

# CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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## ATTENTION!

### SPECIAL PRICES.

For the next two weeks we will give special prices on

International Stock Food and Tobaccos.

Don't fail to inspect our complete lines of

Staple and Fancy Groceries, Confectionery and Crockery.

J. W. Heller & Son.

Ale Block,

## ANNUAL MEETING

Past Year a Prosperous One for The Baptist Society.

The annual business and church meeting of the Baptist Church was held on Monday at the church, which has undergone such extensive improvements during the past year. The members met at three p. m. for the transaction of business, the receiving of reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year. The clerk reported an addition of twenty-one members during the whole year. The treasurer reported:

On income for church expenses,	\$525.24
Building Fund,	981.35
Social Workers,	114.72
Missions,	10.00
Sunday School,	60.62
B. Y. P. U.,	30.32
<b>Total Income,</b>	<b>\$1,703.65</b>

Mrs. C. M. Seeley was re-elected clerk; J. S. McArthur, treas.; Miss Nellie Weaver, organist; and Jas. Pryke was chosen to fill the vacant post of trustee. At 5:30 the ladies served tea in the church to which a goodly company sat down. After tea a pleasing program was given. Speeches were made by Dr. Gifford and the pastor; music by the Misses McGregory and Fairweather; recitation by Miss Weaver and a male quartette composed of Messrs. Elliott, McArthur, Fairweather and Yakes, rendered three selections in grand style. Mrs. Fairweather presiding at the piano, kindly loaned for the occasion. This has been the best year in the history of the church. The church work has increased in interest and power throughout the year. The pastor has worked for the consolidation of every part of the work and his labors have not been without success, the membership feeling that they owe a great deal to his untiring effort. Perfect harmony and goodwill prevails throughout every department of the work. The church as a whole is greatly cheered at the present prosperous condition of things and hopes for even greater blessing the coming year, of which there are already signs.

### Alumni Banquet.

The Michigan Alumni Association of Cass City, recently organized, held a banquet at Hotel Gordon on New Year's Eve, which proved a very happy affair. Invitations had been sent to all graduates of the Michigan University in this vicinity, but several of them being doctors found it impossible to get away from their practices and only local members of the alumni were present. However, this did not lessen the joyousness of the occasion. Mine Host Kile acquitted himself finely and the boys were highly pleased with the cuisine. There were ten present and college songs went with a vim. Dr. G. M. Livingston acted as toastmaster and gave the address of welcome. Dr. J. H. Hays responded to "The Medical Department at Michigan;" P. A. Schenck to the "Dental Department." "A Few Thoughts About Ann Arbor," were given by E. W. Pinney, and Clark W. McKenzie, an invited guest, told of "That Minnesota Game." R. J. Brumm was asked to tell of "The University of Today," and was credited with giving the speech of the evening. "This said that the boys were responsible for the ringing of the church bells at the midnight hour, announcing the arrival of the New Year.

### A Charming Wedding.

One of the society events of the holiday season which has created no little ripple of interest to those immediately concerned, was the marriage of Emma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parr, Sr., to Hugh J. McDonald, two of Beasley's most estimable and highly respected young people and earnest workers in the M. E. church. The ceremony was performed on Christmas day at high noon, by Rev. F. Nichols, of Akron, a former pastor, the wedding march being charmingly rendered by Mrs. D. McDonald.

Holly and smilax formed the decorations, and under a canopy of this greenery, the bridal service was performed. The bride was gowned in white organdie, with trimmings of white satin and chiffon, and carried white carnations. The groom wore the conventional black. After receiving congratulations, a very elaborate wedding luncheon was served, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald leaving immediately for their new home near Greenleaf, where the groom is engaged in teaching. The bridal gifts were very beautiful and costly, showing the high esteem in which the young people are held. —Gagetown Times.

## The TUDOR-GEEDING CO.

To Give Third Number of Lecture Course Jan'y 15th.

On the evening of Thursday, Jan'y 15th, the Tudor-Geeding Concert company will give the third number of this season's lecture course at the Opera House. The personnel of the company is: Miss Bessie Tudor, soprano; Asa H. Geeding, barytone; Miss Jessie Straus, violinist; Mrs. A. H. Geeding, pianist. These four people are individually strong artists. Miss Tudor has a voice of delightful quality, extraordinary flexibility and remarkable range, which intelligent cultivation has brought under perfect control. She received her musical education under the noted teacher, David Davis. Mr. Geeding sings with splendid repose, and holds his voice under good control. The quality of his voice is musical and it is well sustained. His manner is earnest, and he has an extensive repertoire. There are few native-born violinists whose success has been so gratifying as has characterized the career of Miss Straus. Her ear is sensitive and has been so thoroughly trained that her intonation is always pure. She possesses the artist's temperament and seems to generate magnetism from her bow, which is admirable, while her musical intelligence is so bright that she gives a faithful interpretation to everything she attempts. Mrs. Geeding, as pianist, has earned a reputation by her interpretations of the works of the masters. She is also a soloist of exceptional ability and will uphold the high standing of the other members of the company.

Remember the date -Jan'y 15th.

### A Sincere Christian Gentleman.

In the life-book of Rev. Manasseh Hickey, now closed by death, there were those chapters which all of us must come to write, chapters of struggles, disappointments and shattered ideals; there are chapters of rewards and achieved ambitions. There are more than the usual number of chapters of happiness and contentment with his lot, for Mr. Hickey took a deep and broad view of life and charity was woven into his word and action. But there is one chapter of his life that cannot be written too often nor in too bold a type. It was his chapter of sincerity. He came to this state when society was chaotic. He took up his work for the cause of religion when there were no \$10,000 parishes or stone parsonages. He took a Christian spirit and a human sympathy into the poor and unpromising congregations. He worked for them and them alone. It was his sincerity. That sincerity did not leave him when recognition came. It did not leave him when incapacity robbed him of the pleasure of his chosen work. He was not a great man, not a brilliant man, not an ambitious man except in the things which he hoped for his fellow men. He was a man whom man is better for knowing, and the world is better for his having lived. His charity and sincerity will live after him. —Detroit Journal.

