

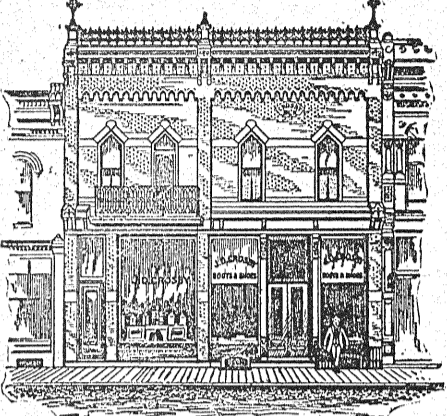
# CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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BY M'DOWELL & WALTERS.

**Just a Word**



Our stock is now complete. Our spring purchases are practically in. We can supply your every want in Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods. The three best Shoes in the world for the money are

**PINGREE & SMITH:**

Governor, for Men	4 00
Gloria for Women	3 50
Composite for Women	3 00

We also carry a full line of Pingree & Smith Shoes from \$3.00 up. Our Spring stock of clothing was never so large or well assorted, consisting of all the latest novelties as well as the staples. Spring styles in Derby Fe lora and Crush Hats. Butter and Eggs taken.

**J. D. Crosby** Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Man.

**Mrs. E. K. Wickware's**  
TWENTIETH ANNUAL  
**Easter Millinery Opening**  
April 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 '00

My trimmer, Miss Laura Wickware, having just returned from Detroit where she has spent several weeks in the Trimming Departments of the leading Millinery Houses, you will find our Hats and Bonnets

**UP-TO-DATE**

Our stock complete in every detail, and our prices as low as possible. We invite you one and all to come and inspect our goods assuring you of cordial and generous treatment, whether you wish to purchase or not. Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting a continuance of the same in the future, I am

Yours Respectfully,  
**Mrs. E. K. Wickware**

**Local Happenings.**

Read J. C. Launderbach's new adv. this week.

Jas. Sillers, of Bad Axe, was in town on Tuesday.

Note the pointers on seeds in H. L. Hunt's new adv.

Miss Florence Clark visited in Caro a part of last week.

Stevenson gives some hints on dishes this week in his new adv.

W. S. Wallace made a business trip to Bay Port on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Leipprandt, of Pigeon, called in town on Friday.

The excavation is being made for the addition to the New Sheridan.

James Lambert, of Crosswell, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wallace.

The Misses Ida and Lillian Striffler and Cecil Fritz, visited in Caro on Sunday.

Miss Emma Kinde, of Kinde, was the guest of Miss Minta Traver, a part of last week.

J. Holmes Travis, John Walton and Will Kelley, of Caro, were in town on Monday evening.

Mrs. Frank Baillie, of Caro, was the guest of her uncle, James Tennant, of this place, last week.

H. C. Howey, now occupies his own residence on Pine street, just east of the Evangelical Church.

J. W. Heller has moved to his brother's residence on corner of Sherman and Houghton streets.

Walter Bender was called to his home at Ruth Sunday, owing to the serious illness of his father.

Miss Mary Janks and Charlie Janks, of Caro, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Janks on Sunday.

Alex A. Brian has leased the Davis forty-acre farm two miles south of town, and is moving this week.

Miss Isabelle MacArthur, of this place, has been re-engaged as preceptor at the Vassar high school.

Clarence Quick left for Milwaukee on Tuesday, having secured the position of steward on the boat Alexander Nimick.

J. H. Striffler & Co. report the spring trade in implements opening briskly and they are fully equipped to meet all demands. See new adv.

D. A. Freeman has purchased the residence property of Elias Annis, at the corner of West and Third Streets and will move as soon as Mr. Annis can vacate.

Rev. John Sweet, D. D., the presiding elder of this district, for the M. E. Church, was in town on Tuesday afternoon and presided at the quarterly conference.

The Epworth League will give a Maple Sugar social at the home of J. W. Macomber, on Wednesday evening, April 18th. A free will offering will be taken. All are invited.

Timothy Keeler and family, of Attica, have arrived in town and have moved into the Ahr building on Seagar street. Mr. Keeler will be employed by Frutchey, McGeorge & Co. at their barns.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Beach and son, Harry, of Saginaw, spent a portion of last week in town. Mr. Beach starts east again soon and will handle the Spaulding & Howell steel horse collar this year, besides other patents.

Out of a field of 50 candidates, R. L. Holloway, present superintendent of the Caro schools, was elected to the superintendency of St. Clair schools, succeeding S. J. Gier, who goes to Hillsdale to superintend. Mr. Holloway has accepted.

Dr. Suleba, of Grand Rapids, occupied the M. E. Church pulpit on Sunday, morning and evening. The audiences which greeted him were quite large and appeared well satisfied with his addresses. The Epworth League treasury was enriched by about ten dollars.

Tuesday noon, the fire alarm brought out our fire ladders at double quick speed. The fire was in the residence of T. J. Clements, west Pine Street, but the damage was not great, the fiery element being quickly subdued. Quite a hole was made in the roof of the east addition.

Among the Clifford items in the North Branch Gazette we find the following:—Miss Edith Wilkinson and Howard Turner started Monday for Dakota where Miss Wilkinson will take up her duties as teacher a very promising situation having been offered her there. Miss Wilkinson assumes her duties well recommended and her many friends here wish her success.

**Wide Awake Buyers**

**ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE**

Of the low prices we are giving on Dry Goods. We are selling a great many lines of goods at less than manufacturers prices. It will pay you to take advantage of our low prices. You will find

our assortment large and complete

If its good new, clean, up-to-date goods at rock bottom prices you want, you will find us ever ready to supply you. No trouble to show goods. We carry a complete line of Dry Goods and Staple Groceries.

**W. A. Fairweather.**

**A FOG HORN**

Is not needed to attract attention to our store, our goods speak for themselves. Our delicious Candies put up

**IN A BASKET**

or a Box make you forget all about the weather by making you think only of their goodness. They are deservedly popular. Makes a desirable Easter Gift. Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and all the other fruits of the season.

Tobaccos and Cigars  
By the Wholesale.

**J. C. LAUDERBACH**

**Easter Greeting**

A nice assortment of Easter Cards and Booklets, Novelties, Etc. Easter Dye, Reward Cards, Box Paper and Stationery Come in and see the Easter Display.

**T. H. Fritz, Druggist**

**Before Buying Your Carpets**

See the new line of Axminsters, Wilton Velvets, Body Brussels, Tapestry Brussels, Perfecto and Eclipse Brussel Ingrain, Three Ply, Superba, Nine Grades Extra Super all wool, Extra Super Cotton Chain, Extra Super Union, Cotton Ingrain.

**Mattings**

Napier, Cocoa, Cain and Cocoa, plain and striped all widths. Linoleums for Hall, Dining Room etc.

**123 PATTERNS**

To select from. All guaranteed to fit without wrinkles.

**LENZNER'S**  
Furniture Store.

**Larger Stock of Shoes**

than ever before means a greater effort for more of your shoe trade. We have one and want the other. If you have not for the past eight years tried our shoes please do so now as we feel quite sure you will then be our steady customer, as many others have done. Of course every pair of shoes can not be perfect any more than can every person. But we try to correct any dissatisfaction.

**WE CAN PLEASE YOU IN HOSIERY.**

As we have an elegant new line. All prices from 10c. to 75c per pair. See our children's fancy plaid and striped hose. Men and women's three pair for 25c. All kinds of staple Dry Goods at lowest prices. All kinds of staple groceries at lowest prices. White Star Coffee still leads 17, 25, 30, 35, and 40 cts.

**LAING & JANES.**

**NO RISK TO RUN**

**I Am Still On Earth**

and doing business in the same Practical way heretofore conducted by me. I am prepared to attend calls and funerals at any hour. My stock of Caskets, Coffins and Burial Robes is complete. Embalming scientifically executed. Two Hearse always in readiness. Branch offices: Argyle, J. McPhail; Gagetown, D. Ashmore. Office opposite Opera House.

**AT BOND'S**  
Drug Store  
Eggs Wanted.

**A. A. MCKENZIE,**  
Cass City.

**The Spring Season**

Stares us in the Face

And as usual we are able to supply the demand for Reliable up-to-date.

**Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and Furnishings**

Fresh from the Factory and prices and quality to please the most fastidious.

**Dry Goods, Groceries and Carpets for all.**

**LADIES' SUITS.**

To Please The taste and fits like you want it.

Butter and Eggs wanted.

**2 Macks 2**



**Millinery Opening In Full Blast**

**Are You Ready For Easter**

We have just returned from the city where we have been taking instructions in the latest styles of trimming and also purchasing my new Spring Stock, which is the largest and most complete stock I have ever yet shown in Cass City.

**Souvenir Fans.**

We have purchased a large number of Souvenir Fans which we are going to give free to our customers.

**Umbrellas and Parasols**

A fine line of Ladies' and Misses Umbrellas and Parasols have been added to our stock. Call and see them.

**MRS. F. C. LEE.**

**Peas and Beans,**

D. Law will be in Cass City every Sunday for the letting of peas and beans.

**Sioux City Seed and Nursery Company**

**Farm for Sale**

80 Acres, 4 1/4 miles from Cass City; 30 acres cleared; 15 acres green timber. Easy terms. ROBT. WARNER. 3-8-tf

**For Sale**

Forty acre farm within six miles of Cass City. School house across the road. Good farm for Sugar Beets. MORAN BROS., 63 Home Bank Building, Detroit, Mich.

**For Sale.**

At a bargain if sold at once. 40 acres 5 1/2 miles from Cass City, good house and stable, 25 acres cleared, 3 acres wheat on ground. Or will rent. O. K. JANES.

**For Sale.**

80 acres 6 1/2 miles from Cass City. 40 acres cleared, 15 acres green maple timber. Good barn house and orchard. Price \$2000. O. K. JANES. 3-23

**Lots Plowed.**

We wish to inform the people who have lots to plow that we will plow same at right price. CHAS. HERR JOE. McCLOREY.

**For Sale.**

I have a few choice village lots which I will sell for a small payment down, and balance on easy terms. 1-24-tf HUGH W. SEEB.

**Farm for Sale.**

40 Acres, five miles west of Cass City, known as the Simons place. Inquire of I. WAIDLEY. 2-8-12\*

**Money to Loan**

On farm property in amounts of \$200 to \$2,500 from 2 to 10 years. Will take partial payments. See O. K. JANES for particulars. 8-4

**Just Received**

A New Stock of

**Embroideries and Laces**

Also Lace Curtains from 50c to \$5.00 pair. Call and see them

**Frost & Hebblewhite.**

# CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

A. A. P. McDowell, Publisher.

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

Admiral Sampson knows how to sympathize with the Englishmen who want to give all the glory of "Bobs" movements to "Tugela" Butler.

When John D. Rockefeller wishes to get even with a critical public he gives Dr. Harper a lump sum on condition that the doctor takes a similar sum out of Standard Oil company treasurers.

How soon the electric car has become "the carriage of the people!" An official report says that in Massachusetts there are one thousand seven hundred and thirty-five miles of street railway, and that only four miles of track are now traversed by horses.

Congress is to be asked to appropriate a considerable sum for the Philadelphia mint, including boilers, engines, dynamos, pneumatic tools, lifts, telephones and machine tools, coal handling machinery, motors, etc., as well as a fine equipment of machinery connected directly with the coinage of money. It is thought that within a few years the mint may be relied upon to produce most of the machinery and appliances for all the United States mints.

After all, it takes a woman to show us how to do things. She knows. No one ever hears of her forming an organization of "woman" employees. Not any. She gets the right word. Her latest organization is the "Lady Bookkeepers' Union." Now let us have the "Amalgamated Association of Gentleman Clerks," the "Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen" and other similar organizations just to show that the various trades, business and professional gentlemen are not behind the times.

An interesting question has recently been raised in the navy department and the comptroller for the treasury has been called upon to decide the same. Officers of the navy are undecided whether, under the naval personnel act, they are still allowed the privilege of having enlisted men of the navy act as their servants. Secretary Long has written the comptroller a long letter, in which he argues that there is nothing in the act which prohibits such service being accepted from enlisted men. The subject has not yet been decided in the treasury department.

It is not always possible to account for the fluctuations in the world of finance. Not long ago, without any apparent cause, the stringency of the foreign money market was so great that there was danger of disaster to some of the largest moneyed institutions of Europe. But as suddenly as the danger threatened, it disappeared and the rate of interest was lowered in Great Britain, France and Germany. These changes were inexplicable, but for the time being the American gold balance was drawn upon, and in fact the outward flow of gold has not entirely ceased yet. But this country is in a financial condition to sustain any drafts that Europe may make upon it.

In an article in the Comptes Rendus MM. Prevost and Battelli describe 270 experiments which were made upon dogs, rabbits and guinea pigs, the animals being inserted in a condenser circuit, charged by a Ruhmkorff. The number of fatal cases decreased with increasing weight and age; two consecutive discharges of 1,000 joules did not kill a dog of seven kilograms weight. Quickly consecutive discharges have an accumulative effect, but are comparatively less fatal than single discharges. Five phases are distinguished in the effects; general muscular contraction, convulsions, spasms, general inhibitions of the nervous system, stoppage of the heart's action; young guinea pigs cannot be revived even after the second phase by artificial respiration.

One of the Midway Islands visited by the United States expedition making surveys for the Pacific cable, is described as inhabited by an almost incredible number of sea birds. Upon fully one-half of the surface of the island the sand was literally covered with them, and the noise of the winged host astonished the visitors. A few land-birds were mingled here and there among them. The picture of abundant bird life will attract the notice of the ruthless destroyers who seem bent on exterminating our contemporaries of the air, and who soon will be sighing for more bird worlds to conquer. The Midway albatross, it seems, refused to retreat before the invader, and bravely faced the foe. If the power of defence were once given to the birds in fuller measure, their revolt against plume-hunters might stop the threatened massacre.

That there is much room for civil service reform in Turkey is newly emphasized by a recent experience there. An American traveler, wishing to mail a magazine, was told by a head postmaster that while a good Mussulman might mail it as a periodical for eight cents, a heretic would be charged book post, seventy-five cents. Just outside the door a clerk whispered, "Do not mind him! He is an ass! Give me your paper, and I will send it off when he is not looking." While this was service, it could hardly be called civil, and surely there is need of reform.

## FOR WOMEN AND HOME

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS.

English Mourning Costume—French Model for Summer Dress—The Shirt Waist—Breathing, Bathing and Resting—The Healthful Bedroom.

**The Fairy Bells.**  
(Old Favorite Series.)  
I dreamt—twas but a dream—thou wert my bride, love!  
I dreamt that we were wand'ring side by side, love!  
I, earth's happiest son, and thou, her loveliest daughter,  
White fairy bells came tinkling o'er the water.  
Merrily it fell,  
The echo of that fairy bell.

That vision pass'd away, and thou hast left me,  
To mourn the hopes thy falsehood hath bereft me,  
No more I claim thy promised hand,  
No more in dreams I see the stand,  
White soft, sweet, soft, and low,  
Soft, sweet, and low it fell.  
The echo of that fairy bell.

Now, when I'm musing sad and lonely,  
With but my harp and thy remembrance only,  
In vain as o'er those chords I bend,  
One joyous note I try to send,  
For sad, sad, and changed they seem,  
The fairy bells of that dear dream.  
—Hon. Mrs. Norton.

**The Shirt Waist.**  
Very inviting are the displays of Oxford, chevots, zephyrs and madras cloths for the shirt waist, and the made-up models have already pushed out of place their winter representatives in cloth, velvet and fine flannels.

