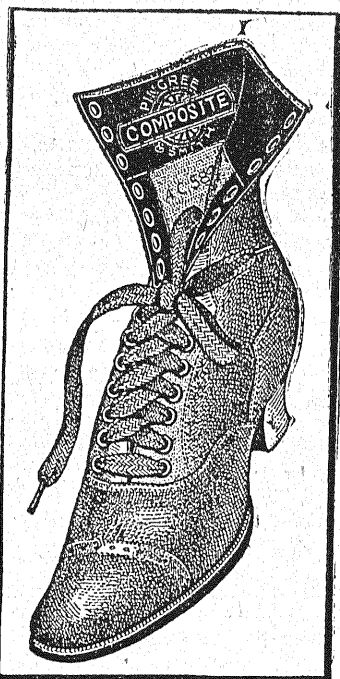


# CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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## Pingree Shoe Talk.

The eyes are a sign Nature hangs out in every man's countenance and observing people have

## Little Trouble

reading it. Shoes are much the same. Take Pingree Shoes for instance, there's realness to the quality which you cannot mistake. Everything about them impresses you as genuine and trustworthy

## This Week

We show you a cut of the Composite \$3. We carry it in stock B C D and E. Call and see them. Our

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Butter and Eggs Taken.

J. D. CROSBY, Cass City' Shoe and Clothing Man.

Call and see our line of Embroideries and Laces, also Laces Curtains. A Fresh line of Groceries. We are in it in Teas.

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MORE OF OUR SPECIAL BARGAINS TO OFFER YOU THIS WEEK CALL, IT WILL SAVE YOU MONEY.

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## Local Happenings.

Take the ENTERPRISE. Fine growing weather. Field day to-morrow (Friday). W. C. Janks & Co. drives a fine new meat wagon. C. W. Heller was a Kingston caller on Monday. A. J. Knapp played ball with Bay City Decoration day. Healy Clark, of Caro, was in town Tuesday on business. Hugh Walters made a business trip to Pontiac on Saturday. Rev. A. Torbet preached in Brookfield church last Sunday. A large number from Gageton took in the ball game Tuesday. C. E. Fritz is assisting at P. S. McGregory's clothing store. Jas. McCulley spent a portion of the week with playmates at Caro. Ball game between Vassar and Cass City at 9:30 a. m. on Friday. Geo. Matzen visited at his home in Crosswell a few days last week. Dr. D. P. Deming moved last week to his palatial residence on Seegar Street. W. C. Sanson, from south of Kingston, was in town Wednesday morning. Mrs. B. Auten and Mrs. Lizzie McLean made a visit to Detroit last week. John Doerr, of Bay Port, was the guest of Will Karr the first of the week. Dell Ames and Miss Gussie Hess, of Caro, called on friends here Sunday evening. Roy Crosby returned home from his visit to Ypsilanti and other places last Thursday. A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Connellan on the 29th June. Mrs. A. Behnke, of Detroit, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. G. A. Stevenson, this week. Jas. L. Purdy, of P. C. Purdy & Son, the Gageton bankers, did business here on Monday. Joe Frutchoy, wife and daughter, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. Frutchoy this week. The water mains were tapped this week for the residence of Geo. Hitchcock on West Street. Rev. A. Torbet will preach in the Brown schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

As this is not our year to celebrate Independence Day. Our citizens will go elsewhere this year. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher, of Akron township, came over Saturday evening for a brief visit with friends. The many friends of James McGillvray are pleased to see him around and feeling much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. Rich. Duggan left for Buffalo Wednesday morning, owing to the failing health of their son, Frank. Bert Smithson left for Millersburg, Mich., on Tuesday where he has accepted a position. He will also play ball. A number of the members of the gun club were out practicing Monday night and some very good shooting was done. Mr. and Mrs. B. Bertrand and Mrs. Rayder attended the funeral of Mrs. Heberly, at Sebawing, on Thursday of last week. N. Bigelow & Son have some one-inch poultry netting on hand—just the thing to keep the little chicks where you want them. A detachment of Free Methodists held forth on Main Street Sunday afternoon. They came from the vicinity of Wickware. The morning subject at the Baptist Church next Sunday will be, "Heaven," in the evening, "How to get there." E. Rushbrook, pastor. Monday was voucher day and the "boys in blue" had a chance to dine together once more, thanks to the ladies, who always provide upon such occasions. The Epworth League will give a strawberry and ice cream social at the home of D. J. Landon, corner of Houghton and Grant Streets to-morrow (Friday) evening. Advertising is to the merchant what plowing and sowing is to the farmer. Imagine a farmer trying to raise a crop by sitting on the fence as he looks at a ten acre field wishing that a nice crop of wheat or corn would spring up in it. Ridiculous, isn't it? But not any more so than the merchant who hides a stock of goods away in a store-room and then sits on the counter hoping that people will come in and buy.

We understand that an effort is being made to arrange for regular services at the McConnell schoolhouse, four miles east of town, by the Methodists. A breakage of the machine at Hall's brick yards last week caused a temporary shut down. A new casting was made at the foundry Monday and all goes smoothly again. J. C. Lauderbach made a trip to Bay City last Friday to see his brother who had been operated on for appendicitis. He was doing as well as could be expected at that time. Thos. Cross and Jas. Wright, painters and decorators, have the Pinney block, just vacated by T. H. Fritz, nicely painted and papered for Jas. Tennant's exclusive grocery store. The Social Workers of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. E. Rushbrook next Wednesday afternoon. Tea will be served at the usual hour to which all are invited. Mrs. Chas. Trevethan, who left here a few months ago for Deckerville, came over this week and took her household effects to that burg, where she purposes starting a bakery. Rev. A. Torbet was called on Monday to officiate at the funeral of old Mr. Hoag, at the Shabbona M. E. Church. Deceased was eighty-two years of age at the time of his death. The Gageton Times was two years old last week and is one of our brightest exchanges. The people of Gageton should feel proud upon having such a wide-awake newspaper in their town. Mrs. D. Ross, Mrs. J. H. Eno and several of the younger members of their families attended a picnic given by the school taught by Miss Ida Ross near Caro, on Thursday of last week, and had a very pleasant time. The members of Milo Warner Post are especially grateful to the teachers and pupils of the schools for the way they turned out on Decoration Day. They certainly did well and presented a fine appearance as they lined up for march. Jas. D. Brooker has been appointed by the Board of Directors of the Capitol Investment Building and Loan Association, as a member of the auditing committee, and left on Tuesday for Lansing where the committee meets this week. Our high school boys crossed bats with the Gageton high school on Tuesday and were defeated by a score of 21 to 15. The playing of both teams was very poor at times and we think if our boys intend to be in it on field day they had better brace up. Next Sunday at 2 p. m. Mrs. O. H. Morgan and Mr. Eli Travis will address a meeting at the McConnell school house and at the close the Sunday School interests will be considered. All residents in the neighborhood are specially requested to be present. Dr. M. M. Wickware, assisted by Dr. D. A. Hatt, removed an eye for Mrs. Geo. Houghton, southwest of town, last week. The organ had been sightless for some time and beginning to affect the other eye, so that it was thought best to remove it, and she is now doing nicely. Venus Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, gave a box social at the Oddfellow Hall, last Friday evening. The rain evidently affected the attendance, but about fifty had a very pleasant evening. The ladies gave a short program, after which refreshments were served, and some time was spent in games and sociality. People in the country who are annoyed by flies should remember that clusters of fragrant clover, which grow abundantly by nearly every roadside, if hung in the room and left to dry and shed its faint fragrant perfume through the air, will drive away more flies than sticky saucers of molasses. M. E. Warner & Co. are having a public sale of picture frames and painting in the G. A. Hall this week. They have a large stock on hand among which are some pretty ones. They have a large number of pictures ready for distribution which are fine and shows that the artist understands her work. A great field day, under the management of the High School, is to be held here to-morrow (Friday). The sports will all take place at the Driving Park, to which everyone will be admitted free. At 9:30 a ball game will take place between the Vassar and Cass City teams, and in the afternoon there will be Caledonian games, trap shooting and firemen's drill. The Bad Axe high school pupils will take part in the games.

Cast your eye on Laing & Janes' new adv. Joe Frutchoy, of Harris & Frutchoy, Detroit, did business here this week. Rev. E. J. Cross, who has been absent for several months, is exchanging greetings with friends in town. The Ladies Circle of the Grand Army wishes us to hereby express their thanks to A. A. McKenzie for furnishing a conveyance for them on Decoration Day. At the annual field day of the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association at Lansing on June 1st and 2nd, Harry P. Weydmer, of this place, a student at the M. A. C., won the following prizes: Run hop step end jump, 1st prize, 41 ft. 11 inches; standing broad jump, 1st, 10 ft. 1 inch; running high jump, 1st, 5 ft. 8 inches; pole vault, 1st, 9 feet 6 inches; hundred yard dash, 3rd; running broad jump, 2nd. "Twenty dollars a month on a farm," says an exchange, "is very much better than \$35 a month in a city store. As a general thing at the end of nine months the former has \$150 in cash, three pairs of overalls and a straw hat, while the latter has two or three suits of clothes, a pair of golf socks, and, is \$17 in the hole. Yet there are seventy-five applicants for the latter job to one for the former." The gentlemen who have purchased the Cass City Foundry have decided to call the concern "The Cass City Foundry and Machine Company." They have already commenced the improvement of the property and have torn away the old building which has stood at the corner of the plant, preparatory to erecting a new corner, to be neereed with brick. A. H. Muck is right at home in the smithy department and is rapidly becoming familiar with the "tricks of the trade." We predict a successful career for the new company. Please rise up, Mr. Anyone, and tell us a few things. Why is it that townships and village corporations rarely have shelter for their road machinery? In many cases the grader, scrapers and other tools are left out in the weather, perhaps beside the road where last used. It's a rare thing to find a township having a tool house. All these tools are costly and taxes must be levied to pay for them, or buy others if these are ruined. And now Mr. Anyone, if you have anything to say, say on.—Ex.

Observe these rules and take a new lease of life. You should have eight hours sleep. Sleep on your right side. Keep your bedroom window open all night. Have a mat at your bedroom door. Do not place your bedstead against the wall. No cold tub in the morning, but a bath at the temperature of the body. Exercise before breakfast. Eat very little meat and see that it is well cooked. Eat plenty of fruit. Live in the country if you can. Watch the three d's—drinking water damp and drains. Have change of occupation. Take frequent and short holidays. Limit your ambitions, and keep your temper. This rule applies to everybody but printers.

What you Must Answer Here are only a few of the many questions which you must answer when the census enumerator comes: "Surname, Christian name, initial; residence, street, number of house; relationship of each member to head of the family; color of race; sex; age of last birthday; day, month and year when born; are you single, married, widow, widower or divorced; number years married; how many children living; where were you born; if in the United States give state or territory; if of foreign birth, give name of country; where were your parents born; if of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States; have you been naturalized; what is your occupation trade or profession (this applies to persons ten years of age or over); how many months during the year are you employed; how many months have you attended school; can you read; can you speak English; do you own or rent the house in which you live; if you own the house is it free or mortgaged. (The same questions apply to farms, with about one hundred more attached.) The work of enumeration will begin June 1st. The enumerators will be paid from two to three cents per capita on the population schedule; 15 to 20 cents for each farm schedule; five cents for each mortality and sight and hearing schedule.

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## SALE OF REMNANTS

Commencing

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

And continuing until

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

We will have some great bargains to offer you in the following Remnants:

PRINTS, DRESSGOODS, GINGHAMS, CARPETS, OUTFITS, SILKS, REMNANTS OF ALL KINDS.

We are bound to clean out all our Remnants at some price. If you are looking for Good Good at low prices this is your opportunity. We know we can save you lots of money during our big Remnant Sale.

Butter and Eggs Wanted.

W. A. FAIRWEATHER.

See last week's Paper for Sale Prices which closes Sat., June 16, 1900.

LAING & JANES.

PURE Paris Green AND London Purple AT BOND'S DRUG STORE.

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 Hearses always in readiness. Branch offices: Argyle, J. McPhail; Gageton, D. Ashmore. Office opposite Opera House. A. A. McKENZIE, Cass City.

Ground to Let. Four acres to let on shares to be planted with beans or potatoes. Apply at once to A. W. SEED. For Sale. House and lot nicely located. Enquire of HUGH W. SEED. Potatoes Wanted. at the Cass City Elevator on or before Monday, June 4th. FRUTCHY, McGEORGE & Co. 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 All kinds of rough and dressed lumber and shingles for sale. P. C. PURDY & SON, Gageton. 5-31-11 Am now prepared to furnish cream to private families. J. S. McNAIR 3-31-3

LIGHTNING LOUSE KILLER. ...IN... LIQUID AND POWDER. Now is the time to get rid of lice on live stock and poultry. Guaranteed.

WHAT IS THE SENSE of paying 50 and 57 cents a pound for condition powders 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.

T. H. FRITZ.

# CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

Dr. Parkhurst has gone to Paris. He ought to be able to pick up considerable rag-chewing material in that town.

The lighthouse at Corunna, Spain, is believed to be the oldest one now in use. It was erected during the reign of Trajan, and rebuilt in 1634.

America's corn kitchen is now in successful operation at the Paris exposition. Perhaps in time even the Parisians may be made to "acknowledge the corn."

London's old underground railway is to be revolutionized by the use of electric motors. This will answer the objection as to smoke often urged against the present system of underground transit in London.

The Supreme court of Massachusetts has recently decided that the druggists of Boston must not sell cigars or tobacco on Sunday. This is the outcome of a long contest waged against them by the retail cigar dealers who are not allowed to sell their goods on that day. When they were debarred from selling they naturally protested against the right of druggists to sell, and the fight which has been going on for years has resulted in their victory.

After two years of investigation in nearly all the principal cities of the United States industrial commission has completed a report on general labor laws which, it is understood, will recommend that labor laws be made uniform throughout the states. A digest of national and state labor legislation will be of great value to the industrial and political interests of the country, but when it comes to specific recommendations in favor of extending the labor laws of certain northern states, put upon the statute books for political purposes, to all the states of the union, the commission will be skating upon thin ice.

It is more than half a century since the Mexican war closed, and this may seem to be a rather late day to be delimiting the boundary between the two countries. The western half of the frontier is not a natural boundary, such as the Rio Grande supplies, and it was surveyed and marked by measurements between 1849 and 1856, but the monuments were few in number and not of permanent materials. The present international boundary commission, appointed in 1891, resurveyed this part of the boundary and marked it with many monuments consisting of hollow iron posts filled with concrete.

What is known as the Grand Army bill in pension legislation, provides that pensions shall not be refused to widows whose income does not exceed \$250 a year. The limit hitherto has been \$90 a year. Naturally a considerable increase in the roll of pensioners would take place at once. It is to be noted, too, that pensions to widows last longest. There was, for example, last June one survivor of the war of 1812 on the pension rolls, but there were 2,000 widows of veterans of that war still drawing pensions. The Spanish war and the war in the Philippines are likely to furnish a goodly number of claims for pensions, the number now being estimated at 25,000. With this increase and the extension of the scope of legislation, it does not appear that we have reached "bottom" in the pension business.

Telegrams to London papers continue to show the remarkable spread of the bubonic plague in at least a dozen parts of the world. Here is a summary: At Mauritius, two deaths, two fresh cases. In Bombay the epidemic has become serious and is spreading. In Calcutta the same condition exists. At Port Said there have been two deaths and the plague is spreading. At Teheran, Persia, since the outbreak of the plague, there have been 200 deaths, but the violence of the epidemic has been modified recently. In Manila from twenty to thirty deaths daily are reported. At Hongkong there have been fifty-two fresh cases in a fortnight, and ninety-eight deaths since the beginning of the year. At Melbourne two new cases are reported. At Sidney 188 cases and fifty-four deaths have been reported. The mayor is paying 12 cents a head for rats, which are believed to cause the spread of the disease. In Noumea, New Caledonia, the plague is raging, and there have been 233 deaths. At Brisbane there have been three cases; at Perth one death; Auckland the same. In Buenos Ayres the plague has been raging since the middle of March, and there have been forty deaths in two months.

Dr. Rudolf Amandus Philipp of Santiago de Chile is about to celebrate the seventieth anniversary of receiving his doctor's degree from Berlin university. Dr. Philipp is professor of botany in the Santiago university and director of the Natural History museum. He is 92 years of age, and attended Alexander von Humboldt's lectures when a student.

A woman "keeping up appearances" in society reminds you of a man thinking he is fooling people by combing his hair over the bald spot.

## FOR WOMEN AND HOME

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS.

**How to Dress the Little Girls—A Pretty Green and White Foulard—Frock of Pique—Our Cooking School—Household Hints.**

**A Hint from Paris.**  
Glaze silk is the most fashionable material for summer mantles. These are being made to throw about one's shoulders with a decollete evening gown. Pearl gray cloth makes an elegant wrap, heavily stitched bands being a feature of the trimming. Many of the mantles have a V-shaped front consisting of fluffy ruffles of chiffon or deep flutings of chiffon and lace. A great deal of lace and feather trimming adds to the beauty of some of the mantles.

Glaze silk, veiled in white lace, or in beautiful luxuriant lace, are favorite combinations for parasols. The exquisite pastel shades make the parasols a thing of beauty. Some are ruffled throughout; some are lined with puffings of chiffon; others have the stripes of the goods running horizontally; some are of white chiffon trimmed with bands of black lace, others again are embroidered in Tambour stitching. Some of the handles are carved in designs of parrots and birds' heads, the long necks twisted into crooks. All up-to-date girls will this summer have a huge bow of ribbon on the handles of their parasols and the brighter the color the more chic.

### A Foulard Frock.



A pretty little green and white foulard frock for a thirteen years old lassie is presented in the picture. It is rather elaborately trimmed with heavy cream lace, edged with stitched bands of white taffeta. The hat is a leghorn having a corded silk crown, and is dressed with white roses and knots of black velvet ribbon.