### Another Pioneer Gone.

Harden C. Downing, of Novesta township, passed away on Wednesday morning, Dec. 31st, after twelve weeks of suffering. Deceased was born in Livingston County, New York, in 1831, was married to Rhoda C. Bennett in 1852, and moved to Ohio in 1856, where he enlisted in 1862, serving faithfully for three years in the Civil War. He moved to this section in 1871, where he has resided ever since, excepting for three years which he spent in Texas and rig, making the entire journey thus. He was the father of thirteen children. His wife, one son and six daughters are left to mourn their loss. He was a kind husband and father and a respected citizen. He was converted when twenty-one years of age and united with the Baptist Church, remaining a member until his death. He was also a member, for twenty-nine years, of Tyler Lodge, No. 317, F. & A. M., and a member of Milo Warner Post, No. 232, G. A. R. The funeral was held on Friday afternoon, the Masonic brethren using their ritual service at the home and grave, and Rev. R. Weaver, conducting the service at the church.

BUCKWHEAT grinding every day at the Roller Mills, 12-25-tf.

FOR SALE—A good paying hotel and livery property at Turner, Mich. Or will exchange for Cass City village property or farming land near Cass City. See O. K. Janes. 11-6-

## We Want to Close Out

the following goods to get ready for inventory and spring goods.

The following prices will be good from January 5th to 10th inclusive:

<b>Men's Overshirts.</b>	<b>Listen! Don't you hear how loud these PRICES TALK on</b>	<b>Underwear.</b>
Regular 1.00, sale price..... 70	<b>Shoes.</b>	75c Union Suits, at..... 55
" 90 " "..... 60	Regular 3.50, sale price..... 2.49	1.50 " "..... 75
" 75 " "..... 50	" 3.00 " "..... 2.29	2.00 " "..... 1.50
" 50 " "..... 39	" 2.50 " "..... 1.89	All single piece 100 garments at 70
<b>All Prints at 4c a yard</b>	" 2.00 " "..... 1.59	" " 50 " " 30
<b>Blankets.</b>	<b>Outing Night-dresses.</b>	<b>Unbleached Cotton.</b>
Regular 60c, Sale Price..... 50	Regular 50c, sale price..... 39	Regular 5c, sale price..... 4
" 75 " "..... 59	" 1.00 " "..... 79	" 6 " "..... 5
" 1.00 " "..... 79	" 1.50 " "..... 98	" 7 " "..... 5½
" 1.35 " "..... 1.10		" 8 " "..... 6½
" 2.25 " "..... 1.79		

Don't overlook a pair of our ladies' \$1.50 Shoes "SPECIAL."

DON'T FORGET THE DATES.

LAING & JANES

## WATER WHEELS A SUCCESS

The Caro Electric Light Dynamo is Being Propelled By It.

Wednesday for the first time, the water at the big plant of the Caro Electric Light and Power company was turned through the big wheels and they began to revolve. The men in charge watched the operation with great interest and some anxiety as it was to tell the story of the success of the undertaking which has cost so much of time and money. The machinery started easily and ran smoothly from the first. The big dam has been filling for the last few days and at present lacks about three feet of flowing over the top. The rise of water is very slow as the area to be covered grows constantly larger as the water rises. It is almost impossible to realize the vast volume of water which will be held captive when at last the reservoir is full. The arc dynamo was connected to the wheels some days ago and late last evening the switch was turned from the old plant and the current started from the dam. There was no trouble or break and early risers this morning observed the street lights burning as a result of the tests which were in progress. Superintendent L. R. Peck states that the arc lamps will be run entirely by the new power tonight and the incandescents will probably be ready for New Year's night. No breaks or signs of weakness have been discovered in the dam since the last filling began and there is every reason to believe that the structure will give no further trouble. The successful completion of this great undertaking will mark another step in the progress of our city and the use of electric power in some of our manufacturing institutions is likely to take place in the near future. The water wheels as they now stand are capable of developing 200 horse power and ample room has been left for the addition of more wheels as they may be needed.—Caro Courier.

### When we vote as we Pray.

The demon will be brought to bay. Can any system of iniquity match this demon Rum of our nation for the dethronement of virtue, the degradation of the people and the destruction of the home? Answer it American Christians, in the light of existing peril and fight the monster because of what you owe to God and man. The devil is a factor in this great conspiracy. He is doing his best. His time is short. Truth furnishes arrows that pierce his armor. If we will do our duty, we can break the power of Rumism and deliver millions from its grasp and control. Before this is accomplished, there must be a mighty and general uprising against error and in behalf of the truth. Ministers, churches and free-men must be brought face to face with the peril that is ruining the peace of society and the purity of the home, we could have this great demon Rum ousted at our next election. Oh, Lord, hasten the day when all Christians will vote as they pray. George Burgoon.

Fine cream candies fresh made. CANDY KITCHEN.

WANTED—A TRUSTWORTHY GENTLEMAN or lady in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight, bona fide weekly cash salary of \$15.00 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses. Manager, 310 Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

## HAPPY NEW YEAR

While wishing our many patrons a Happy New Year we respectfully solicit a continuance of patronage.

## BOND'S DRUG STORE.

### DO YOU WANT TO DYE?

We have Diamond Dye, Perfection Dye, French Dye, Magic Dye and Putnam's Fadeless Dye.

### HOW IS YOUR LIVER?

We have Fritz's Little Liver Granules, Carter's Little Liver Pills, Lazy Liver Pills, Liver and Kidney Tea, etc.

Prescriptions and Family Recipes a Specialty.

## FRITZ'S DRUG STORE.

### No Time To Lose!

If we are to secure a cucumber salting station at this point, no time should be lost in offering the necessary acreage, as the company wishes to know by February 1st whether the acreage is forthcoming in order to make arrangements for the construction of the building. A number of farmers are interested and have been making inquiries, but we must urge the signing of contracts at an early date, else we may lose the opportunity as many other places are urging the company to locate stations with them. Contracts may be seen at this office and we will willingly give what information we have regarding the detail. Prompt action is needed. There is hardly a farmer that could not contract from one to five acres and the return would be most pleasing.

### Notice.

Having disposed of my business and practice to Dr. M. M. Wickware, I hereby notify all parties owing me on account to please call and settle at once.