We shall wear the comfortable wools, aye, and even buy them for some time to come, but already we are casting speculative eyes upon the thinner successors. A pretty feature in the wash waist for next summer is their simplicity. The human form divine is to have a chance to breathe once more, for the voluminous starched fronts are no more. Even those professing to be loose have no surplus material, and the greater number are unquestionably perfectly plain, fitted over shoulders and bust and buttoned simply down the back. Red dotted swiss has the entire front crossed in diamonds of white val insertion, the undered front just puckered a little at the belt, the plain back closed with bullet-shaped pearl buttons. The close sleeves have a tight cuff, and the simple, unlined collar has little oblong turnovers of Swiss and Valenciennes lace. Another style for these button-up-the-back waists is to have the front entirely of tucking and inserting. This is of the style which is purchased ready tucked and joined, and saves infinite labor, besides being neater than the most careful home seamstress could make it. Madras waists, also so fastened, have a slender vest of tucking, running down to a point at the waist, and have little revers from the neck to the bust on each side. These are also of tucking and simply finished with a frill of narrow lace. Large collars and full, fuzzy revers are not shown at all. There is very evidence that the 1900 summer gaily proposes, above all, to be sweetly clean. Her waists say plainly enough that it will be a simple matter to wash and iron them, and there need be no lack in their number for that reason. One feature which marks them as new and far prettier than the old shirt waists is the entire absence of yokes of any kind, even in the back. The only semblance of a yoke is the one which is trimmed and applied to the shoulders, forming a little epaulet over the sleeves. The backs of the semi-full front waists are tucked and plaited to correspond with the front. There are stiff linen cuffs, with rounded corners and detachable collars, which can be discarded altogether for the more becoming stocks, and long silk scarfs tied twice around the neck.

**The Healthful Bedroom.**  
A lady noted for her good taste and her unusual ability as a housekeeper says that anything about a sleeping room should be simple, immaculate and easily kept so. Bedrooms may be either carpeted with matting or the floors oiled and rugs placed beside the beds. If the walls are papered the colors should be modest and the pattern subdued. The windows should be curtained so as to be uniform with the rest of the house, but too much drapery is an abomination and it should be entirely dispensed with in a sick room. The bedroom is what its name implies, a place of repose, and everything about it should be conducive to the one purpose of sleeping. Pictures and garish furniture, or articles not actually necessary to the comfort of the occupant, should be entirely ignored. Above all things, a sleeping apartment should be flooded for at least one hour during the day with sunlight and have in at night an abundance of fresh air, taking care the while that the sleeper is not exposed to a draft.

**Breathing-Bathing-Resting.**  
A few breathing exercises every day, taken in the open air, if possible, will accomplish wonders in warding off disease, particularly colds. Stand erect, with the arms at the sides of the body, or the hands laid loosely on the hips. Expand the cavity of the chest to its full extent by raising the ribs, thereby allowing air in abundance to stream into the lungs. When at the height of the inspiration, the greatest expansion of the chest is reached, and it should be maintained for a moment. Then the ribs should be allowed to recede slowly but completely, so that the cavity of the chest becomes narrowed and the air is expelled. In this way inspiration and expiration should alternate regularly. The inspiration should take place chiefly through the nose, with the mouth shut.

## ENGLISH MOURNING COSTUME.

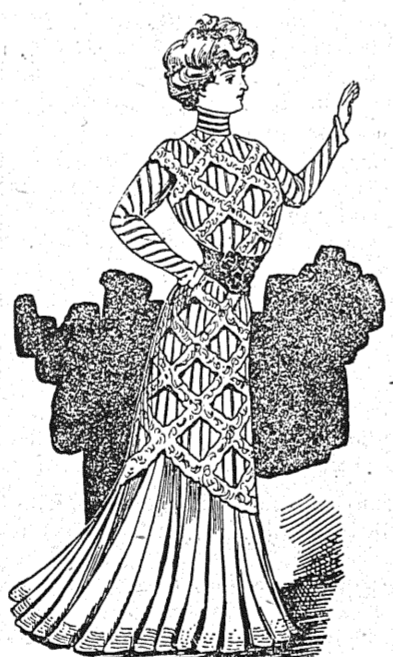


Mourning gown of peau-de-soie, with flounce of crepe de chine. It is trimmed with jet and folds of crepe.

A cold plunge can be borne only by the robust, and a cold plunge before breakfast should be taken by none but the very vigorous. Cold baths should never be taken when the body is exhausted. Elderly people should not take a bath below 70 degrees Fahrenheit. The best time for a warm bath is just before retiring, since it increases the flow of blood in the skin and opens the pores. If a woman is strong enough, after taking a warm bath she may turn on cold water, thus gradually reducing the temperature of the water until it is cold, or she may follow the hot bath with a cold shower bath.

The woman who wants to accomplish the most and best work possible will find that one hour's rest at a fixed hour every afternoon will do far more for her than stimulants. In order to obtain the greatest good from this hour's rest she must disrobe, as if it were night, and then lie down in a darkened room and sleep for a half hour or even less. She will arise refreshed and invigorated. One whole day out of ten spent in absolute rest is a great restorer of strength and beauty as well as cheerfulness.

**French Model for Summer Dress.**  
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Made with bodice and tunic of bands of white lace over pleated yellow mousseline de soie.

**Comfort for Invalids.**  
It is often the case that invalids and persons infirm from age or other cause suffer serious discomfort from the ill adaptation of their clothing. One feeble gentleman has by experiment succeeded in contriving and having fashioned for him a dress which is quite satisfactory. Though long averse to having any woollen fabrics touch his skin, he is now clad in wool from neck to toes. First is a sort of waistcoat or sack reaching to and covering the hips, buttoned down in front and having a row of six large, flat buttons about the waist-line for supporting the easy-fitting drawers. Both garments are made of very soft, light-weight flannel. The two pieces are preferred to the "combination suit"—waist and drawers made in one—as the wearer perspires profusely and changes the waistcoat several times a day, with no need of change of drawers. Besides, he likes the added covering over the hips and lower part of the spine. This

## TALMAGE'S SERMON.

### VICTORY OF RETREAT, LAST SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

Much Accomplished by Waiting for Opportunities—Joshua's Plan of Ambuscade Offered as a Successful One for the Righteous.

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Text: Joshua viii. 7, "Then shall ye rise up from the ambush and seize upon the city."

One Sabbath evening, with my family around me, we were talking over the scene of the text. In the wide open eyes and the quick interrogations and the blanched cheeks I realized what a thrilling drama it was. There is the old city, shorter by name than any other city in the ages, spelled with two letters, A, I, Ai. Joshua and his men want to take it. How to do it is the question. On a former occasion, in a straightforward, face to face fight, they had been defeated, but now they are going to take it by ambuscade. General Joshua has two divisions in his army. The one division the battle worn commander will lead himself, the other division he sends off to encamp in an ambush on the west side of the city of Ai. No torches, no lanterns, no sound of heavy battalions, but 30,000 swarthy warriors moving in silence, speaking only in a whisper; not clicking of swords against shields, lest the watchmen of Ai discover it and the stratagem be a failure. If the roistering soldier in the Israelitish army forgets himself, all along the line the word is "Hush!"

Joshua takes the other division, the one with which he is to march, and puts it on the north side of the city of Ai, and then spends the night in reconnoitering in the valley. There he is, thinking over the fortunes of the coming day with something of the feelings of Wellington the night before Waterloo or of Meade and Lee the night before Gettysburg. There he stands in the night and says to himself, "Yonder is the division in ambush on the west side of Ai. Here is the division I have under my especial command on the north side of Ai. There is the old city slumbering in its sin. Tomorrow will be the battle." Look! The morning already begins to tip the hills. The military officers of Ai look out in the morning very early, and, while they do not see the division in ambush, they behold the other division of Joshua and the cry, "To arms! To arms!" rings through all the streets of the old town, and every sword, whether hacked and bent or newly welded, is brought out, and all the inhabitants of the city of Ai pour through the gates, an infuriated torrent, and their cry is "Come, we'll make quick work with Joshua and his troops."

**A Seemingly Repulse.**  
No sooner had these people of Ai come out against the troops of Joshua than Joshua gave such a command as he seldom gave—"Fall back!" Why, they could not believe their own ears! It is Joshua's courage failing him? The retreat is beaten, and the Israelites are flying, throwing blankets and canteens on every side under this worse than Bull Run defeat. And you ought to hear the soldiers of Ai cheer and cheer and cheer. But they huzza too soon. The men lying in ambush are straining their vision to get some signal from Joshua that they may know what time to drop upon the city. Joshua takes his burnished spear, glittering in the sun like a shaft of doom, and points it toward the city, and when the men up yonder in the ambush see it with hawklike swoop they drop upon Ai and without stroke of sword or stab of spear take the city and put it to the torch.

So much for the division that was in ambush. How about the division under Joshua's command? No sooner does Joshua stop in the flight than all his men stop with him, and as he wheels they wheel, for in a voice of thunder he cried "Halt!" one strong arm driving back a torrent of flying troops. And then, as he points his spear through the golden light toward that fated city, his troops know that they are to start for it. What a scene it was when the division in ambush which had taken the city marched down against the men of Ai on the one side, and the troops under Joshua doubled on their enemies from the other side, and the men of Ai were caught between these two hurricanes of Israelitish courage, thrust before and behind, stabbed in breast and back, ground between the upper and the nether millstones of God's indignation! "Woe to the city of Ai! Cheer for Israel!"

**Victorious Retreat.**  
There is such a thing as victorious retreat. Joshua's falling back was the first chapter in his successful besiegement. And there are times in your life when the best thing you can do is to run. You were once the victim of strong drink. The demijohn and the decanter were your fierce foes. They came down upon you with greater fury than the men of Ai came upon the men of Joshua. Your only safety is to get away from them. Your dissipating companions will come around you for your overthrow. Run for your life! Fall back! Fall back from the drinking saloon! Fall back from the wine party! Your flight is your advance; your retreat is your victory. There is a saloon down on the next street that has almost been the ruin of your soul. Then why do you go along that street? Why do you not pass through some other street rather than by the place of your calamity? A spoonful

of brandy taken for medicinal purposes by a man who 20 years before had been reformed from drunkenness hurled into inebriety and the grave one of the best friends I ever had. Retreat is victory!

Here is a converted infidel. He is so strong now in his faith in the gospel he says he can read anything. What are you reading? Bolingbroke? Andrew Jackson Davis' tracts? Tyndall's Glasgow university address? Drop them and run. You will be an infidel before you die unless you quit that. These men of Ai will be too much for you. Turn your back on the rank and file of unbelief. Fly before they cut you with their swords and transfix you with their javelins. There are people who have been well nigh ruined because they risked a foolhardy expedition in the presence of mighty and overwhelming temptations, and the men of Ai made a morning meal of them. \* \* \*

**Reasons for Retreat.**  
But there is a more marked illustration of victorious retreat in the life of our Joshua, the Jesus of the ages. First falling back from an appalling height to an appalling depth, falling from celestial hills to terrestrial valleys, from throne to manger; yet that did not seem to suffice him as a retreat. Falling back still farther from Bethlehem to Nazareth, from Nazareth to Jerusalem, back from Jerusalem to Golgotha, back from Golgotha to the mausoleum in the rock, back down over the precipices of perdition until he walked amid the caverns of the eternal captives and drank of the wine of the wrath of Almighty God, amid the Ababs, and the Jezebels and the Belshazzars. Oh, men of the pulpit and men of the pew, Christ's descent from heaven to earth does not measure half the distance! It was from glory to perdition. He descended into hell. All the records of earthly retreat are as nothing compared with this falling back.

**Sin's Triumph Brief.**  
The triumph of the wicked is short. Did you ever see an army in a panic? There is nothing so uncontrollable. If you had stood at Long bridge, Washington, during the opening of our sad civil war, you would know what it is to see an army run. And when these men of Ai looked out and saw those men of Joshua in a stampede they expected easy work. They would scatter them as the equinox the leaves. Oh, the gleeful and jubilant descent of the men of Ai upon the men of Joshua! But their exhilaration was brief, for the tide of battle turned, and these quondam conquerors left their miserable carcasses in the wilderness of Bethaven. So it always is. The triumph of the wicked is short. You make \$20,000 at the gaming table. Do you expect to keep it? You will die in the poorhouse. You made a fortune by ungodly traffic. Do you expect to keep it? Your money will scatter, or it will stay long enough to curse your children after you are dead. Call over the roll of bad men who prospered and see how short was their prosperity. For awhile, like the men of Ai, they went from conquest to conquest, but after awhile disaster rolled back upon them, and they were divided into three parts. Misfortune took their property, the grave took their body and the lost world took their soul. I am always interested in the building of the palaces of dissipation. I like to have them built of the best granite and have the rooms made large and to have the pillars made very firm. God is going to conquer them, and they will be turned into asylums and art galleries and churches. The stores in which fraudulent banking institutions where the president and cashier put all their property in their wives' hands and then fail for \$500,000, all these institutions are to become the places where honest Christian men do business.

How long will it take your boys to get through your ill-gotten gains? The wicked do not live out half their days. For awhile they swagger and strut and make a great splash in the newspapers, but after awhile it all dwindles down into a brief paragraph: "Died suddenly, April 8, 1900, at 35 years of age. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral on Wednesday at 2 o'clock from the late residence on Madison square. Interment at Greenwood or Oak Hill." Some of them jumped off the docks. Some of them took prussic acid. Some of them fell under the snap of a Deringer pistol. Some of them spent their days in a lunatic asylum. Where are William Tweed and his associates? Where are Ketcham and Swartwout, absconding swindlers? Where are James Fisk, the libertine, and all the other misdoers? The wicked do not live out half their days. Disembogue, O world of darkness! Come up, Hildebrand and Henry II. and Robespierre and, with blistering and blaspheming and ashen lips, hiss out, "The triumph of the wicked is short."

**Awaiting Opportunities.**  
How much may be accomplished by lying in ambush for opportunities. Are you hypercritical of Joshua's maneuver? Do you say that it was cheating for him to take that city by ambuscade? Was it wrong for Washington to kindle campfires on Jersey heights, giving the impression to the opposing force that a great army was encamped there when there was none at all? I answer, if the war was right, then Joshua was right in his stratagem. He violated no flag of truce. He broke no treaty, but by a lawful ambuscade captured the city of Ai. Oh, that we all knew how to lie in ambush for opportunities to serve God. The best of our opportunities do not lie on the surface, but are secreted. By tact, by stratagem, by Christian ambuscade,

you may take almost any castle of sin for Christ. Come up toward men with a regular besiegement of argument, and you will be defeated, but just wait until the door of their hearts is set ajar, or they are off their guard, or their severe caution is away from home, and then drop in on them from a Christian ambuscade. There has been many a man up to his chin in scientific portfolios which proved there was no Christ and no divine revelation, his pen a scimeter flung into the heart of theological opponents, who nevertheless has been discomfited and captured for God by some little 3-year-old child who has got up and put her snowy arms around his sinewy neck and asked some simple question about God. \* \* \*

**Importance of Good Aim.**  
The importance of taking good aim. There is Joshua, but how are those people in ambush up yonder to know when they are to drop on the city, and how are these men around Joshua to know when they are to stop their flight and advance? There must be some signal—a signal to stop the one division and to start the other. Joshua, with a spear on which were ordinarily hung the colors of cattle, points toward the city. He stands in such a conspicuous position, and there is so much of the morning light dripping from that spear tip, that all around the horizon they see it. It was as much as to say: "There is the city. Take it!"

God knows and we know that a great deal of Christian attack amounts to nothing simply because we do not take good aim. Nobody knows and we do not know ourselves which point we want to take when we ought to make up our minds what God will have us to do and point our spear in that direction and then hurl our body, mind, soul, time, eternity at that one target. \* \* \*

**The Need of Courage.**  
I have heard it said: "Look out for a man who has only one idea; he is irresistible." I say look out for the man who has one idea, and that a determination for soul saving. I believe God would strike me dead if I dared to point the spear in any other direction. Oh, for some of the courage and enthusiasm of Joshua! He flung two armies from the tip of that spear. It is sinful for us to rest unless it is to get stronger muscle and fresher brain and purer heart for God's work. I feel on my head the hands of Christ in a new ordination. Do you not feel the same omnipotent pressure? There is a work for all of us. Oh, that we might stand up side by side and point the spear toward the city! It ought to be taken. It will be taken. Our cities are drifting off toward loose religion or what is called "liberal Christianity," which is so liberal that it gives up all the cardinal doctrines of the Bible; so liberal that it surrenders the rectitude of the throne of the Almighty. Let us decide upon the work which we as Christian men have to do and in the strength of God go to work and do it. \* \* \*

**A Year of Mercies.**  
I believe that the next year will be the most stupendous year that heaven ever saw. The nations are quaking now with the coming of God. It will be a year of success for the men of Joshua, but of doom for the men of Ai. You put your ear to the rail track, and you can hear the train coming miles away. So I put my ear to the ground, and I hear the thundering on of the lightning train of God's mercies and judgments. The mercy of God is first to be tried upon this nation. It will be preached in the pulpits, in theaters, on the streets—everywhere. People will be invited to accept the mercy of the gospel, and the story and the song and the prayer will be "mercy." But suppose they do not accept the offer of mercy—what then? Then God will come with his judgments, and the grasshoppers will eat the crops, and the freshets will devastate the valleys, and the defalcations will swallow the money markets, and the fires will burn the cities, and the earth will quake from pole to pole. Year of mercies and of judgments; year of invitation and of warning; year of jubilee and of woe. Which side are you going to be on—with the men of Ai or the men of Joshua? Pass over this Sabbath into the ranks of Israel. I would clap my hands at the joy of your coming. You will have a poor chance for this world and the world to come without Jesus. You cannot stand what is to come upon you and upon the world unless you have the pardon and the comfort and the help of Christ. Come over! On this side are your happiness and safety; on the other side are disquietude and despair. Eternal defeat to the men of Ai! Eternal victory to the men of Joshua!