### Housecleaning Hints.

To clean wall paper: Lay a sheet of thick blotting paper over the stain, and then press a hot iron over it. As soon as the blotting paper becomes

### FROCK OF PIQUE.



The very simplicity of the pretty pique frock shown recommends it for the wardrobe of a little girl. A chemise and sleeves of white muslin, white braid outlining bodices and belt and tiny pearl buttons down the front make it a charming study in blue and white.

greasy move it; bring a clean part over the stain, and then apply the iron again. Repeat this until the stain has quite disappeared.

For polishing furniture: One third linseed oil, one-third turpentine and one-third vinegar. The bottle must be shaken every time an application is made.

To be delivered from ants make a pyramid of crocks or other vessels containing sugar, bread, cakes, etc., with the lower one standing in water.

For washing carpets: Dissolve a box of any good washing powder in two gallons of boiling water; use as a soap when cold.

A sure exterminator for roaches is powdered borax.

The best remedy for bed bugs is blue ointment.

### To Clean Fine Lace.

Occasionally a piece of fancy work on the lace order does not show well enough to justify sacrificing its newness to the process of washing. If such work is laid away for a week in a heavy book between blue tissue paper, having had rubbed into the soiled places calcined magnesia or pipeclay, it will come out cleaned and brightened by the process. This is a good way to treat Battenberg and point lace work which has become dingy or yellow.

### COOKING SCHOOL.

#### French Eggs and Spinach.

Poach as many eggs as you may require and let them get cold. Then pour each egg, dip into a rich batter and fry a golden brown. Cook some spinach, press it through a sieve, re-heat it to the sauceman, add to it butter, pepper, salt and a squeeze of lemon juice, and make very hot. Place the spinach on a long dish in a mound, place the eggs in a row on this and pour round a good brown gravy.

#### Egg Pie.

Grease a pie dish, then break into it about half as many whole eggs as it will contain. They should be dropped in carefully, so as not to break the yolks. Then for each egg add a tablespoonful of cream and one teaspoonful of run butter. Season the whole with pepper, salt and chopped parsley, garlic, if it be liked. Cover the pie dish with a top crust, cut slits across it and bake at once in a sharp oven to a delicate brown.

#### Deviled Eggs.

Hard boil four eggs, and when cold remove the shells and cut them in halves, crush the yolks (in mortar, if you have one), with a teaspoonful of anchovy, the same of French mustard, and enough cayenne to make the mixture hot in flavor; add a piece of butter the size of a walnut, then refill the eggs with this paste, shaping it like a cone and cutting off the points of the whites to make the half eggs stand on the dish. Serve cold and garnish with cream and radishes.

#### Eggs à la Charlotte.

For this delicious dish is required three eggs, a gill of good white sauce, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, a pinch of thyme, salt, pepper, cayenne and nutmeg, buttered toast. Double this recipe for a large family.

Warm the sauce, beat the yolks of the eggs with the seasoning; beat the whites to a stiff froth, stir them to the yolks; add all to the sauce. Stir and cook gently for a minute or two. Spread the mixture carefully on some hot buttered toast; put in the oven to brown delicately and serve at once.

## TALMAGE'S SERMON.

### COMMON DUTIES AND REWARD THE SUBJECT

Addressed to the TOLLERS and STRUGGLERS on Life's Difficult Highway—A HEROES and HEROINES OF OUR TIMES—THE HEROES OF HEAVEN.

[Copyright, 1900, by Louis Klopsch.] Text, II Timothy II, 3, "Thou therefore endure hardness."

Historians are not slow to acknowledge the merits of great military chieftains. We have the full length portraits of the Cromwells, the Washingtons, the Napoleons and the Wellingtons of the world. History is not written in black ink, but red ink of human blood. The gods of human ambition do not drink from bowls made out of silver or gold or precious stones, but out of the bleached skulls of the fallen. But I am now to unroll before you a scroll of heroes that the world has never acknowledged—those who faced no guns, blew no bugle blast, conquered no cities, chained no captives to their chariot wheels and yet in the great day of eternity will stand higher than some of those whose names startled the nations, and seraph and rapt spirit and archangel will tell their deeds to a listening universe. I mean the heroes of common, everyday life.

In this roll, in the first place, I find all the heroes of the sickroom. When Satan had failed to overcome Job, he said to God, "Put forth thy hand and touch his bones and his flesh, and he will curse thee to thy face." Satan had found out that which we have all found out, that sickness is the greatest test of one's character. A man who can stand that can stand anything. To be shut in a room as fast as though it were a battle; to be so nervous you cannot endure the tap of a child's foot; to have luscious fruit, which tempts the appetite of the robust and healthy, excite our loathing and disgust when it first appears on the platter; to have the rapier of pain strike through the side or across the temples like a razor or to put the body into a vise or throw the whole into a blaze of fever, yet there have been men and women, but more women than men, who have cheerfully endured this hardness. Through years of exhausting rheumatism and excruciating neuralgias they have gone and through bodily distress that rasped the nerves and tore the muscles and paled the cheeks and stooped the shoulders. By the dim light of the sickroom taper they saw on their wall the picture of that land where the inhabitants are never sick. Through the dead silence of the night they heard the chorus of the angels.

#### Heroes in Sickness.

In this roll I also find the heroes of toil who do their work uncomplainingly. It is comparatively easy to lead a regiment into battle when you know that the whole nation will applaud the victory; it is comparatively easy to doctor the sick when you know that your skill will be appreciated by a large company of friends and relatives; it is comparatively easy to address an audience when in the gleaming eyes and the flushed cheeks you know that your sentiments are adopted. But to do sewing when you expect the employer will come and thrust his thumb through the work to show how imperfect it is or to have the whole garment thrown back on you, to be done over again; to build a wall and know there will be no one to say you did it well, but only a swearing employer howling across the scaffold; to work until your eyes are dim and your back aches and your heart faints, and to know that if you stop before night your children will starve—ah, the sword has not slain so many as the needle! The great battlefields of our civil war were not Gettysburg and Shiloh and South Mountain. The great battlefields were in the arsenals and in the shops and in the attics, where women made army jackets for a sixpence. They toiled on until they died. They had no funeral eulogium, but, in the name of my God, this day, I enroll their names among those of whom the world was not worthy. Heroes of the needle! Heroes of the sewing machine! Heroes of the attic! Heroes of the cellar! Heroes and heroines! Bless God for them!

#### Heroes of Domestic Injustice.

Society to-day is strewn with the wrecks of men who, under the north-east storm of domestic infelicity, have been driven on the rocks. There are tens of thousands of drunkards to-day, made such by their wives. That is not poetry; that is prose. But the wrong is generally in the opposite direction. You would not have to go far to find a wife whose life is a perpetual martyrdom—something heavier than a stroke of the fist, unkind words; staggering home at midnight and constant maltreatment, which have left her only a wreck of what she was on that day when in the midst of a brilliant assemblage the vows were taken, and full organ played the wedding march, and the carriage rolled away with the benediction of the people. What was the burning of Latimer and Ridley at the stake compared with this! Those men soon became unconscious in the fire, but there is a 30 years' martyrdom, a 50 years' putting to death, yet uncomplaining. No bitter words when the rollicking companions at 2 o'clock in the morning pitch the husband dead drunk into the front entry. No bitter words when wailing from the swollen brow the blood struck out in a midnight carousal. Bending over the battered and bruised form of him who

#### The Heroes of Heaven.

What harm can the world do you when the Lord Almighty with unsheathed sword fights for you? I preach this sermon for comfort. Go home to the place just where God has put you to play the hero or the heroine. Do not envy any man his money or his applause or his social position. Do not envy any woman her wardrobe or her exquisite appearance. Be the hero or the heroine. If there be no flour in the house and you do not

know where your children are to get bread, listen, and you will hear something tapping against the window pane. Go to the window and you will find it is the beak of a raven, and open the window, and there will fly in the messenger that fed Elijah. Do you think that the God who grows the cotton of the South will let you freeze for lack of clothes? Do you think that the God who allowed his disciples on Sabbath morning to go into the grain field and then take the grain and rub it in their hands and eat—do you think God will let you starve? Did you ever hear the experience of that old man, "I have been young and now am old, yet I have never seen the righteous forsaken or his seed begging bread." Get up out of your discouragement. O troubled soul, O sewing woman, O man kicked and cuffed by unjust employers. O ye who are hard beset in the battle of life and know not which way to turn, O ye bereft one, O ye sick one with complaints you have told to no one, and get the comfort of this subject. Listen to our great Captain's cheer: "To him that overcometh I will give to eat of the fruit of the tree of life which is in the midst of the paradise of God."

#### TEST BUTTER BY PHOTOGRAPH

Process by Which a Spurious Article Can Be Surely Detected.  
State Chemist J. A. Hummel has hit upon a new scheme which he thinks will surely bring the butterine dodgers to time. By a combination of nickel prisms, microscopes and a lensless camera with a sensitive plate, Mr. Hummel has developed a plan which must show the difference between butters and pseudo butters to every amateur eye at a moment's glance. Thus, it is hoped, the photographs will carry weight with a jury where chemical formulae failed. When asked to explain the process of examination by photographic methods Mr. Hummel said: "The simple fact to be considered is that pure butter as made in the dairies or at the creamery contains only amorphous fat. Any heating process such as is followed in renovation and running in of milk immediately generates fat crystals. In the oleomargarine the crystals from the meat fats added to cotton seed oil are very thick. Now, all we need to do is to place a sample of suspected butter in a glass slide, and then under the microscope. We put one prism above and one below in such a way that the light rays cannot pass through, according to a law of physics. Now we push the tube of a camera directly over the head of the microscope and insert a plate at the other end. No direct light, you see, can pass through—that is, as long as these two prisms are properly placed. But, according to the laws of light, as soon as we get a third prism such as a crystal, which, you know, is of prismatic shape, the light again finds its way through. Consequently, if the butter is free from crystals no direct rays and only a dull translucent light will pass through, while otherwise bright and dark spots will come together and form the peculiarly shaped picture you see in the oleomargarine sample. The proof is simple, absolute and convincing.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

#### MIND OVER MATTER.

In This Instance It Failed to Bring About Any Results.  
"I suppose it was wrong," said a well-known member of the Detroit bar with a grin, "but I couldn't afford to let the opportunity pass. My wife has become a convert to the mind cure fad, and for the last month I have heard nothing but the power of mind over matter. I said little, hoping that she would soon tire of it and drop it. But I was doomed to disappointment, for the longer she harped on it the worse she became. This morning she discovered that a water pipe was leaking, and she went to it with that universal woman's tool, a hairpin, with the result that she only made the hole larger and caused a small jet of water to be shot into the room. Clapping a finger over the hole to stop the flow of water, she called loudly for me, and when I appeared on the scene I took the situation in at a glance. 'What is the matter, my dear?' I asked. 'There is a hole in the pipe!' she gasped, 'get a plug while I hold the water back.' 'There is no leak here if you will only think so,' said I, soothingly. 'Put your mind on it and remove your finger.' 'John Henry' she began, but at that moment her finger slipped and a jet of water hit her in the eye, and the valuable remarks that she was about to make were lost for all time. 'John,' she snapped, 'can't you see that the wall paper will be ruined if I let go?' 'Well, my dear,' said I, ignoring her question, 'it is time I was going down town, besides I am afraid that if I remain here I may interfere with the calm, reposeful working of your mind. Convince yourself, my dear, that there is no leak and remove your finger.' With that I left her. I took the precaution, however, to send up a plumber; but from what I heard when I left I am afraid her mind was far from being in a reposeful mood.—Detroit Free Press.

#### The Postal Card Fad.

The postal card fad, which is so virulent in Europe to-day, has not yet reached this country, and the indications are that it will never amount to the craze here that it has already become abroad. All sorts of views can already be had, and there is scarcely a noted spot in the country, from Niagara Falls to Mammoth Cave, which has not been reproduced on the cards available here. But the demand for them continues slight.—New York Sun.

## AN ORIENTAL COLLEGE

### TURKISH CAPITAL HAS ONE FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

Splendid Work of the American College at Constantinople—It Was Started in 1871—Run by Christians but Makes No Converts.

In Constantinople, just at the point where the continents of Europe and Asia join, is a neutral spot where Armenian and Turk, Bulgarian and Greek and many other nationalities drop all feeling of difference and meet on common ground, speaking English as their language, as I protected by the laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, for here is situated the American college for girls. It stands on an eminence about a mile back from the sea, overlooking the wonderfully blue waters of the Marmora and the Bosphorus and surrounded by a garden overrun with roses. The young women who are educated there represent at present fourteen different nationalities, and come from Russia, Roumania and Bulgaria on the north, from the west as far as Italy, from all parts of Turkey and the islands of the Mediterranean, from Syria and Egypt on the south, and these true daughters of Eve, hungering still for the fruits of knowledge, come from the east as far as the Garden of Eden—from the Tigris and the Euphrates. Over half the graduates enter the profession of teaching, and many of them give instruction in the harems, where there is a growing demand for education. Although English is the tongue of the school, each student is required to study the grammar, rhetoric and literature of her own language. Many of them are not only familiar with English, but with French, German, Persian, Arabian and other Oriental tongues. The beginning of the college dates back to 1871, when the Woman's Board of Missions established a high school. The college is an outgrowth of this. The corporation in which the rights of the college are vested, as well as the board of trustees, is entirely composed of women. While the college is non-sectarian and there is absolutely no attempt made to proselyte, there is a strong Christian influence exerted. It is a curious fact that in the thirty years of its work not one Islam woman has

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### High School Girls Strike.

Morrisstown, N. J., special to Philadelphia North American: A novel strike has been threatened here. The smallest class that will ever have graduated from the high school will be that of 1900, consisting of Misses Olive King, Elizabeth Smart, Lillian Bennett, Olive Williams and Evelyn Bennett. On commencement day it has always been customary for the graduates to hold public exercises, sending out special invitations to their friends. Miss Lavina Conklin, vice principal of the school, has informed this year's graduates that, owing to their small number, there would be no formal exercises, but simply a lecture. This has made the girls indignant, and they have announced that they will stay away and refuse diplomas unless exercises are held as usual.

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The ceremonies attending the coming of age of the Crown Prince of Germany, when he took the oath to the colors, were very impressive. Indeed, rarely has Germany seen a more imposing sight in the chapel, which was thronged with royalty and foreign notabilities. Ambassador White repeated the substance of President McKinley's message, whereupon the emperor responded, thanking him for President McKinley's interest in the crown prince. After the congratulatory reception which followed the ceremonial in the chapel the crown prince shook hands in turn with the various ambassadors and addressed a fitting remark to each.

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There has been shipped from Berlin, Germany, a magnificent monument to Thomas Jefferson, intended for Louisville. Moses Ezekiel, a lumberman, is the sculptor. The casting was made at Friedrichshagen by Gladenbeck. The monument is said to be extremely beautiful. Jefferson is represented at the age of 32 bearing the Declaration of Independence in his hand and standing upon the Liberty



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been turned from her own faith. The president of the college is Dr. Mary Mills Patrick. She is enthusiastic in the work of education and believes that its future influence is destined to be great.

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**A SENATOR'S LETTER.**

**Peruna as a Nerve and Catharrh Tonic and the Talk of the World.**



Hon. W. V. Sullivan, U. S. Senator from Mississippi.

Hon. W. V. Sullivan, United States Senator from Mississippi, in a letter recently written to Dr. Hartman from Oxford, Miss., says the following: "For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its most insidious stage, so much so that I became alarmed as to my general health. But, hearing of Peruna as a good remedy, I gave it a fair trial and soon began to improve. Its effects were distinctly beneficial, removing the annoying symptoms, and was particularly good as a tonic. "I take pleasure in recommending your great national catharrh cure, Peruna, as the best I have ever tried." "W. V. Sullivan."

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**Couldn't Lose Her.** Green—I see your daughter was married last week. I suppose you "gave her away," as the saying is? Brown—Yes, I did; but she's come back to me again. Green—What! She hasn't left her husband already? Brown—Oh, no; she brought him with her.—Philadelphia Press.

**Blinder Twine at Low Prices.** If you want a special inside price on blinder twine, either Sisal, Standard or Manila, cut this notice out and mail to SEARS, ROEBUCK & Co. (Blinder Twine Department), Chicago, stating about how much twine you will require and how soon you will want it, and they will save you money by quoting you a price that will either secure your order or compel the party who supplies you to sell you at a lower price than he otherwise would.

**Thousands Go to Cape Nome.** It is reported that since the opening of the Nome rush, including Monday's sailing, forty-seven craft have left Seattle for the north, carrying certified lists of passengers amounting to 7,216. Five steamers are yet to go in the initial rush.

**Ladies Can Wear Shoes.** One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoes easy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. All druggists and shoe stores. 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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**The Making of a Hero**

Perhaps it would never have happened had a comrade given him a word of encouragement. But the men were too intent on the grim work before them, so, in the hall of lead, when Private Cory dropped to the ground it was generally understood that a bullet had knocked him over. Such, however, was not the case, as the ambulance corps, following in the rear, soon discovered. He had merely fainted from fright.

The doctor turned over the shivering bit of humanity to look for the wound, found none, and smiled. Cases of this kind were not unknown to him. "Poor fellow," he murmured. "Let him remain with the rest."

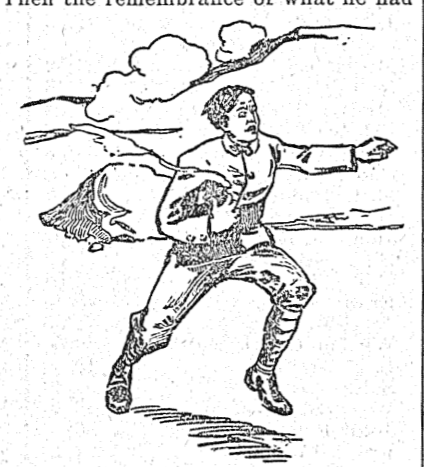
"No, he is not hurt at all," he said to one of his assistants. "His wound will come afterwards when he recovers from that faint, and God help him, then. There is no bullet wound that will give him the agony that is before him."

