares, called her husband's attention the other morning to a bundle lying by the front door. She supposed it had been left there by some workman who had been making repairs to the street, and as it was unrightly she wanted it removed. When Mr. Lapp went to the porch to do his wife's bidding he saw William Maguire, a lamplighter, who was on his rounds putting out the street lights, and called to him to wait and see what the bundle contained.

"Rags," said Maguire, scornfully, as Lapp began to remove the wrappings, but the next instant the look of curiosity on his face had given way to one of surprise, for when Lapp had gotten the covering off the bundle it brought to light a baby. It was a boy, evidently about a week old and weighing about ten pounds, dressed in the finest laces and silks, and was wrapped up as carefully as it could be in heavy clothing. It was a bright-looking baby, and while

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FITNESS TO REPRESENT HIS COUNTRY ABROAD.

Review of His Work as a Poet, Satirist and Close Student of Men and Affairs and His Americanism Not of the Stodgy Brand.

THE most rampant jingoist can pick no flaws in the Americanism of Colonel John Hay, ambassador to the court of St. James. Born in Indiana in 1838, Hay's youth was spent in what was then the west, at a time when national politics formed almost personal issues. Nearly all his life has been passed in contributing to or in studying history in some form. Always a keen student of affairs, in his intimate association with President Lincoln through years of storm and stress he seems to have absorbed something of his chief's sturdy loyalty and faith in the people. His career abroad intensified his natural Americanism, and he returned a more thorough believer than ever in republicanism. His observations in France under Napoleon III. in 1855 increased his loathing for despotism, and he paid his respects to "The Sphinx of the Tuilleries" in a bitter lyric, which, especially in its closing lines, proved a prophecy.

Even in king-ridden Spain, where his official position gave him abundant opportunity for observation, he is still an optimist, believing that a republican government was the only logical solution of that country's troubles, as offering the most possibilities of safety and permanence. "There are those,"

John's Wart Betrayed Him. From the Council Bluffs Nonpareil: Last week the Woodmen of the World gave a masquerade ball and it seems that a young business man was anxious to go, but was not overanxious to take his wife with him. Well, he finally told her that he had business in Omaha that evening and would not be home till late—in fact, very late—and she need not mind sitting up for him. The wife did not sit up for him, but, in company with a neighbor lady and her husband, went to the ball. She was asked to dance by a party attired as a Mexican, and after the dance the Mexican began to open up a mild flirtation. "Do you reside in Council Bluffs?" he commenced. "Don't be a fool, John," the wife replied; "I know you by the wart on your thumb, even if I did not recognize your voice."

An Out-of-Sight Steed.
From the Indianapolis Journal: A. R. Silgar, agent of the Panhandle at New Castle, disposed of a horse in a raffie to Conductor J. W. Finrock of the same road. The horse was blind and very old. The chances were 50 cents each, and Finrock held the lucky number, but had never seen the stud. Upon learning of his luck he sent the following telegram: "Am offered \$30. Is horse all right, and will he do for my wife to drive?" Silgar replied as follows: "Horse is out-of-sight and any woman can drive him." Finrock did not read between the lines and refused the offer of \$30, thinking he had found a good family driver. He came for the animal and had to acknowledge that the joke was on him.

Senators: Not Gentlemen.
From the Indianapolis Journal: Lieut.-Gov. Haggard perpetrated a bull yesterday afternoon that was regarded as one of the best jokes of the session. Senator Sweeney was on the floor. He referred to the "gentleman from—"

"I want to call the attention of the senate to one thing," said the presiding officer, rapping his gavel.

"The senators are senators—not gentlemen." There was a moment of amazed silence.

"The senators will address one another as senators, not as gentlemen," he added.

Then every man in the senate chamber began laughing.

Sat Dead in Her Chair for Four Days.
Kokomo (Ind.) special: Late Friday evening Miss Sarah Beatty, aged 78, was found dead at her home, eight miles south of this city. She lived alone on her forty-acre farm and had not been seen since Tuesday. When found she was sitting in her chair, where she had sat four days dead. In an envelope in her pocket was found \$100 in bills and in a corner of the clock a bundle of notes representing \$900. Packages of silver were found secreted in different parts of the house.

Mr. Ratt Relieved of His Name.
Topeka special to Kansas City Journal: The only bill to change the name of a person which has passed the legislature this session was introduced by Representative Turner of Phillips county. It was one changing the name of John F. Ratt to John Ward. The Populists in caucus decided not to bother with any legislation of this kind, but Ratt pleaded so earnestly with them that they promised to relieve him of his obnoxious name.