D. G. M. LIVINGSTON.

George Kolb, an old and respected resident of Caro and a pioneer of Tuscola County, died Monday afternoon at four o'clock, aged seventy-one years. Deceased was born at Wurtemberg, Germany, October 7, 1831, and came to this country when twenty years of age, settling in New York state where he lived twenty years. He then moved to Wisconsin, where he was united in marriage to Miss Catherine Benkelman. In 1865 they moved to Tuscola county where he has since resided. His wife died in 1893, leaving nine children, one of whom, Henry, died in 1899. The surviving children are George and John, of Cass City; Mrs. Wagner, of Fremont; Mrs. Burk, Mrs. Hoyt, Mrs. Don, Miss Lydia Kolb and Mrs. A. J. Craw, of Caro. Short services were held Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Craw, after which the remains were taken to Cass City, where funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at four o'clock, the remains being laid to rest in the Cass City cemetery.—Caro Journal.

### Pointed Pins for People.

A "Revival" means more religions, not more numbers. There is no such person on earth as a "GOOD moral man." The devil seldom makes a fuss over a deathbed repentance. Backsliding is going to heaven by taking one step ahead to two backward! Sin is a bigger word than thief, drunkard, hypocrite, swearer or Sabbath-breaker.

It does not appear to be generally understood, but it is nevertheless a fact that one of the orders from the post office department in force at the local postoffice prohibits the acceptance of Canadian money in exchange for stamps or other postal supplies. This order is universal affecting all the postoffices in the country, but as Caro is so near the Canadian border the local office has more occasion to enforce the ruling than other offices not similarly situated. There is not a day goes by but what Canadian money is tendered in payment for stamps and the clerks on duty at the stamp window have long since become accustomed to hearing annoyed purchasers of postal supplies say uncomplimentary things about Uncle Sam because he has out Canadian money out of his financial bill of fare. But the ruling is there and the clerks must abide by it, and persons who would save themselves trouble and annoyance will do well to remember the anti-Canadian money ruling in going to the postoffice or sending their children after postal supplies, and see to it that they have the right kind of currency to tender in payment for the same.—Caro Advertiser.

### A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

### Farm for Sale.

If sold before March 8th, 80 acres five miles north of Cass City; all improved; good buildings. For information inquire on premises or address 1-8-8\* DUNCAN BARTLE, Cass City.

## We Can Supply Your Wants

in all lines of

Building Material at Bottom Prices.

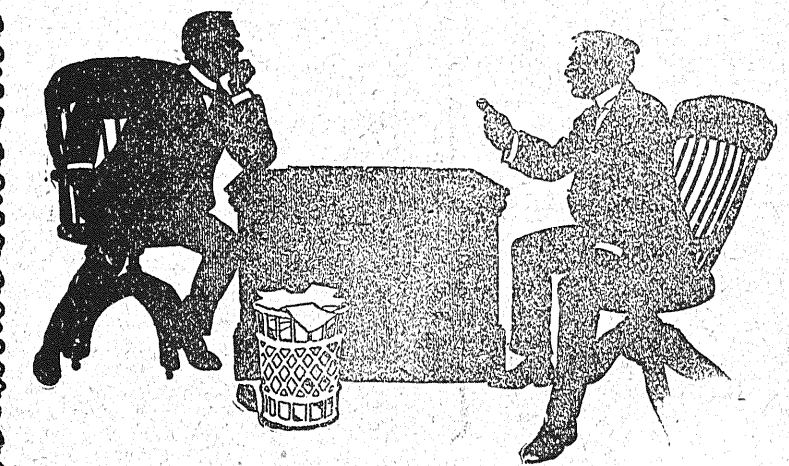
Our stock is complete and well selected. Not made up from odds and ends of different manufacturers. Our special attention is given to

High Grade Mill Work

which cannot be excelled.

This is why our stock of Mouldings and Interior Finish is taking the lead. We have had years of experience in the Building Trade. Our estimate man is at your service. Come in and tell us what is on your mind. We spare no pains to please you. Remember this is the Old Reliable Cass City Planing Mill and Lumber Yard.

Landon, Eno & Keating, Contractors and Builders.



## A CLUE!

Sherlock Holmes, the expert detective, has proven in his incomparable manner, simple deductions will bring to light, darkest intrigues. We are not in the detective business. It being doubtful that we could detect the smell of onions in a room. But we are in the

## Lumber and Coal Business

Having a complete line of

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Lime, Cement and Coal

It is said that Diogenes went abroad at daylight with a lantern "looking for an honest man". Had he been looking for honest goods at honest prices, (in our time), he would doubtless have made our yard his headquarters.

Call and be convinced.

CASS CITY LUMBER & COAL CO.

.....LIMITED.....

It is suggested that the way to reform football is to play football with the foot.

The sultan is doubtless an interested spectator of the joint effort to make Castro cough up.

It is a hopeful sign that more corporations did the Santa Claus act this year than ever before.

The cheapest thing in a dry goods store is the man who has to stand around and wait for his wife.

Prof. Charles Elliot Norton is having his portrait painted. "Sunny Jim" should be inserted somewhere.

The Spanish treasury is not expecting a deficit. Wonder of wonders! The age of miracles is not yet ended.

Still, when it comes to postponing the payment of bills Castro is a very good imitation of the Sultan of Turkey.

A corner in potatoes, as you were about to say, would simply mean that the consumer must dig deeper to get them.

In Kansas a woman was jilted by a man because she was a candidate for office against him and she won. So there now!

Marconi says that he has reached the height of his ambition. And the girl he was engaged to is married to another man.

Three hundred and fifty thousand cultured Chicagoans visited the fat stock shows, and there was glory enough for all.

They have found that the buckeye, properly prepared, is a wholesome and nutritious article of food. This is another Ohio idea.

In one point at least Venezuela rather has the start of us. She can have 104 separate societies of daughters of her revolutions.

The Sultan of Morocco is not bothering about the coal question. There is a pretender over that way who is making it warm for Muley.

A woman at the head of the greatest gun factories in the world will make the former references to the timid and gentle sex a trifle uncalculated.

Five Crows, an Indian chief in Oregon, drank himself to death. He will not be missed, as there are at least five Pat Crows scattered about the earth.

Two hundred and six English millionaires have died during the past year. And the world is running along just as smoothly as if they had been day laborers.

The New York paper which referred to Tom Reed's life as a failure would confer a favor by educating a few more statesmen to be similar failures. They're needed.

The Nile dam, which has been completed with the expectation that it will increase the wealth of Egypt \$120,000,000 annually, is a good thing, a very good thing.

The New Jersey mechanical engineer who has invented a method of converting the latent heat of the atmosphere into power ought to hurry up and get it on the market.