"Shall I throw a bucket of water over him, sir?" asked a man with a blood-stained bandage around his head, but sufficient of his face left uncovered to show his intense disgust at his comrade.

"No, you must not disturb him," was the curt answer, and he turned to give his attention to the burdens which the stretchers were now quickly depositing in the improvised hospital.

"Poor lad," he mused, as he bent over his work, "I must give him a word of encouragement when he comes round."

But when, later on, Private Cory staggered to his feet, the kindly doctor was too busy to notice him. He looked wonderingly around the tent. Then the remembrance of what he had



**A MOMENT OF TERROR.** done seemed to rise up and strike him full in the face. He sank down again with a choking sob. He clutched the earth with his hands, as men do when struck down in battle with a mortal wound. It was a burning hot day—the wounded were suffering terribly from the intense heat—but he shivered with cold. Outside the shells were screaming, while now and again came the subdued but harsh growl of the smaller arms. It seemed as if a thousand voices were shouting at him and reproaching him for his cowardice. Then a human voice joined in the wild orchestra.

"You bloomin' cur. Call yourself a man?"

It was the stern sergeant of his company, who had been brought in wounded in three places before he had given up. His face was gray with the pain he was enduring, but he must needs give vent to his disgust at such pusillanimity. A contemptuous smile played about his bloodless lips.

"I call it gettin' money under false pretenses. You're clothed and stuffed with the best of everything the country can send out, includin' a briar pipe and baccy, and then yer go and—Pah!" and he broke off. "I couldn't hev believed it of 'any man in the whole bloomin' company."

He stopped because the pain of his wounds became so great, and he bit hard the piece of Cavendish he had in his mouth to stifle a groan, but other men took up the cue.

No agony of the battlefield could equal what Private Cory was now enduring. He quivered as if acted upon by some powerful electric current, but he made no answer to their taunts, and continued to lie with his face turned toward the ground. He tried to reconstruct the wreck of his manhood, but his brain was still in a whirl, and those shrieking shells outside still seemed to be telling the world that he was a miserable coward.

A man was handing round some broth. He had been hours without food, and the savory odor caused a craving hunger to take possession of him. A pannikin full was being passed, from which men took a drink, their expectant comrades looking on with eager, wistful eyes. Cory raised his head, hoping his turn had come, but he was immediately greeted with a storm of curses that caused him to drop it again. Fool that he was to expect it. He might have known.

At that moment the doctor came up. "Give Cory some of that soup. Hold up, my lad," he said, not unkindly; "you may make a soldier yet. Drink this," and he handed him the tin vessel.

"He is a broth of a boy," shouted a man, and this poor joke was greeted with laughter even by those who knew they had but a few hours to live.

Cory sat up. The soup seemed to put life into him, and he ceased to shiver. He was barely out of his teens, but his face, in its ashy grayness, looked more like that of a man who had passed his prime.

"Feelin' a bit better now?" began the sergeant.

"He'll run for it as soon as he's able," remarked the other. "Whew! listen!" he broke off, as a shell exploded just outside. "They seem to have got the range of us now. Nice

Christians, these Boers, firing on the Red Cross."

For a few seconds there was silence as the men realized their danger. The angry growl of the quick-firers was every now and then punctuated by the long, deep-throated baying of the Boers' Long Tom.

"They are aiming at us, by God!" shouted a man, running into the tent with his right arm hanging helpless by his side.

Immediately there was a violent concussion; the air was filled with dust, smoke, and a pungent smell, and the end of the tent lit up with a tongue of flame. In an instant three or four men sprang forward and the fire was extinguished.

"The devils are firing at us," cried the sergeant. "The next shot will count a bit if I am not mistaken."

Scarcely were the words out of his mouth when a huge rent suddenly opened in the canvas, and a shell dropped right in the middle of the tent. The wounded ducked under their coverings, as if they would bury themselves beneath the ground. The doctor, with another, rushed forward; but Private Cory was before them.

"Not you, doctor!" he shouted, as he seized the bomb.

"Quick, my man! Into the bucket with it!" said the doctor. "No! There's no water! My God—"

But Cory had dashed through the opening and was running like a hare. They were all dumfounded for a moment. Then a cheer broke from them when they realized what he was doing—a cheer in which dying men joined.

"Throw it away! Now! Throw it!" yelled the doctor after him.

Still he ran. The music of what he knew was their applause rang in his ears. Nothing had ever sounded so sweet to him. He smiled. It reminded him faintly of his achievements in the football field, when the crowd roared their approval. The ball he carried now was heavier, but the applause—only he knew what it meant to him, and he clutched the destructive missile like a child hugging a doll. He felt inclined to kiss it. If he lived he would be a man and a comrade again. If not—but he ran on.

Some one has wisely said that it requires often but the turn of a straw to make a coward a hero, or a hero a coward. Cory was now a man again. The paralysis of panic that had seized him a few hours ago and had frozen his heart existed now only as a hideous dream. Another ten yards—he was quite fifty from the tent. He heard them urging him to throw it. A few yards more, then with a tremendous effort he hurled it from him. Instantly there was an explosion, and Cory fell on his face.

"Poor chap! He is done for, I doubt," said the doctor, as a several feet forward, followed by a number of wounded, who limped in pain.

They knelt by his poor shattered body. The sergeant, his old tormentor, regardless of his own wounds, had been among the first who rushed to his assistance.

Cory raised the only hand left him, which the N. C. O. clasped murmuring something about forgiveness. A smile of exultation played about his comrade's face for a moment, then the film of death gathered over his eyes. He tried to speak, but no words came in obedience to the moving of his lips, for his soul had taken its flight to that land where brave spirits are at rest.—Mainly About People.

**The Dawes Mare.** The Pittsfield (Massachusetts) Journal reports a remarkable instance of animal sagacity. As the instance occurred in a well-known locality and is vouched for by local authorities, it must be accepted as true. The story concerns an old mare, formerly the property of ex-Senator Dawes, but now belonging to a stable in Pittsfield. The "Dawes mare," as she is called, is used on the station baggage wagon. One icy day recently the old mare fell twice in the course of the forenoon's work. At noon she was unharnessed and sent to the stall for her feed. She is never hitched. At one o'clock, when it was time for another trip to the station, she was not in the stable, and no trace of her was found until about three o'clock, when she walked in unattended, and took her place in the stall, as if nothing had happened. Then it was noticed that she had been newly shod. It was quickly disclosed the fact that the sagacious mare, after eating her dinner, had gone to the blacksmith shop and waited her turn. Supposing that some stable hand had sent her in there, the blacksmith sharp-shod her. The name of the Dawes mare deserves a place in the annals of equine intelligence as that of a horse who knew what to do and did it.—Youth's Companion.

**The Way of the Transgressor.** The lot of the discharged prisoner is still anything but a happy one. Here is Samuel Seely, released from the Brooklyn penitentiary after having served a five years' sentence for embezzlement, coming forth with just \$5 in his pocket, given to him by the penitentiary authorities, and finding his former wife divorced and remarried and his son with another name, which the courts have permitted him to take to hide his shame. This leaves the discharged prisoner all alone in the world, and with the fates against him.—Boston Herald.

**Rather Confusing.** Bilkins—There comes Jinks. He's a hateful fellow.  
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**Shopping in Scotland.** The Scotch have their own idea of a "bargain day," and their view is not without a touch of shrewdness. A London paper describes a conversation between an English matron and Mr. Angus McIver. "I suppose, Mr. McIver," said she, "that they have bargain days in Glasgow?" "Ma conscience, no! It was na do ava!" "indeed!" replied the lady. "Why, I thought bargain days would just suit your people!" "Weel," said he, "that's just it. It wad suit them over wae. If they had bargain days, naeboddy wad buy anything on the ither days, ye ken!"

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for whom it is done. My prices are reasonable.  
No charge for examination. Office over Fritz's  
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Terms reasonable. Arrangements can be made  
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## Societies.

**I. O. F.**  
COURT ELKLAND, No. 823, I. O. F., meets on  
second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at 7:30 p. m.  
in their hall in the Campbell block, at 7:30 p. m.  
Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

**I. O. F.**  
CASS CITY LODGE, No. 233, meets  
every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.  
Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

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

## Church Directory.

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

**EVANGELICAL**—Services begin with Sunday  
school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30  
a. m. and 7:30 p. m. F. A. meeting 5:30 p. m.  
English services every Sunday evening. All are  
invited. Rev. F. KLUM, Pastor.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**—Preaching services  
at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Class  
meetings follow morning services. Sunday school  
at 12 p. m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth  
League at 6:30 p. m. Traversing meeting at 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday evening. Rev. C. H. MORAN, Pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Sunday preaching services,  
10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at  
12 p. m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Y. P. C. E. S. C. E.  
at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening  
at 7:30. Rev. A. TORRETT, Pastor.

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Loans Money on approved  
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In Partial Payment Terms if  
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**GOING WEST:**  
Leaves Cass City, - 6 A. M.  
Arrives at Caro, - 9 "

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Leaves Caro, - 1:30 P. M.  
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**FARE**—One way, \$1.00, round trip  
\$1.50. Good rigs always in readiness.  
Commercial men a specialty.

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**OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH  
HYPOPHOSPHITES**

should always be kept in  
the house for the fol-  
lowing reasons:

**FIRST**—Because, if any member  
of the family has a hard cold, it  
will cure it.

**SECOND**—Because, if the chil-  
dren are delicate and sickly, it will  
make them strong and well.

**THIRD**—Because, if the father or  
mother is losing flesh and becoming  
thin and emaciated, it will build  
them up and give them flesh and  
strength.

**FOURTH**—Because it is the  
standard remedy in all throat and  
lung affections.

No household should be without it.  
It can be taken in summer as well  
as in winter.

Prepared and Bottled by  
**SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.**

## DEFORD.

A new Rev.

Bad roads.

Too much moisture.

Brisk traffic in the burg.

John Retherford, of Detroit, spent  
three days among us.

School closed in district No. 6,  
Kingston, June 1st.

The feeble minded had a dance at  
the house of George O'Rourke on the  
last night of May.

A large acreage of beans is being  
planted here. Much of them contract  
stuff.

B. Sharp will move into one of the  
Retherford houses and build a new  
domicile this season.

Cut worms are plenty. Look out  
for the corn.

A. Bruce is the only store keeper  
that has a wagon on the road in this  
neck of woods.

Not long since an ex-township  
treasurer was telling how the berth of  
a dog warden was a low business. A  
bystander reminded him that he had  
done the same business not a decade  
ago. Oh, yes, he said, but it was not  
collecting on just dogs. No, said the  
other, it was dog, cow, and hog, and I  
remember you were so greedy for the  
dollar on the dog that you took a  
man's oow till the tax was paid which  
was certainly crushing the poor more  
than killing his dog. The ex-T's eyes  
opened with a new light that showed  
he will look on a dog warden same as  
any other man hereafter.

In giving the Memorial day address  
delivered by Rev. Torbett, which was  
very choice indeed, both the ENTER-  
PRISE and Chronicle left out an im-  
portant point made by the speaker.

We have passed the time when we  
believe that a weak nation on the  
right side will win over a poor nation  
on the wrong side. This admission of  
Presbyterian attracted our notice.

Napoleon said the Lord is on the side  
of the strongest battalion and for that  
reason he has been criticised by the  
christian world. But Mr. Torbet  
seems to move rather on the intellec-  
tual than the marvelous plan.

**THE FARMER'S BEST FRIEND IS  
THE HORSE.** The horse's best friend is  
Holden's 45-Hour Condition Powder.  
It is the best on the market and you  
get 2 pounds for 25 cents.

**Are You With us?**  
Do you feel just finer than anybody  
all the time? If you take Dr. Caldwell's  
Syrup Pepsin you may feel good the year  
round. It is guaranteed to cure consti-  
pation, indigestion and all stomach and  
bowel troubles. \$1.50 or 10c size. Bond,  
Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston, will  
tell you all about it.

## ALBIEH.

Plowing for sugar beets is the order  
of the day.

Several from this place attended  
memorial exercises at Caro.

Mrs. Wm. Montague and Mrs. Adie  
visited in Caro on the 29th.

Chas. Bills and wife spent Sunday  
with Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty.

Renn Montague, of Greenleaf, Sanilac  
county, visited his brother, Will,  
of this place on Thursday and Friday.

Horneo Montague, father of Charles  
and James Montague, who has been  
confined to the house for the past four  
or five years, died on May 30th, and  
was buried June 1.

Miss Hattie Boss, of Caro, returned  
missionary from India, spoke to a large  
audience on Sunday at the brick  
school house, two miles west of Caro.  
Subject:—"Starving India."

Unless food is digested quickly it will  
ferment and irritate the stomach. After  
each meal take a teaspoonful of Kodol  
Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat  
and will allow you to eat all you need  
of what you like. It never fails to cure  
the worst case of dyspepsia. It is  
pleasant to take. Bond's drug store.

## SHABBONA.

John L. McDonald has purchased a  
new binder.

Richard Parr made a trip to Bad  
Axe last week.

District No. 7, closed last Friday but  
did not have exercises.

Samuel Copp, of Uby, made a busi-  
ness trip to our town last week.

Mrs. E. W. Turner is visiting her  
mother in Deckerville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermott visit-  
ed at the latter's parental home last  
Saturday and Sunday.

D. McDonald has his well completed  
at the depth of 93 feet with 81 feet of  
water and good quality.

Charles Hartsell has his barn up  
and completed since we last wrote.  
The Monroe Bros. did the work.

Children's Day will be observed next  
Sunday in the M. E. Church here at  
the hour of one o'clock with a good  
program.

At the Canboro contest last week  
Mrs. James Hartsell won the first prize;  
three others contested, one from No-  
vesta, one from Kingston and one from  
Canboro, that speaks well for our  
League in Grant.

School district, No. 6, closed last  
Friday a very successful term by Miss  
Boman, of Popple, with a picnic in E.  
Reader's woods. Four of the children  
made two grades and a good number  
one while Miss Hattie Parr and Well-  
ington J. McDonald received their  
diplomas. Miss Boman was presented  
with a handsome Bible by her pupils,  
and the officers re-engaged her which  
speaks well for her.

**A Noted Doctor**  
Once said "most women lose their fresh-  
ness and good looks much earlier in life  
than necessary because of indigestion to  
nature's requirements. Because of their  
peculiar habits all should make a prac-  
tice of using some simple laxative."

There is no laxative so simple, so plas-  
tant to take and yet so potent as Dr.  
Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Get a 10c bot-  
(10 doses 10c.) at Bond's Drug Store,  
Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

**A Wealth of Beauty**  
Is often hidden by unsightly pimples,  
Eczema, Tetter, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum,  
etc. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will glorify  
the face by curing all skin eruptions,  
also Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Polyps,  
Ulcers, and worst forms of Piles. Only  
25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by  
T. H. Fritz, druggist.

## CEDAR RUN.

Bean planting is in progress this  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Webster visited in  
Denmark on Sunday.

Miss Florence Booth, of Detroit, is  
visiting at Robt Spaven's at present.

Miss Mable Baxter, of Greenleaf, vis-  
ited at R. Webster's Sunday.

Will Ware visited his sisters at Ox-  
ford last week.

Mrs. Henry Dodge was called to De-  
troit Saturday by the serious illness of  
her father.

Milo Ware and family, of Grant, vis-  
ited his brother and sister here on  
Sunday.

J. Waidley has faith in beans, plant-  
ing nearly 40 acres this year.

J. Spitzer is having his well put  
deeper. Clyde King is doing the work.

Geo. Leach is working for Clyde  
King in the well business.

O. A. Henderson has his beets plant-  
ed.

John Hayes Jr., has a new carriage  
having made a trade with Thos. Leach.

Gas. Wilson and family visited at  
Chas. Hammonds on Sunday.

## TO INSURE PURE BLOOD

Keep the Kidneys and Liver  
Healthy, Active and Vigor-  
ous 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 ex-  
hausted, and there are backaches, side-  
aches, headaches, and pains in the  
shoulders and limbs. Digestion is de-  
ranged, and the languid, exhausted feel-  
ings 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. Maury, Scottsville, N.  
C., writes: "Liver complaint and im-  
pure 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 consti-  
pation, 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.

## Shabbona.

The Lady Maccabees served ice  
Cream Saturday evening.

Miss Josephine Hurdle is sewing for  
Mrs. John Proctor this week.

Mrs. W. F. Ehlers and Miss Mary  
Keyworth are visiting in Detroit.

Children's day exercises will be held  
in the church at Shabbona, June 10th.

Little Harold Matthews is very sick.  
Drs. Byers and Footo are in atten-  
dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron from near  
Poretsville, were the guests of H. S.  
Wait last week.

Mesdames Gotham and Sharrard at-  
tended the meeting of the L. O. T. M.  
at Argyle last Thursday.

Married, at Sanilac Center May 31,  
Anson G. Proctor to Cora Hillman.  
We extend congratulations.

Dr. Truesdell and wife are spending  
a few weeks in Detroit and Lansing.  
They will be home June 16th.

Miss Ida Vanorman had a quilting  
and party on her eighteenth birthday,  
June 4th. Many returns of the day  
I da.

A son of Mr. Sheriff, south of Shab-  
bona, is home from Alpena with a very  
badly lacerated hand. The accident  
occurred in a saw mill.

Old Mr. Hoagg, father of Thos. Hoagg  
passed peacefully away Friday, June  
1st, in the 82nd year of his age. Rev.  
A. Torbett, of Cass City, preached the  
funeral sermon June 4th, in the M. E.  
Church.

Robert Coulter received the painful  
news Monday of the sudden death of  
his oldest daughter, Annie, Mrs. Jas.  
Brown, at Wolverine. Mrs. Brown  
was well and favorable known here  
and her untimely death has cast a  
gloom over the whole town. The  
family has the heartfelt sympathy of  
all in their bereavement.