**The Editor's Mistake.**  
Editors have their troubles. One of these men, who presides over the destinies of a western newspaper, is mourning the loss of two subscribers. No. 1 wrote asking how to raise his twins safely, while the other wanted to know how he might rid his orchard of grasshoppers. The answers went forward by mail, but by accident the editor put them into the wrong envelopes, so that the man with the twins received the answer: "Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to it, and then the little pests, after jumping in the flames for a few minutes, will be speedily settled." And the man with the grasshoppers was told to "give castor oil and rub their gums with a bone."—The Columbian.

**Insolence is not logic; epithets are the arguments of malice.**—R. G. Ingersoll.

The Sarsaparilla that's used by Chinese and Hindu; in the bushes of Australia and the wilds of South America; the Sarsaparilla that braces British and Boer, and gives strength to French and German, Russian and Turk,—

# That's AYER'S

The Sarsaparilla that has more than twenty pages of doctors' indorsements, extending over nearly sixty years, embracing every known disease which arises from impure blood; that's made on honor and made to cure,—

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The Sarsaparilla that's made of carefully selected drugs, the best and purest and most expensive from the world over; that's made of a sarsaparilla root costing more than ten times as much as that which enters into the composition of any other Sarsaparilla,—

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla brings exhilaration to the tired body and hope to all who are exhausted, depressed, discouraged. It removes all impurities from the blood, impurities which irritate the brain and nerves, and cause countless aches and pains. You can afford to trust a Sarsaparilla that has been trusted for over half a century,—

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## THE PLACE FOR A POOR MAN.

A Homestead Clear and Money Ahead in Two Years. Alameda, N. W. T., Canada, Dec. 22, 1899.

Mr. B. Davies, Canadian Government Agent, St. Paul, Minn.—Dear Sir: As I promised you about two years ago that at some future time I would let you know what I thought of western Canada and the chances of a poor man making a start and supporting a family at the same time, so will write a few facts concerning my own experience the past twenty-one months; and what I have done, any able-bodied man can do, provided he will work.

I left Traverse country March 20, 1898, landed in Alameda at noon the 21st with \$2.55 in my pocket, a stranger and among strangers, and when my family came in October, 1898, my wife had nearly \$10, or barely enough to pay freight on her stove, sewing-machine and clothes and bed. I commenced work March 28; also made entry for homestead same day (the man I started work for loaning me \$15 to pay entrance fee), and I have earned or at least received \$478.10 in wages since then and have been idle at least two months of the twenty-one since I came. The homestead I took had twelve acres broke by a former occupant. I paid \$20 to have it replowed in July, '98, and the seed wheat for it cost me \$8.25. I let it to a neighbor for one-half in elevator, clear of all expense except the seed, and this fall I received \$70.10 for my part of the crops of the twelve acres, so my total receipts the past twenty-one months besides living for self and family, have been as follows:

Entrance fee (\$5 being paid for cancellation).....	\$ 15.00
Summer following 12 acres.....	20.00
Seed for same.....	8.25
Cost of house, besides my own labor on same.....	75.85
20 acres of breaking and double-discing same.....	60.00
	\$179.10
My half of wheat.....	70.10
Net expense on homestead.....	\$109.00

We moved on our homestead July 10, 1899, have thirty-two acres in good shape for crops in 1900. My wife joins with me in sending best wishes to you and yours.

You can truly say to any poor man who pays a big rent to get a farm (somebody else's land) or works for wages to support a family, that I have personally tried both in Minnesota and tried hard to make a success of it, but found to my sorrow that after working hard a poor living was all I could get out of it, and after nearly two years of western Canadian life I will say that I am very thankful to you for helping me to decide to try it in Canada. Yours respectfully,  
W. H. KINKADE.

## AMERICAN NEWS

### After Becoming Naturalized in South Africa, Chau, a Their Nature.

"One of the greatest troubles experienced by people living in tropical countries," said L. T. Varden of Chicago, at the Gilsey house, "is to obtain meat of a quality fit to eat. Take the Philippines, for instance. The cattle there are magnificent to look at, but they cut up into mighty poor food, being fat and also stringy." Almost all the meat used by our men there comes from Australia, being brought in refrigerated ships, from which it is issued three times a week. The Australian is as good beef as a man would care to eat. There is, or rather, was—

for it is nearly a year and a half since I was there—a lack of poultry also. No hens or chickens can be obtained, but only ducks, and, of course, your morning egg was that of a duck, which is an exceedingly poor substitute for a hen's egg, in my estimation. I understand that since then they have tried to remedy this and other deficiencies by importing hens and other things, but I doubt the success of the experiment, for the climate, different kind of food and the like, may change the flesh of the fowl and the quality of the egg. C. A. Williams, a friend of mine, who used to be United States consul at Johannesburg, and who now lives in the Transvaal, told me that when he first went to South Africa he endeavored to raise the character and quality of his table supplies by importation. The meat in South Africa was poor, but that could not be helped. American fowls, Williams thought would be a decided improvement over those of the Transvaal, and their eggs would enable him to begin each day with an easy stomach and a satisfied mind. So he brought out a flock of American-bred poultry. At first all went well; the breakfast egg was a golden and the occasional chicken at dinner all that he had fondly anticipated, but then there came a change, at first so gradual, that Williams was inclined to attribute it to loss of appetite. The breakfast egg grew coarse and coarser in flavor until it became wholly uneatable, and the dinner chicken deteriorated in similar manner and with identical result. With the former, however, the outward appearance of the egg remained the same, but the poultry not only changed in quality and flavor of flesh, but also in external appearance, as well. Without increasing the size of the body, the necks grew longer and thinner and the legs lengthened out of all proportion, until at last the hens resembled nothing so much as diminutive ostriches. They were unfit to eat, and of no other domestic use, and so Williams gave them away to the Kafirs, but for some time he thought of exhibiting them here at a poultry show, mainly to ascertain what names competent judges would apply to them, but the expense deterred him. He also had another scheme to get even, which was to enter the roosters in cocking mains. Williams said they could lick anything that wore feathers, short of an eagle or an ostrich, and that there was not a dog in the Transvaal that would come anywhere near his house while they remained his property, so utterly had the few dogs which had tried conclusions with them been routed. —New York Tribune.

There is a class of people who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

### KRUGER AND WOMAN'S WILES.

The Old Boer Is Not Moved by the Woman Interviewer.

It's many a long day since the superior of Miss Jessie Ackerman has a temperance orator has talked to a Hartford audience. Miss Ackerman's silver tongue held 500 people spell-bound in Unity Hall, Sunday afternoon, while its owner described her observations recently among the Boers. \* \* \* Later she met President Kruger. She explained that she is herself "nearly two yards tall," and said that Uncle Paul is many inches taller. He "is nearly as long east and west as he is north and south, and so there is considerable to the President." He is not so clean as the men in Hartford drawing rooms, and he has the Galways or undergrowth under his jaws from ear to ear so conspicuous in his pictures. But he has a memorable, massive, powerful face. Miss Ackerman has seen Gladstone, the iron Bismarck and the marvelous Li Hung Chang, and she includes Kruger's face with those of these "Titans, whom she styles 'the three men of the century.'" She wished to interview Oom Paul on the absorbing issues in South Africa, and she "used every art and wile in a woman's possession" to induce him to talk, but the wily Boer was reticent. He remained obdurate, and she admits that she failed utterly. —Hartford Times.

### Honest About It.

Gotham—"I suppose all of those portraits were handed down to you by your ancestors?" Wabash—"Ancestors nothing! They were handed down to me by the auctioneer!" —Yonkers Statesman.

### Faded hair recovers its youthful color and softness by the use of PARKER'S HAIR BALM.

A woman is happier in the love she inspires than in the love she feels.

### Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

### A Book of Choice Recipes.

Sent free by Walter Baker & Co. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass. Mention this paper.

### Fame is given to a man that others may discover his weakness.

For lung and chest diseases, Piso's Cure is the best medicine we have used.—Mrs. J. L. Northcott, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

### Cheap notoriety is the most expensive luxury one can indulge in.

No cross babies or sick babies in families that use Brown's Teething Cordial.

The turn in the lane always comes when we least expect it.

## TERRIBLE TORTURES

Inflicted by Indians During a Seven-day Medicine Dance.

Tacoma (Wash.) Cor. Chicago Inter Ocean.—The Yakima Indians have closed a seven-day medicine dance near Tappanish. A peculiar feature of this dance, and one that the neighboring white people supposed existed only in the minds of the dime-novel writers, is self-inflicted torture of the participants. It has a deep religious significance for them. Of course, not all of the Yakima Indians take part in these barbarous practices. Many of them are well educated men and women and live much as their white neighbors do. The Indians who tortured themselves this week included several young bucks who have been away to school. Returning home they relapsed into savagery and discarded white men's dress for blankets and feathers. All of the dancers inflicted numerous wounds upon themselves with knives, stones and sharpened sticks. Cutting holes in their flesh, they inserted thongs of leather through them and pulled at these things until the flesh gave way. Some of them stopped only when physically exhausted. A buck about 30 years old held out the longest and was declared the tribe's head medicine man for the next three years.

### Remarkable Operation.

A remarkable operation was performed in Chicago the other day by which sight was restored to a woman who had been totally blind for seven years. The operation was performed on Mrs. F. G. Parker. Dr. C. Pruyt Stringfield, consulting physician of the Chicago Baptist hospital, assisted by Dr. Allen T. Haight, Dr. Walter Metcalf and Dr. Robert Dods, did the work. By means of the X-ray it was learned that a tumor in the upper portion of the occipital lobe prevented the flow of blood which should supply the optic nerve. The operation was performed by trephining a section of the skull, then opening the membranes of the brain and removing the tumor. The sight was completely restored.

### Forethought.

"I always believe in putting something by for a rainy day," remarked the absent-minded man, as he swiped his neighbor's umbrella.—Philadelphia Record.

### Laugh on the Audience.

Jay Green—"Was the show at the opory house last night as good as you expected it to be? They advertised that it would be 'one continuous laugh from start to finish.'" Jack Appleby—"So it was; but the laugh was on the audience." —Puck.

### The Boer's Religion.

Boer child—Father, if I were carrying the Bible in one hand and a gun in the other and an enemy approached, which should I drop first? Boer father—"The enemy, my son!"

## NATURAL GAS

Has Passed Out of General Use in Pittsburgh Homes.

A. V. Sterling of Pittsburgh said at the Hotel Manhattan: "The day of natural gas with us is practically over, and our city is dirtier than ever. I went to Pittsburgh to live in 1886, and stayed at first with a friend of mine at Roup, one of the suburbs. At that time natural gas was everywhere in use, and there were open fires in every room. My friend warned me to be careful in using it, and always to lay a lighted match on the bricks before turning on the natural gas. I was used to ordinary gas fires, and so when I had reason to use my fire, and the gas blew the first match out without igniting, I leisurely scratched another and touched her off. The next instant found me stretched out on the other side of the room in a stunned condition, amid the wreck of the washstand, against which I had been hurled. Luckily I escaped with a few bruises, but I ever afterward treated natural gas with profound respect. There are a lot of people in my town who would like to know what takes the place of the gas in the bowels of the earth when we extract it. The way it rushes out when once tapped shows that it is pent up in some place at enormous pressure, which grows gradually less and finally ends altogether. Now, what takes its place is what I want to know, and why there isn't danger that, this support having been withdrawn, cave-ins may occur? Billions and trillions of cubic feet of natural gas have been taken from the earth since its first discovery, and I, for one, would like to know what Mother Nature has put in its place." —New York Tribune.

## Strange Tale of a Paris Lover.

A strange tale comes from Paris. A young man named Frederic Desmonius was to wed his cousin, Marthe Frondin, but death carried off the young man on Jan. 23. Just before dying he said: "Don't weep, Marthe; we will be united. I'll come for you in a month's time. Wait for me in your room. At this same hour I will take you away." At 11 p. m., Feb. 23, Mm. Desmonius, the dead boy's mother, went to her niece's room, and was horrified to see Marthe arrayed in bridal robes, with an engagement ring on her finger, seated in a chair with her eyes fixed staringly on the clock. A five minutes past 11 a violent gust of wind burst the window open and the lamp was put out. The aunt cried for help. When neighbors finally came with lights Marthe was stretched out on the floor, amid the wreck of the washstand, against which I had been hurled. Luckily I escaped with a few bruises, but I ever afterward treated natural gas with profound respect. There are a lot of people in my town who would like to know what takes the place of the gas in the bowels of the earth when we extract it. The way it rushes out when once tapped shows that it is pent up in some place at enormous pressure, which grows gradually less and finally ends altogether. Now, what takes its place is what I want to know, and why there isn't danger that, this support having been withdrawn, cave-ins may occur? Billions and trillions of cubic feet of natural gas have been taken from the earth since its first discovery, and I, for one, would like to know what Mother Nature has put in its place." —New York Tribune.

## Why the Candle Burns.

We are all familiar with the fact that a candle burns. But perhaps there are many persons who have never realized just why it burns and that a certain degree of heat is necessary in order to consume the cylinder of wax or tallow of which the candle is made. In the Arctic regions candles will not burn satisfactorily at or below a temperature of 35 degrees C. The reason for this is that the surrounding atmosphere is so cold that the flame is insufficient to melt enough of the material for its own subsistence. The feeble heat can do little more than melt out a tubular space around the wick, therefore the flame is small and weak, and sometimes falls altogether. The light, enclosed in a small glass vase, works better, as the temperature is somewhat raised by being so confined and enough wax melts to supply the flame.

## Higher Heels.

Trade reports from Lynn are to the effect that the style of ladies' shoes is to undergo a radical change; that in place of the sensible low heel which that footgear has for a number of years past carried, we are to have reintroduced the style of the high heels, and that from this time forward no woman can be considered in style who does not stand upon a heel from an inch and a quarter to an inch and three-quarters in height.—Boston Herald.

## Behaved His Wife.

Mrs. Wilson Wakely was murdered by her husband, a prominent farmer, at their home near Brock, Neb. Wilson cut his wife's throat with a razor, the gas being so severe as almost to behead her. The desperate husband then went to the graveyard, where his first wife was buried, and standing on her grave, cut two ugly gashes in his throat, and died.

## Highest Peak in the Country.

Colorado has the highest peak in the United States. It is Blanca peak, 14,898 feet above sea level.

## Perhaps No Other Chance.

Her father—You are too young to marry. Wait and you will get over this love. Herself—That is what I am afraid of.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.  
West & Trux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.; Waldring, Kiman & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## Curious Wanderings of Smoke.

During the volcanic eruption in the Hawaiian Islands last summer, the smoke rose to a height of between five and six miles, and then drifted away to the northwest. At a distance of 600 miles from Hawaii it settled upon the surface of the sea, and was then carried back by the northeast wind to its place of origin, where it arrived a fortnight after its original departure, and covered the entire group of islands with its heavy pall.

## Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it is  
Bears the Signature of  
In Use For Over 30 Years.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Many heroes never wear the garb of a soldier.

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Tells About Her Daughter's Illness and How She Was Relieved—Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.

"MRS. PINKHAM—I write to tell you about my daughter. She is nineteen years old and is flowing all the time, and has been for about three months. The doctor does her but very little good, if any. I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable

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## Societies.