Detroit doctors stretched the neck of a gentleman in the hope of restoring him to reason. Thus are the methods adopted by far western vigilance committees ultimately utilized by science.

Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake says there are in this country 2,500,000 unmarried men who couldn't have wives if they wanted them. It is pretty hard, however, to set some bachelors to thinking.

Venezuela has had 104 wars in seventy years. The number would undoubtedly have been larger if it had not been for rain and darkness and other circumstances that were beyond human control.

A son of James J. Hill has been discharged from one of his father's offices because he was tardy in reporting for work. Here is one young man who does not seem willing to let the old man crown him king.

District Attorney Jerome says: "Give me the man who pulls off his coat and works far into the night." Mr. Jerome appears to be getting over his old dislike of new, sper men; or was it burglars he had a mind?

The young women of an Indiana telephone exchange struck with anger against the tyranny and oppression of their male employers and later returned to work, each with a nice box of candy. The tyrants must have smiled.

The steel trust is evidently making money when it can afford to pay \$45,000,000 for two steel plants without cutting off the payment of dividends to its stockholders. What a pleasant present a few shares of steel stock would make.

THE NEWS OF MICHIGAN.

New Road to the Thumb.

G. R. Lovejoy, of Lenox, is working up a scheme for a steam railroad, north and west through the "thumb" to Bay City, and has applied to the Detroit Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade for assistance.

Nichols Acquitted.

After being out one hour and a half, the jury in the Nichols case returned a verdict of not guilty Wednesday night. It was a popular verdict, the court room resounding with cheers when rendered.

Game Warden Report.

Game Warden Morse reports that in December, 136 complaints of violations of the game and fish laws were investigated, the result being 56 arrests, 40 convictions, 6 acquittals, and 2 dismissals.

Carroll's Mystery.

An unsuspected tragedy resulted from the fire which destroyed three workmen in Corunna last week. Business clearing away the debris came upon the skull and bones of a man who evidently lost his life in the blaze.

Shocking Mangled.

Ernest Trochenbrod, an employe of the Michigan Wood Pulp Co., was mangled in a shocking manner in a shocking manner in a shocking manner.

Nichols for Contempt.

The acquittal of George H. Nichols, of Ionia, in the Circuit Court at Grand Haven, on a charge of subornation of perjury does not entirely remove him as defendant in the alleged attempt at bribing F. H. Garman.

Michigan Cut Out.

It is admitted by coal dealers that the coal trust has cut Michigan out of the territory to be supplied with anthracite. This action was taken three weeks ago, and since that time hard coal has been withheld on the ground that Michigan residents have soft coal near them and can get plenty of this variety of fuel, while other states cannot.

How Was It Made?

At the meeting of the state board of assessors Friday to hear the protest of the Michigan Central railroad against its assessment, Attorney Henry Russel stated that according to the company's annual report the valuation of their property in Michigan is placed at \$27,000,000.

The Court Makes Money.

During the year just closed sufficient arrests were made and fines assessed and paid to net the municipal court of Sault Ste Marie \$1,200 over the entire expenses, including salaries and rental.

Willie Gray and Johnny Sutton.

Willie Gray and Johnny Sutton, of Lewistown, both aged 12 years, have been sentenced to the reform school for five years. They broke into a poor widow's house and destroyed her property.

Mrs. Fred Ferry, of Sault Lake City.

Mrs. Fred Ferry, of Sault Lake City, Utah, formerly Miss Mabel Eady, and a sister of Mrs. Fred Baker, both at one time residents of Menominee, is to benefit by the bestowal of an estate worth several million dollars.

A Social Sensation.

A social sensation has been caused by the announcement of the marriage of Miss Grace Smith, daughter of a prominent Niles family, to Roy Bloom, employed as a molder at the Beckwith Stone works, Dowagiac.

Stanton expects to have a pickle factory next spring.

The question of bonding for fire protection will be submitted to the voters of Lakeview at the spring election.

About three weeks ago triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cummings, of Williamston. All three of the children got along finely until Wednesday of last week, when two of them suddenly sickened and died, and Friday the third one followed them.

Henry L. Pratt, one of the oldest pioneers of the township of Riley in Clinton county, is dead at the age of 72 years. He came to Clinton county at the age of 21 from Lansborough, Mass., and had long been a well known citizen.

Who Was Killed First.

Heirs of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Penwarden, of Grand Rapids, who were killed in the Grand Trunk wreck last week, are lining up for a contest over the estate. The residence here is worth about \$5,000 and was held jointly.

Gov. Bliss arrived in Lansing Monday morning and went direct to the capitol and set to work on the revision of proofs of his message to the legislature, which will be read probably Thursday.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Squaw Gun, a Chippewa Indian, is dead at his home on Molasses river, aged over 100 years.

New York's postoffice receipts for 1902 were \$12,425,783, an increase of more than \$1,300,000 over 1901. The profit was \$8,021,764.

Geo. Allen has confessed that he stole two horses from the Weber farm near Grammer, and fired the barn to cover his crime.

The appointment of Henry E. Chase as deputy under Attorney General Blair was made Friday. He has held the position eight years.

Ex-Mayor Paterson, who has erected a six-story brick block in Flint, contemplates erecting an up-to-date opera house adjoining his proposed new hotel.

It is denied that the Marquette prison censors enter into competition with union labor or that the product of the penitentiary shop is sold within the state.

The Nashville council has granted a license for another saloon. For many years there has only been one saloon, though the town has nearly 1,200 inhabitants.

Prosecuting Attorney Brown announced that the result of the Nichols' trial will have no effect upon the trial of Wm. Leonard upon a similar charge.

Rev. J. B. McMichael fell dead in the pulpit of the United Presbyterian Church at Sault Ste Marie, Thursday night. He was formerly president of Monmouth, Ill., college.

While on his way to a train in Holland John Ackerman, a traveling man, was held up by two thugs, armed with revolvers. After relieving him of his grip and \$30 in cash they let him go.

A rear-end collision occurred on the Pere Marquette road at McCords, 14 miles east of Grand Rapids, Wednesday, by which two passenger trains were damaged and several persons injured.

The county clerk of St. Joseph issued last year 1,490 marriage licenses, 15 less than for 1901 and 20 more than the year previous and 400 more than in 1899, when the big marriage license run was started.

The torpedo boat destroyer MacDonough exceeded her contract requirement of 28 knots an hour in her trial spin off Provincetown, Mass., yesterday. She was built by the Fore River Ship & Engine Co., of Quincy, Mass.