## A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, in a type of Con-  
suetude. The power of this malady is  
felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain.  
But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe  
and certain cure. Best in the world for  
Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels.  
Only 25c at Fritz's drugstore.

## Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of  
Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four  
bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs.  
Brewer of scrofula, which has caused  
her great suffering. Terrible sores  
would break out on her head and face,  
and the best doctors could give no help;  
but her cure is complete and her health  
is excellent." This shows what thou-  
sands have proved—that Electric Bitters  
is the best blood purifier known. It's  
the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter,  
sant rheum, ulcers, boils and running  
sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and  
bowels, expels poison, helps digestion  
and builds up the strength. Only 50  
cents. Sold by T. H. Fritz, Druggist,  
Guaranteed.

## Karr's Corners.

Moses Karr lost a cow the other day.

The Gagetown high school re-opened  
on Monday.

Two more cases of fever is reported  
at Gagetown.

Mrs. Archie Karr visited at M.  
Karr's on Friday.

M. C. Tanner had a very sick cow  
the early part of the week.

Miss Mayme O'Brien visited Mr. and  
Mrs. Will Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Karr visited  
relatives at Caro on Sunday.

A little son comes to brighten the  
home of Rev. and Mrs. Nichols on  
Wednesday.

Jno. Marshall, the census taker of  
Elkland, was around in this vicinity  
on Monday.

Mr. McElDowney, of the Belknap  
farm, was a business caller at Geo.  
Bacon's on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Masters and  
children, of Cumber, visited at John  
Lemunyon's on Sunday.

Caleb Bacon, of Unionville, was the  
guest of his brother, Geo. Bacon, of  
this place, over Sunday.

Wm. Come's colt choked itself on  
oats Thursday night and he followed  
the farrier to M. C. Tanner's.

Geo. Charter has a rhubarb leaf  
weighing two pounds and is forty by  
thirty-eight by thirty-four inches.  
Who can beat it?

## A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia.,  
writing of his almost miraculous escape  
from death says: "Exposure after men-  
strual induced serious lung trouble which  
ended in consumption. I had frequent  
hemorrhages and coughed night and day.  
All my doctors said I must soon die.  
Then I began taking Dr. King's New  
Discovery which wholly cured me. Hun-  
dreds have used it on my advice and all  
say that it never fails to cure Throat,  
Chest and Lung Troubles." Regular  
size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at  
Fritz drug store.

There's no beauty in all the land,  
That can with her face compare.  
Her lips are red, her eyes are bright,  
She takes Rocky Mountain Tea at night.  
Ask your druggist.

## Real Estate FOR SALE.

80 ACRES in Novesta township, 30 acres clear-  
ed; small house; 2 miles from Deford; Price  
\$1,200; one-half down; balance on easy terms.

160 ACRES adjoining Cass City; one of the  
best farms in the Thumb. Offered for a  
limited time at \$15 per acre.

80 ACRES seven miles from Cass City; 40  
acres improved; good frame house, small  
stable. It goes for \$500.

40 ACRES, 25 cleared, 15 acres wheat, small  
frame house and stable, Grant township  
3 1/2 miles E. Will take part of heavy horses as  
part payment.

40 ACRES in section 8, Novesta, 3 miles from  
Cass city. Ten acres of green timber.  
Price \$320.

40 ACRES in section 7, Novesta, 3 miles from  
Cass city. Ten acres green timber.  
Price \$300.

60 acres in Freegreen township, 35 acres  
cleared 10 acres green timber. Good build-  
ings and only one mile from P. O. and church.  
Price reasonable.

80 ACRES, eight and one half miles from Cass  
City; good frame house, horse barn and  
genery; first class fence; two acres timber  
1 1/2 to 2 1/2. Would take village property in part  
payment.

There's no beauty in all the land,  
That can with her face compare.  
Her lips are red, her eyes are bright,  
She takes Rocky Mountain Tea at night.  
Ask your druggist.

## McKenzie & Co.

A real estate deal was consummated  
Monday which makes the old Caro  
House the property of Chas. Montague.  
The house has been vacant several  
weeks owing to the last tenant's re-  
fusal to stay in the place in its present  
condition. Mr. Montague gave \$2,500  
and a 100 acre farm near Cass City  
known as the thistle farm. It is the  
intention of the new owner to make  
extensive repairs and re-open the  
house at an early date.—Caro Adver-  
tiser.

## A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting  
obligations for what Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy has done for our family.  
We have used it in so many cases of  
coughs, lung troubles and whooping  
cough, and it has always given the most  
perfect satisfaction, we feel greatly in-  
debted to the manufacturers of this  
remedy and wish them to please accept  
our hearty thanks. Respectfully, Mrs.  
S. Doty, Des Moines, Iowa. For sale at  
Bond's drug store.

## CASS CITY BANK.

AUTEN & SEELEY, Props.

J. F. SEELEY, I. B. AUTEN,  
Caro, Mich. Cass City, Mich.

Established 1882.

## A General Banking Business Transacted.

Foreign Exchange Bought  
and Sold.

Drafts issued payable in any Country  
in the World.

Money loaned on Real Estate.

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Cashier.

## 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 pack-  
age. Demand the genuine.  
For Sale by all Druggists.

## Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

Artificially digests the food and aids  
Nature in strengthening and recon-  
structing the exhausted digestive or-  
gans. It is the latest discovered diges-  
tive and tonic. No other preparation  
can approach it in efficiency. It in-  
stantly relieves and permanently cures  
Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn,  
Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea,  
Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and  
all other results of impure digestion.  
Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

## ALL GOOD HOUSEWIVES wish to keep their houses and their clothing clean. They take a pardonable pride in having all dirt. They should have the best aids in so doing.

THE VERY BEST SOAP is the only  
Soap the prudent housewife can  
afford to use. Her Soap must be  
pure in quality, cleansing in power,  
and economical in service.

LET HER TRY only one bar of ATLAS  
SOAP, and she will be convinced  
of the fact that this is the ONLY  
SOAP SHE OUGHT TO USE. Be-  
cause—

ATLAS SOAP—The Earth's Best—is  
the greatest labor-saving and best  
Soap made for family use. It has  
all the essentials of Purity, Strength  
and Durability.

SO THAT it follows that if the prudent  
housewife uses one bar of ATLAS  
SOAP she will buy a box. Ask your  
grocer for it. TRY IT. Made by  
**HENRY PASSOLT, Saginaw, Mich.**

REMEMBER TO SAVE THE WRAPPERS  
AND GET PREMIUMS

## Helps for Garden Making.

Useful things for the kitchen.—We're known by our tools.—A keen edge at a keen price. All of these are found at our store.

## We are well Stocked

In the following lines and solicit your trade.



Poultry ting,  
Paints and Glass,  
Tinware and Graniteware,  
Screen Doors and Windows,  
Galvanized Iron Goos,  
Screen Wire,  
Wringers and Wash Tubs,  
Sprayers of all kinds.

**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

**Cass City Roller Mills.**

**C. W. HELLER, Prop**

My Stock of...

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE

For 1900 year business is now complete. Below I renumerate some desirable values.

### Dry Goods Dept.

Ingrain all wool Carpets..... 40 to 65c per yard  
Ingrain Cotton Carpets..... 25 to 40c  
Heavy Carpets..... 35 to 50c  
Velvet Exquisite and Tapestry Brussels at remarkably low prices.  
Carpet Trimmings..... \$1.00 to \$1.25 roll  
Oil Cloth Patterns, Oil Cloth and Oil Cloth Linoleum at low prices.  
**New Spring Styles**  
in Cloaks, Capes, Wrappers, Skirts and Ladies' Underwear.  
My prices on Wrappers..... 75c to \$1.00  
Skirts..... \$1.00 to \$3.00

### Shoe Department.

I have the celebrated Julia Marlowe Shoe, it fits the foot when all others fail.  
Men's Seamless Shoe..... \$2.00 to 2.50  
Men's Flow Shoe..... \$3.00 to 3.50  
Men's Rubber Boots with leather insoles. They sell at sight.

### Stove Department.

I have a few cast Cooking Stoves at the old price. Get them at once while they last.

I am selling the Best Steel Range. Price \$20 to \$50. No better value in the country. It has fire box, in right hand end of Stove and a moveable oven bottom. Two features that other steel ranges do not have. Two second hand cook stoves for sale.

### Hardware Dept.

Barb Wire, Smooth Wire, Woven Wire Fences, Poultry Netting, Ball Bearing Wringers, Asphalt Wall Churns, a new article; cream separators. And Rust Tinware and other articles too numerous to mention.

### Paint Department.

Prepared house paints, Davis' Varnish Stains, Excelsior Roof Paint, Paint for your Drags. Wall finish all colors.

### Mill Supply Dept.

All kinds of brass fittings, Asbestos and Soapstone Packings, Brass Injectors, Hose and Belting, Cylinder Oils, Etc.  
Sash and Door Department complete.  
I'm headquarters for Pumps, Pipe, Points and Windmills.  
Butter and Eggs wanted.

**J. L. HITCHCOCK.**  
Three Story Brick.

**LANDON, ENO & KEATING**  
MANUFACTURERS OF

Sash, Blinds, Doors, Flooring, Siding, Mouldings, Lath, Shingles, Etc. Bee supplies of all kinds.

**OUR SPECIAL STONE SILLS**  
For Windows and Doors.

Contracting and E. liding given prompt attention. Cass City, Mich.

High Grade.....

## BUGGIES AND WAGONS

at low prices. Do not fail to see them before you buy elsewhere.

## Horseshoeing a Special Feature.

All kinds of repair work given prompt attention. Give us your work and your orders for new goods.

**H. S. WICKWARE.**

## Council Proceedings.

Council Rooms, May 28th, 1900.  
Meeting of the village council of the village of Cass City. Present, Stevenson, Perkins, Crosby, Brotherton. Absent, Keating and Frutchey. Minutes of meeting May 21st, read and approved. Here Trustee Keating took his seat in the council. Moved by Trustee Brotherton and supported by Trustee Keating, that the report of committee on revising electric light rates be accepted and placed on file Motion carried.

The following resolution was then offered by Trustee Crosby and supported by Trustee Perkins:  
Be it resolved, by the village council of the village of Cass City, that from and after the 31st of May, A. D., 1900, the rate be charged by the village of Cass City for supplying its citizens with electricity for lighting purposes is hereby fixed at ten cents per each thousand watts provided however that the minimum rate to be paid by each subscriber or patron of the lighting system shall not be less than one dollar and twenty-five cents for each and every month such subscriber or patron is supplied with electricity by the village. Be it Resolved that the following flat rates take effect the 1st day of June, A. D. 1900.

Flat Rates—Stores, shops, mills, saloons, hotels, 1st floor and elevators as follows: First four lights 50c each per month. 5 to 9 lights inclusive 40c each per month. All over 9 lights, 35c. per month.

Lights left burning after closing hours 50c per month each extra.  
Flat Rates—Residences, halls, laundries and churches. First 5 lights 85c. per month. 5 to 10 inclusive 11c. each per month. All over 10 lights 10c. each per month.

Light rates based on 16 candle power. All lamps less than 16 candle power to be charged for as 16 candle. All bills payable at the office of the electric light and water commissioner. Bills not paid on or before the 10th of the month following service rendered. Five per cent will be added for collection and service discontinued. If the commissioner and electrician shall have access to premises at all reasonable hours.

Be it further resolved, that on and after the 31st day of May, A. D. 1900, all other lighting rates heretofore adopted by the village council shall be and the same is hereby abolished.

Resolution was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas—Stevenson, Perkins, Crosby, Keating and Brotherton.

Moved by Trustee Stevenson and supported by Trustee Keating that we accept the offer of three hundred and fifty dollars from the Deekerville council for engine, hose cart and hose. Motion carried. Moved by Trustee Stevenson and supported by Trustee Keating that the marshal be instructed to prohibit ball playing on Seegar Street and one block from Main Street on all other streets crossing Main Street. Motion carried.

Moved by Trustee Perkins and supported by Trustee Keating that a committee be instructed to confer with our local wagon maker to see about hose cart, also one for temporary use. Motion carried.

President appointed Brotherton, Keating and Perkins. Moved and supported to adjourn one week at the usual hour. Wm. H. HENBLEWHITE, Village Clerk.

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on first said it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a druggist and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50 cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends. F. A. Babcock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale at Bond's drug store.

Restores vim, vigor, mental and physical power, fills your body with warm, tingling life. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35c. Ask your druggist.

### Elmwood.

Mrs. O. Rosebrooke, of Gaylord, is visiting here.

John Hoy is engineer at Kelley Bro's mill on the Heart land.

The M. P. Ladies' Aid will meet at A. Ward's Wednesday, June 13th.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will meet at the residence of R. Spavin June 13th.

Misses Stella and Ida Compton and M. White attended decoration services at Gageton.

Ervin Medcalf and Effie Cross were married at Vassar last week and have gone to visit her mother at West Branch.

Rev. A. Scott will occupy the pulpit at Mayville June 10th, and Rev. Young, of Mayville, will fill his appointment at the Elmwood M. P. Church at 2:30 p. m.

E. R. Johnstone is home from Baltimore, where he has been teaching the past year. He has been engaged to teach the same school with an increase of salary for next term.

### It is Strange

that some people who say they never read patent medicine advertisements will be found lugging home every now and then a bottle of some favorite remedy of theirs. We don't bother you with much reading but just ask you to try a 10c trial bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, for constipation, indigestion and stomach troubles. 50c and \$1.00 sizes, at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Carro will celebrate the 4th of July this year.

## Canboro.

Geo. Rockwood now rides a bike. We are having plenty of rain at this writing.

Miss Claudie Brackenbury is on the sick list.

John Wetlaufer was a caller in Cass City Saturday.

Mrs. Ballantine is slowly improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Osborne were callers in Cass City Thursday.

An ice cream social is to be held in the Canboro Macabee Hall Tuesday evening, June 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson, of Bad Axe, have been visiting in this vicinity the past few days.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of Canboro, will meet at Mrs. Newton Caryle's, Thursday, June 14.

Mrs. Wm. Halleck and daughter, Anna, of Cass City, are visiting at her mother's Mrs. Lown.

George Rockwood, Clayton Dulmage and Henry Mellendorf wheeled to the Convention at Elkton last Wednesday evening.

Rev. W. D. King and wife and Mrs. Perry Parker attended the Sunday School Convention at Elkton Thursday, and report a fine time.

Mrs. Chas. Ricker and daughter, Stella, of Mt. Pleasant, Mich., have been visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ulysses Parker, the past week.

Would Not Suffer so Again for Fifty Times Its Price.

I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drugstore and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose fixed me all right. It certainly is the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my house hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price.—G. H. Wilson, Liverman, Burgettstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale at Bond's drug store.

Small in size and great in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills that cleanse the liver and bowels. They do not gripe. Bond's Drug Store.

### WICKWARE.

Fred Klyne was a caller at the Sackett residence Sunday.

Afternoon service was held by Rev. Rushbrook in Gospel Hall, one mile east of here.

Miss Myrtle Brown visited at her aunts, Mrs. Sabina Brown's Saturday and Sunday.

A large number in this vicinity attended the memorial exercises in Cass City, May 30th.

A large number attended the services in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening, though some arrived only in time to receive the benediction.

Geo. Gaffany, of Cass City, appeared in our midst on Monday. We are glad to welcome his smiling countenance in Wickware once more.

Tuesday evening a number of our young men were seen going south to attend the dance. As they returned about ten o'clock we conclude it must have been a "fizzle."

Misses Ida and Belle Burt left on Thursday for a visit with relatives in Memphis. We miss them from our midst and hope to soon welcome them again.

Last week news was received that Miss Millie Freshner was taken seriously sick at Silverwood, where she has been for the past few months. Mrs. Freshner is now taking care of her, and we are glad to state that she is improving.

### A Preacher's Trouble.

Albion, Wis., The Rev. J. N. VanNatter feels it his duty to tell what Dr. Chase's Ointment has done for him and his family, he says: "My wife was terribly afflicted with protruding piles and contemplated a surgical operation when my notice was drawn to Dr. Chase's Ointment and less than one box effected a complete cure. I then used it for an unsightly and troublesome skin affection which had baffled the best medical skill for 25 years. Dr. Chase's Ointment perfectly cured it. For piles and skin troubles, it is worth its weight in gold."

Thousands of sufferers are daily finding relief, why not you? Send stamps and we will send you a free sample box, of Dr. Chase's Ointment which is positively guaranteed to cure piles and all skin troubles, 50c, all druggists, or Dr. A. W. Chase Med. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

All who suffer from piles will be glad to learn that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will give them instant and permanent relief. It will cure eczema and all skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits, Bond's Drug Store.

Edgar L. Rathbun owns a large farm in Conway and has a large flock of fine sheep. He says that he has never had a sheep wounded or killed by dogs, and thinks that the reason for this is that most of the sheep wear small bells, which are the means of frightening the dogs and keeping them from molesting the sheep. Perhaps other farmers could profit by this experiment.—Vassar Pioneer.

The Chinese ask "how is your liver?" instead of "how do you do?" for when the liver is active the health is good. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills for the liver and bowels, Bond's Drug Store.

## Now is The Time

To have your Eyes Tested and fitted with SPECTACLES as it will help you in doing your

## Spring's work and Housecleaning



I have a fine line of the latest designs in Belt Buckles at 20c and 25c each.

Pulley Buckles 50 and 75c

Call and examine my stock before buying.  
Yours Truly,

**J. F. Hendrick**

## Cass City Woolen Mills

As the WOOL SEASON is now open I desire to inform the Public that I am better than ever prepared to do all kinds of

## Costume Work

in the best possible manner. Having added new clothing to my wool carding machine, I feel satisfied that all trusting their work in my hands this year will have EXTRA NO. 1 WORK. We also keep on hand a large stock of

## Woolen Goods

To trade for wool or sell cheap for cash. Thanking my patrons for past favors and soliciting your patronage in the future, I am  
Yours truly,

**James N. Dorman.**

## Whiffletrees, Eveners, Neck Yokes, Clevises,

All good material at Reduced Prices.