**I. O. F.** COURT ELKLAND, No. 825, I. O. F., meets on second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at their hall in the Campbell block, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

**T. SCHENCK, C. R.** ROY ALLEN, Rec. Sec. 9-11-27

**I. O. O. F.** CASS CITY LODGE, No. 205, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

**M. L. MOORE, Secretary.** **K. O. T. M.** CASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.

**P. S. RICE, Commander.** **A. A. P. McDowell, Record Keeper.**

## Church Directory.

**BAPTIST**—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Rev. E. RUSHBROOK, Pastor.

**EVANGELICAL**—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting 6:30 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. All are invited. Rev. F. KLUMP, Pastor.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school meetings follow morning service. Sunday class at 12 m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Y. P. A. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. A. TOMPKINS, Pastor.

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## DECEASED.

Fred McCain has gone to Detroit.

A dance at Elisha Allens last Friday night.

Charles Landon has rented the Chas Knight farm.

There seems to be many looking for hay this season.

Wm. Patch goes to Port Huron to-day (April 9th) on business.

Miss Ella Ellisworth has gone back to Mont Morency county.

Thomas O'Rourke and wife visited at Loren Mateons on Sunday.

Wm. McCrac' on Sr. and Wm. Retherford are breaking in their colts.

Len Patek and family visited at John McCrackons on Sunday, April 8th.

Fred Valentine is here from the north woods. Will visit for one week.

George Spencer has sold his farm one mile west of here to Amos Gifford.

Wallas Trumble is building a new house on his farm on Sec. 27, Novesta.

We learn that John Goodrich will come among us again in the near future.

George Martin is still unable to work. His sickness leaves him in very weak condition.

Elisha Allen's health is still very poor. He expects to go to Marlette soon to make inquiries into his condition.

Every thing does not run smoothly in the school district east of us but perhaps will when the parties understand each other.

If we were so inclined we could name the East Kingston correspondent who writes for Cass City Chronicle. Nothing bad about the "critter" but his politics.

Mrs. Adell Serills, better known in this locality as Mrs. Delf Wardell is here accompanied by her husband. They have been living in Pa. for some time past.

Qualification day was changed in the township of Kingston from Tuesday 10th to Monday 9th because the Supervisors were called to Caro on the 10th for instructions in regard to the new way of assessing.

A good natured setto like H. J. Wilcox and his kinsman of Washington, D. C. are having at present is not only historical and edifying but helps to keep people young. If there is anything sad it is to see people dead while they are around with their everyday clothes on.

Peter Daugherty enclosed a piece of land north of Deford, with a wire fence. Said wire was borrowed the past winter with out Pete's consent. Now Mr. Daugherty wishes us to say if the unregenerate parties return the metal no question will be asked, if not there will be a noise in the air as has discovered its whereabouts. Place the wire where you found it wicked man.

W. W. Mayhew, Merton, Wis., says, "I consider One Minute Cough Cure a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe." It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, grippe, whooping cough, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases. Its early use prevents consumption. Children always like it and mothers endorse it. Bond's Drug Store.

WHAT IS THE SENSE of paying 50 and 57 cents a pound for condition powder when you can get 2 pounds of Holden's 48-Hour Condition Powder for 25 CENTS and it's GUARANTEED TO BE AS GOOD AS THE BEST.

At the circuit court at Bad Axe, in the case of the Gagetown Elgin Dutter Co. vs. John M. Williamson, a decree was denied and the case dismissed.

John Kolb, who was convicted early in the term on the charge of innocent assault, was sentenced to eighteen months in Iowa.

WANTED—Honest man or woman to travel for large house; salary \$65 monthly and expenses, with increase; position permanent; enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. MANAGER, 330 Caxton bldg., Chicago. 12-21-26

Mrs. Bounter who has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Byers has returned to her home in Trenton, Ont.

A large company of young people spent an exceedingly pleasant time at the dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Allen.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frost-bites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Ever bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cts. Bond's Drug Store.

North Branch Methodists are going to erect a new church this season.

W. H. Shipman, Beardley, Minn., under oath, says he suffered from dyspepsia for twenty-five years. Doctors and dieting gave but little relief. Finally he used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and now eats what he likes and as much as he wants, and he feels like a new man. It digests what you eat. Bond's Drug Store.

B. S. Dome, a clothing merchant of Deekerville, attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. When found he was still alive, although very weak from the loss of blood. No reason for the act can be given, unless it was despondency, which he was subject to at times.

## TO INSURE PURE BLOOD

Keep the Kidneys and Liver Healthy, Active and Vigorous by Using

DR. A. W. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

Nature makes an extra effort in the spring to rid the blood of its impurities, and the filters of the blood—the kidneys and liver—are called upon to perform an enormous amount of labor.

As a result, they become tired and exhausted, and there are backaches, side-aches, headaches, and pains in the shoulders and limbs. Digestion is deranged, and the languid, exhausted feelings of spring cause misery to the body.

There is only one means of making the blood pure, and that is through the kidneys and liver—the filters of the blood. By acting directly on these delicate organs, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills purify the blood as no other preparation was ever known to do.

Mr. Wm. L. Maurey, Scottsville, N. Y., writes: "Liver complaint and impure blood were the bane of my life for years. My face was covered with pimples and blotches, and I could get nothing to help me until I tried Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. My skin is now clear, and I consider these pills invaluable as a remedy for constipation, liver complaint and impure blood. As a kidney medicine they are par excellence, and I shall recommend them to my friends."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or by mail on receipt of price, by Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Novesta.

A. A. Livingston had a wood sawing Monday. A good job was reported.

W. W. Webster, of Bay City, was in town last week looking after his farm.

Dr. G. M. Livingston, of the Kalamazoo Asylum, visited friend in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacoby and Dugold McLarty visited friends in Wells Saturday and Sunday.

J. Jarrott has about finished cutting out his stock of logs and will now saw shingles. By the way Joe is a hustler.

Mrs. R. H. Warner has decided to break up house keeping for the summer and go to her son in Wisconsin on a visit.

The King of Snore Island intends vacating the throne in a short time, having leased the farm to Thomas Gheer.

Clarence Quick left for Pontiac Tuesday, where he will visit for a few days before going to Milwaukee where he secured a position on a boat.

If any parties are in need of a violin player for parties or socials leave their order at the House of Refuge where they will be accommodated. Charges reasonable.

Last weeks correspondent School started at the Withey school on Monday.

Easter exercises in the church on Sunday night.

Alex Sangster has returned home from the woods.

M. D. Mills is having the interior of his store painted.

Mary Keyworth spent Sunday at her home in Shabbona.

Walter Sargent has purchased a horse of Louis Wheeler.

A maple sugar social at the home of J. Wentworth Friday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Byers and mother made a trip to Cass City on Friday.

Mr. Sargent has returned from the upper peninsula where he has been working a few months.

## Shabbona.

School re-opened Wednesday the 14. Charlie Keyworth has returned to Shabbona.

Grace Gotham returned to Cass City last Saturday.

Amasa Vanorman has rented Mrs. A. E. Phillips' farm.

Mrs. Frank Auslander is recovering from her recent sickness.

John Proctor is home from the lumber woods in poor health.

Herbert Curtis has been a caller in town for the past few Sundays.

Nellie Jones returned to Morlette where she is attending school, Monday.

Mrs. Philip Fisher, of Saginaw, visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Amy Babcock, last week.

"Facts to Remember" The original and genuine Red Pills are Knill's Red Pills for Women at 25c a box, the woman's remedy. Don't pay 50 cents.

You can work when they never grip or make you sick, Knill's White Liver Pills. Bowel regulator. 25 doses 25 cents.

Knill's Blue Kidney Pills cure back-aches, etc. Only 25 cents box.

Pleasant, Safe and Sure are Knill's Black Diarrhoea Pills. Cure summer complaints, dysentery and all pains of the stomach and bowels. 25 cents a box.

Pure, Sweet Stomachs and Breaths are made by taking Knill's Dyspepsia Tablets. They will cure Indigestion, correct all Stomach Troubles, destroy all gases for 25c box. Best and Cheapest. Guaranteed by your druggists.

A. Bond, T. H. Fritz.

Cleanse the liver, purify the blood, invigorate the body by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills always act promptly. Bond's Drug Store.

## BEAULEY.

D. McDonald is visiting in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. J. Bigelow was a caller in Beasley Monday.

Lots of maple syrup these days, but sometimes it is sap.

The next quarterly meeting will be held at Bethel Church.

Mrs. Geo. Young is recovering from her illness of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Martin visited friends in Beasley yesterday.

Anyone wanting to buy or rent good farm enquire J. W. Young, Beasley.

Quite a few from here were at the Popple M. E. Church last Sunday and heard Brother Moon, from Bad Axe, preach a good sermon.

A very fine sermon was preached at the Grant M. E. Church, April 10, by the presiding elder, Dr. Sweet, his text being "He saved others, Himself He cannot save."

H. Clark, Chaucey, Ga., says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, cured him of piles that had afflicted him for twenty years. It is also a speedy cure for skin diseases. Beware of dangerous counterfeits. Bond's Drug Store.

The Best in the World. We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago I suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would affect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale at Bond's Drug Store.

Miller's elevator at Vassar burned Sunday afternoon. The loss on the building and grain is covered by insurance in the Traders' Northwestern National and Lancashire Insurance Companies.

"I think DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills in the world," says W. E. Lake, Happy Creek, Va. They remove all obstructions of the liver and bowels, act quickly and never grip. Bond's Drug Store.

WATERLOO, IND., Feb. 11, 1897. Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill. GENTLEMEN:—I had been a great sufferer from indigestion and stomach trouble until about two years ago when I began using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I have found it the only remedy to give me permanent relief and I cheerfully recommend its use to anyone in need of such a remedy. Very respectfully yours, EDWARD WARTHAM, Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The postoffice department at Washington is advertising for bids to carry mail from Caro to Columbia and Colwood. The mail was formerly carried from Unionville. Service on the new route will begin May 7th.

Not a Cast Iron Stomach. Of course you haven't. No one need have. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a remedy prepared on purpose for stomach troubles, weak stomach, big stomach or little stomach, or any irregularities caused from indigestion or constipation. It can be permanently and thoroughly cured by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is made in three sizes, 10c, 50c and \$1.00 and is sold at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farrar are engaged to manage the Bay Port Resort the coming season, expecting to take charge about June first. This pleasant resort is therefore assured of success for the coming season.

See, young maiden, that thou takest the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co., if thou likest thy fair face. 85c.

## RESOLVE.

Yo Scribe has not been home and was obliged to neglect his business lately.

Brother of Beasley wake up and tell us how your people are prospering have not seen you in a long time.

There is a big demand for farms to rent this spring. Every vacant farm has a tenant this year and the supply is not equal to the demand.

Frank Carroll was appointed librarian for the present year, quite a large addition in new books are to be added to the library this year.

There are a few places in this town in the roads in need of some ones attention on the Sec. line between Sec. 16, is a washout about three feet deep a splendid trap to kill somebody. A damage suit would be just about the right sort of thing at present.

Election passed off very quiet and as usual the ticket headed by the G. O. P. won. Those who are now shaking hands with themselves are: Supervisor, Enoch Turner; Treasurer, John Allison; Highway Com., Rufus Hallock; Clerk, S. O. Sharrard; Board of Review, R. C. Hallock; School Inspector, John Ashmore, Archie McVicar. The canine destroyer and health officer are not yet appointed.

For Pneumonia. Dr. C. S. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month with good results." T. H. Fritz, Cass City, Francis & Co., Kingston.

Otto Korb, Grand Chancellor, K. P., Boonville, Ind., says, "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve soothes the most delicate skin and heals the most stubborn ulcer with certain and good results." Cures piles and skin diseases. Don't buy an imitation. Bond's Drug Store.

## West Elmwood.

Mrs. E. Hobart is suffering with a felon on her hand.

Mark Cross, of Pinconning, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Wm. Carr and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Palmer, were in Caro on Monday.

Mrs. D. Jewell visited Rev. Scott and family, of Almer, on the 28th.

Sunshine school is having another week's vacation owing to bad roads.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pardo and daughter visited in Cass City on the 27th.

Jack Hercliff's baby is seriously ill. Dr. Clark, of Caro, is in attendance.

Robt. McCreedy and Edward Dawson attended Edmond McCreedy's sale, at Fairgrove, on Thursday.

Prayer meeting was held on Tuesday evening instead of Thursday evening this week at Sunshine church.

Thos. McCreedy went to Fairgrove on Tuesday after his sheep and young stock. Jessie Smith is staying with Mrs. McCreedy while he is away.

J. I. Carson, Prothonotary, Washington, Pa., says, "I have found Kodol Dyspepsia Cure an excellent remedy in case of stomach trouble, and have derived great benefit from its use." It digests what you eat and can not fail to cure. Bond's Drug Store.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale at Bond's Drug Store.

## KILMANAGH.

Barney Rothfuss has purchased a fine horse for farm use.

Mrs. Louie Kain, who has been quite sick is on the mend and gaining rapidly.

Roads are again so traffic can be carried on without ploughing through the mud and clay.

Frank Campbell has returned from Chicago, where he has been attending the college of Dental Surgery.

M. W. Treadgold, who has been up at Turner prospecting in real estate, visited his brother here on his way to Uby.

"No family can afford to be without One Minute Cough Cure. It will stop a cough and cure a cold quicker than any other medicine," writes C. W. Williams, Sterling Run, Pa. It cures croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles and prevents consumption. Pleasant and harmless. Bond's Drug Store.

Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism. KENNA, JACKSON CO., VA. About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed over a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and used it according to directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since. For sale at Bond's Drug Store.

An Evidence of Gratitude. Miss Anna Klumpke, the artist to whom Rosa Bonheur bequeathed her entire fortune, has founded an annual prize of \$500 in memory of the great Rosa. The prize will be bestowed upon the artist, foreign or French, of either sex who shall have produced the best picture of the year. The awarding will be done by the Societe des Artistes Francais' annual salons. It is presumed that the prize will go to the painters of canvases only, exhibited at the Champs-Elysees.

## NO!

It is not claimed that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure Consumption or Asthma in advanced stages; it holds out no such false hopes, but

does truthfully claim to always give comfort and relief in the very worst cases, and in the early stages effect a cure.

What a prominent citizen says:

MESSRS. FOLEY & CO., INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 23, '98.

Gentlemen—As a result of continued exposure I contracted a terrible cold which grew worse rapidly until my physician said I had all the symptoms of heavy consumption. All the physicians' remedies were valueless, as were several proprietary preparations, until a friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar, and while I had lost faith in patent preparations, yet I took her advice and began taking it. In a few days I began to improve, at first rather slowly, but before the first bottle was gone I was much relieved. The second bottle completely effected a cure for which I am truly grateful, and take pleasure in recommending it as the best thing for coughs, colds or lung trouble that I have ever known.

J. F. SMITH, 806 Harrison Street, Indianapolis, Ind.

## EXPERIMENT AND EXPERIENCE

Worked together in perfecting BANNER SALVE, the cure for cuts or wounds, for sores of all sorts, for all ailments of the skin and for Piles. It's guaranteed to cure. Your money back if it doesn't.

For Sale by T. H. Fritz.

## DON'T BE FOOLED!

The market is being flooded with worthless imitations of ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA.

To protect the public we call special attention to our trade mark, printed on every package. Demand the genuine. For Sale by all Druggists.

## A LADY sent her little girl to the grocery for some soap and this is what the little girl said:

"My mama wants good Soap. She wants ATLAS Soap. ATLAS Soap is the only GOOD Soap."

REMEMBER TO SAVE WRAPPERS AND GET PREMIUMS.

## 3-CENT COLUMN.

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

TWO horses, one cow and two thoroughbred sows with pig for sale. Inquire of A. A. HITCHCOCK.

HOUSE and large commodious rooms to rent. E. B. LANDON.

FOR SALE—Building stone, delivered at \$2.50 per cord. 6-20 W. A. ANDERSON.

FARM TO LET—On shares, 80 acres, 55 improved. Must be good farmer or need not apply. 3-1-14 W. E. MENDELVILL.

GOOD big house and two lots for sale. Nicely located, good barn. Will sell cheap. J. H. STRIFFLER.

MONEY to loan at six per cent on real estate. E. B. LANDON.

REGISTERED Large English Berkshire boar for service at 10 farm 15 miles west of Cass City. 12-28-14 J. D. TUCKEY.