Officer Herman Schmidt, of Bay City, shot and killed a man and wounded Edward Mundy while trying to arrest two members of a suspected gang of safe blowers, who had been charged on his death bed that it was his intention to shoot the officer.

"Topsy," the bad elephant, was electrocuted at Coney Island Sunday, after having first been given a dose of 200 grains of cyanide of potassium concealed in a carrot. A current of 6,000 volts was turned on through copper plates on which the animal stood. A big crowd witnessed the execution.

Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, says that during the week ending Dec. 27, compared with the preceding week, smallpox increased about 60 per cent in the number of places at which it was reported in Michigan.

Because of its mildness and its not being promptly recognized, it is believed that it will continue to spread.

Arthur Hughes, a Menominee woodsman, was seized with an acute attack of neuralgia while at work in the woods, and horse medicine was the only kind at hand. Almost instantly on applying the liniment began burning and before he could wipe it off it had left a blister everywhere on the face it had touched. One side of the face was left entirely devoid of skin.

For the first time in the history of the Connecticut river an attempt was made to blow up an ice jam. The bridge between Hartford and East Hartford was in danger of being swept away by the ice that extends to the river bottom. Twenty pounds of dynamite was used at each blast. When it was discharged, ice cakes were thrown 800 feet in the air.

John Hackel, of Newark, N. J., was preparing to fire a salute in honor of the new year, when the shotgun was prematurely discharged. Lena, Neidoff, Mrs. L. Neidoff, Mrs. J. Werna and Peter Werna were seriously wounded.

A Quarter Million.

Gen. H. M. Duffield and Daniel J. Campau, of Detroit; Justus S. Stearns, of Ludington; E. C. Anthony, of Negaunee, and Gen. B. D. Pritchard, of Allegan, constituting the soldiers' and sailors' monument commission appointed by Gov. Bliss in accordance with a joint resolution of the last legislature, have selected a design submitted by Lloyd Bros., of Toledo, for a monument to be erected in the state capitol grounds. The design calls for a granite shaft 107 feet high and 18 feet wide at the base. The commission selected a site at the southeast entrance to the state house grounds.

The estimated cost of the monument is \$250,000, but it is believed that it can be erected for a much less than that sum. The commission will recommend that the appropriation be limited to \$250,000.

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The county clerk of St. Joseph issued last year 1,490 marriage licenses, 15 less than for 1901 and 20 more than the year previous and 400 more than in 1899, when the big marriage license run was started.

The torpedo boat destroyer MacDonough exceeded her contract requirement of 28 knots an hour in her trial spin off Provincetown, Mass., yesterday. She was built by the Fore River Ship & Engine Co., of Quincy, Mass.

Officer Herman Schmidt, of Bay City, shot and killed a man and wounded Edward Mundy while trying to arrest two members of a suspected gang of safe blowers, who had been charged on his death bed that it was his intention to shoot the officer.

"Topsy," the bad elephant, was electrocuted at Coney Island Sunday, after having first been given a dose of 200 grains of cyanide of potassium concealed in a carrot. A current of 6,000 volts was turned on through copper plates on which the animal stood. A big crowd witnessed the execution.

Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, says that during the week ending Dec. 27, compared with the preceding week, smallpox increased about 60 per cent in the number of places at which it was reported in Michigan.

Because of its mildness and its not being promptly recognized, it is believed that it will continue to spread.

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THE NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Operators Take Revenge.

The Boston Commercial Bulletin, one of the leading and best informed financial papers in the east, which has always sympathized with the coal operators rather than with the miners, makes three sensational statements in an editorial: The operators are making the cost of the strike out of the consuming public because of the latter's sympathy with the striking miners, a sympathy which, from a later point of view, seems to have been misplaced, as witness the absolute inconsiderateness of the many holidays which these miners have taken since the strike was nominally declared off.

Our best information is that the strike is not settled and will be resumed with renewed vigor in the spring, and that the price of anthracite coal for the next few years will be abnormally high.

That the operators are making money is shown most conclusively by the fact that the market value of the stocks of the coal carrying roads.

Was a Bigamist.

It develops that Wilson Morton, of Chicago, one of the victims of the Wanstead, Ontario, wreck, was a bigamist. His first wife lives on Falls avenue in Toronto, and the second resides in Hamilton. The first marriage took place in Toronto in 1874, and the second in Hamilton in July, 1901.

The Hamilton woman was Miss Morley Mutton, and she married Morton on the strength of an alleged divorce obtained by the latter in Chicago. Morton's wife No. 1, on learning of her husband's death, lost no time in making a claim for the body, and the Grand Trunk authorities giving up possession, together with any documents and baggage, the body was brought to Toronto, and the funeral took place on Tuesday.

The Hamilton woman, who is only 22, is expected to claim the estate and also any damages that may be due from the Grand Trunk railway, on the ground that she was Morton's legal wife. Morton was about 52 years old.

White House Reception.

President Roosevelt's New Year's reception was one of the most brilliant events in Washington's recent social history. All callers were afforded the opportunity of greeting the president and Mrs. Roosevelt and exchanging with them the compliments of the new year.

No distinctions were made except such as were rendered necessary in the preservation of order; and the greetings extended to all high and low, rich and poor—were alike cordial and sincere.

The general public, for the first time, had an opportunity to see the widely heralded improvements in the White House—improvements which when completed will have cost about \$600,000. To many familiar with the interior of the mansion as it was a year ago the changes made were a revelation.

They Get Coal.

The investigations begun in Chicago Tuesday of the alleged conspiracy to hold back coal from consumers are bearing fruit, according to Attorney General Hamlin.

"There is more coal in the yards now than there was 24 hours ago," said he. "In fact, relief is coming so rapidly that I do not believe we shall be forced to begin any proceedings against the companies."

Cleveland Chamber of Commerce figures show that \$41,108 more tons of soft coal remained in the city in 1902 than in 1901. These figures refute the statement of the retail coal dealers, who have declared that it was the scarcity of coal which had increased the price.

Millions Couldn't Save Her.

Mrs. Wm. A. Clark, Jr., of Butte, Montana, died at 4:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mabel Foster Clark was born 23 years ago near Pittsburg, Pa. The daughter of John H. Foster, who came to Pittsburg nearly 17 years ago. On June 19, 1901, she was wedded to Wm. A. Clark, Jr., youngest son of Senator W. A. Clark. Her baby boy, for whom she gave her life, was born December 21, and won the \$1,000,000 offered by Senator Clark for his first grandson. The little one's condition is excellent.