Let us do your

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## FRUITS OF ALL KINDS.

Our Store is the place to get Fruit Fresh, Dried and in Cans or Bottles.

## FRESH STRAWBERRIES

Daily express. Price will be down this week. Try our Cheese it is fine. Try our Bacon hard Pork.

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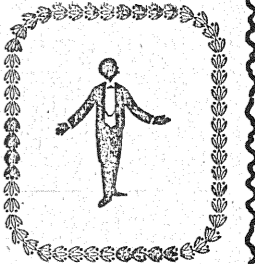
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**H. B. FAIRWEATHER**

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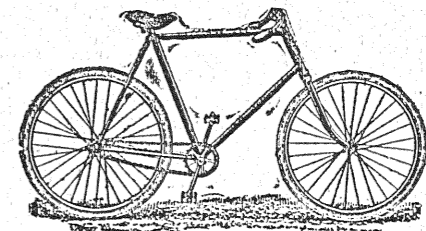
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Buttter and Eggs Wanted. Goods delivered in town.

**P. S. RICE.**

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To-day as there was a few years ago. When they were a new thing, the horses were afraid of them. If there should be anything about a wheel you do not understand

## COME RIGHT IN

And we will gladly explain. We do not want you to be afraid of it. We can be of great service to you in making a selection. Come in let me show you a

## National, Crescent, Yale, or Cavalier,

With a new two piece Hanger, 2 1/4 inch drop, internal expander, flush joints throughout, Indianapolis Chain, No. 1 Saddle and Pedals on honest machine for \$25  
Also have 7 second hand Wheels will sell at extremely low prices from \$8.50 to \$12.50 all in good running order. Complete line of Sundries Caps, Sweaters and Golf Hose, sold for cash or easy payments.

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All Kinds of

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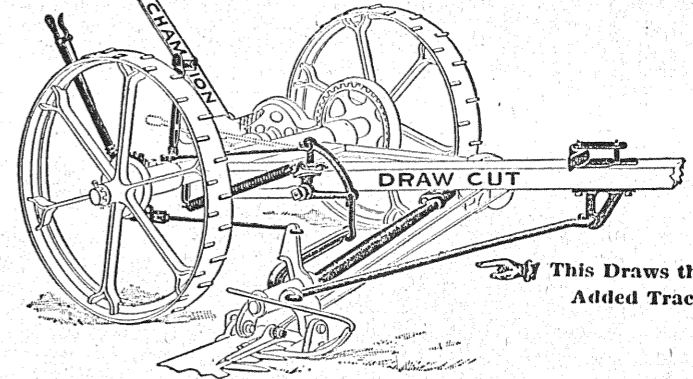
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THE WHEELS WILL NOT LIFT FROM THE GROUND. We carry Milwaukee, Champion and Osborne BINDERS and MOWERS.

Hay Rakes, Hay Tedders, Hay Loaders, Weeders and Cultivators, Buggies Road Wagons, Scrapers, etc. A full line of IMPERIAL and BEARD SPECIAL

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**J. H. STRIFFLER & CO.**

# COL. SUTTON'S FATE

## NOW RESTS WITH THE JURY—VERDICT HOURLY EXPECTED

The Case was Given to the Jury at 10 A. M., June 2.—Considerable Speculation is Manifested in the Now Celebrated Case—Other Items.

**Mrs. Sutton's Brother on the Stand.**  
The 20th was a rather slow day in the Sutton trial. It was expected that the rediret examination of Col. Sutton would be taken up, but this program was changed in order that witnesses who desired to return home could be examined.

Harry H. Williams, of Sodas, N. Y., Mrs. Sutton's brother, told of meeting Col. Sutton in New York on Oct. 6 last and taking with him a check of \$1,000 for a wedding present that had been promised Mrs. Sutton at the time of her marriage, but held until they got ready to build a home. He also testified that on this occasion he arranged for the purchase of two mortgages on Detroit property recently received by White and Marsh, and to let Col. Sutton have an interest of \$1,000 in these mortgages on condition that the latter deposit to his wife's credit the \$1,000 paid him that week by the Remington Arms Co. These two mortgages aggregated \$3,300, and it was arranged that Sutton should purchase them with the Tom Johnson money in his possession, Williams to advance the \$2,300 whenever Johnson wanted the money.

Mr. Williams was unable to produce the wedding check, saying that it had been destroyed, but he produced a stub for this check which was dated consecutively, and the witness admitted on cross-examination their place in the book was not conclusive of the day they were drawn. The Williams check for the \$3,300 money to be returned to Johnson was dated Jan. 6, and together with the letter transmitting it to Sutton were offered in evidence.

**Nearing the End in the Sutton Trial.**  
The trial of Col. Sutton will be concluded this week. The defense has practically all of its testimony in, and will occupy but a short time on the 29th. Prosecutor Tuttle says that he will have some testimony in rebuttal, but that it will be all in tomorrow. It will be necessary to adjourn over Memorial day, so the probability is that the arguments will commence on the 31st. It is expected they will last the greater part of three days. Judge Wiest says he will not hesitate to give the case to the jury any time on May 2. Col. Sutton's brother-in-law resumed the stand on the afternoon of the 28th, and told of accompanying Sutton to New York on Sept. 9.

**Sutton's Word Challenged.**  
The most important feature of the Sutton trial on the 29th was an attack made by the prosecution upon Sutton's credibility as a witness. Foreman Larned, of the grand jury before which Sutton testified last winter, declared under oath that Sutton gave testimony at that time which he has since declared under oath that he did not give. Two other members of the grand jury gave testimony of a similar nature.

One of the points in Sutton's testimony which the prosecution sought to disprove related to Sutton's alleged call on Woodworth, of the Henderson-Ames Co., at the Downey house in Lansing last winter. When questioned by the prosecutor recently Sutton denied that he had called on Woodworth. Foreman Larned testified on the 29th that Sutton told the grand jury that he did call on Woodworth at his room in the Downey house to inquire something about the clothing deal for White and Marsh.

The defense cross-questioned the grand jury witnesses severely, tried to show that their testimony was prepared at a recent meeting at which Judge Cahill was present, and that they had refreshed their memories from minutes of the grand jury sessions, which they did not know to be accurate. The replies of some of the jurors were stricken out.

Col. Sutton was cross-examined again for a short time on the morning of the 29th, but no important facts were brought out. Prosecutor Tuttle called several grand jurors in an effort to impeach Col. Sutton's story told at the present trial. The defense contested every point, but in the large majority of cases their objections were overruled by Judge Wiest. It was 4:20 o'clock in the afternoon when both sides announced that they had finished, and the taking of testimony was concluded after 58 witnesses had been called by the prosecution and 11 by the defense. The attorneys were consulted, and Judge Wiest stated that he would allow six hours to a side for argument, the time to be divided as the counsel saw fit. The arguments were commenced on the 31st, but whether the case is given to the jury before June 2 depends upon the time that the arguments are concluded.

**Arguments Commenced.**  
The arguments in the Sutton case began on the 31st. Prosecuting Attorney Tuttle occupying the entire morning session in opening for the people. He covered the case at great length, bringing out the facts that he claimed showed the defendant's guilt, and he also attacked Sutton's defense of various points. Assistant Corporation Counsel Joslyn opened for the defense in the afternoon and in an hour's time he presented a strong, concise argument, which was devoted largely to a refutation of the claims made by the prosecution. Capt. Atkinson also presented his argument for the defense, and among other things he charged the prosecution with being unfair.

An epidemic of measles is reported at Marine City.

### Lightning's Deadly Work.

Lightning struck the steambarge Albert Mitchell, building at Langell & Son's shipyard, at St. Clair on the morning of the 31st, killed three men and injured five others. The men had just commenced their day's work at the shipyards when the storm broke. The vessel was on the stocks all ready for launching on June 2nd. The bolt struck the mast. Campbell and Morrison were in the cabin and Medlar was under the boat. The bolt struck the top of the mast, broke it off 13 feet and then went down through and split the mast. It jumped to the texas roof, about two feet, went to the starboard side along the roof about 10 feet, tearing the roof and cabin, at which point it came in contact with and followed an iron rod running from the roof to the deck below, directly under which stood Morrison looking out of the window. It jumped from the rod and hit him in the back of the head, tearing a hole in his hat and fracturing the skull. Campbell stood about three feet from him, farther out. Part of the bolt struck him in the breast, tearing the skin off as large as a man's hand. It proceeded down inside his clothes and set them on fire.

**Fire at the Calumet & Hecla Mine.**  
Fire broke out at the 20th level in No. 2 shaft, Hecla branch, Calumet & Hecla mine, on the 27th. The shaft was promptly closed down, all the men escaping and a force of men were sent down in No. 3 shaft adjoining to putty up the doors with clay to prevent the fire from spreading. One of these parties, consisting of 12 men, fearing they would be overcome by the gas from the burning timber started for the ladders to save their lives. Will McRae fell behind and although Richard Martin started back for him he had to be left. The man barely crawled to the surface, where the chief medical staff of the Calumet & Hecla had been called to their assistance with oxygen apparatus. After a rescue party had gone down twice after the missing man he was brought up from the 9th level, where he was found hanging on a ladder. Physicians worked with him half an hour but he died.

### Break of Lightning.

During an electrical storm on the 31st Geo. Dunn's house at Sly, seven miles south of Midland, was wrecked by lightning. The bolt entering the bedroom of two boys, knocking the bed from under them, leaving the mattress and boys on the floor unharmed but setting fire to the quilts. It then entered the sitting room and broke the picture frames and glass. Then it went into Dunn's bedroom, setting fire to a partition, going into the kitchen where it splintered the rafters and set fire and threw dishes around. Finally it burst out of the house on all sides, carrying away sash and glass and breaking holes through the siding. Although there were six persons in the house, no one was injured. The house looks as if a dynamite explosion had occurred. Lightning struck several places in the city, but did no serious damage.

### The Rights of the Tax Commission.

An amicable suit will be commenced to test the right of the state tax commission to review local assessments. Atty.-Gen. Oren was at Lansing in consultation with the tax commissioners regarding this matter recently, and while the exact nature of the proceedings to be taken has not been decided upon, it is probably that the supreme court will be asked for a mandamus to compel the Grand Rapids assessors to correct the assessment as directed by the state commission. The Grand Rapids officials claim that this provision of the tax commission law is unconstitutional as the constitution places the duty of determining assessments upon the local officials. Commissioner Freeman says that this contention is sustained because the commission can do nothing but talk.

### Cyclone in Ionia County.

A cyclone struck the western part of the neighboring township of Sebawa, Ionia county on the 27th. It started in a swamp and soon the musk of the swamp was being carried high into the air, accompanied by everything else that was loose. The whirlwind gathered velocity and strength as it moved, and soon the column was 100 feet high and two rods or more wide. It swept everything in its path, tearing up rail fences and whirling them into the air. Haystacks were taken up bodily and moved long distances. Large stones were taken from the ground and hurled against buildings. An orchard on the farm of Norman Gibbs was ruined.

### Supreme Court on Sunday Ball.

The supreme court handed down an opinion on the 29th reversing the \$1,000 judgment for libel secured by ex-Sheriff Scougale, of Shiawassee county, against Rev. John Sweet, who criticized him over his own signature for permitting a game of ball to be played at Caledonia park, between Orwoso and Cornua, on Sunday. In disposing of the case the supreme court in a unanimous opinion, written by Justice Grant, says that ball playing on Sunday is prohibited by section 5912 of Miller's statutes, and is an offense against the public peace.

### Hanged Himself in Jail.

Carl Kobbe, a laborer, aged 58, of Detroit, committed suicide on the morning of the 28th in a cell in the county jail, where he had been confined since the 25th. Kobbe was arrested for non-support and when taken to jail he had been on a protracted spree, so he was put in the padded cell. He was getting along all right, and it was expected that he would be well in a day or two more.

Wheat in Calhoun county will not average more than five bushels to the acre.

### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Albion high school will have a graduating class of 50.  
One case of smallpox is reported at New Boston.

The business men of Mason will hold a street fair next fall.  
Morenci is talking water works, and has taken steps looking toward the installation of a plant.

Saginaw is raising a \$10,000 bonus necessary to secure the location of a \$75,000 plate glass factory in that city.  
Milan has let the contract for a new public school building to replace the one destroyed by fire recently. It will cost \$18,000.

The membership of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company of Calhoun county is 3,399, a gain of 107 during the past year.  
The Allegan township dog warden has collected the tax on 243 dogs, amounting to \$379, and has had to kill but 35 canines.

The 7th congressional district Republicans will hold their convention at Port Huron, June 30, to nominate a candidate for congress.

It has been definitely decided to locate a cement factory at Newaygo. The plant will be the largest in the United States. Work has already begun.

An additional letter carrier each will be allowed the postoffices at Pontiac and Lansing, beginning July 1, and one for the Flint office, beginning October 1.

The Converse Manufacturing Co. will open a plant in Benton Harbor on July 10, employing 100 men. The company manufactures heating boilers, radiators and registers.

Two rural free mail delivery routes have been ordered established at Jonesville, June 4. The combined length of which are 50 miles; area covered, 65 square miles; population served, 1,396.  
Building operations are booming so at the Soo this summer that it is difficult to secure a mechanic at any price, all of them having work enough laid out for themselves to keep them busy all summer.

Prof. Robt. Wiziards, a young author and composer, who went to St. Joseph several months ago from Kansas City, committed suicide in his studio there on the 26th by cutting the arteries in his wrists with a razor. No cause is assigned for the act.

An Albion paper says that blue racers, which have become quite rare of late years, are being seen in unusual numbers in that county this spring. Must be the people are going back to the old brand of booze which used to be popular years ago.

The state livestock sanitary commission has been notified to investigate cases of supposed glanders at Hillsdale. Local authorities pronounce the trouble glanders beyond doubt. The horses affected were on city delivery and in one of the local live stock yards.

Fruit land in Berrien county is selling at high figures. A 15-acre farm near Benton Harbor recently sold for \$500 per acre, and it is thought the peach crop this year will pay one-third of the purchase price, as the farm is especially adapted and set out to peaches.

This board of review has completed its work and the assessed valuation of real and personal property in Marshall has been increased \$589,372 over last year. There was an increase of \$544,802 in personal and \$44,470 in real property. The total valuation of the city is \$1,505,428.

A Kent county cat whose kittens were taken away from her and young rabbits substituted for them, has brought up the bunnies, although at first she showed a desire to eat them, and now she tries to coax little chicks into her basket, as if she wanted to try her hand, so to speak, at raising that species of young.

A woman about 45 years of age was instantly killed at 11:45 p. m., on the 27th, on the Jefferson avenue street car line near the Country Club, Groesbeek Pointe Farms. The "K. S. M." and it is believed that the unfortunate woman is Mrs. McLean, matron of the Leland hospital and sanitarium.

A Memphis man is in trouble because he forgot himself and swore when the assessor came around that he possessed no property whatever. The assessor found out that the man had shortly before gone on a liquor bond as surety in the sum of \$3,000, swearing that he owned property of that value, and now he proposes to have him prosecuted for perjury.

The heaviest electrical storm in years passed over Clio, on the 31st, lightning striking in several places. It struck A. E. Kelsey's residence, tearing the corner off, and jumped into the flowing well and tore the pipe to pieces and knocked the bottom out, drying it up. The electric light plant had a volt meter burned out and the small motor in the power house.

Since the saloons have been closed up at Ovid there has been considerable talk to the effect that the people of the village ought to do the fair thing by the hotel men in return for the latter's endeavors to run temperance houses. As a result the various societies have decided to abandon the custom of serving meals for the public on holidays, leaving the free feed for the hotel men.

The growth of wheat in Saginaw county seems to be uneven, but there have been no reports as yet of damage by bugs or flies. The wheat situation in that county is a little better than last year, when there was only half a crop average. At the present outlook, a 60 per cent crop is apparently what will be the outcome. Rain is easily needed. Farmers at present are busily engaged in putting in beans and buckwheat. On account of the high prices for beans a large acreage is being put in this year.  
Leslie is to have a brass band, which is now in process of organization.

# 'FRISCO QUARANTINED

## ON ACCOUNT OF THE PLAGUE IN A SUBURB.

Relief Troops Have Reached Koomasie According to Word Received at the London Colonial Office—Other Happenings of the Day Briefly Related.

**Cannot Live in the U. S.**  
James Fitzharris, alias "skin the goat," and Jos. Mullett, the Irish invincibles who were recently released from prison in Ireland where they were sentenced for complicity in the Phoenix park murders of 1882, were on the 27th excluded by the board of special inquiry at the immigration station in New York and ordered deported. The exclusion was made under the interpretation of the law which forbids anyone being admitted to this country who has been adjudged guilty of a "felony, crime, infamous crime or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude." The two men were recently pardoned by Earl Cadogan, lord lieutenant of Ireland, from a sentence of life imprisonment, and came to New York among the steerage passengers on the Luceania, arriving on the 26th. After a conference with Commissioner Fitchie the men were ordered back to Ellis island to await the action of the board of special inquiry.

### Relief Force has Reached Koomasie.

The London colonial office has received a dispatch from Cape Coast Castle dated May 31, saying it is believed there that Capt. Hall with a relief party, entered Koomasie, May 26. The governor, Sir Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, with the sick, wounded and refugees, was expected to arrive at Fumusu, May 30. Troops, it is added, have been concentrated at Fumusu to overcome any possible resistance by the rebels, who are reported to be to the north. If the report of the relief of Koomasie is correct, it greatly improves the military situation. It is understood that Capt. Hall has with him a force of 300 men and that altogether 3,000 men have been marching to the relief of the beleaguered town. The season is now in full swing and no punitive expedition can be successfully undertaken until the autumn.