FOR SALE—Mare 7 years old, weight 1400. One cow. Light double harness. F. C. LEE.

GOOD JERSEY cow for sale. Apply at once to G. 4-5 D. TVO.

PAIR OF BLACK COLTS—3 years old for sale. Ready for work. Jas. J. REED, 4 1/2 miles east 1/2 miles south. 4-12-27

BAY mare, 3 cows, 1 thorough bred sow with pigs for sale. A. A. HITCHCOCK.

FOR SALE—A house, barn, one acre of land, good location. Reasonable terms. A. A. HITCHCOCK.

We have just received the largest and most complete line of Inside and Outside

# PAINT

Ever shown in Cass City.

We handle nothing in Paints Oils or Varnishes that we are afraid to show or have tested and we are right here to make any wrong right. Call and look us over in this department.

**N. Bigelow & Son.**

## White Lily Flour

Makes Bread that is lightest, Rolls that are daintiest, Cake the Choicest, Pies that would Please a Dyspeptic, and pastry that melts in your mouth--All out of the same barrel. A thorough test will convince you. Made only at

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## LIGHTNING LOUSE KILLER

For Poultrymen, Stock and Pet Raisers, Farmers, Gardeners, Florists, Housewives, etc.

Kills all Kinds of Vermin

Such as: Lice, Mites, Fleas, Bugs, Worms, Scaly Legs, Spiders, Sheep Ticks, Cockroaches, Ants, Moths, Inch Bugs, Bed Bugs, Army Worms, Aphids, and all insect life on either vegetable or plant life.

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**H. S. WICKWARE.**

### Council Proceedings.

Village Council Rooms, March 20, 1900. Regular meeting of the Village Council of the village of Cass City.

Meeting called to order by President Campbell.

Roll call. Present—President Campbell, Trustees Wickware, Stevenson, Muck, Heller, Perkins and clerk Hebblewhite. Absent—Trustee Keating. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Here Trustee Keating took his seat in the council.

H. W. Seed made a report of auditing committee to balance clerk and treasurer books and reported both books to balance correctly with \$76.70 as a balance in the treasurer's hands.

On motion of Trustee Stevenson supported by Trustee Muck the committee's report was accepted and placed on file by a vote of five yeas and one nay.

President Campbell declared the business of the old council finished and on motion of Trustee Wickware supported by Trustee Muck the old council vacated their seats. President Campbell in favor of Elect President Heller and Trustees Wickware, Muck and Heller in favor of trustees elect, Brotherton, Crosby and Frutchey. Trustees Keating, Perkins and Stevenson holding over, at which time the president and all trustees were present.

President Heller proceeded at once to appoint the following standing committees.

Committee on claims and accounts Trustees Stevenson, Perkins and Crosby. On streets and sidewalks Trustees Brotherton, Crosby and Frutchey. On general improvement Trustees Perkins, Keating and Stevenson. On printing Trustee Frutchey, Stevenson and Brotherton. On ordinance Trustees Keating, Frutchey and Perkins. On ways and means Trustee Crosby, Brotherton and Keating.

Moved by Trustee Crosby supported by Trustee Perkins that E. Brotherton act as president pro tem during the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Communication from Jas. B. McGillvery with bill attached relative to additional salary of fifteen dollars for extra work as clerk was read by the clerk.

Moved by Trustee Perkins and supported by Trustee Brotherton that the bill of Jas. B. McGillvery for extra clerk salary be laid before the council, in place of the committee on claims and accounts. Motion carried.

Moved by Trustee Perkins supported by Trustee Frutchey that the bill of ex-clerk McGillvery be allowed as read and an order drawn for same. Motion was lost by the following yeas and nays: Yeas Perkins and Frutchey, nays Stevenson, Crosby, Brotherton and Keating.

The following bills were then read by the clerk and referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

Bigelow & Son, hardware sundries.....	\$ 70 18
Scotfield, Shurmer & Leary, oils.....	27 00
McDowell & Walters, printing proceeding..	2 00
and financial statement.....	18 75
P. O. & N. R. or bearer, freight on coal	21 15
C. W. Heller, Board Registration.....	2 00
Wm. Joffey, gatekeeper.....	2 00
H. S. Wickware, election board.....	2 00
R. W. Keating, auditing treas. books and	8 00
clerk on board.....	8 00
Geo. E. Perkins, " " " " " " " "	10 00
G. A. Stevenson, election board.....	3 00
John Gark, gate keeper.....	2 00
Wm. H. Hebblewhite, auditing and bal.	5 00
treas. and clerks books.....	5 00
Hugh W. Seed, auditing and bal. treas.	3 00
and clerks books.....	3 75
W. J. Moore, use of phone.....	3 00
Michigan Coal Co. coal.....	79 17
Peter Lawson, shoveling snow.....	62 17
E. Tanner, " " " " " " " "	19 00
John Brown, " " " " " " " "	1 00
H. Hamilton, " " " " " " " "	75 00
William Ball, " " " " " " " "	51 00
Marvin Eastman, " " " " " " " "	1 12
Roy Fitch, " " " " " " " "	31 00
Fred Shell, " " " " " " " "	56 00
Jas. Davis, " " " " " " " "	1 30
Bert Tanner, " " " " " " " "	19 00
M. Seegar, " " " " " " " "	50 00
M. E. Sktimmer, " " " " " " " "	1 12
Henry Ball, " " " " " " " "	50 00
Alex. Gillies, " " " " " " " "	50 00
Thomas Ross, " " " " " " " "	44 00
William Wallace, " " " " " " " "	44 00
A. H. Muck, board of reg. and repairing....	2 00
C. Townsend, drawing coal.....	4 23
T. H. Ahr, salary as street com and etc....	12 00
J. T. Wing Co., supplies.....	2 34

Committee reported favorable on all bills as read.

Moved by Trustee Keating and supported by Trustee Brotherton that the report of the committee be accepted and an order be drawn on the treasurer for the several amounts. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that the council adjourn until next Monday at the usual hour of meeting. Motion carried. Wm. H. Hebblewhite, Village Clerk.

#### A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a fifty cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Ipecac if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. T. H. FRITZ. 11-2-26 A. BOND.

The Empress Frederick is so devoted to the land of her late lamented husband that the report that she will spend the remainder of her days at her new villa in Italy is erroneous. She will reside there for a portion of each year. The villa Brenzoni, which she has purchased, was built in 1550 by the famous Venetian architect San Michele. It is dilapidated now, but will be restored by the empress.

### PROCESS BUTTER.

Test by Which Its Character May Be Discovered.

It is now possible to test chemically renovated butter and determine its character. It has been supposed previously that the constituents, being the same in both fresh and renovated butter, would act the same when chemically analyzed. But it appears that butter in deteriorating undergoes a physical change that the renovating process is not able to reverse. The fat of renovated butter has a more or less crystalline structure, while the fat of pure, fresh butter is devoid of any such appearance. If pure butter be examined microscopically with polarized light and selenite plate, the field will be uniformly colored in any position of the analyzer, while renovated butter will show a mottled, many colored field. Without a selenite plate and without the analyzer in proper position pure butter shows a dark field of almost uniform appearance. Renovated butter under similar conditions gives a dark field mottled with white patches. The peculiar appearance of renovated butter is due to the fact that the fat has been melted and in cooling has assumed a partially crystalline structure. The completeness with which crystallization from fusion occurs and the size of the crystals depend on the slowness with which the melted substance cools to its solidifying point. The slower this change of temperature takes place the more perfect will the crystallization be. In renovated butter, on account of the great rapidity with which the melted fat is solidified, we get only an incipient crystallization. If butter is melted and then allowed to cool slowly, large crystalline masses are formed, globular in shape and showing a distinct cross by polarized light.

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#### Improving Dairy Herds.

The simplest method of improving dairy herds, as indeed any other class of live stock, is by the system known as "up grading," accompanied by rigorous selection, says Professor Thomas Shaw. The beginner may use such material as he has on the dam's side in laying the foundation of his dairy herd. In adding to it by purchase he may choose the commonest of cows, as long as they are of fair size and possessed of average dairy form. This will be again referred to. It matters not if they have in them the blood of a dozen herds. This want of dominance in any particular line of blood will only render them more susceptible to being quickly improved. But in choosing a sire the utmost care should be exercised. He should be chosen from the breed that is best adapted to the conditions of the dairyman, especially those conditions that relate to food production. He should be purely bred, as a guarantee of the transmission of the character sought, and he should be of good form and vigor as a guarantee of progeny. The first will secure the transmission of the dominant characters in the breed, the second will secure transmission of the dominant characters of the individual. And it is greatly important that the sires thus chosen shall be descended from animals that have been good performers in the dairy. The sire descended from a line of dams noted for generous milk production is likely to be far more valuable than the one not so descended. And it should not be forgotten that high performances at the pail in the near ancestry is far more important than the same in remote ancestry.

Cures dizzy spells, tired feeling, stomach, kidney, and liver troubles. Keeps you well all summer. Rocky Mountain Tea taken this month, 35c.

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#### Concerning Ivories.

Silver for toilet table articles will always hold its own, but ivory today is the most distinguished material of which brushes, combs, powder boxes, hand mirrors and the like can be made. It is better for a person who is collecting the furniture for a dressing table to put money gradually into fine pieces of ivory rather than silver, says the Detroit Free Press. Ivory of the best quality is steadily increasing in value. Every year the number of elephants decreases. The time is almost here when the ivory bearing elephants of central Africa will be extinct. Collections of ivory now fetch large prices. It is not surprising, therefore, that ivory toilet articles should be eagerly sought.

THE FARMER'S BEST FRIEND IS THE HORSE. The horse's best friend is Holden's 48-Hour Condition Powder. It is the BEST on the market and you get 2 POUNDS for 25 CENTS.

Generally the German emperors leaves all the details regarding the styles of her gowns to her dressmakers, but invariably herself chooses the chief color and the material. The kaiserin dressed pretty much in shades of blue last year. Now she prefers green. When she takes a fancy to a color, she remains faithful to it for some time.

#### 'Tis not True.

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Many of the nurses who went to South Africa with the Canadian troops are members of well known families in the Dominion. The head nurse, for example, is the youngest sister of Joseph Pope, undersecretary of state. She had been a nurse in at least three United States hospitals. Another of the Canadian nurses is the daughter of Judge Forbes of Halifax.

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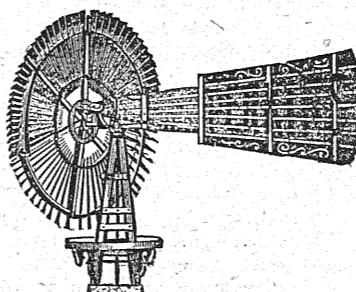
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Early June Peas per can	10c
Crawford Peaches per can	20c
Tomatoes per can	10c
Cherry Stone Lunch Oyster 3 cans	30c
Dried Peaches per lb	12c
Prunes per lb	8c
Advance Salmon	15c
Snow Flake Cod Fish per lb	10c
Ginger Snaps per lb	10c
Orange Cookies per lb	10c
Fresh Oatmeal No. 1 per lb	3c



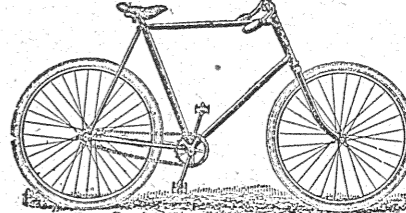
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TWO—The NATIONAL, a wheel with a reputation unparalleled for a No. 1 Bicycle.

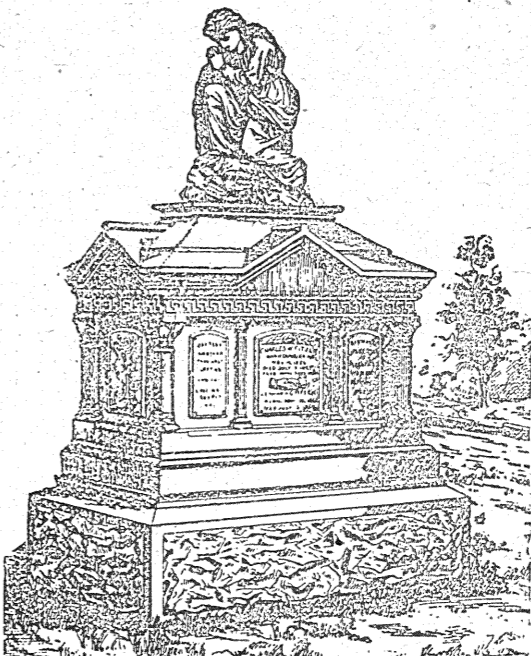
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FOUR—YALE a No. 1 High Grade, unexcelled rider for..... \$35.00

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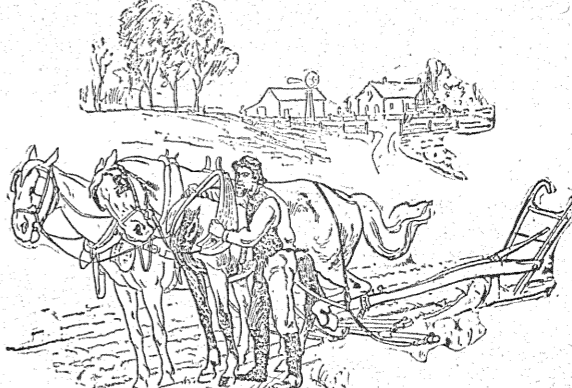
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# BOERS TRAP 500 BRITISH.

## Five Companies of Lord Roberts' Troops Captured.

### BOERS LOSE A BRAVE GENERAL.

Gen. De Villebois Mareuil, the French Soldier, Killed During a Desperate Engagement with Lord Methuen's Forces—Ceil Rhodes in London.

London, April 7.—The following is the text of Lord Roberts' dispatch to the war office, announcing the capture of five companies of his troops:

"Bloemfontein, April 5.—Another unfortunate occurrence has taken place, resulting, I fear, in the capture of a party of infantry, consisting of three companies of the royal Irish fusiliers and two companies of the ninth regiment of mounted infantry, near Reddersburg, a little eastward of Bethan railway station, within a few miles of this place. They were surrounded by a stronger force of the enemy, with four or five guns. The detachment held out from noon April 4, 9 a. m., and then, apparently surrendered, for it is reported that the firing ceased at that time. Immediately after I heard the news, during the afternoon of April 3, I ordered Gatacre to proceed from Springfontein, his present headquarters, to Reddersburg, with all possible speed, and I dispatched the Cameron Highlanders hence to Bethany. He arrived at Reddersburg at 10:30 yesterday morning, without opposition, but could get no news of the missing detachment.

"There can be no doubt the whole party has been made prisoners."

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfontein, Thursday, April 5: "Methuen telegraphs from Boshop (in the Orange Free State, a little east of Kimberley), as follows: 'Surrounded Gen. de Villebois Mareuil and a body of Boers today. None escaped. Villebois and seven Boers killed, eight wounded. Fifty prisoners. Our losses were killed: Capt. Boyle and Williams, both of the yeomanry. Wounded about seven men. The attack lasted four hours. The corps behaved very well. Our force was composed of yeomanry, the Kimberley mounted corps and the 4th battery of artillery.'

Gen. de Villebois Mareuil was the chief of staff of the Boer army. He was about 50 years old and is said to have been responsible for many of the Boer successes in Natal and later in Cape Colony and the southern part of the Orange Free State. It is said that he entered the Boer service merely because war was his trade. He went through a number of campaigns in the French army.

Cecil Rhodes arrived in this city today. He is well and cheerful, but is much more exclusive than he was on his previous trip home. This is doubtless owing to the fact that Dr. Rutherford Harris, the former secretary of the British South African company, and Alfred Beit, the South African financier, met Mr. Rhodes at Funchal, Madeira and advised him to observe reticence on South African affairs, especially as to his alleged differences with Colonel Kekewich at Kimberley.