She Is Dead.

Miss Stella Ewing, of Rome, N. Y., one of the ossified women who for 10 years have been living wonders to physicians and scientists, died Tuesday, aged 39 years.

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The project of building a chicory factory at Gagetonville is being again agitated.

Cholera is depopulating the Mora village on the east shore of Lake Lanau, Mindanao. The disease also prevails at Bacolod. At Macin the deaths average 50 a day.

Late Lively, W. I. Mann and Willis Brown, three boys, were drowned at Evansville, Ind., Thursday. They were sitting on a pond when the ice broke. Their bodies were recovered.

Sheriff Foster and posse, after a long running fight, captured James Mark and Wm. Evans, supposed to be the men who robbed the Mullhall, Okla., postoffice Sunday morning. One of the men had in his possession \$10,800 in cash, including \$243 in pennies.

Postoffice Discontinued.

The postmaster at Indianola, Miss., is Mrs. Minnie W. Cox, a colored woman. She served three years as postmaster under President Harrison. When President McKinley came in she was again appointed in 1897, nearly six years ago. Her character and standing in the community are indorsed by the best and most reputable people in the town.

Among those on her bond is the present democratic state senator from the district, together with the leading banker of Indianola and ex-state senator from the district, also a democrat. The postmaster and her husband own from \$10,000 to \$15,000 worth of property in Sunflower county. The reports of postoffice inspectors who have investigated the office from time to time show that she has given the utmost satisfaction to all the patrons of the office; that she is at all times courteous, faithful, competent and honest in the discharge of her duties. Her moral standing in the community is of the highest. Her reputation is of the best. Few offices of this grade in any state are conducted better.

For all this under threats from the lawless element who demanded it, she resigned. Her color was the sole reason of the threats. By direction of the president the following was sent to the postmaster: "The postmaster's resignation has been received but not accepted. In view of the facts, the postoffice at Indianola is closed. All mail for that place will be forwarded to Greenville. The case will be referred to the attorney-general."

If Cuba, Then Germany.

It has been indicated to the president that in the event of the ratification of the Cuban treaty a demand may be expected from Germany within 30 days for concessions similar to those accorded Cuba under the most favored nation clause. The German emperor regards Cuba as a nation foreign to the United States, and so far as that point is concerned, on all fours with Germany.

The request may take the form almost of a demand. If it be not granted, the fear is expressed that Germany may initiate legislation that will be inimical to the industrial development of the country.

The same argument is applied to other countries, Germany being used simply as an example of what may be expected of all of the great foreign nations with which the United States has extensive commercial relations.

The president, it is understood, still believes that the pending treaty with Cuba will be ratified.

President's Fencing Bout.

Callers at the White House Tuesday noticed that President Roosevelt had a mark over one eye that looked as if he had been splitting kindling wood and a splinter had flown the wrong way. Of course nobody asked him how it happened, but the facts of it are out just the same.

Gen. Leonard Wood, who was colonel of the Rough Rider regiment in the Santiago campaign, of which Roosevelt was lieutenant-colonel, is a very dear friend of the president. Wood and the president like athletic exercise and they have been having it by engaging in contests in one of the big rooms of the White House every evening, fencing with sticks.

Gen. Wood gave the president unintentionally a hard rap over the eye with his stick. That is why the president has a mark over his eye that amuses his friends more than Gen. Wood, who gave it to him.

Central America Activities.

The volcano of Santiago, about eight miles from Granada, is shooting out fire and at night illuminates the heavens for many miles.

Monotumbo, near the seacoast, is belching forth smoke and lava every half hour and at night forms a brilliant spectacle as its molten metal runs down the mountain side in a stream of fire.

The inhabitants of Guatemala City fear that the volcano at Atitlan will break out at any time.

The seacoast and ocean for many miles is strewn with pumice stone from the volcano Santa Maria.

King of Saxony Dying.

The German specialists who were called to attend the king of Saxony held a consultation Saturday and issued a bulletin declaring his condition to be critical. It is believed at Dresden that there is little hope for the king's living more than a few days.

The attending physicians are stimulating his majesty with quinine. The king's heart action is feeble and his temperature vacillates 51.2 degrees in half a day, falling to 92.1-2.

His majesty's condition has grown worse through the insistence of the patient in discharging government business.

Nine hours instead of ten hereafter will be considered a working day in all of the iron works of Portland, Ore., without any reduction of wages.

James H. Robin, president and principal stockholder of the bank of Silverton, Colo., has disappeared and the bank is closed. Its capitalization is \$30,000, liabilities \$300,000.

Unless union men are employed by the contractors now making alterations in New York's city hall, all union men employed on city work will be called out, tying up work on the new East river bridge, the new hall of records and all the new school houses.

A stereopticon gas tank exploded during a Christmas entertainment at the New York Evangelical M. E. church at Chicago. People were hurled from their seats and Louis Compuod, Mrs. Mary Linder and Peter Linder were seriously injured. Many others were badly bruised. A wild panic followed the explosion, men, women and children fighting to get out of the building.

Life of a Drunkard.

The first notable case under the licensing act, which went into effect Thursday, came up in a London police court Friday, when Sir Charles Allen Lawson, the Anglo-Indian newspaper editor and writer, applied for a summons against Lady Lawson, whom he described as a habitual drunkard. The summons was granted.

The new cables enable a husband or wife to secure a separation in the case of habitual drunkenness, and allows the police to arrest an inebriate anywhere except in a private house, whether disorderly or not.

Pacific Cable Goes.

The first section of the Pacific Cable Co.'s cable was completed Thursday night, when the two ends were brought together in Molokai channel, 35 miles from Honolulu, and Hawaii is now 2,000 miles nearer to the parent continent. A large crowd had gathered about the cable station there, and the announcement was received with cheers. Judge Cooper, representing Gov. Dole, who was absent from the island, sent a message to President Roosevelt announcing the opening and extending a greeting from the citizens of Hawaii.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The firemen of the city of Houston, Tex., have gone on strike for an increase in wages.

Traffic is at a standstill on the Northern Pacific at Tacoma. The chillook still prevails and water is pouring down the Cascades in torrents.