### St. Louis Street Car Strike.

State Labor Commissioner Thomas P. Rixey on the 28th sent letters to President Edward Whitaker of the Transit Co. and Chairman T. B. Edwards of the strikers' grievance committee, St. Louis, Mo., citing them to certain sections of chapter 121 of the revised statutes of Missouri, and concluding: "In accordance with said law you are hereby required to suggest the names of two suitable persons to act as arbitrators, as provided in said section. Failing to comply with this request within 24 hours, I shall make the appointments as the law provides."

### 'Frisco to be Quarantined.

At a meeting of the board of supervisors of San Francisco, held on the 29th, and attended by the health officer, the Merchants' association and the board of trade and other interested citizens, a resolution was adopted empowering the board of health to quarantine Chinatown or any other infected section of the city and county. The resolution was passed by a vote of 15 to 1, the dissenting vote being cast by Supervisor McCarty, who stated in emphatic terms his belief that plague does not exist and never has existed in the city and county of San Francisco.

### Premature Explosion of Nitro-Glycerine.

Four men were killed at Whipple, a short distance east of Marietta, O., on the 31st, by a premature explosion of 50 quarts of nitro-glycerine which was being used in shooting an oil well on the Kelly farm. First reports gave a list of six killed, but only four were killed outright, and four others are dying, while three others are crippled for life. As everybody on the ground was either killed or injured, it is next to impossible to get a reliable description of the terrible explosion.

### Cholera in India.

The viceroy of India, Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, telegraphs that a good rain has fallen in Mysore and that scattered showers have fallen elsewhere. The cholera in many parts of Bombay and Rajputana has not abated, and is causing much mortality and impedes the relief work. There are now 5,730,000 persons in receipt of relief. In the Kaira district there have been 1,320 deaths in seven days.

### The Powers Fear Russia.

Twenty-three warships are now at Taku, nine Russians, three British, three German, three French, two American, two Japanese and one Italian. In addition to their crews the Russians have on board their warships 11,000 troops from Port Arthur, with field equipment. Fourteen thousand Russian troops are held in readiness at Port Arthur.

Fowlervillians ought not to have any difficulty keeping cool this summer, if there is any virtue in ice cream. A factory has been located there for the manufacture of ice cream freezers.

Three Europeans were killed and 100 men wounded in an attempt to break the siege of Kumassi.

The U. S. supreme court adjourned for the term on the 28th, and will not sit again until next October.

The four new Methodist bishops were consecrated in Chicago on the 27th. They are D. H. Moore, J. W. Hamilton, E. W. Parker and F. W. Warnock.

After a hunt of three months in rubbish of the state house, the "Black exhibit," the official acknowledgment of an indebtedness of the U. S. to South Carolina on account of wars prior to the rebellion, has been found. With interest the amount due the state will exceed \$1,000,000. The papers had been lost for 30 years.

### CONGRESSIONAL NOTES.

A few minutes after the senate convened on the 1st, Senator Perkins presented some memorials from business organizations in California requesting congress to make appropriations to relieve the distress of the famine districts in India. He said he would not make any recommendations himself, for the reason that several days ago a member of the far-western states sent to India 4,000 or more tons of food products, and Great Britain had never acknowledged the donation or the courtesy. Just then Senator Hale interrupted Senator Perkins, and in a speech of only a few minutes, made one of the most sensational attacks on Great Britain ever heard in the senate. He lambasted the nation for spending hundreds of millions of dollars to crush the South African republics, and emphatically declared that if they had any sympathy or hearts, instead of destroying the liberties of those republics, the English people would send money to relieve the distress in the greatest dependency that country possessed. The debate was becoming so warm that Senator Aldrich arose and demanded the regular order.

At the conclusion of a session lasting eight hours, the senate on the 31st considered aundry bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for the relief of the famine districts in India. The amendment providing for an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the Louisiana Purchase exposition, to be held in St. Louis in 1903, was continued in the bill. An effort was made to reduce the amount to be appropriated, but it was unsuccessful. An amendment was incorporated providing for the beginning of the work on the memorial bridge between Washington and Arlington cemetery, to be erected in memory of the dead of both the union and confederate armies.

The house on the first, after a lively debate extending over two days, defeated the joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment empowering congress to regulate trusts. It requires a two-thirds vote under the constitution to adopt an amendment to the constitution. The vote stood ayes 154, nays 131. The affirmative vote, therefore, was 38 short of the requisite two-thirds, 192.

The 28th was a dull day in the house, considering the near approach of the final adjournment. The Alaskan civil government bill was passed, and some odds and ends of legislation were cleaned up. Mr. Dalzell gave notice that the anti-trust resolution and bill reported by the judiciary committee would be considered under a special order the latter part of the week.

### WAR NOTES.

Capt. Roberts of the 35th regiment, and his two missing companions, captured at San Miguel de Mayumo, province of Bulacan, island of Luzon, May 29, are in the hands of the insurgents, who have communicated to the Americans that they intend to treat the prisoners well, and in accordance with the laws of war. Capt. Roberts' wife, who is at San Miguel de Mayumo, received a note on May 31 announcing the capture of her husband. Capt. Roberts believes the rebels will exchange him and his companions.

Gen. MacArthur has asked for more troops in the Philippines, and has made a special request that only cavalry be sent to him. He also asked that they be regulars. It has been determined at the war department to grant his request, and in a short time three regiments of cavalry will be sent to Manila. They have not yet been selected, but it is probable that one of them will be taken from Cuba. The other two, which will go from this country, will be made up of the 6th and a regiment to be determined upon.

Memorial day was observed at Manila as a general holiday. Military ceremonies were held in the various stations and salutes were fired from the forts at Santiago and Manila. A military escort proceeded to the Malate cemetery where the graves of U. S. soldiers were desecrated and an address was made by the chaplain. Memorial exercises were held also in the theaters, at which a number of addresses were delivered, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. The observance of the day was very successful.

On the evening of the 29th the insurgents rushed San Miguel de Mayumo, province of Bulacan, Luzon, garrisoned by three companies of the 33rd volunteer infantry. They swept through the surprised town, shooting right and left, killing five Americans and wounding seven. Capt. Chas. D. Roberts and two privates are missing. No Filipino dead were discovered. San Miguel de Mayumo is a few miles from Manila.

The war office received the following from Gen. MacArthur, at Manila, dated May 28: Three officers, 56 men, with 46 rifles, surrendered unconditionally at Cuyapo on the 27th. Three officers, 46 men, with 55 rifles, surrendered unconditionally at Tarlac on the 28th. These spontaneous surrenders are very encouraging.

The President on the 1st appointed Col. Luther H. Hare of the 33d volunteer infantry (captain 7th cavalry), and Col. J. H. Smith of the 17th infantry, to be brigadier-generals of volunteers in recognition of their distinguished services in the campaign in the Philippines.

Adj.-Gen. Corbin says it has been decided to begin to return Philippine volunteers to the U. S. in December. There are about 40,000 of these. It is proposed to begin the work of bringing them home in good time, as by law the terms of enlistment expire in July, 1901.

### TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

The following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Germiston, May 29, has been received: We arrived at Germiston on the 29th without being seriously opposed. No casualties so far as I am aware in the main column, and not many, I trust, in the cavalry and mounted infantry. The enemy did not expect us until the 30th, and had not, therefore, carried off all their rolling stock. We have possession of the junction connecting Johannesburg with Natal, Pretoria and Klerksdorp by railroad. Johannesburg is reported quiet, and no mines, I understand, have been injured.

Gen. French crossed the Vaal at Lindlague's drift on the 25th and Gen. Henry, with mounted infantry, the day following. They pushed forward and nearly succeeded in saving the bridge, only the northernmost span being destroyed. All the refugees agree that the mines will be destroyed. The Boers are taking a position at Klip river drift, having left the Vaal. The commandants have assembled to discuss the advisability of continuing the struggle. There is a force of the enemy at Mayerton.

Gen. Warren with 700 men occupied a strong defensive position at Fabersput on May 29. At dawn he found that he was surrounded and he was fiercely attacked by 1,000 rebels. The horses were stampeded, but the force concentrated and the Boers were repulsed. A small party in a garden continued to fight tenaciously but evacuated as the charge began, leaving a number of wounded. The British lost 15 killed, including Col. Spence, and 30 wounded.

The following was received from Lord Roberts, dated Klip river, May 28th: We marched 30 miles today and are now 18 miles from Johannesburg. The enemy had prepared several positions where they intended to oppose us, but they abandoned one after the other as we neared them. We pressed them so hard that they had only just time to get their five guns into a train and leave this station as some of the West Australian mounted infantry dashed into it.

The Boers to the south retired from Kunana, 10 miles east of Maritzburg, and are falling back further on Barlispaan. The Boers routed at Mafeking rallied a few miles east of Polfontein. A cornet who failed to support Commandant Eloff in the latter's attack on Mafeking, in which Eloff was captured, wrote a letter sympathizing with him. Eloff replied that he hoped the devil and all his angels would torment him eternally and that he and his would rot.

A dispatch from Pretoria to the effect that that city has been occupied by the British has been received at London.

Kruger is said to have issued a circular asking the burghers whether they want to fight or sue for peace.

War sufferers will get \$250,000 from the national bazar, just held in London.

Commandant Kraus has surrendered Johannesburg to Lord Roberts.

A Michigan man, whose identity is otherwise concealed by the school authorities, has given Principal Waldo a check for \$1,000 to be expended in buying reproductions of celebrated art works for the northern normal school at Marquette.

### BASE BALL.

Below we submit the official standing of the clubs of the National and American leagues up to and including Friday, June 1st.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Philadelphia	22	11	.667
Brooklyn	19	14	.576
Pittsburg	18	15	.545
St. Louis	20	17	.541
Chicago	18	17	.514
Boston	12	18	.400
New York	12	20	.375
Cincinnati	12	21	.364

Club	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Indianapolis	21	8	.724
Milwaukee	18	15	.545
Cleveland	17	16	.515
Kansas City	19	18	.514
Chicago	18	18	.500
Minneapolis	17	19	.472
Buffalo	12	21	.364
Detroit	11	21	.344

### THE MARKETS.

#### LIVE STOCK.

Commodity	Best grades	Lower grades
New York—Cattle	\$1 00/25 55	\$5 25 50
Chicago—Cattle	3 75/24 25	2 50 25
Best grades	5 10/25 75	5 10 75
Lower grades	4 35/25 50	4 75 50
Chicago—Hogs	5 00 50	5 00 50
Lower grades	3 50/33 75	5 00 50
Buffalo—Hogs	4 75/33 50	4 00 50
Lower grades	4 00/34 25	4 00 50
Chicago—Sheep	4 50/5 40	4 25 50
Lower grades	4 50/4 60	3 75 50
Cincinnati—Sheep	4 50/5 40	4 25 50
Lower grades	4 50/4 60	3 75 50
Pittsburg—Hogs	5 10/25 75	4 00 50
Lower grades	3 50/34 75	4 00 50

#### GRAIN, ETC.

Commodity	No. 2 red	No. 2 mix	No. 3 white
New York	77/77 1/2	41/41 1/2	28/28 1/2
Chicago	62/62 1/2	37/37 1/2	21/21 1/2
Detroit	72/72 1/2	40/40 1/2	27/27 1/2
Toledo	74/74 1/2	39/39 1/2	24/24 1/2
Cincinnati	72/72 1/2	41/41 1/2	35/35 1/2
Pittsburg	72/72 1/2	43/43 1/2	29/29 1/2
Buffalo	74/74 1/2	41/41 1/2	28/28 1/2
Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy	\$12 50	\$12 50	\$12 50
Potatoes, 300 lbs Bu.	Live Poultry, spring chickens, 9/16 per lb; fowls, 4c; turkeys, 10c; ducks, 12c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 11c per dozen. Butter, best dairy, 16c per lb; creamery, 20c.		

A special from Montreal says that the Dominion government secret service has discovered that Carl Dullman, J. Nolin and John Walsh, convicted of trying to destroy the Welland canal, came to Canada for the express purpose of wreaking vengeance on the colony. They threw up positions in Dublin to do so, and that at least two of them were provided with funds by the Clann-Gael, which obtained the money through Mand Gonno.

Colonials captured 150 Boers near Ficksburg on the 26th.

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### HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

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On the first and third Tuesdays of June, July and August the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad will place on sale Homeseekers' Excursion tickets to various points in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas.

One fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

Tickets are limited on going trip fifteen days from date of sale with stop over privileges in Homeseekers' territory. Returning tickets are limited twenty-one days from date of sale. Remember that we now have in service a new wide vestibule train between Chicago & Waco & Ft. Worth, Texas, leaving Chicago daily at 1.50 p. m. through Pullman sleeping cars and free reclining chair cars. For further particulars call on or address any agent Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad or C. L. Stone, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

# A LETTER FROM THE FRENCH CAPITAL

## The French Do Everything Just the Opposite from Americans.

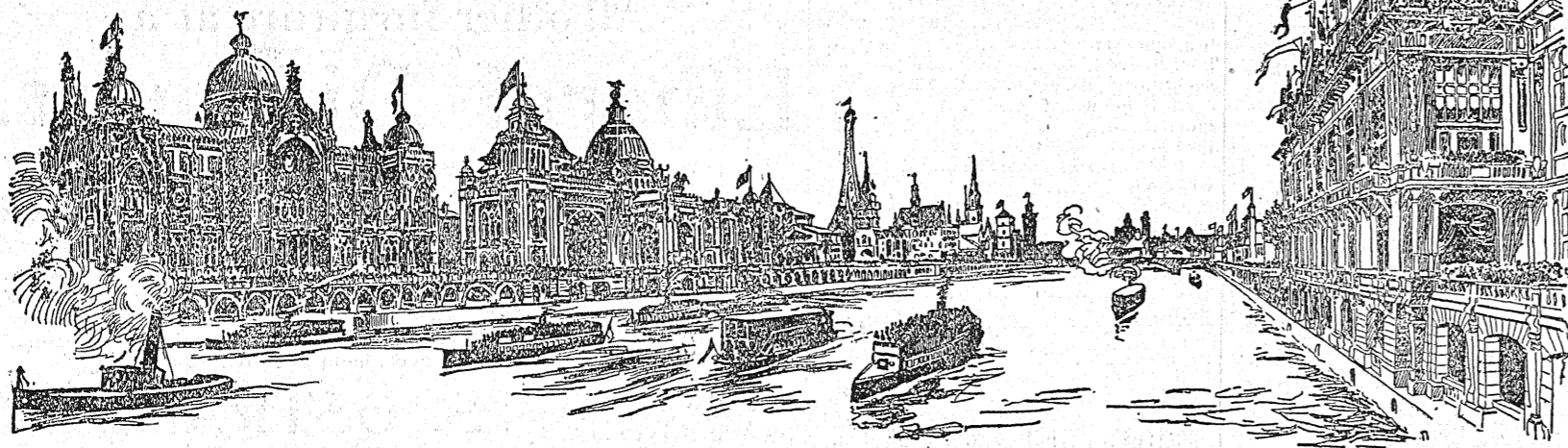
The following letter is from a young American who is one of the advance guard at the Paris exposition. It is needless to say that the writer is a close and critical observer. His observations are keen enough to be of interest to others besides the friend to whom the missive was addressed:

My Dear Friend: Without preamble I forward you the results of my scouting expedition in behalf of our party of Exposition visitors. I am sorry now to have accepted the job. I have not seen very much so far, and the skin left on my anatomy amounts to very little. Tell our friends to bring along a barrel or two of well assorted money.

Their main "graft," if I can use this

French capital; in fact, you enter into conversation in public places with any one you meet. But if you present some one you are absolutely responsible for him. A lady has no right to refuse recognition to a gentleman who has been presented to her; presentations, however, must have been previously assented to by her. The husband is responsible for his wife. The American who is married supports his wife. The Frenchman makes her work. If he is in business she keeps his books and acts as cashier. The aristocratic French woman even keeps house no matter how sick her husband is. In the poorer classes the husband works at his trade, and the

THE STREET OF NATIONS AT PARIS—PAVILIONS OF THE FOREIGN POWERS.



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slang word, is to do everything wrong-side out, probably to mislead strangers. As a consequence it is very safe rule to reverse all the home rules while you live in Paris. I have compiled a whole book of examples to substantiate this statement, and will call your attention to the most striking.

When we take to the right in the streets, they take to the left, and vice versa; hence the danger of all kinds of collisions. I received a half a dozen bumps before I learned that. As a matter of etiquette the Frenchmen salute the ladies first, while we await their good pleasure in this respect. In their books the table of contents is at the end instead of being at the beginning. The advertisements in the newspapers are always to be found in the last pages and the editorials in the first column of the first page. Their newspapers are no newspapers at all; they are journals, their magazines are reviews and vice versa.

The best places in the theaters are in the balcony, not in the parquet. The matinee takes place at 11 o'clock, a. m., not in the afternoon. In this they are probably right, as "matinee" means morning. Yet they never say "good morning," but "good day."

By the way, all the clocks in the restaurants near the theaters are half an hour in advance of the standard time; this is intended to force you to leave half of your dinner untouched, thus saving money to the crafty restaurateur.

In America you never pay for theatrical programs, soap, light and towels in the hotels (this is called service), and napkins in the restaurants; in Paris you will have to pay for all these things and many others, among them bath robes, soap and towels you call for in the bathrooms.

If you have the misfortune of being "pinched" by a "Sergent de ville," he will not arrest you, but will simply take your name and address. The subpoena will cost you four cents by mail, but you will have to demonstrate that you are not guilty. On the other hand your lawyer will have the privilege of closing the case. Should fine and imprisonment be ordered by the court, time will be given to settle the fine and to constitute yourself a prisoner. As a matter of course this applies only to misdemeanors.

In case of drunkenness the saloon keeper who sold the last drink is prosecuted as the main offender. I was furnished this information by a prominent jurist, having had no personal experience.