### THE BOER ARMY IS ACTIVE.

#### Burglers Attack Brabant's Force in the Free State.

London, April 7.—The Boers in the Orange Free State, taking advantage of Lord Roberts' delay in reorganizing his cavalry, have advanced to Wepeener, forty-five miles south of Thaba Nchu, and are attacking Gen. Brabant's force. Brabant's horses are also in bad shape, and he will be forced to remain on the defensive for the present at least. While the Boers are pushing south Gen. Clements' division of 6,000 men is advancing north and is already five miles beyond Bloemfontein. This is regarded as evidence that the Boers have been in the neighborhood of Paardeberg since they retired on the British right. There has also been more skirmishing at Bosman's kop. Late reports from Col. Plumer's force show that he has been active recently. Undertried by repulse on March 16, he left camp on March 25, and struck into the Transvaal with the object of threatening the Boer line of communications. He reached a point near Zeerust. This move appears to have been without result and on the 31st he was engaged by the Boers near Ramathlabama and driven back, with heavy loss, no less than twenty of his force being killed. Simultaneously a sortie was made from Mafeking, and this, too, was repulsed with loss to the garrison. It thus appears that Baden-Powell's nervous followers are having other troubles besides that of famine. Regarding the Mafeking situation the Daily Mail's expert says: "It is to be feared that the relief of Mafeking is still far off for Gen. Carrington's men from the north will require some time to effect junction with Col. Plumer. The latter's effective fighting strength scarcely exceeds 1,000 men and is obviously too weak to relieve Mafeking by its own unaided efforts." The Boers claim that in Saturday's fight they secured 100 wagons, six guns, 200 prisoners and lost only two killed and five wounded.

A trophy of the guns which so long ornamented the parapet at Bloemfontein fort has been sent to the castle at Cape Town. Dr. Jameson, according to Cape Town reports, is going there with a serious illness.

The German steamer Kaiser, carrying the Boer delegates, Fischer, Wol-

# MICHIGAN NEWS SUMMARY.

## Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style.

### CONCISE AND INTERESTING.

#### Young Hamberger, the Detroit Murderer, Convicted—He Gets Life Imprisonment at Jackson and Then Tries to Succeed—His Actions Were Sane.

#### Hamberger Goes to Prison for Life.

After spending nearly 11 hours in deliberation, the jury in the Henry Edward Hamberger case returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged, shortly after 10 o'clock on the night of the 5th. The crime on which Hamberger was convicted was for the murder of John M. Reindel at his bicycle shop on Griswold street, Detroit, on the evening of Dec. 2, last.

The accused heard the verdict which pronounced him guilty of murder in the first degree and the sentence of Judge Murphy condemning him to spend the remainder of his life in Jackson, without making a visible muscular move. In fact, there was little or no emotion displayed in the court room, even the parents and sister who have faithfully stood by the prisoner during his long trial, enduring the abrupt end of the frightful strain upon their nerves without a murmur.

The prisoner stood with bowed head while the judge asked if he had anything to say. Not a word did he speak. Then the awful words fell upon the ears of the listeners: "I sentence you to Jackson prison for your natural life."

About 11 o'clock in the forenoon of the day following the sentence, Hamberger made a desperate attempt at self-destruction, by slashing his throat and wrists in a frightful manner with a razor. The wounds are considered extremely serious, but the young man's chances for recovery were brighter on the morning of the 7th than they had been at any time since the wounds were inflicted. The razor with which Hamberger attempted to end his life belonged to a fellow-prisoner, who had been shaving himself. It is supposed that Hamberger sneaked out and stole the razor and returned to his cell. The attempt at suicide is evidence of the young man's sanity.

### ASKS GOVERNOR FOR AID.

#### Greenwich, Conn., Trying to Prevent Parades of Strikers.

"Greenwich, Conn., April 7.—There is much excitement in Greenwich over the possible serious developments of the strike in the building trades. The strikers have announced their intention of parading today, despite the prohibition of the authorities. The latter have summoned High Sheriff Hawley to the scene, and Governor Lounsbury, it is said, has been communicated with and has promised to send Stamford and Norwalk militia companies if necessary. Arrangements have been made to meet a crisis with a constabulary of 200 men drawn from the police of other towns and cities.

### FIRE AT JAPANESE WARSHIP.

#### Russians Said to Have Discharged Torpedo at Vessel Near Hakodate.

Vancouver, B. C., April 7.—The war toward which Russia and Japan are believed by Oriental papers to be drifting was almost precipitated by an incident which Japanese endeavored to suppress, but which is reported by ship advisers today. March 24 a Japanese battleship encountered a Russian cruiser in the neighborhood of Hakodate. Without any warning the Russian discharged a torpedo against the battleship, but missed aim, and the Japanese ship escaped unhurt, but before retiring fired several shots at its assailant.

### Buried Under a Mass of Coal.

Vancouver, B. C., April 6.—In spite of instructions from the United States treasury department, that Canadian boats would not be allowed to trade at Cape Nome, the British steamer Alpha left here for that port with 250 passengers and a large amount of freight. The treasury department had instructed the American consul here to telegraph to Washington the moment the Alpha left for Cape Nome. An American revenue cutter will watch the steamer.

### Brilliant Naval Wedding.

Boston, Mass., April 7.—The wedding of Miss Nannie Sampson, daughter of Rear-Admiral William T. Sampson, to Ensign Wat Tyler Cluverius at the Charleston navy yard was of the most brilliant society events.

### Dewey a Democrat.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 7.—Admiral Dewey declares himself a democrat. His statement was made Thursday in the presence of a score of persons, of whom one was Mrs. Dewey, and was unequivocal.

### Hard Blow for Lehigh.

Bethlehem, Pa., April 7.—The physical laboratory, one of the largest and finest buildings of Lehigh University, was this morning destroyed by fire. The loss probably will exceed \$300,000.

### Tug Maxwell Fast in the Ice.

Michigan City, Ind., April 7.—The tug Maxwell of the A. Booth Fish company is fast in the ice off this port and a relief party is taking out provisions to the crew.

### Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, April 6.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

Articles	High	Low	Apr. 6	Apr. 5
Wheat	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 3/4	67
May	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 3/4	68
July	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4	69
Sept	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4	69
Corn	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 3/4	41
May	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 3/4	41
July	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 3/4	42
Sept	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 3/4	42
Oats	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 3/4	25
May	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 3/4	25
July	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 3/4	26
Sept	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 3/4	26
Pork	12.97 1/2	12.62 1/2	12.67 1/2	12.97 1/2
May	12.85	12.60	12.67 1/2	12.82 1/2
July	12.85	12.60	12.67 1/2	12.82 1/2
Lard	6.67 1/2	6.67 1/2	6.62 1/2	6.70
May	6.80	6.70	6.72 1/2	6.80
July	6.87 1/2	6.80	6.80	6.90
Sept	6.87 1/2	6.80	6.80	6.90
Short ribs	7.00	6.90	6.92 1/2	6.97 1/2
May	6.97 1/2	6.75	6.77 1/2	6.82 1/2
July	6.85	6.77 1/2	6.77 1/2	6.82 1/2
Sept	6.85	6.77 1/2	6.77 1/2	6.82 1/2

# STATE GOSSIP.

## One case of smallpox is reported at Colon, St. Joseph county.

### DETROIT'S BICENTENNIAL FUND HAD REACHED \$290,527.85 ON APRIL 4.

A 400-pound bear was killed in Arenac county one day recently. The Populist state convention will be held at Grand Rapids, May 1.

The new hotel on the lake shore, north of Port Huron, is now assured. Saloons can now do business at Northville by putting up the required license fee.

The high schools of Van Buren county will hold a field day at Paw Paw on May 26.

Onaway is to have an opera house, to make which the present skating rink is to be remodeled.

Work on the power house and depot at Monroe for the Detroit & Toledo Electric Railway Co. will begin at once.

The supply of dwelling houses at Rochester is away below the demand, and rents are constantly on the increase.

An epidemic of measles is reported at Galien, every other house bearing a placard indicating the presence of the disease inside.

The strike of freight handlers in the Pere Marquette freight department in Detroit has caused quite a delay in out-bound shipments.

Farmers around Brighton are hauling their tubers to market for 25 cents per bushel, tired of waiting for the rise that has never come.

There were 16,348,062,701 gallons of water pumped by the Detroit water works system during 1899, at an expense of \$119,946.32. This beats the record of any previous year.

Acting under a joint resolution of the last legislature, the state auditors have allowed Private John H. Bertram of Owosso \$1,500 for the loss of an eye while on duty at Camp Eaton.

An effort is being made to move the Sanilac county poorhouse, now located near Crosswell, to the county seat at Sanilac Centre, and a number of taxpayers are registering a big kick against such action.

Iron ore in what is supposed to be paying quantities has been discovered along the Ford river, about 20 miles from its mouth, in Delta county, and preparations are now being made to develop the property.

In two of the townships of Missaukee county women have been nominated for the office of school inspector, and the opposing party in each case has been gallant enough not to put up a man to run in opposition.

Col. N. M. Richardson, who was relieved from duty as assistant adjutant-general without any explanation being offered, says he has been given no reason for his discharge, and is as much in ignorance of the true cause as the general public.

There are presented to the postmaster at Allegan recently a draft of the United States postoffice department which was 45 years old. It bears date of Nov. 7, 1855. It has been lost for many years. The person to whom it was drawn is dead.

Pine and hemlock stumps and old logs which were supposed to have been gathered together up in Wexford county to be manufactured into lath. The exceedingly high price for the latter article is the cause of the activity.

The laugh is on the attorneys of Calhoun county who recently organized a county bar association and sent the articles of association to Lansing to be filed with the secretary of state, as provided by law. The articles have been returned for correction, with the statement that they were not legally drawn.

Deposits of marl such as is used in the manufacture of cement have been found near Cass City, and the newly-organized Business Men's association of that place is raising a fund to make exhaustive tests of the quality and extent of the deposits, with the ultimate idea of securing a cement factory for the village.

Gen. Dunham, a farmer near Sunfield, heard a noise in his barn the other night and went out without a lantern. The building the thief gave him a shove into a hay chute, and when he came out of the other end of it with three broken ribs, and minus most of his earlobe he had lost further interest in the thief and the latter made his escape.

Little Vera Maynard, of Litchfield, is the possessor of a freak of nature in the shape of a little lamb, with five legs. The extra leg is not of much use, unless the animal can learn to hop along on it with its other four feet in the air, as it is attached to the back of the lamb's head the animal is apparently perfectly healthy and bids fair to grow to maturity.

Reports to the state board of health show that influenza, rheumatism, bronchitis, neuralgia and tonsillitis, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the week ending March 31. Cerebro-spinal meningitis was reported at 3 places, smallpox at 9, whooping cough at 16, diphtheria at 21; typhoid fever at 25, scarlet fever at 57, measles at 112 and consumption at 154.

A canvasser is finding a lot of victims in Berrien county with a swindling scheme he is operating. He poses as a merchant tailor and takes orders for clothing to be made from samples he displays. On every order he collects \$1 in advance "to bind the bargain," and after the customer has waited until long after the specified time for the clothes to show up, he comes to the conclusion that he was an easy mark.

A cement factory giving employment to 150 laborers will be erected near the shores of Silver lake, 1 1/2 miles east of Linden. It is said the marl beds are among the most extensive in the state.

# GENERAL MARSH CONVICTED.

## Jury Found Him Guilty After Being Out Two Hours.

### HIS BAIL FIXED AT \$15,000.

#### Jury Even Declined to Recommend the Accused to the Mercy of the Court—Judge West's Charge Was Fair and Impartial—Sutton Irritated.

Gen. A. F. Marsh Found Guilty. Guilty was the verdict of the jury in the trial of Gen. Marsh, at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the 5th. It was generally expected and not even the defendant's attorneys were surprised, though privately they protested that their client had not been justly dealt with and that the supreme court would reverse the case. Marsh was later released on \$15,000 bail pending a review of the case by the supreme court. The jury was out just an hour and 50 minutes, long enough to give the defense expectations of a disagreement, but their hopes were rudely shattered.

The offense for which Marsh was convicted is a felony and the extreme penalty is 14 years in state's prison.

The most astonishing fact of the verdict is that the jurors had practically no disagreement as to the facts of the case. They first elected their foreman and then proceeded to take the first ballot, which resulted in 11 votes being cast for guilty and one for not guilty.

For an hour after they went over the case very carefully, discussing the various points and when the second ballot was taken the decision was unanimous that Marsh was guilty according to the evidence. What kept the jury out so long was that five of them desired to condition the verdict by recommending the defendant to the mercy of the court, but after a protracted deliberation this was also put aside and the plain verdict of guilty rendered.

Judge West's charge to the jury was fair and impartial. He occupied about two hours' time in reading his charge. Whatever thoughts passed through the mind of Col. Sutton when he read the verdict, he kept them strictly to himself, but it evidently jarred on his nerves, as he was pale and had little to say. Sutton's request for a change of venue was filed with the clerk of the court on the 6th, but at this writing had not been acted upon.

Richardson Relieved From Duty. There is much speculation as to the reason for relieving Asst. Adj.-Gen. Richardson from duty. Gen. Case said there was no reason, but that he was obliged to do so, thus conveying the impression that he had to make the change presumably by the order of the commander-in-chief. It is known that ever since Case had declined to tender his resignation when it was requested by Gov. Pingree at the time of the grand jury expose, and asked the governor to appoint a court of inquiry to investigate and report as to whether he knew anything of the military fraud, he has been anxious to resign, but did not propose to do so until his superiors vindicated him so far as that deal was concerned. It is now hinted that this vindication will be forthcoming within a few days and that he will then gracefully retire.

Gov. Pingree Asks White's Apprehension. Gov. Pingree has acknowledged the receipt of the letter of Sheriff Porter in which the latter requested the governor's co-operation in securing the assistance of the general government, through its consular agents in South Africa, in apprehending Gen. White. The sheriff is informed that the governor considers the suggestion a good one and has already written Secretary of State Hay concerning the matter.

Game Warden's Report for March. In his report for March, filed with Secretary of State Stearns on the 2d, Game Warden Morse reports that 98 cases were investigated, and 77 arrests made last month, 63 of the arrests being for violation of the fish laws, and one for resisting an officer. Fifty-eight cases were disposed of, there being 38 convictions, 14 dismissals and six acquittals. The total amount of fines and costs collected was \$735.70, and the value of the property seized, \$86.70. Several important fish cases were tried in the circuit court of Ottawa county, during the month, conviction resulting in each instance.

"Rev." Axtell Was Barred Out. A short time ago it was announced that "Rev." J. J. Axtell, who was turned out of the Congregational church at Royal Oak because of his pugilistic tendencies, was to be given another trial. However not all the members of the church were in favor of such a move, and when Axtell's admirers made an attempt to gain admittance to the edifice on the 1st; they found the door nailed shut with 10-penny nails. There was no service, and Axtell is not likely to again occupy the pulpit in that place.

At the recent election the people of Mayville voted against liquor being sold in the village, and now the proprietor of the only decent hotel in the place is trying to sell out and leave, claiming that no business can be done without a bar attached to his hostelry.

The oldest inhabitant does not remember seeing so many auctions in Livingston county as there have been this season.

That pickle factory seems to be a sure thing for Hartford, the requisite amount of money and acreage having been secured.

Crosswell has sold the bonds recently voted for the purchase of the local electric lighting plant, and the village now owns the plant.

A boiler exploded at the G. O. Williams Lumber Co.'s brickyard at Atlanta, Ga., on the 2d, killing three white men and injured six colored men.

# TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

## The British force, commanded by Col. Broadwood, consisting of the 10th Hussars, Household Cavalry, two horse batteries and a force of mounted infantry under Col. Pilcher, which had been garrisoning Thaba Nchu, was obliged, in consequence of the near approach of a large force of Boers, to leave on the night of Mar. 30. Col. Broadwood marched to the Bloemfontein water works, south of the Modder, where he encamped. At early dawn the camp was shelled by the enemy from a near point. Col. Broadwood sent off a convoy with the batteries while the rest of the force remained to act as rear guard. The convoy arrived at a deep spruit, where the Boers were concealed, and the entire body walked into ambush and was captured, together with six guns. The loss of life was not great, since most of the British had walked into the trap before a shot was fired.

A dispatch from Bushman's kop dated April 2 says: The Boers are still occupying the water works. The fight was marked by many acts of individual courage. The first man to warn the British of the ambush was a sergeant of the army service corps, who shot a Boer dead with his revolver. Explosive bullets were found on some of the Boers who were captured. During the engagement the Boers pursued the British for miles, killing, wounding and taking prisoners. One squadron of the 6th Dragoons, which entered the action 140 strong, mustered at the end only 10 mounted men.