A Diversion of Atlanta Fashion.
From the Atlanta Constitution: Miss Martha Langston, one of the most charming of this season's debutantes, will give a pillowdix party at her elegant home on Peachtree street Wednesday night. A large contingent of the younger society set will be present.

CASUALTIES

The Langley mansion, south of St. Joseph, Mich., was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$12,000.

While out hunting near Creston, Iowa, Henry Boyd accidentally shot and killed John Schnauber, 14 years old.

Harry Mealka, while walking backward on a railroad track at Elkhardt, Ind., watching a train, was instantly killed by an engine that was backing into the yard.

Six children of John McGrath, a farmer in the northwestern part of Nemaha county, Kan., were drowned near their home on Sunday evening while attempting to ford Pole creek, which is running bank full.

Franklin Sutcliffe, a carpenter, aged 35 years, fell from a barn at Galesville, Wis., and was killed.

John H. Green, of Geneva, Ill., aged 77 years, burst a blood vessel while vomiting, and died shortly afterward.

George Morgan, 21 years old, was instantly killed at Calamus, Iowa, while trying to board a moving train.

Near Augusta, Ky., the boiler of a portable sawmill exploded, instantly killing two men and fatally injuring three others. The killed are: Calvert Boone and J. R. Taylor.

An entire business block in Little York, Ill., was burned. Losses as follows: W. J. Laird, meat market, \$1,000; insurance \$400; W. H. Brown, hardware, \$3,000; insurance \$2,800; D. R. Morris, general merchandise, \$4,000; insurance \$2,100; B. Wallace, groceries, \$2,000; insurance \$1,000; G. M. Bay, harness and undertaking goods, \$2,000; insurance \$300.

Fire broke out in the Marsh, Sunday & Parker block, at Allegan, Mich., during the block was occupied by a meat market, flour and feed store and barber shop. All the upper portion of the building was destroyed. The loss is \$3,000; insured.

FOREIGN

Johannes Brahms, the famous musical composer, who has been seriously ill for some time, is now in an extremely critical condition, and only slight hopes are entertained of his recovery.

The Paris Evening announces that President Faure has been officially informed of the approaching visit of the czar and czarina to France.

Emperor William telegraphed his cordial congratulations to Prince Bismarck upon the occasion of his birthday. The ex-chancellor was born April 1, 1815.

In response to the invitation of President McKinley, the Spanish government will send the cruiser Maria Teresa, to represent the queen regent, king and people of Spain at the ceremony of dedicating the Grant mausoleum on April 27.

Private advices from Great Britain contradict the announcement that the duke of Leeds will be the next governor general of Canada.

The German reichstag by a vote of 179 to 49 adopted the radical people's party proposal for the payment of members of the reichstag. The minority consisted of conservatives, imperialists and nine national liberals.

Prince Bismarck is still confined to his house by nervous depression and a gastric disorder. He receives few visitors, but his condition is not regarded as serious.

A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Bombay says that a sister of the Italian consul and an English broker named Brooks have died from the black plague, and that several other cases have broken out among the Europeans residing in the city.

The pope has requested Mgr. Martinelli, Papal delegate in the United States, to reply to the accusations made against him by Italians in the United States, and has urged him to observe the greatest possible tact.

The overdue German steamer Armenia of the Hamburg-American line, which left Hamburg for Boston eighteen days ago, has arrived after a tempestuous voyage.

CRIME.
Gustavus Lund, an old resident of Madison, Wis., took his life, swallowing an ounce and a half of laudanum.

The body of John Goodwin of Whitestown, Ind., was found beside the Big Four track. A verdict of suicide, due to domestic trouble, was given.

Franklin Von Berg, an Austrian count, is an inmate of the Michigan City, Ind., prison. Von Berg will appeal to the Austrian government. He was arrested and convicted at Indianapolis of fraud.

Caspar Truog, residing near Graff, Iowa, eight miles from here, shot himself through the head, dying instantly. The sheriff was there to serve a warrant for his arrest on a charge of insanity.

At Manchester, N. H., Dr. J. H. Moore was sentenced to four years at hard labor in the state prison—two years for over-issue of the Union Publishing company's stock and two years for fraudulently recording stock of the same company.

Four prisoners broke jail at Bluffton, Ind., by melting off a grating with a gas jet.