The St. Louis fair management learns that Ibrahim, the sultan of Johore, wishes to visit the fair of 1904, and tour the whole country.

The Pike, second of the Holland submarine torpedo boats to be built on the Pacific coast for the government, will be launched from the Union Iron Works at Frisco, Jan. 14.

# The Bow of Orange Ribbon

## A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK

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### CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued.)

"Come, friends and neighbors," said Joris cheerily, "I will sing you a song; and every one knows the tune to it, and every one has heard their vaders and their mothers sing it—sometimes, perhaps, on the great dikes of Vaderland, and sometimes in their sweet homes that the great Hendrick Hudson found for them. Now, then, all, a song for

MOEDER HOLLAND.  
We have taken our land from the sea,  
Its fields are all yellow with grain,  
Its meadows are green on the sea—  
And now shall we give it to Spain?  
No, no, no, no!

We have planted the faith that is pure,  
That faith to the end we'll maintain;  
For the word and the truth must endure,  
Shall we bow to the pope and to Spain?  
No, no, no, no!

Our ships are on every sea,  
Our honor has never a stain,  
Our law and our commerce are free:  
Are we slaves for the tyrant of Spain?  
No, no, no, no!

Then, sons of Batavia, the grade—  
The spade and the pike and the main,  
And the heart and the hand and the blade,  
Is there mercy for merciless Spain?  
No, no, no, no!

By this time the enthusiasm was wonderful. The short, quick denials came hotter and louder at every verse; and it was easy to understand how these large, slow men, once kindled to white heat, were both irresistible and unconquerable. Every eye was turned to Joris, who stood in his massive, manly beauty a very conspicuous figure. His face was full of feeling and purpose, his large blue eyes limpid and shining; and as the tumult of applause gradually ceased, he said:

"My friends and neighbors, no poet am I; but always wrongs burns in the heart until plain prose can not utter them. Listen to me. If we wrung the Great Charter and the right of self-taxation from Mary in A. D. 1477; if in A. D. 1572 we taught Alva, by force of arms, how dear to us 'was our maxim, 'No taxation without representation,'

Shall we give up our long-cherished right? Shall we bleed our fathers in vain? Do we fear any tyrant on fight?"

Shall we hold out our hands for the chain?  
No, no, no, no!

Even the women had caught fire at this allusion to the injustice of the Stamp Act and Quartering Acts, then hanging over the liberties of the Province; and Mrs. Gordon looked curiously and not unkindly at the latent rebels. "England will have foemen worthy of her steel, if she turns these good friends into enemies," she reflected.

The emotion was too intense to be prolonged; and Joris instantly pushed back his chair, and said, "Now, then, friends, for the dance. Myself I think not too old to take out the bride."

Neil Semple, who had looked like a man in a dream during the singing, went eagerly to Katherine as soon as Joris spoke of dancing. "He felt strong enough," he said, "to treat a measure in the bride's dance, and he hoped she would so far honor him."

"No, I will not, Neil. I will not take your hands. Often I have told you that."

"Just for to-night, forgive me, Katherine."

"I am sorry that all must end so; I cannot dance any more with you; and then she affected to hear her mother calling, and left him standing among the froward crowd, hopeless and distraught with grief.

### CHAPTER IX.

#### Katherine's Decision.

Joanna's wedding occurred at the beginning of the winter and the winter festivities. But amid all the dining and dancing and skating there was a political anxiety and excitement that leavened strongly every social and domestic event. The first Colonial Congress had passed the three resolutions which proved to be the key note of resistance and of liberty. Joris had emphatically indorsed its action. The odious Stamp Act was to be met by the refusal of American merchants either to import English goods, or to sell them upon commission, until it was repealed. Homespun became fashionable. The government kept its hand upon the sword. The people were divided into two parties, bitterly antagonistic to each other. The "Sons of Liberty" were keeping guard over the pole which symbolized their determination; the British soldiery were swaggering and boasting and openly insulting patriots on the streets, and the "New York Gazette" in flaming articles was stimulating to the utmost the spirit of resistance to tyranny.

Still in spite of this home trouble and in spite of the national anxiety, the winter months went with a delightful peace and regularity in the Van Heemskirk household. Neil Semple ceased to visit Katherine after Joanna's wedding. There was no quarrel and no interruption to the kindness that had so long existed between the families, but Neil never again offered her his hand; and such conversation as they had was constrained, and of the most conventional character.

As Hyde grew stronger he spent his hours in writing long letters to his wife. He told her every trivial event he commented on all she told him, and her letters revealed to him a soul so pure, so true, so loving, that he vowed "he fell in love with her afresh every day of his life."

One exquisite morning in May Katherine stood at an open window looking over the garden and the river, and the green hills and meadows across the stream. Her heart was full of hope. Richard's recovery was so far advanced that he had taken several rides in the middle of the day. Always he had passed the Van Heemskirks' house and always Katherine had been waiting to rain down upon his uplifted face the influence of her most bewitching beauty and her tenderest smiles.

As she happily mused, some one called her mother from the front hall. On fine mornings it was customary to leave the door standing open; and the visitor advanced to the foot of the stairs and called once more, "Lysbet Van Heemskirk! Is there naebody in to bid me welcome?" Then Katherine knew it was Madam Semple; and she ran to her mother's room and begged her to go down and receive the caller. For in these days Katherine dreaded Madam Semple a little. Very naturally, the mother blamed her for Neil's suffering and loss of time and prestige; and she found it hard to forgive also her positive rejection of his suit.

And towards Neil, Joris had a secret feeling of resentment. He had taken no pains to woo Katherine until some one else wanted her. It was universally conceded that he had been the first to draw his sword, and thus indulge his own temper at the expense of their child's good name and happiness. So, below the smiles and kind words of a long friendship, there was bitterness. If there had not been Janet Semple would hardly have paid that morning visit; for before Lysbet was half way down the stairs, Katherine heard her call out:

"Here's a bonnie coat of. But it is what a' folks expected. 'The Dauntless' sailed the morn, and Capt. Earl w' a contingent for the West Indies station. And who w' him, guess you, but Capt. Hyde, and no less? They say he has a furlough in his pocket for a twelve-month; more like it's a clean total dismissal. The guide ken it ought to be."

So much Katherine heard, then her mother shut the door of the sitting room. A great fear made her turn faint and sick. Were her father's words true? The suspicion once entertained, she remembered several little things which strengthened it. Her heart failed her; she uttered a low cry of pain, and tottered to a chair like one wounded.