The American girl is comparatively free, losing this freedom as soon as she gets married. The French girl never sees a beau alone, but does as she pleases after her marriage. An elopement in France is useless, even if the girl is of age, because no one can perform the marriage ceremony without the consent of the parents or guardians. A girl who is of age can obtain this consent by process of law by summoning twice her parents or guardians at an interval of six months before the court which decides the case. Girls, however, occasionally elope so as to compromise their reputation and thus compel their family to give their consent. An elopement not followed by marriage is called by the facetious Parisians "a marriage at the City Hall of the Twenty-first Arrondissement," there being only twenty arrondissements or districts in Paris. Some 500 or 600 children are weekly born in Paris from these unions contracted with the left hand. Presentation is not necessary in the

wife at her own unless there are too many children to take care of. By the way, the Parisian woman seldom nurses her own children, she sends them to the country to be raised by peasant women until they are two or three years old. A Parisian woman is seldom, if ever, seen in the parks nursing her offspring.

Any one seeing a woman carrying heavy bundles in the streets may offer assistance and it will be accepted. Similarly the Parisian woman will seldom refuse to be escorted with an umbrella when it rains. Umbrellas are freely offered in this way on top of the omnibuses and tramways, when the sun is too hot or when it rains. To America such offer would appear impertinent. When a vehicle is stranded in the streets of Uncle Sam's dominion the passers-by generally let the driver get out of it as best he can. The Parisians of all classes do the reverse; rich and poor, young and old push at the wheel. If two men fight, everybody takes a part in the fray, even jumping on the Sergeant de ville who attempts to restore peace. The fun of it is that most of the time the fighters do not know what the whole business is about, and many a poor devil gets a thrashing simply because he happens to be there.

Paris has twenty mayors who are no mayors at all. The Prefect of the

a very unpleasant way of remembering the things I wear, nevertheless. The other evening one of my friends came to see me. He is a tactful individual, who, should I come into the drawing room to greet him some evening clad in a Paquin gown of satin embroidered with pearls and trimmed with duchesse lace, would make no comment whatever. "Well, on my new spring hat, which is really an old one completely metamorphosed, I thought, and I was betrayed very foolishly into asking him how he liked it. 'Isn't it pretty?' I asked, secure in my belief that he didn't know a hat from a thimble. 'I don't like it as well as I did last year, when it was trimmed with yellow crepe and quills,' was his astonishing response, so unexpected a response, indeed, that I nearly fell off the steps and became suddenly painfully aware of a rip in one finger of my glove. Any man that could recognize a chapeau after many days and when it was so greatly changed, I reasoned, must take in at a glance the smallest detail of my toilet, and I instantly became nervous and began to pat my hair and arrange my frills as women do when they're conscious. That's the reason I believe that men notice details when they don't appear to, for if this dignified man would remember a trifling thing like a last

all over the country to look out for crooks who usually flock there carnival time. One morning I was walking down Newspaper Row, which is on Camp Street, when the crowds which were gathering to view the parade were startled by a pistol shot coming from one of the banks. A second later a man dashed out of the door and made a bee-line for a paper store across the way and was immediately lost from sight. With a couple of policemen and a lot of reporters I went into the bank and there looked for the dead man. But the fellow who was shot, though he considered himself as good as dead, wasn't a corpse. He was nearly scared to death, though. He was surrounded by employees of the bank, and when asked where he was shot, said he didn't know. We looked him over but there wasn't a trace of blood to be found, yet he declared he'd been hit in the back somewhere and began to cry. A reporter discovered a small hole in the coat. 'Here it is,' said he, 'shot plumb through the spinal column, and the bullet is on the inside.' The man who was shot didn't fancy the joke at all and became more fearful than ever. He took off his coat and then his vest, and then pulled his suspenders off his shoulders. The hands fell over his arms, but the straps remained stationary where the leather wedge was. One of the fellows gave a jerk, the victim gave a howl and the suspenders came down, bullet and all, for the latter had become imbedded in the leather and had pinned his suspenders to his back as neatly as if they had grown there. The victim was immensely relieved, as you may well imagine, but I don't know that he was so lucky after all, as he is now serving a long term in the Louisiana penitentiary for embezzlement, and the man who shot him is, thanks to the peculiar justice dealt by Louisiana juries, a free man today, but out some \$800. His victim was a clerk in a bank and had got hold of his money on pretense of investment and had spent it all. The only way he could get even was to shoot."—New York Mail and Express.

Where Byron Was Born.

Another birthday of Byron has just passed, and still the long promised memorial to mark the spot is conspicuous by its absence. The place of the poet's birth is the corner of Holles and Oxford streets. A large drapery emporium covers the site, and the business stationery bears the poet's bust in the right corner. But Byronites look in vain for a marble bust outside, which it was understood would replace the bronze one removed years ago on account of structural alterations.—London Express.

Ways of the Candidate.

"Well, suh," said the old-time colored voter, "de ways er de candidate is past findin' out! All de year I been lak one cryin' in de wilderness, en no man 'spon ter my cry. I holter fer bread, en dey give me a Belgian block on thirty days! En now look at 'em! Leckshun time come on, en bless God, ef der ain't pay my house rent, took de mortgage off my mule, settle my street tax en gimme enough old coze ter go to preachin'! En all I got ter my name is one vote en der rheumatism!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Mrs. O'Flaherty's New Servant.

"She is such a gadabout," said Mrs. O'Flaherty of her new servant. "If ye'll believe me, Mrs. O'Grady, that ye'll go out of the house twenty times for the once that she'll come in."—Tid Bits.

Twisted English.

Washington special New York World: Representative Swanson, of Virginia, today added some false syntax to the Congressional Record that

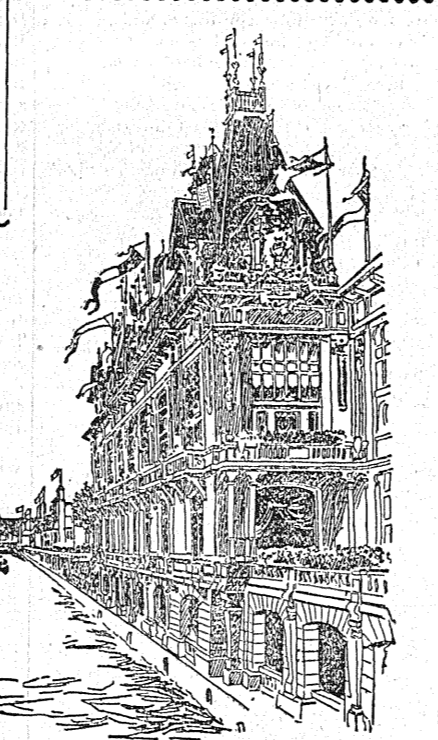
Seine, appointed by the government, is the real chief of the municipality. Paris pays a police force amounting to 21,000 men, including the municipal guard, and the regiment of firemen, but the government alone represented by the prefect commands all the force. The same rule applies to this muni-

will hardly be equaled during the few remaining days of the session. He was talking about the fast mail service. "There are only two trains a day," he shouted. "Are there not four?" asked a Republican. "No," said Swanson, fiercely; "there are only two and there used to didn't be but one."

### MAN'S SUSPENDERS

Fastened to His Back by a Bullet From a Revolver.

"I've heard of curious methods of saving lives," said a veteran detective at headquarters the other day, "but I believe the oddest I ever ran across was in New Orleans one Mardi Gras. I had gone with other detectives from



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CHAPTER V.—(Continued.)

It was a bright moonlight night, and the pale silvery light fell on the long rows of gum trees and nettles, giving a strange white sheen on their leaves, and tracing a curious checkered pattern on the path below. Suddenly, as Bluebell looked, a horseman shot into view—a horse riding straight up towards the house. Even as Bluebell, with a sudden little gasping cry drew back, she saw the rider pause. He turned his horse round and waved something—it looked like a pistol—in the air, as if to some one behind him; then, turning again, rode straight up the avenue.

Bluebell only waited to see another and yet another horseman shoot into view, then, turning quickly to her door, she opened it and flew along the passage to her father's room.

She knocked furiously. In a moment her father's voice demanded sleepily, "Who is there?"

"Father, father!" she cried, her voice ringing out clear and strong, though her heart seemed almost bursting and her tongue parched and dry. "Rise quickly and get your revolver! The Boers, they are coming up the avenue! They are almost on us!"

She could hear her father mutter a wild oath. At that moment it sent a shudder through her.

There were only women in the house. Besides her aunt and herself there was Marie, the girl they had had as servant for two years, and two half-caste Zulu girls, who slept downstairs. The native "boys" slept in an outside shed. Adam Leslie and Bluebell herself were the only two who could defend themselves against an attacking party, for Bluebell had long since learned to use firearms.

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"Father, father, oh, don't speak like that!" cried the girl as Leslie flung open the room door. "Let us speak pleasantly to them. Perhaps, after all, they have no unfriendly intentions. Why should they? We have never done them any harm. We have always—"

"Hist!" exclaimed her father. A horrible spasm had passed over his face; but at that moment the scuffle of what seemed a score of horses' hoofs sounded under the stoop outside, and a loud exclamation was uttered. "Keep back, girl! I shall go to the window myself," said Leslie, in a low voice.

Bluebell stood back a little. At the same moment a sound of shrieks behind told her that the servants had been roused from their slumbers. She turned and saw Miss Elizabeth, pale and horror-stricken, in her blue duff dressing-gown, her head covered with the ugly white cap which she always wore during the night, hurrying towards her, followed by the shrieking Marie and the howling native girls.

"Keep them quiet. It will be all right, auntie. They can't mean us harm. It is the Boers," Bluebell said, in short whispers, for she was listening at the same time to what went on at the window.

Her father had flung it open. A voice from below called out: "Open the door to us, Adam Leslie, and surrender yourself as our prisoner, or we shall burn your house about your ears!"

Bluebell did not recognize the voice, which, though Dutch in accent, spoke excellent English. Her father answered, in a voice that trembled with passion: "I will not open the door to you, you Boer dogs! What do you want with me?"

"Better speak civilly, for the sake of your own life!" retorted the voice in answer. "You're a base informer, and, but for the kindness of Almighty God, we should have been without our leaders through you! Surrender yourself prisoner, or we'll hang you to the nearest tree and burn your house and all its contents! That's the best course with villains like you!"

## LOST ON THE... VELDT

### A STORY OF THE BOER CAMPAIGN IN NATAL

By H. B. Mackenzie

#### CHAPTER V.—(Continued.)

gave a faint cry, almost staggering backward, and she heard a fearful oath burst from her father as he, too, recognized the man.

It was Gerald Moore.

#### CHAPTER VI.

In the moonlight his mocking, dark face had a look upon it that seemed to Bluebell's eyes as malevolent and wicked as that of any fiend could be. He was looking straight up at the window.

"There is no necessity for undeciphering your daughter, Mr. Leslie," he said; "but, you see, there's absolutely no use in resistance—all is known now. If you don't surrender yourself as prisoner it will be worse for yourself. The commando have orders to shoot you if you resist."

A shriek broke from Miss Elizabeth's lips behind Bluebell; but the girl uttered neither word nor cry as her horrified eyes, looking dark and large in the midst of her ghastly white face, strained themselves to catch a glance from her father. He gave her a quick and averted look. "Rise quickly and get your revolver! The Boers, they are coming up the avenue! They are almost on us!"

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"I refuse to surrender!" shouted Leslie, beside himself with rage.

He turned to Bluebell. "Bring me my revolver—loaded!" he cried, between his teeth.

But, instead of obeying, Bluebell sprang forward, and, pushing her father aside, interposed herself between him and the window. With eyes that hardly seemed to see she looked down on the men below—an army they seemed to her excited mind—tall, stalwart fellows in khaki and wide Boer hats, each man armed, and each with stern and relentless gaze on the window. In front, on a fine, high-stepping horse, sat the man who was evidently the leader—a young man, dressed like the others; but with a face—not unhandsome though it was—whose merciless determination struck a cold chill through Bluebell.

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The young man looked behind him. The next instant a horseman in the background rode forward and came alongside the Boer leader. Bluebell

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#### CHAPTER VI.

In the moonlight his mocking, dark face had a look upon it that seemed to Bluebell's eyes as malevolent and wicked as that of any fiend could be. He was looking straight up at the window.

"There is no necessity for undeciphering your daughter, Mr. Leslie," he said; "but, you see, there's absolutely no use in resistance—all is known now. If you don't surrender yourself as prisoner it will be worse for yourself. The commando have orders to shoot you if you resist."

A shriek broke from Miss Elizabeth's lips behind Bluebell; but the girl uttered neither word nor cry as her horrified eyes, looking dark and large in the midst of her ghastly white face, strained themselves to catch a glance from her father. He gave her a quick and averted look. "Rise quickly and get your revolver! The Boers, they are coming up the avenue! They are almost on us!"

She could hear her father mutter a wild oath. At that moment it sent a shudder through her.

There were only women in the house. Besides her aunt and herself there was Marie, the girl they had had as servant for two years, and two half-caste Zulu girls, who slept downstairs. The native "boys" slept in an outside shed. Adam Leslie and Bluebell herself were the only two who could defend themselves against an attacking party, for Bluebell had long since learned to use firearms.

"I am ready!" cried her father in a moment. "Let the villains come on! I'm more than a match for a score of Boer dogs!"

"Father, father, oh, don't speak like that!" cried the girl as Leslie flung open the room door. "Let us speak pleasantly to them. Perhaps, after all, they have no unfriendly intentions. Why should they? We have never done them any harm. We have always—"

"Hist!" exclaimed her father. A horrible spasm had passed over his face; but at that moment the scuffle of what seemed a score of horses' hoofs sounded under the stoop outside, and a loud exclamation was uttered. "Keep back, girl! I shall go to the window myself," said Leslie, in a low voice.

Bluebell stood back a little. At the same moment a sound of shrieks behind told her that the servants had been roused from their slumbers. She turned and saw Miss Elizabeth, pale and horror-stricken, in her blue duff dressing-gown, her head covered with the ugly white cap which she always wore during the night, hurrying towards her, followed by the shrieking Marie and the howling native girls.

"Keep them quiet. It will be all right, auntie. They can't mean us harm. It is the Boers," Bluebell said, in short whispers, for she was listening at the same time to what went on at the window.

Her father had flung it open. A voice from below called out: "Open the door to us, Adam Leslie, and surrender yourself as our prisoner, or we shall burn your house about your ears!"

Bluebell did not recognize the voice, which, though Dutch in accent, spoke excellent English. Her father answered, in a voice that trembled with passion: "I will not open the door to you, you Boer dogs! What do you want with me?"

"Better speak civilly, for the sake of your own life!" retorted the voice in answer. "You're a base informer, and, but for the kindness of Almighty God, we should have been without our leaders through you! Surrender yourself prisoner, or we'll hang you to the nearest tree and burn your house and all its contents! That's the best course with villains like you!"

"I refuse to surrender!" shouted Leslie, beside himself with rage.

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as truly as was ever maid of the eighteenth century by the man who, for some reason of his own—Bluebell had never thought it love—wished to make her his wife. She was in the snare of the fowler, as powerless to free herself as any poor, fluttering, broken-winged bird.

The thought of what she was leaving behind was terrible to her as her unknown fate. Her father had seemed dead as she looked upon him. Was he really so? It almost seemed to Bluebell's shuddering heart that it would be better for him if he were.

She had been stupefied at first by the fearful accusation made against her father, but in the moments that elapsed between his seizure by the visitation of God and her seizure by man's villainy Bluebell had slowly been coming out of her stupor, to realize that it might be true.

If it were so—if her father, tempted by the traitorous villainy of the man whom he had called a Judas Iscariot, had committed this base deed, though Bluebell could not find it in her heart to call it a crime, then the punishment meted out to him might be so terrible that natural death would be a thousand times preferable.

And then poor Miss Elizabeth, left to face those terrible men, with, perhaps, the dead body of her brother in the house! Bluebell felt her heart torn with anguish and anxiety as she thought of it.

Again she made violent struggles to free herself. Alas! they were worse than useless. The strong arms held her as in a vice.

At this time no word had been uttered. Suddenly Bluebell's captor paused; the next moment Bluebell heard a long, peculiar call rising on the night air. It was like the "voocoo!" of the Australian bush. After a momentary pause it was answered. Then Bluebell's captor continued his walk, jolting and stumbling at every step.

Presently there was another pause. Then Bluebell fancied she heard the sound of horse's hoofs, but her hearing was so deafened by the thick cloth that she could not be sure. In a few minutes, however, she knew she had been correct. She felt herself lifted up and placed on the side-saddle of some animal, which she guessed, from the height and from the use of the side-saddle, to be a horse.

Then a voice spoke close to her ear—the voice that was so hateful to Bluebell, and with such good reason—"There is no use in resistance; you are wholly in my power, and I am determined you shall not escape me now. You are on horseback. I am going to release your arms so that you may hold on with all your might, for we are going over a bad bit of ground. If you don't make any resistance I will take off that head-dress presently, but the more resistance you make the worse you will be treated. And let me tell you it is perfectly useless; nothing but death can save you from me."

Of course Bluebell could make no attempt at moving. Her hands were released from the cloth that had pinned them to her side, reins were placed in her hand, a whip was flicked in the air, and the animal beneath moved forward.

For the next hour Bluebell found thinking impossible. The horse jolted, stumbled and bumped at every step, sometimes putting his fore-feet into holes from which he had to be extricated by main force, then plunging over loose clumps of grass or shrubs with such suddenness as almost to unseat her. Bluebell was accustomed to the difficulties of riding on the veldt, but now, disabled by the want of sight, suffocated as she was by the cloth over her head and mouth, she was utterly unable to keep steady, and several times her guide had to seize her as she was falling from the horse.

(To be continued.)

Smoked White Being Flogged.