James Hazlett and William Franklin were found guilty of manslaughter for killing Joseph Wright at Hickory Church, in Monroe county, Iowa. The jury made the special request that Hazlett get the extent of the law and that Franklin be let off with light punishment.

The hanging of John Hunt, at Columbia, Mo., has been indefinitely postponed pending an appeal to the Supreme court. Hunt, who is 78 years old, has given up all hope and wants to die. He was averse to the appeal, and but for the action of his attorneys he would have been hanged before now.

A COUNTERFEITER CAUGHT.

The Police of Syracuse Make an Important Capture.

On Monday the 15th, Harold Marquisee, of Utica, N. Y., was arrested in Syracuse, N. Y., on a warrant sworn out by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., charging him with forgery. On the 15th of December Marquisee visited a photo-engraver in Syracuse, saying he was the representative of the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., and arranged for the making of a full set of plates for the direction sheets, labels, etc., of the famous Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. News of this reached the home office, and no time was lost in arranging for his arrest when he should return for the plates. He returned on the 15th and was accordingly arrested and is now in jail in Syracuse awaiting examination.

This arrest proves to be an important one. In addition to various plunder, such as medical books, typewriters, rugs, etc., found in Marquisee's trunk when arrested, the police also found counterfeit coin both in the trunk and on his person; and in a search of his apartments at Utica, found a complete outfit for counterfeiting consisting of crutches, bellows, nickel, lead, bismuth, antimony, a small blacksmith forge, a charcoal furnace, a plaster of paris mold. The United States marshals want him just as soon as the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. are through with him, and no doubt, he will be sentenced for a long period.

In selecting Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for his counterfeiting operations, he showed his knowledge of the proprietary medical business; for these pills are in such great demand that they are easily sold at any drug store in the United States. He was to work the country druggists and sell his imitations at a discount of from 2 per cent to 5 per cent, explaining the reduced price by the fact that he had picked them up in small lots and at a discount from dealers who were over-stocked. By working fast and making long jumps, he would have secured many hundreds of dollars in a short time. The proprietors of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are most fortunate to have brought the rascal to justice. He had started, and to have thus kept these spurious goods out of the market.

WINTER EPIDEMICS.
The Terrible Microbe Floats Everywhere for His Victim.

Catarrh microbes are guests with a proclivity for introducing their relatives and another puzzling problem is the management of children that are always apt to catch cold, says the Chautauquan. After months of sniffing and coughing the little patient perhaps begins to complain of pains in the throat; the trouble may result in croup or something worse and the alarmed mother makes up her mind to take no risks if she can help it. Outings are suspended altogether; the windows are probably nailed down to exclude every breath of cold air; but after all the youngsters cannot be expected to submit to a perpetuity of indoor confinement. Their wistful looks as they linger about the window suggest a desire for a change of scene and their mother at last consents to take them to meeting or to the new museum. But that expedient is an appeal from demons to Beelzebub, and a graphic humorist with a good deal of hygienic insight describes a crowded, over-heated meeting house as a place where "Freddy's cough germs establish a colony in Tommy's throat; old Jones' consumption microbes hover about in search of victims and Smith's departing influenza takes a fresh grip on Jackson's lungs."

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Woman's beauty, love and devotion, rule the world. Grand women: strong mentally, morally and physically, whose ambition and magnetic influence leads to deeds of grandeur and heroism. Such women are all-powerful. Weakly,

they have little ambition; their own troubles occupy their thoughts, and their one object is to get well.

They have no confidence in themselves, and only too often lose faith in their physicians.

All irregularities, whites, bearing-down pains, nervousness, headache, backache, "blues," distaste for society, sounds in ears, palpitation, emaciation, heavy eyes, "all gone" feeling, dread of impending evil, sleeplessness, etc., should at once be removed and vigorous health assured.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has for twenty years saved women from all this. Hear this woman speak:—

"I wish to publish what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have done for me. I had falling of the womb and leucorrhoea, and they have cured me of both. I am a well woman. I suffered dreadfully with such dragging pains in the lower part of the back and extending around the body, irritation of the bladder, pain when walking and painful menstruation; I weakened terribly. I had been treated by three doctors without much help, and it only took five bottles of your Compound and three packages of Sanative Wash to cure me. I can recommend them to all women suffering with complaints like these. Mrs. VANHART, 3827 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The wheelwright ought to make a good spokesman. Temperance is a bride who makes her husband rich.

DR. GRENIER.

Dr. Grenier is the new Mahometan member of the French chamber of deputies, representing the district of Pontarlier, and although not a full-born Arab, is a firm believer in the Koran.