Methuen telegraphs from Boshop (in the Orange Free State, a little north-east of Kimberley), as follows: Surrounded Gen. Villebois Mareuil and a body of Boers on the 5th. None escaped. Villebois and seven Boers killed, eight wounded, 50 prisoners. Our losses were: Killed, Capt. Boyle and Williams, both of the yeomanry, also two men of the same company. Wounded, about seven men. The attack lasted four hours. The corps behaved very well. Our force was composed of yeomanry, the Kimberley mounted corps and the 4th battery of artillery.

A dispatch from Lord Roberts on the 6th says: A very serious loss has occurred resulting, I fear, in the capture of a party of infantry consisting of three companies of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and two companies of the 9th regiment of mounted infantry, near Reddersburg, a little eastward of Bethan railway station, within a few miles of Bloemfontein. They were surrounded by a stronger force of the enemy with four or five guns. There can be no doubt but what the whole party has been made prisoners.

The condition of the Boer prisoners is deplorable. The medical authorities seem unable to cope with the spread of typhoid fever. There were four additional deaths on the 3d, and the sick are panic stricken. The dead are buried with as much respect as the exigencies of the place admit, but the gun carriage is no longer used, a wagon being requisitioned to convey a number of coffins at a single trip.

At a meeting held at Cape Town on the 3d, at which 20,000 persons were present, a resolution was passed, amid scenes of great enthusiasm, declaring the solemn conviction of those assembled that the incorporation of the South African republic and Orange Free State into the queen's dominions alone would secure peace, prosperity and public freedom in South Africa. The national anthem was then sung.

The departure of the British transports with the Boer prisoners for St. Helena has been delayed in consequence of increased sickness among the prisoners. Three died on Mar. 31 and 12 died during the week.

The report that Mr. Steyn had been appointed to the command of the Free Staters and the further report that the Free State has arranged a loan from the Transvaal for war purposes are both confirmed.

There is great Boer activity along the Vaal river. About 6,000 burghers have assembled at various points between Fourteen Streams and Christiantia. About 700 men are laagered at Boetsap.

Webster Davis, former assistant secretary of the interior, in speaking of the South African situation, says that in his opinion the defenses of Pretoria are impregnable.

The Boers expect great things of Gen. Botha, the new commander-in-chief of the Boers army, who succeeds the late Gen. Joubert.

The Dutch who surrendered their arms at Ladybrand a short time ago are now suffering seizures of their live stock.

Dr. Leyds informs the Berlin press that 400,000 marks have been collected in Germany for the Boers.

Gen. Cronje, Col. Schiel and 1,000 Boer prisoners sailed from Cape Town for St. Helena on the 3d.

### NEWSY BRIEVITIES.

A British steam launch was captured by pirates near the Check-Hueng-Shan district on the 2d. The pilot of the boat was murdered and the launch and a lighter, which it had in tow, were looted. The supercargo was made a prisoner.

The beginning of the new year in township affairs will see the inauguration of a new township officer, the dog warden. This official is appointed by the township board, and will hold the best paying office in the township. He receives 25 per cent of all dog taxes collected by him and the dog taxpayers are obliged to come to his office to pay their tax. Dogs found without tags after May 1 he has full liberty to kill at a rate of \$1 per head. The fact that the man who receives the appointment the first year is likely to hold the office continuously has caused a flood of applicants in many localities.

# TICKINGS OF THE TELEGRAPH.

## News of the Day as Told Over the Slender Wires.

### DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN NEWS.

#### Gov. Beckham Has Been Declared the Legal Governor of Kentucky by the Court of Appeals—Ex-Gov. Taylor Will Appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court.

Gov. Taylor Turned Down. The court of appeals of Kentucky on the 6th handed down its decision in the gubernatorial contest in favor of Beckham, Judge Du Relle dissenting. The other two Republican judges, Burnam and Guffy, handed down a separate opinion, which differed in its reasons from the opinion of the Democratic judges, but agreed with them in its conclusion. Judge Hobson, one of the four Democratic judges, wrote the opinion of the majority of the court, affirming the decision of Judge Field, of Louisville. The opinion holds that the action of the legislature in seating Gov. Beckham was final, and that the court had no power to review it; that Gov. Taylor exceeded his authority in adjourning the legislature to London, and that the journals of the two houses of the legislature, being regular, cannot be impeached. It recites the work of the state canvassing board, and of the contest proceedings in the legislature and all subsequent proceedings. Gov. Taylor will appeal to the United States supreme court.

Magnetic Pole Has Been Located. The exploring steamer Southern Cross, bearing Mr. C. E. Borchgrevink and the survivors of the south polar expedition, fitted out in 1898, by Sir George Nevens, of London, arrived at Wellington, New Zealand, on the 1st. Mr. Borchgrevink reports that the magnetic pole has been located. Mr. N. Hansen, one of the zoologists who started with the expedition, died on the voyage.

Germany Moves to Secure Intervention. Contrary to statements published in England, neither the German nor any other continental cabinet has been asked by Count Muravieff, the Russian foreign minister, to present a joint intervention note, although it is correct that Germany has been sounding Austria-Hungary and Italy, her partners in the triple alliance, with reference to the intervention question. The reply in each instance has been unfavorable.

### CONGRESSIONAL NOTES.

After two days of legal skirmishing the representatives of the Michigan Lake Superior Power canal Co. and the Lake Carriers' association arrived at an agreement on the 5th regarding the control of the power canal now in course of construction at the Soo, at an expense of \$6,500,000. A bill embodying the suggestions of the two sides was submitted to the rivers and harbors committee and, though the committee will take it in hand for revision, there is little doubt but that it will be legislated into law with as slight procrastination as possible.

On the 3d the senate passed the Puerto Rican tariff bill by a vote of 40 to 31. Before the vote was taken several speeches were made, the principal addresses being by Mason, Wellington and Forsker.

The house, after four days of debate, on the 6th passed the substitute for the senate bill providing for a territorial form of government for Hawaii. The bill now goes to conference.

### BRIEF NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

Webster Davis, assistant secretary of the interior, has tendered his resignation and will lecture on the Boer situation, it is said.

Chester Almy wants Chas. Davidson, a wealthy farmer and oil operator of Bowling Green, O., to pay him \$20,000 damage for alleged intimacy with the plaintiff's wife.

The hay dealers around Crosswell are complaining of a scarcity of cars, and as a result the barns and sheds around the railway yards are jammed full of hay awaiting shipment.

The Schlesien Zeitung of Berlin reports that Herr Malcomess, German consul in East London, Cape Colony, has been grossly insulted by a mob, who burned him in effigy.

Admiral Dewey, after mature reflection and in response to the earnest entreaties from all parts of the country, has announced his willingness to run for the presidency if the people of the U. S. want him to.

The Westminister Gazette of London, on the 4th began to republish the "Toppick Daily Capital," as it appeared during the week it was edited by the Rev. Mr. Sheldon. The attempt was a fizzle, nobody buying the paper.

Gen. Bernardo Reyes, the new secretary of war of Mexico will reform the Mexican army, which at present is largely made up of criminals who are sentenced to do military service. Gen. Reyes will abolish this practice of forced service, and establish that of voluntary enlistment of recruits. The criminals will be placed in prisons.

The Carnegie Co. has purchased 10,000 shares of the stock of the Pittsburg, Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad from Col. Samuel B. Dick, chairman of the road, for a sum said to range close to \$400,000, and Col. Dick has retired completely from the management of the company.

A futile attempt to assassinate the Prince of Wales was made at the depot in Brussels on the 4th. The would-be assassin is a tinsmith named Spido, a resident of Brussels, 10 years of age. His pockets were found to be full of anarchist literature when arrested. Spido is a Boer sympathizer.

# KING DON:

A STORY OF MILITARY LIFE IN INDIA.

.....BY MAJOR ALLAN.....

## CHAPTER VIII.

"He is here to answer!"

As the Prince spoke those fateful words Lillie turned and would have flown to Don's side; but at sight of his face she stopped short, paralyzed with amazement or fear or anguish. Which was it? Had she followed the first impulse to fly to him and beg him to deny this vile slander, what might Don's answer not have been? But he saw her hesitation and that spasm of conflicting emotions which swept her face, and he strode forward, like a man who knows his doom pronounced and goes recklessly to meet it, realizing there is no escape.

"I have heard, and I will answer," came his deep, rich tones.

He spoke no other words of greeting to his untoward visitor. He looked neither at him nor his wife, but straight before him, as if he saw written there the self-denunciation he was fated to speak.

"It is true that I was with Captain Derwent at the time of death; that in a moment of passion I had pointed my revolver at his breast; but, as heaven is above us, I know it was not my shot, but a rebel bullet, which killed him."

"An accomplice, perhaps?" suggested the Prince, with a sneer.

Lillie had spoken no word. She stood as motionless as one turned to stone; and though he would not meet her eyes, Don felt that to be fixed upon him with an agony that was harder to bear than the fiercest words of accusation.

"Sir—Don wheeled round now upon his adversary, and his voice grew harder and stronger—"what I did I tell you was done in a moment of passion—a moment I shall regret to my last hour. I do not know by what means you have got your information; but to accuse me of taking his life in cold blood I will not suffer—and I defy you to prove his death was by my hand!"

"I have no desire to prove it further," was the contemptuous reply of the Prince, whose calm complaisance now was as intense as was Don's hot passion. "I have not the shadow of a doubt I could do so if I chose. My faithful sepoys, who followed you when you left Pindi for the camp, and shadowed every step you took whilst you were there, could testify to each word of your last converse with Captain Derwent. He could tell how you declared you would kill both myself and Captain Derwent sooner than allow this lady to become my wife."

He bowed to the motionless Lillie.

"He could swear that, when Captain Derwent repeated his refusal to your own suit, you deliberately fired your revolver, and he fell at your feet, crying: 'For Lillie's sake, Gordon, have a care!' All that I could prove. Can you deny it?"

For one instant there was tense silence, then Don's voice came, strained and hard:

"If your sepoys could prove all this, why did he not come into camp and denounce me before the whole army? And for what purpose was he following me from Pindi, may I ask?"

"You may," and the Prince's smile was not a pleasant one to see. "You must know, Captain Gordon, where one of our royal house loves, it is not customary for another man to lift his eyes. My jealousy of you was roused, and my sepoys were sent to watch you and warn Captain Derwent of my displeasure. As for your first question, your movements were a secret with him alone until he had my sanction to divulge them. He will never receive that sanction, for now, with this unfortunate marriage, my interest in the subject has waned. You may rest assured you are free to pass as an honorable soldier for the rest of your natural life."

The supreme sarcasm of the Prince's words was lost upon the haggard man who faced him.

"Since you are so generous," said Don, with some calm scorn in his voice also, "I fall to see the object of such refined cruelty in bringing about this—this painful and untimely scene."

His tones broke a little in spite of himself. The sight of Lillie's immovable features was killing him.

"My object"—and now Prince Clement Sing laughed shortly and moved to the doorway—"my object was merely to bring home your guilt to you, and to humiliate yonder foolish creature, who might have been a princess, and has made herself the wife of a felon. I have the honor to bid you both adieu."

"Stay!" Don's voice shook with the frenzy of his passion. "I will allow no man, not even Prince Clement Sing, to call me by that name! Your sepoys shall be made to own it as a perjury!"

"Find him and prove that, by all means, if you can," was the sneering answer; "for who will believe that the shot to which you have confessed was not, as he says, the shot which caused Captain Derwent's death? I repeat, your ignoble secret is safe with me."

The Prince waited for no reply. For a long moment there was silence—a silence full of the bitterness of death.

## COL. BADEN-POWELL.

DEFENSE OF MAKEKING HAS GAINED HIM DISTINCTION.

His Long Resistance of a Superior Force Has Made Him a Hero in British Eyes—Type of the Army Made Man—A Fighter by Trade.

Col. R. S. S. Baden-Powell, defender of Makeking, is a seasoned frontiersman. At the beginning of the Transvaal war Col. Baden-Powell undertook the defense with a force consisting of a part of the First Battalion of the Lancashire (Royal North) Regiment, the First Battalion Munster Fusiliers, and 1,000 colonials, with one battery of artillery—in all probably 2,000 men.

The siege began on October 15, 1899, and was led by Gen. Cronje in person until he went to Kimberley to oppose Methuen. Baden-Powell was bombarded almost daily. He made occasional sorties, but his force was too small and his weapons too ineffective to make headway against the besieging force.

Col. Baden-Powell is a cavalry officer, who joined the Hussars when he was nineteen, and is now a lieutenant colonel in a regiment of Dragoon Guards. His life has been spent in the army and in special service and travel, and he is an authority on cavalry tactics, having written manuals on reconnaissance work and scouting. Like Cecil Rhodes, Col. Baden-Powell is a man of many parts.

He knew then the thing he dreaded had come upon him. He had lost her love, and he was yet to lose herself. And a fierce despair fell upon him. He strode towards her and took her in a passionate embrace.

"No, I will not let you say it!" he cried hoarsely, "for I could not live without you, Lillie!"

CHAPTER IX.

Bombay at last!

"Oh, the terrible strain of those nights and days since the garrison of Rawal Pindi had hidden the newly married pair 'God speed,' and that journey had begun which should have been one all-too-sweetly-passing stream of happiness, and held nothing but the long-drawn-out agony of tortured hours—hours spent together in closest companionship, yet in which they were kept apart by the widest gulfs.

Don thought there could well be nothing bitterer than that stage of the journey which was over. The forced inaction on board the trains, the fierce satisfaction of arranging every little detail for his wife's comfort, always with the knowledge that that right to do so would all too soon cease to be his; the constant strain to keep up appearances before servants and officials, the utter inability to break down the barrier of pain when they were alone.

Sometimes he told himself it had been better to speak that last goodbye at Bombay and prolong the agony no longer; but as a drowning man clings to the rope of succor, he had not the courage to be the one to cut the cord which bound them. She had consented he should take her home, and he would go through with it to the bitter end. His thoughts never went beyond that end. After their farewell had been spoken, what mattered it wither he went?

And now they were on board the big steamer at last, and the May day was dying in a golden haze over land and sea. The pilot had long since gone ashore in the tug steamer, and the great Indian land of glory and death was sinking fast astern into the world of waters.

Lillie stood on the poop and looked her last upon it with a bursting heart. She had come hither a gay and happy girl, she was going hence a broken-hearted woman, a wife in name alone.

Don was below, conferring with the steward about their luggage and cabins. She was free to let fall those salt tears she hid from him with proud, Spartanlike fortitude. If she suffered, she suffered in silence, and perhaps Don never guessed how deep that suffering was. He came up by and by, and found her still standing by the taffrail alone. She had checked her tears and recovered her habitual calm; but though she had drawn her veil down, through its thin texture Don saw how pale and worn her lovely face looked.

"You are tired," he said, compassionately. "Shall you go below at once?"

"I would rather stay here a while. I am not in the least sleepy."

(To be continued.)

SURVIVAL OF THE UNFITTEST.

Instances in Nature Where Good Gives Way to Seemingly Evil.

A matter that has attracted the attention of all outdoor students for ages, and which still remains unsettled, is the fact that, although the farmer wages a constant warfare on weeds in order that his crops may grow, the food-bearing plants often fall to seed fruition, but the weeds never. The more noxious the plant the more certain it is to flourish, says a New England writer. What is true of the plant world is true of bird and mammal life. The English sparrows, which nearly every one hates, increase at the rate of millions yearly, in spite of rigid winters and bounty laws, while the birds which add the beauty of color and song to outdoor life are tending toward extinction. The frost that imprisons the grouse, by forming a crust over the snowbank where he has sought shelter, at the same time protects the field mouse pest from its natural enemies. The same crust bears up the wolf, while it practically imprisons the deer. Insect parasites kill the game birds, while the owl seems to enjoy their companionship and cares not how thickly they swarm within the cover of his plumage. The crows fly over morning and evening from roosting to feeding place and return in flocks as great as those of a century ago. The ducks and geese return from the south spring after spring with constantly thinning ranks. As the eastern writer puts it, the chances are that a hundred years hence, in the death of game, the leading sportsmen will be wrangling over the merits of their skunk dogs and bragging of their bags of crows and sparrows.

Men's Baubels.