Dover (Del.) correspondence Philadelphia Press: Robert Tilghman believes in the novel, even though he be an offender against larceny laws. Today, for fracturing the state's rules of correct living, Robert underwent a whipping. This was not unusual, to be sure, but the 30 persons who watched the floggings were dumbstruck when Tilghman deliberately lighted a cigarette and puffed contentedly while the lashes were being delivered. Sheriff Wharton used the customary raw-hide whip, altogether different from the instrument of torture used in Newcastle county, known as the cat-o-nine-tails, and while he plied the lash vigorously on the bare back of Tilghman the prisoner was unmoved, to the awe and wonder of the crowd. In all nine persons underwent the punishment.

Brother's Ashes.

Mr. E. W. Scripps, of San Diego, Cal., of the Scripps-McRae League, newspaper publishers, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, arrived and registered at the Hotel Alms yesterday morning with his family, consisting of two sons, James G. and John P. Scripps, and daughters, Misses Dorothy and Ellen Scripps. He is also accompanied by his secretary, Mr. H. B. Clark. Mr. Scripps left San Diego some days ago with the ashes of his brother, Mr. George H. Scripps, who died at the Miramar Ranch, in California, on April 13, and whose remains were cremated in that state. Mr. E. W. Scripps will leave tomorrow evening for Rushville, Ill., with his brother's ashes, where they will be interred. A number of relatives of the late George H. Scripps will accompany Mr. E. W. Scripps to Rushville, Ill., to attend the funeral.

# Stevenson's Bulletin,

No. 3.

## Just Received

From the factory at East Liverpool, two large crates of the Finest

## Iron Stone China

Ever shown in Cass City. See the Goods and get prices and you will buy if in need of dishes.

Yours,

### G. A. Stevenson,

### From Our Exchanges.

Marlette and Lmly base ball teams crossed bats on Decoration day and the former were defeated by a score of 8 to 0. Each team played home men.

The creamery is now receiving upwards of 6,000 pounds of milk daily and this week shipped over 1,700 lbs. of butter, which, at 10c, will bring in a neat little sum for distribution among the patrons.—Bad Axe Republican.

We all ought to be fair minded enough to give credit where due and unprejudiced enough to see facts. Emma Holden whom we all know has not walked for six years, was down town Saturday and went about calling on her friends. Account for this as we may, the fact of her walking cannot be denied. Prof. Taylor has been treating her and deserves the credit for recovery. However much error some of us may see in his theory of treatment and the science of cure, we must accept the fact.—Yale Expositor.

One of the prominent military figures among the "old boys" comprising the Grand Army of the Republic, was Capt. Jos. Watson, of Bad Axe, who with his estimable wife came to assist in the Memorial day service. Bearing his 82 years with vigor, a handsome and commanding figure, Cap. Watson is yet as stalwart as many a younger man. Patriotic and loyal, may he long be spared to march under the folds of his beloved flag—the red, white and blue. Mr. and Mrs. Watson returned to their home in Bad Axe on Thursday.—Gagetown Times.

Myron Davis escaped serious injury if not death at the planing mill one day last week. One leg of his pants caught on a set screw in a shaft which was making 1400 revolution per minute, and commenced winding the cloth around the shaft. Mr. Davis caught on to the planer with his hands and hung on until his overalls were completely torn off and a heavy pair of pants under them were torn to shreds. Every revolution of the shaft the set-screw would strike his leg and by the time the mill was stopped by his brother, who discovered the situation, his leg was badly bruised but otherwise he was unhurt.—Akron Argus.

A couple of years since the Leader gave the particulars of a funny mix-up of mail addressed to Charlie Hood, at which time our Charlie Hood received a letter intended for another, and as it was from a lady, caused him some trouble to explain to his wife until the real owner showed up in the person of a traveling salesman for a Detroit paper house. Another chapter was added to the story this week when Mr. Hood was called to the phone to talk to a gentleman at North Branch. He asked who was talking and when a strange name was given wondered what was wanted. The gentleman at the other end also seemed surprised and almost mad to think his prospective nephew-in-law did not recognize him, and if explanations had not been made there is no telling what the result might have been. It turned out that he wanted the former salesman, who was here soliciting for the Bell Telephone Co., and afterwards came over to visit with him. It is strange that these two of the same name will collide so often.—Marlette Leader.

### DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous result of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world, sample bottles at T. H. Fritz's.

### Linkville.

Wm. Holmes is again able to be around.

F. Bach, of Sebawing, did business here on Wednesday.

Mr. Freeman, of Cass City, passed through here on Tuesday.

Children's Day exercises in the hall next Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Schweitzer drove over to Kilmanagh Monday evening.

Dr. Morris, of Gagetown, made a professional call in town Wednesday.

P. M. Linton, of Owendale, was a pleasant caller in town Saturday last.

Jno. McClellan, the Cass City livaryman, drove over to our town Wednesday morning.

R. J. Launsburg, of Pontiac, was looking after his interests east of here the first of the week.

Sam French made a trip to Elmwood the first of this week, being gone a couple of days.

The stove mill finished cutting on Wednesday of last week. There are two jointing machines running at present.

Mrs. Mack McCollum expects to start for Millersburg, Mich., on Thursday where she will join her husband. Mr. McCollum went there about two weeks ago.

The most of the lumber and stone is on the ground for the new church and Mr. Mutchner has been engaged to do the mason work. If some men with teams would bring some sand the work might be started at once.

A little shooting affray over some cattle took place a few miles east of here between a Mr. Poash and Bittner a few days ago. We have not learned full particulars but understand that Mr. Bittner received the contents of the gun. No serious damage was done.

### A Preacher

of Waterloo, Ind., Rev. S. P. Klotz, writes: "I have been afflicted over 20 years with dyspepsia or sour stomach. Have tried different remedies without much benefit. A 10c bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gave me great benefit. Have taken nearly one large bottle and feel like a different person." For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

### NOVOSTA.

Mrs. Bertha Dewey visited in this vicinity on Friday.

Mary McComb visited at Novosta corners two days last week.

Robert Brown started on his new duties as census enumerator on Friday morning.

Willie, son of Mrs. Jane Leonard, is dangerously ill with Malaria fever. Dr. Foote is in attendance.

L. H. Palmateer had his house brick veneered last week and now has a neat and comfortable residence.

A number from here attended the Gleaner excursion in the Withey school house and report a good time.

A reception was tendered Rev. and Mrs. Seelhoff on Saturday evening and a most enjoyable time was had by all.

Malcolm Ferguson walks at a rapid pace since the arrival of a little daughter at his home on May 28th. All doing well.

There will be children's services in the M. E. Church on the evening of June 17th. A splendid program is being prepared. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Chicken thieves have entered the coops of some of the people already this spring and relieved them of their choicest poultry. They had better beware as they may have the sheriff to visit them when they least expect him

### RESCUE

Corn planting about finished, John Myers is making Caro his summer home.

Everybody is planting or going to plant all the beans they possibly can. Chas. Hartsell raised a fine new frame barn last week. John Monroe is the mechanic in charge.

Ben McAlpine and his five sons are home from the woods and are rushing the farm, for all it is worth.

Mrs. P. Luird will start some time during the week to join her husband, who has lately settled in her Majesty's Domains, in the Canadian North West.

Bunyan C. Hallock is counting the people and trying to ascertain the age of the inhabitants. The latter part of the job will be a bonanza when he comes to deal with the Fair Sex.

Starvation never yet cured dyspepsia. Persons with indigestion are already half starved. They need plenty of whole some food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat so that the body can be nourished while the worn out organs are being re-constructed. It is the only preparation known that will instantly relieve and completely cure all stomach troubles. Try it if you are suffering from indigestion. It will certainly do you good. Bond's drugstore.

### Ellington.

There were a number of pieces of beets put in last week.

There are a number of nice pieces of corn growing around here.

Daniel Turner, who has been quite badly afflicted with rheumatism is some better.

H. A. Bailey our postmaster, deals in the grocery line and wishes for the trade of our people.

Mrs. Darius Gould, returned home last week from an eight week's visit with relatives in Chicago. She is much improved in health.

Darius Gould made a trip to Caro Monday after goods. He is keeping a supply on hand, so as to be able to accommodate any one wanting goods in his line.

Thou hast strange notions for one so young a substitute to think that thou art the same as Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co. 35c. Ask your druggist.

### Special Rates.

On Tuesday, June 13th, the Pontiac, Oxford & Northern Railroad will sell round-trip excursion tickets to the Ringling Bros. world's greatest shows from all stations on its line to Pontiac and return, the rate including a ticket to the show. The train will leave at the usual time and the fare will be 82 from all points from Casewille to Cass City inclusive; from Wilnot to the King's Mills inclusive, \$1.50. The train will arrive at Pontiac in time for the grand free street parade. The returning train will leave Pontiac at 5:15 p. m., standard time.

On account of Admiral Dewey's visit to Detroit, the P. O. & N. R. R. will sell single fare tickets to that city, good for the evening train on the 8th inst., and the morning train on the 9th, limited to return on the 9th.

To accommodate those going to the Great Camp Review of the Macabees at Grand Rapids, beginning June 12th, the P. O. & N. R. R. will sell single fare tickets on the 11th and 12th, limited to return on the 13th.

Try poisoning, poison wounds and all other accidental injuries may be quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Bond's Drug Store.

### Henry--Blades.

One of the most delightful wedding occasions in the memory of those present took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blades in Evergreen on Wednesday at 4:30 p. m., when their daughter, Mattie, was united in marriage to Mr. James E. Henry, of Argyle. Rev. C. H. Morgan officiated. Mr. D. R. McNaughton served as groomsmen and Miss Mary E. Flint as bridesmaid, and Miss Ella Bond rendered the wedding march on the organ. A large company of friends and presents were the refreshments and presents were choice. The newly wedded pair will soon be settled in the pleasant home in Argyle which the groom had already prepared.

### Memorial Services.

All members of Cass City Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Venus Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, are requested to meet at Oddfellows Hall at 1:30 p. m. on Sunday and proceed to the M. E. Church for memorial services at 2:30. Rev. Chas. H. Morgan will deliver the address after which all will march back to the Hall. On Tuesday the members of the orders will meet at their halls at 1:30 to proceed to the cemetery for the decoration of the graves. All are invited.

### Cured When Others Failed.

S. A. INGALLS, Crown Point, N. Y. Writes:—My wife suffered from kidney troubles for years. She consulted several physicians and tried a number of kidney Cures without getting relief. She was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure and in less than a week after she began using it, she was greatly improved and three bottles cured her. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

### Bob-O-Link.

This bird is a delightful singer and not without points of special attraction in appearance. The number seen in this vicinity since spring opened up, seems more than usual. The writer has called the attention of several persons to this fact and the characteristics of the species and had the frank admission made that, heretofore "Bob-O-Links" be seen at almost any hour in the day. Come out and see them and get acquainted with the Robert of Lincolns.

Lo! there's a songster with a song  
Of thrilling note we love to hear:  
He sings and flies with warble strong,  
Or on his perch, so trustful near.

Robert of Lincoln! what a name!  
Or, Bob-O-Link, 'tis just the same.  
Robert of Lincoln! Bob-O-Link!  
May we not of thy spirit drink?

Here, one, sits by the purling brook;  
'Tis even-tide; his perch is low:  
The other birds these haunts forsook,  
Heo' the sun-set's glow.

Robert of Lincoln, 'tis just the same,  
Or, Bob-O-Link, 'tis just the same.  
A maiden near, said, "Bob-O-Link,  
Your bright eyes seem to me to wink!"

We watched: 'tis no common bird;  
His black vest shows some native pride:  
He wears light epaulettes, when stirred  
They gaily flash from either side.

Robert of Lincoln, 'tis just the same,  
Or, Bob-O-Link, 'tis just the same!  
Yes, Bob-O-Link! yes, Bob-O-Link!  
It makes us of our loved ones think!

We love the emblems that have worth,  
The birds and men that dwell on earth  
Whose presence solace can bestow:  
We love them under any name.

Plain and familiar, 'tis the same,  
Yes, Bob-O-Link, with friendship's link  
We'd ever of this spirit drink!  
The human voice has many a jar;

'Tis discord we would gladly shun;  
His false, false echoes sound afar:  
What fills by it have not been done?  
But warbler true, what'er thy name,  
Thy soulful strains are o'er the same,  
'Tis friendship's link. Yes, Bob-O-Link,  
Near these our spirits cannot sink!

### Her Advice.

John Luther Long, the well known author of several successful books and the teller of many charming stories, spent a summer at a resort along the New Jersey coast. On his way to his home there he was obliged to stop over one night at Seabright, and this story is told of his little visit: He was recognized by several people, and when he entered the dining room one of them came forward and asked him to occupy a seat at his table. He was quietly introduced as Mr. Long, and his literary reputation did not enter at all into the conversation. He was placed beside a very beautiful and charming young lady, and after awhile the conversation developed somewhat as follows: "Mr. Long, your name is quite familiar. I have run across it somewhere very recently."

"There are a great many Longs," he said.

"No; but I mean that I have read something somewhere. Oh, yes; I remember. It was a story called 'The Fox Woman.' Do you know who wrote it?"

Mr. Long was blissfully ignorant. "Yes, I am sure that was it," she said. "It may be by a relative. What did you think of it?"

She gazed at him earnestly and replied, "Don't read it."—Saturday Evening Post.

It is commonly understood that one of the newspapers of New York city has a rule to employ none but college graduates on its staff. It may or it may not be true. Nevertheless a young man of good address, bringing with him excellent recommendations and equipped for journalistic work by several years' experience, called one day at the editorial office of that paper.

It made so good an impression that the managing editor was about to assign him a place on the staff when, as if remembering something he had overlooked in examining the applicant, he suddenly asked:

"By the way, of what college or university are you a graduate?"

"I am not a graduate of any," replied the young man, "but I know better than to read 'pants' for 'trousers,' 'plead' for 'pleaded' and 'be given a chance' for 'a chance' was given him."

I never use the phrase 'in our midst.' I understand the correct use of 'who' and 'whom' and of 'shall' and 'will.' I prefer 'official' to 'official,' 'dwelling' to 'residence.' I avoid 'as to whether,' 'albeit' and 'whenever,' never split an infinitive and never write a sentence long enough to tie in a double bow-knot."

He got the position.—Fourth Estate.

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Cass City.

### Board of Review.

The Board of Review for the village of Cass City will meet on Thursday, June 14th, at the office of J. H. Striffler & Co., between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. W. H. HEBBLEWHITE, Clerk.

### Mill Wood Wanted

at the Plaining Mill of  
6-7-tf LONDON, ENO & KEATING.  
House to rent or sell. Inquire of  
6-7- Mrs. McDOWELL.  
H. W. SEED.

### Cass City Markets.

Cass City, May 31 1900	
Wheat No. 1 white	68
Wheat No. 2 red	65
Oats	27
Rye	50
Beans, Screened	1 35
Beans, Hand picked	1 90
Peas	60
No. 1 Hay, pressed	8 00
No. 2 Hay, pressed, and clover mixed	6 60
Clover Seed, prime	5 00
No. 2	3 50
Potatoes	50
Cabbage per bushel	50c
Onions per bushel	50c
Eggs per doz.	10
Butter	13
Hogs, dressed per cwt.	6 00
Beef, dressed	5 00
Sheep, live weight	6 00
Chickens, live weight	3 7
Live turkeys	8
Dressed ducks and geese	7

### MARKETS AT ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily	4.00	per bbl
Yellow	4.40	" "
Pillsbury's Best	5.00	" "
Graham Flour	4.00	" "
Bolled Meal	1.00	cwt
Feed	1.00	" "
Meal	1.00	" "
Middlings	30.	" "
Eye Flour	2.00	" "
W. W. Flour	2.50	" "

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Trains run on Central Standard Time.

GOING NORTH		STATIONS		GOING SOUTH	
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1 05	1 45	Detroit	1 10	1 10	1 40
1 15	1 55	Ann Arbor	1 20	1 20	1 50
1 25	2 05	Flint	1 30	1 30	2 00
1 35	2 15	East Lansing	1 40	1 40	2 10
1 45	2 25	East Saginaw	1 50	1 50	2 20
1 55	2 35	East Tawas	2 00	2 00	2 30
2 05	2 45	East Frankenmuth	2 10	2 10	2 40
2 15	2 55	East Frankenmuth	2 20	2 20	2 50
2 25	3 05	East Frankenmuth	2 30	2 30	3 00
2 35	3 15	East Frankenmuth	2 40	2 40	3 10
2 45	3 25	East Frankenmuth	2 50	2 50	3 20
2 55	3 35	East Frankenmuth	3 00	3 00	3 30
3 05	3 45	East Frankenmuth	3 10	3 10	3 40
3 15	3 55	East Frankenmuth	3 20	3 20	3 50
3 25	4 05	East Frankenmuth	3 30	3 30	4 00
3 35	4 15	East Frankenmuth	3 40	3 40	4 10
3 45	4 25	East Frankenmuth	3 50	3 50	4 20
3 55	4 35	East Frankenmuth	4 00	4 00	4 30
4 05	4 45	East Frankenmuth	4 10	4 10	4 40
4 15	4 55	East Frankenmuth	4 20	4 20	4 50
4 25	5 05	East Frankenmuth	4 30	4 30	5 00
4 35	5 15	East Frankenmuth	4 40	4 40	5 10
4 45	5 25	East Frankenmuth	4 50	4 50	5 20
4 55	5 35	East Frankenmuth	5 00	5 00	5 30
5 05	5 45	East Frankenmuth	5 10	5 10	5 40
5 15	5 55	East Frankenmuth	5 20	5 20	5 50
5 25	6 05	East Frankenmuth	5 30	5 30	6 00
5 35	6 15	East Frankenmuth	5 40	5 40	6 10
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5 55	6 35	East Frankenmuth	6 00	6 00	6 30
6 05	6 45	East Frankenmuth	6 10	6 10	6 40
6 15	6 55	East Frankenmuth	6 20	6 20	6 50
6 25	7 05	East Frankenmuth	6 30	6 30	7 00
6 35	7 15	East Frankenmuth	6 40	6 40	7 10
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6 55	7 35	East Frankenmuth	7 00	7 00	7 30
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