The World's Submarine Cables now number more than thirteen hundred, according to the recent presidential address to the London Institution of Electrical Engineers. They have an aggregate length of 162,000 nautical miles, over half of them being less than five miles long, while eight of them exceed 2,000 miles. They represent a total expenditure of about \$40,000,000, about seventy-five per cent of which is British capital. A fleet of forty-one repair ships is maintained.

A Heavily Insured King. King Humbert of Italy is the most heavily insured man in Europe. The amount of life insurance he carries is over \$7,500,000. The late Czar Alexander III was insured for \$5,000,000.

John Hay, ambassador to the court of St. James, was born in Indiana in 1838. He is a prominent American statesman and diplomat. He served as secretary of state under President Cleveland and as ambassador to France under President McKinley.

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ARGYLE.

Miss Kate Zinnecker, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home at Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker were made the happy recipients of a beautiful "house plant" last week. It's a girl.

B. F. Eays, of Caro, arrived at Argyle last week as expected and gleaned fifteen new members for the Gleaner lodge. Yes, he certainly is a hustler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler and S. W. Striffler and sister, Barbara, attended the funeral of their uncle, O. Lenzner, of Cass City last Sunday.

Argyle had a lively election last Monday. Two tickets were in the field, Township and Republican, and the following officers were elected. Supervisor, Jas. Hudson; clerk, James McLean; treasurer, M. McNaughton; justice of peace, H. Buchner; highway commissioner, G. Powell.

Alex. King, who lives one-half mile west of town, has a duck that has been in the habit of laying a double yolked egg each day for some time. One day last week said duck changed the program by laying two common sized eggs containing one yolk each. That is what we would call a good days work. Your scribe wonders if this is not the beginning of the McKinley prosperity which our brother of Deford speaks of in your last issue. If so, may it strike him that his cup of joy may be full.

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Last fall my son contracted muscular rheumatism. After being treated by a good doctor, I was recommended to try your Kaskarilla, which I did, and two bottles cured him.

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Township Elections.

Monday was town meetin' day and the contests in all the townships around us was quite keen. The results were in some instances quite surprising, especially in Elkland, while in others it was about as previously anticipated. It was thought that in our township the majorities would be small, whichever way it went, but the Union Silver ticket won everything by large majorities as shown by the following:—

For Supervisor— Jacob H. Striffler, 132 Ira K. Reid, 212—80 Clerk— William J. Campbell, 156 William H. Hebblewhite, 182—26 Treasurer— Noltan Bigelow, 149 Solomon Striffler, 185—36 Highway Commissioner— John Marshall, 142 Oscar C. Wood, 197—55

Justice of Peace— Joel D. Withey, 154 George Fredmore, 180—26 School Inspector— Hugh W. Seed, 155 Daniel P. Deming, 179—24 Member of Board of Review— Philip A. Koepfgen, 160 Luke H. Wright, 173—13 Constables— Henry Ball, 149 James Reagh, 183—34 Henry Sheffer, 151 Barnard Turner, 180—29 Henry Hubert, 144 David M. Houghton, 180—45 William Jeffery, 146 James D. Tuckey, 184—38

For justice of the supreme court, Chas. D. Long, Rep., received a majority of 83 in this township; regents of the university, W. J. Crocker and Chas. D. Lawton, Rep., received 83 and 82 majority respectively; county commission of schools, Philip G. Davis, Rep., 83 majority. The constitutional amendment relative to the salary of the attorney general received a majority of 11. On the township ticket there were 353 votes cast, 108 being straight Republican and 159 straight Union Silver.

At the town meeting it was decided to raise \$300 for highway purposes, \$250 of which will be expended on the road east of town, and \$300 for contingent fund. The proposition of the ENTERPRISE to publish the year's proceedings for \$10 was accepted and \$250 will be raised to construct a house at the cemetery. Overseers were appointed, reports read and accepted and the usual business transacted.

The total vote cast in Novesta was 140. The Township ticket was elected with H. H. Wilson supervisor, majority 43; clerk, A. A. Livingston; treasurer, M. H. Quick; highway commissioner, J. J. Spence; justice, N. Hamilton; school inspector, H. W. Goodrich; board of review, A. McPhail. Majorities from 67 to 73.

In Kingston, John G. Jeffery, Union Silver, received 21 majority for supervisor; John McCracken, on the same ticket, 41 majority for justice; and the balance of the Republican ticket was elected. Clerk, J. B. Beverly; treas., Wm. M. Coltsen; highway com., Henry Harris; school inspector, George F. Lee; board of review, Amos. P. Jeffery.