Among the vagaries of fashion may be cited the habit which men have formed of wearing bracelets. This fashion comes from Italy and Austria, where it is very prevalent. The prince of Wales wore on his left arm for

## WAR NOTES.

A special from Paris, France, says Agonillo comes to the front again with a new statement of alleged Filipino successes. He says that Gen. MacArthur has been forced by Filipinos in Paganasas to transfer his headquarters to San Juan Butista in the center of the island. South of Manila the Americans keep up communications between their various posts only with the greatest difficulty, and ambushes are almost a daily occurrence. In Morong, Vizeaya and the island of Mindanao, Aguinaldo is still the idol of the populace, which is up in arms against the Americans. Otis, said Agonillo, is afraid to have the truth known, and consequently has suppressed two Filipino papers and has threatened the editors of others with banishment unless they print only such news as suits the military authorities.

The census of Manila, completed by the health department, gives the city an unpleasantly high rank among the unhealthful cities of the world. It establishes a death rate of something over 40 per cent at a conservative estimate. Former estimates and censuses had always given Manila 300,000 population. This census was a careful count of natives and Chinese living in buildings and boats in the police districts of Manila and it gave a total of 190,714, of whom 30,000 were Chinamen.

News from the Philippines received by the transport Sherman which arrived at San Francisco on the 3d show that Aguinaldo is in Singapore. Singapore papers make mention of the fact and publish short interviews with him, one of which quotes him as saying that it is his intention to return to Manila. Army officials at San Francisco place little credence in the report.

Arrangements have been made by the war department for the transfer of \$600,000 of the \$2,000,000 appropriated for the relief of Puerto Rico to Capt. Wm. V. Judson, corps of engineers, at San Juan, who has been selected as the disbursing officer of that fund.

Validity of the Drain Law.

An important case was argued before the supreme court on the 3d affecting the validity of the drain law and the cost of construction of thousands of culverts running under railroad property throughout the state. In 1899 what is known as the Harris drain was built in Windsor township, Eaton county, running alongside the Chicago & Grand Trunk. It was decided to deepen, widen, and straighten the drain in 1898, and the railroad company was ordered by the drain commissioner to construct a culvert under its tracks. The company sent in a bill for \$111.65, claiming that the law was invalid and that its property should be condemned by proper proceedings so as to fix the damages claimed. In the circuit court, the company was beaten.

Local Option Defeated in Allegan.

Local option was defeated by more than 600 majority in Allegan county at the recent election, with one town to hear from, which will be "dry" by 30. Lack of funds for effective work was the cause of the defeat. The liquor interests expended fully \$8,000 in the county. A very large vote was polled. The village of Allegan went "wet" by 177.

Olga Nethersole, the actress, who was arrested in New York for producing what the city officials termed an indecent play, entitled "Sapho," was acquitted by a jury on the 5th. She will now be permitted to continue the engagement in that city.

Solicitor General Richards of the department of justice has filed a brief in the supreme court which fixes the attitude of this government on the question of whether the constitution extends to the new possessions of the United States. The department of justice says it does not without act of congress.

The large convention hall at Kansas City, where the Democratic national convention was to have been held on July 4, was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of the 4th. At a meeting of the board of directors, held shortly after the fire, it was decided to build the hall at once, and the convention will be held at the same place.

## THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.			
	New York	Chicago	Pittsburgh
Best grades—	\$15.00	12.00	10.00
Lower grades—	12.00	10.00	8.00
Best grades—	3.75	3.00	2.50
Lower grades—	3.00	2.50	2.00
Best grades—	4.00	3.50	3.00
Lower grades—	3.25	2.75	2.25
Best grades—	4.85	4.00	3.50
Lower grades—	4.00	3.25	2.75

## GRAIN, ETC.

	Wheat	Corn	Oats
New York	77 1/2	40 1/2	28 1/2
Chicago	67 1/2	38 1/2	24 1/2
Pittsburgh	73 1/2	40 1/2	28 1/2
Cincinnati	72 1/2	40 1/2	27 1/2
Pittsburgh	72 1/2	40 1/2	28 1/2
Baltimore	72 1/2	40 1/2	28 1/2
Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy	\$12.00		
Potatoes, 40 per lb. Late Potatoes, spring chickens, 10c per lb; fowls, 9c; turkeys, 10c; ducks, 9c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 12c per dozen. Butter, best dairy, 30c per lb; creamery, 25c.			

The Japanese emperor's message of congratulation to Queen Victoria and the reply thereto, have awakened lively sensation in all quarters of the empire and have emphasized the sympathy almost universally felt for the British in the South African struggle.

Arbuckle & Co., of New York and Pittsburg coffee-sugar magnates, have asked the courts to appoint a receiver for the Woolson Spice Co., and for an injunction to prevent H. O. Havemeyer, James Secor, John H. Doyle and others from using the big Toledo plant against Arbuckle in the coffee-sugar war.



COL. BADEN-POWELL.

well is the son of a minister. He joined the Thirteenth Hussars in 1876 and, as adjutant, served with his regiment in India and Afghanistan and in South Africa. Early in his military career he became familiar with the parts of the African continent with which his name will hereafter be associated. In 1887 he was again at Cape Town as assistant military secretary to Gen. Sir Henry Smyth, and during his two years' stay there he served in the Zululand operations. After serving three years at Malta, he again returned to Africa, charged with the special service of raising and commanding the native levies in the Ashanti operations. For his work in this campaign he received the brevet rank of lieutenant colonel. After the Jameson raid, when the Matabele rose a second time, he was chosen as chief staff officer of Gen. Sir Frederick Carrington. At the beginning of the Transvaal war he was selected to proceed to South Africa to raise a military force on the spot and to drill it into efficiency. That he succeeded in doing so was attested by his long resistance against a superior force.

## Is a Secret Process.

Lovers of the exhilarating cocktail, which cheers and makes a difference in the morning, ought to be interested in the experiments which are being made in this country to produce a good Vermont. "We have succeeded in making a passably good quality of Vermont," said a liquor man, "but I am afraid it will be a long time before we can equal the foreign article. The best Vermont comes from Turin, Italy, and the next in quality is made in Marseilles. In fact, about all the Vermont sold is made in these two cities. The latter named city produces practically all that comes from France. It is not easy to arrive at the quantity of Vermont imported to the United States for the reason that it comes classified as wine. The secret of its manufacture is closely guarded in both France and Italy, and it would not surprise me if we were making a first-class quality of champagne in the United States before we can make a prime quality of Vermont."—New York Commercial.

## The Rock of Gibraltar.

England's famous natural fortification is situated at the southern extremity of Spain, in Andalusia. At various times great sums of money have been expended to add to its impregnability, until now it is regarded as an almost indestructible stronghold. The chief points of defense are on its western side. Several miles of caverns and galleries penetrate the rock, which presents a solid and formidable front on the land side; on the other great cannon from upon the Bay of Gibraltar. The fortress is fairly honeycombed with bombshells and cannon balls. It was taken from the original owners over 150 years ago.

What a man denominates obstinacy in his wife he designates firmness in himself.

With the average boy the world vacillates between straps and scraps.

## Cleanse Your Blood

The thing most desired of a Spring Medicine is thorough purification of the blood. With this work of cleansing going on there is complete renovation of every part of your system. Not only is the corrupt blood made fresh, bright and lively, but the stomach also responds in better digestion, its readiness for food at proper times gives sharp appetite, the kidneys and liver properly perform their allotted functions, and there is, in short, new brain, nerve, mental and digestive strength.

## HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

Possesses the peculiar qualities—Peculiar to Itself—which accomplish these good things for all who take it. An unlimited list of wonderful cures prove its merit.

Famous Gobelin Pieces.

Four of the finest pieces of tapestry turned out by the celebrated Gobelin looms in the last century have just been purchased in Italy and brought back to France by Dr. Henri de Rothschild, who will add them to his collection here. The pieces, besides being of artistic value, are of historic interest, as they are gifts presented by Louis Quinze to the Marquis de Grimaldi, the Spanish prime minister of the time. They eventually became the property of the Portuguese family De Silva Carvalho, in whose palace at Genoa they have hung for over a century, and from whose descendants Dr. Henri de Rothschild purchased them the other day. Three of the pieces are reproductions by Coppel of scenes of Quinault's play "Armide," on which Quinault founded his opera, one bearing the artist's signature. The fourth depicts a scene from another of Quinault's plays. Copies of three of these pieces of tapestry are preserved at the Louvre and at the National furniture store rooms, one of them being unique. The four were sold to Dr. de Rothschild for \$2,300.—London Telegraph.

The Most Awful Explosion.

What is said to have been the most terrific explosion ever known occurred Feb. 19, 1896, near Johannesburg, on the Netherlands South Africa railway. A train with some fifty-five tons of blasting gelatin and ninety cases of detonators was standing on a siding when it was inadvertently run into by another train. The fearful energy of the liberated gases tore a huge trench 500 feet long, 30 feet deep and 65 feet wide in the stiff clay soil; pieces of the engine were blown more than a mile away; upward of fifty people were known to have been killed, while the glibly heap of mangled limbs, which floated upward of twenty sacks, probably accounted for many others who were passing strangers and could not, therefore, be identified at the time. Needless to say, perhaps, all the adjoining home property was reduced to matchwood and some 600 people were rendered homeless.

Validity of the Drain Law.

An important case was argued before the supreme court on the 3d affecting the validity of the drain law and the cost of construction of thousands of culverts running under railroad property throughout the state. In 1899 what is known as the Harris drain was built in Windsor township, Eaton county, running alongside the Chicago & Grand Trunk. It was decided to deepen, widen, and straighten the drain in 1898, and the railroad company was ordered by the drain commissioner to construct a culvert under its tracks. The company sent in a bill for \$111.65, claiming that the law was invalid and that its property should be condemned by proper proceedings so as to fix the damages claimed. In the circuit court, the company was beaten.

Local Option Defeated in Allegan.

Local option was defeated by more than 600 majority in Allegan county at the recent election, with one town to hear from, which will be "dry" by 30. Lack of funds for effective work was the cause of the defeat. The liquor interests expended fully \$8,000 in the county. A very large vote was polled. The village of Allegan went "wet" by 177.

Olga Nethersole, the actress, who was arrested in New York for producing what the city officials termed an indecent play, entitled "Sapho," was acquitted by a jury on the 5th. She will now be permitted to continue the engagement in that city.

Solicitor General Richards of the department of justice has filed a brief in the supreme court which fixes the attitude of this government on the question of whether the constitution extends to the new possessions of the United States. The department of justice says it does not without act of congress.

The large convention hall at Kansas City, where the Democratic national convention was to have been held on July 4, was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of the 4th. At a meeting of the board of directors, held shortly after the fire, it was decided to build the hall at once, and the convention will be held at the same place.

The Japanese emperor's message of congratulation to Queen Victoria and the reply thereto, have awakened lively sensation in all quarters of the empire and have emphasized the sympathy almost universally felt for the British in the South African struggle.

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## Inclination of the people in buying goods.

### If They Want Dishes

They naturally go to Stevenson's.

### If They Want Groceries

Especially if it is something pure and nice, Stevenson's Table Supply House comes in their mind.

### If It is Bazaar Goods

That is wanted, Stevenson's 5, 10 and 25c tables is where they make for.

### People Wanting Seeds

Either flower, garden or field goes where they have the greatest variety and the best quality and their experience in the past has taught them to go to

## STEVENSON'S.

City delivery. Phone 17.

Roy M. Allen has accepted a position as attendant at the Newbury asylum, and has gone to assume his new duties. He has been filling the position of recording secretary of Court Elkland, I. O. F., in a very acceptable manner and the brethren regret his departure. A. A. P. McDowell has been chosen to fill the vacancy.

John M. Hamilton, who has acted as sexton at the Elkland cemetery for the past two years, has moved to Harrisville. His successor is M. H. Eastman, who has recently conducted a boarding house in the Etherinton building on Seegar Street. A. Wickware has leased the Etherinton building and will continue the boarding house and restaurant.

The following are the appointments made last week by the annual conference of the Evangelical association, at Sebewaing, for the Flint District:—G. J. Kinn, presiding elder; Flint, E. M. Bennett; Howell, W. O. Swenik; Sebewaing, A. A. Schourer; Owosso circuit, W. P. Vogel and J. A. Halmhuber; Elkton, W. Berger; Cass City, P. Klump; Caro, P. H. Polhy; Verona, O. Y. Schneider; Fowlerville, J. J. Marshall; Motton, P. H. Walter; Lapeer City, J. M. Pluch; Eureka, George Brown; Saginaw, J. Hommel; Bay City, A. Halmhuber; Oregon, N. Frye; Lenox, F. H. Webber.

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"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scaldhead," writes C. D. Isbill, of Morgantown, Tenn., but Cuckley's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Itch, Ringworm, Ring Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25c at T. H. Fritz, Druggist.

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Now, I must get back to my uncle, the detective, the subject of this letter. When he was ten or twelve years old and still growing very fast in knowledge and stature was very fond of the game of hide-and-seek. An imperious steely temper, giving away to violent outbursts of passion. If his father happened to be away from home as he often was while he was in that state of mind he would easily find out that he possessed an imperious steely temper, giving away to violent outbursts of passion. If his father happened to be away from home as he often was while he was in that state of mind he would easily find out that he possessed an imperious steely temper, giving away to violent outbursts of passion.

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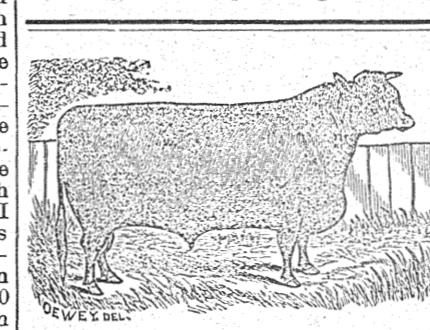
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## Another Route.

Daniel J. Pray writes a letter to The Pt. Huron Times criticising the routes suggested for an electric railway to Bay City by Mrs. Jane M. Kinney, L. B. Rice and David Beard. He has a route which will discount all the others combined, and which, he says, will put money into the pockets of the stockholders. Mr. Pray says: "My route is up the shore to Lakeport, from there to Grant Center, thence to Yale, Moore's Corners and Peck, and from there to Cass City or wherever it is feasible. This route will not parallel the Pere Marquette railway. During the summer months hundreds of farmers from Yale, Roseburg and Moore's Corners daily drive to Lakeport to spend from one to two weeks at that resort. I think it would pay the directors of the proposed road to look up this route if they have not already done so."

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It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's N. W. Discovery, for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, la Grippe and all Throat, Chest and Lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on T. H. Fritz Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.



### Springlake Shorthorns.

Some choice young Bulls and Heifers for sale. The young Bull, Carlton, who took first prize at the Michigan State Fair in 1898, at head of herd. Farm three miles east of Leonard on P. O. & N. R. H.

John H. Hagaman, Leonard Mich.

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### Order of Hearing.

State of Michigan, county of Tuscola, ss.  
A session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office in the village of Caro on the 1st day of April, 1900, for the purpose of hearing and allowing said account, and the assignment of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.  
JOHN C. LAING,  
Judge of Probate.

### Cass City Markets.

Cass City, April 5 1900	
Wheat No. 1 white.....	66
Wheat No. 2 red.....	66
Oats.....	26
Rye.....	63
Beans, navy.....	1 1/2
Beans, hand picked.....	1 1/2
Peas.....	50 50
No. 1 Hay, pressed.....	9 00
No. 2 Hay, pressed, and clover mixed.....	8 50
Clover Seed, prime.....	5 50
Butter.....	23
Eggs, dressed, per ew.....	5 25
Beef, dressed.....	5 00 6 00
Sausage, live weight, per lb.....	3 4
Chicken, live weight.....	6
Live turkeys.....	8
Dressed ducks and geese.....	7
White Lily.....	4 00 per bu
Heater's Best.....	4 00 "
Pillsbury's Best.....	6 00 "
Graham Flour.....	4 00 "
Bolted Meal.....	1 50 cwt
Feed.....	1 00 "
Meal.....	1 00 "
Bran.....	1 00 "
Middlings.....	30 "
Flour.....	2 00 "
B. W. Flour.....	2 50

### PONTIAC OXFORD & NORTHERN R. R.

PASSENGER TIME CARD.  
Trains run on Central Standard Time.

GOING NORTH		STATIONS		GOING SOUTH	
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