The Union Silver ticket won in Elmwood, with the exception of H. A. Gifford, clerk, and Robt. McCready, highway commissioner, the majorities being small.—Supervisor, Henry Dodge; treas., Fred E. Hawkins; school inspector, N. A. Perry; board of review, R. O'Dell; justice, John Anyon.

Other townships are given by our correspondents.

The End Was Peace.

Anna, beloved wife of Ira Rock, who has been gradually wasting away with that dread disease—consumption, died at her residence in Cass City, on Friday, April 2nd. She was the daughter of William and Lucy Bailey and at the time of her death was nearly twenty-eight years of age. She was born in Canada and came to this part with her parents in 1870. She was married to Ira Rock on Feb. 22nd, 1889. Her husband, a little seven-year-old daughter, father, mother, four sisters and two brothers are left to mourn her departure. Her life, though short, was useful and influential, she being of a kind and sympathetic nature which reached every heart and attached her very deeply to all, especially to those of her household. She was converted in August of last year and united with the M. E. Church. She could not attend the services on account of poor health but during her illness maintained a simple trust in the wisdom of Providence, whom she believed was too wise to err and too good to be unkind. "If it is God's will I am satisfied," was the sentiment of her heart. She had a happy smile and a cheerful word for all until called higher to meet her God and the loved ones gone before.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Jas. W. Fenn having charge. The attendance was very large, the church being well filled, and the services were very impressive. It is scarcely necessary to say that the bereaved ones have the sympathies of all.

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A Sudden Call.

As stated in our last issue, Oscar Lenzner, Sr., suddenly expired on Thursday, the 1st inst., from a stroke of paralysis. Between the hours of ten and eleven that morning, his son, Franklin, was at work at the turning lathe at their workshop on Main Street, and had nearly completed the job he was at when he felt a sudden impulse to go to his father's. Making an excuse to his brother, he went to the house and meeting his mother at the kitchen door, asked if his father was in his shop. His mother replied that he was and they went towards the door which stood open and before entering they saw him lying face downward on the floor. It seems that Mrs. Lenzner had stepped outside a few moments previously for a pail of water and it is thought he must have fallen while she was out. His forehead struck against some coarse chips which cut quite an ugly gash. The doctor was at once summoned but life was extinct. He had had three strokes of paralysis previous to this time and it was feared he would go in this manner.

Deceased was born Feb. 14th, 1825, at Leubetha, Saxony, Germany. There he learned the art of making violins and he has ever since taken a special pride in the manufacture of stringed instruments. In the year 1840 he came to America, taking up his residence at Lancaster, N. Y. On June 20, 1853, he was married to Susanna Striffler and came to Cass City in June, 1873. He conducted the furniture store on Main Street, until in more recent years his sons have managed it. Samuel and John are now in Detroit, while Oscar and Franklin are still in the business started by their father. Some years ago deceased secured a patent on a musical instrument called the banjo-guitarina and has since paid especial attention to its manufacture. He also invented what is known as "King David's harp" and made guitars, banjos, dulcimers, autoharps, etc. His mechanical ability was of a high order, his ideal of work being that of the true artist:—"Whatever is worth doing is worth doing well." Into every bit of work he did he put his heart. He also possessed great intellectual force and could have filled any position in life and made his mark. He has spent twenty-five years in this community and we will not again see his equal. Besides the four sons, already mentioned, a widow and daughter survive.

The funeral services were held at the house Sunday morning and were conducted by Rev. B. J. Baxter, of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. B. F. Wade, late of the Evangelical Church, Elkton. The services were attended by a large company of relatives and friends many of whom also followed the remains to the Elkland cemetery. He will be missed, not only by our citizens, but by many others, especially amongst the commercial travellers, who were in the habit of visiting his home when in town. He is gone, but the sweet strains of music he has produced still ring in the souls of hundreds.

Something to Know. It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store.

Late Literary News. Does Modern College Education Educate, in the Broadest and Most Liberal Sense of the Term? is one of the most important inquiries that could be set on foot. This discussion, which is to be taken part in by President Gilman of the Johns Hopkins, President Dwight of Yale, President Schurman of Cornell, President Morton of the Stevens Institute, Henry Thurston Peck of Columbia, Bishop Potter and others of the most distinguished men of both the United States and Europe, is begun in the April Cosmopolitan by a radical inquiry into the educational problem along the lines of Herbert Spencer. President Gilman will follow in a direction equally searching. Altogether there is promised the frankest possible expression of opinion, and it seems probable that it will be the most thorough comparison ever made of educational methods with the needs of every-day life at the close of the nineteenth century.

Ninety-seven out of every hundred persons use Brant's Cough Balsam. We appeal to the three who don't. "I cured me after all others failed." Charles Goeha, Gaylord, Mich. We warrant it—25 cents. Sold by T. H. Fritz, druggist.

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PINNEBOG.

It was mud but now 'tis water. Wheat is getting a little greener. Belle Paine visited friends in Port Huron this week.

Harry Williams moved four loads of his shop material to Elkton last week. Election passed off quietly in this place. Some are pleased with the result while others are disappointed.

ELLINGTON.

The Ladies' Aid realized \$13.00 from their furnishing dinner on election day.

Miss Eva Hatch is now teaching the spring term of school in Dist. No. 1, Ellington.

Engene Hess commenced teaching the spring term of school in Dist. No. 2 on Monday.

Will Houghton moved Monday from the C. Wickware house to the one vacated by Dan Adams.

L. W. Ostrander has moved from the Hobart farm on to his farm half a mile north of John Medcalf's.

Dan Adams moved from the house near W. A. Bailey's mill to the one lately occupied by L. W. Ostrander.

Mrs. Erastus Ackley was brought by her son, Hugh, last Saturday to spend the day with us returning towards night.

Guy M. Medcalf and son, Irva, arrived from Grayling Monday night to his farm in Ellington which he expects to occupy in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deitz have moved from John Deitz's to the Axford farm east of Cedar Run in Elmwood which he has rented for three years.

There will be a masked ball given by the Maccabees at May's hall on Friday night of this week to which all are invited. Warm sugar and supper, 25 cents per couple.

John Medcalf and Dwight Turner started Tuesday morning on a trip south and west and will go as far as Illinois and through that state looking for choice cattle. They will be absent for some time.

Mrs. Lyman Crouse, who with her husband moved from Akron some weeks ago to eastern Ellington, was taken sick some two weeks ago and died at Emerson Heath's last Saturday forenoon and was buried in the Ellington cemetery Sunday afternoon.

In the election, the Union Silver party won all but drain com. and one constable. The officers are as follows:—Supervisor, Travis Leach; clerk, Sherman Elliot; treas., Leroy George; highway com., Chas. A. Fish; justice, Eugene Rogers; school inspector, Jacob H. Mosher; board of review, Fowler Smith; drain com., Frank Gould.

For Sale.

120 acres of land in Evergreen township, 60 acres under cultivation with fair buildings, good orchard; will sell cheap on terms to suit purchaser. Call on or address, Wm. F. Ehlers, of Shabbona, Mich., or D. June & Co., Fremont, Ohio. 4-1-4

Girl Wanted.

To do housework. Enquire of W. J. Campbell's, North Seagar Street. 4-1-4

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Black Materials.

Black materials are to be greatly favored this winter, and a special and attractive exhibit of stylish and elegant black goods made this week included French armures with bourette knots, mohairs and canvas weaves with boucle figures, English whipcords, camel's hair serges with glossy silk and wool stripes in raised designs, plain and fancy alpaca and brilliantines, satins, moires, both plain and broadened, henriettes in silk warp and sheer all wool combinations, drap d'ete, repped silks and repped wools in both fine and heavy cords, new designs in crepons and many handsome textiles in crepon effects. The mohairs and henriettes cloths, the faced cloths, are represented in different qualities and prices, and possess a degree of durability that is unsurpassed by nearly any black material save silky English serge, which is less dressy in effect than the finer woven fabrics. Many other standard black textiles are displayed that are in steady demand, as the outlook for the winter season indicates an even greater demand for handsome black fabrics than was experienced a year ago, when this color largely prevailed.—New York Post.

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Frederick Bourns, one of the pioneers of this county and father of the postmaster at Vassar, died Monday evening.

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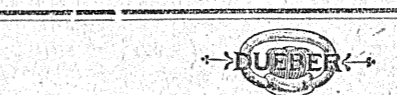
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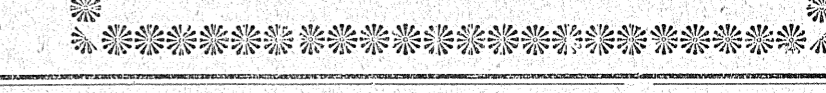
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