It was then ten o'clock. She thought the noon hour would never come. Eagerly she watched for Bram and her father; for any certainty would be better than such cruel fear and suspense. And, if Richard had really gone the fact would be known to them. Bram came first. For once she felt impatient of his political enthusiasm. How could she care about liberty poles and impressed fishermen with such a real terror at her heart? Joris was tenderly explicit. He said to her at once: "The Dauntless sailed this morning. Oh, my little one, sorry I am for thee!"

"Is he gone? Very low and slow were the words; and Joris only answered, "Yes."

Without any further question or remark, she went away. They were amazed at her calmness. And for some minutes after she had locked the door of her room, she stood still in the middle of the floor, more like one that has forgotten something, and is trying to remember, than a woman who has received a blow upon her heart. No tears came to her eyes. She did not think of weeping or reproaching, or lamenting. The only questions she asked herself were: "How am I to get life over? Will such suffering kill me very soon?"

About two o'clock Lysbet went to Katherine. The girl opened her door at once to her. There was nothing to be said, no hope to offer. The mother did not attempt to say one word of comfort or hope, or excuse. She only took the child in her arms, and wept for her.

"I loved him so much, moeder."

"Thou could not help it. Handsome and gallant and gay he was."

"And he did love me. A woman knows when she is loved."

"Yes, I am sure he loved thee."

"He has gone? Really gone?"

"No doubt is there of it. Stay in thy room, and have thy grief out with thyself."

"No; I will come to my work. Every day will not be the same. I shall look no more for any joy; but my duty I will do."

They went downstairs together. The clean linen, the stockings that required mending, lay upon the table. Katherine sat down to the task. Resolutely, but almost unconsciously, she put her needle through and through. Her suffering was pitiful; this little one who a few months ago would have wept for a cut finger, now silently battling with the bitterest agony that can come to a loving woman—the sense of cruel, unexpected, unmerited desertion. So for an hour, an hour of speechless sorrow, they sat. The atmosphere was becoming intolerable, like that of a nightmare; and Lysbet was feeling that she must speak and move, and so dissipate it, when there was a loud knock at the front door. Katherine trembled all over. "To-

day I cannot bear it, mother. No one can I see. I will go upstairs."

Ere the words were finished, Mrs. Gordon's voice was audible. She came into the room laughing, with the smell of fresh violets and the feeling of the brisk wind around her. "Dear madam," she cried, "I entreat you for a favor. I am going to take the air this afternoon; be so good as to let Katherine come with me. For I must tell you that the colonel has orders for Boston, and I may see my charming friend no more after to-day."

"Katherine, what say you? Will you go?"

"Please, mijn moeder."

"Make great haste, then." For Lysbet was pleased with the offer, and fearful that Joris might arrive, and refuse to let his daughter accept it. She hoped that Katherine would receive some comforting message.

"Stay not long," she whispered, "for your father's sake. There is no good, more trouble to give him."

"Well, my dear, you look like a ghost. Have you not one smile for a woman so completely in your interest? I promised Dick this morning that I would be sure to get word to you."

"I thought Richard had gone."

"And you were breaking your heart that is easy to be seen. He has gone, but he will come back to-night at eight o'clock. No matter what happens, be at the riverside. Do not fail Dick; he is taking his life in his hand to see you."

"I thought he had gone—gone, without a word."

"Faith you are not complimentary! I flatter myself that our Dick is a gentleman. I do, indeed. And, as he is yet perfectly in his senses, you might have trusted him."

"When will Richard return?"

"Indeed, I think you will have to answer for his resolves. But he will speak for himself; and, in faith, I told him that he had come to a point where he would be no longer responsible for his actions. I am thankful to own that I have some conscience left."

The ride was not a very pleasant one. Katherine could not help feeling that Mrs. Gordon was distraught and inconsistent; and, towards its close, she became very silent. Yet she kissed her kindly, and drawing her closely for a last word, said, "Do not forget to wear your wadded cloak and hood. You may have to take the water; for the councillor is very suspicious, let me tell you. Remember what I say—the wadded cloak and hood; and good-by, my dear."

"Shall I see you soon?"

"When we may meet again, I do not pretend to say; till then, I am entirely yours; and so again good-by."

The ride had not occupied an hour; but, when Katherine got home, Lysbet was making tea. "A cup will be good for you, mijn kind." And she smiled tenderly in the face that had been so white in its woeful anguish, but on which there was now the gleam of hope. And she perceived that Katherine had received some message; she even divined that there might be some appointment to keep; and she determined not to be too wise and prudent, but to trust Katherine for this evening with her own destiny.

That night there was a meeting at the town hall and Joris left the house soon after his tea.

For an hour or more Katherine sat in the broad light of the window, folding and unfolding the pieces of white linen, sewing a stitch or two here, and putting on a button or tape there. Madam passed quietly to and fro about her home duties, sometimes stopping to say a few words to her daughter. When Lysbet was ready to do so, she began to lay into the deep drawers of the presses the table-linen which Katherine had so neatly and carefully examined. Over a pile of fine damask napkins she stood, with a perplexed, annoyed face; and Katherine, detecting it, at once understood the cause.

(To be continued.)

### BOTH HOOKED SAME FISH.

And the Incident Caused Bad Feeling Between Anglers.

Funny things happen in bass fishing. Toward the close of the season William Hammeyer of Winneconne, Wis., was fishing from a boat with his friend, G. B. Hamilton of Peru, Ind. They were on Fox Lake and fishing was not good, which made them eager.

Hammeyer got a strike, fastened his fish and began to reel in strongly, determined to land his catch without less of time. Hamilton got a strike and did the same thing. They had been an hour without a bite and had no leisure or inclination to watch one another. The first fish after an hour's casting is apt to get on the nerves.

When the bass was close to the boat Hammeyer discovered that he was bringing in his friend's line and said:

"We're tangled! Let out a little line till I get this fish in."

Hamilton discovered the tangle at the same time and said the same thing. They glared at each other and reeled furiously.

With a jerk that ought to have loosened all of its scales a pound bass came out of the water. Hammeyer's weedless hook was fastened in one side of its jaw, Hamilton's was fastened in the other. They lifted the bass in and looked at one another. They agreed without words to call it a partnership fish.

Both men had cast at the same instant, and their baits had struck the water close together. Reeling in the baits had come within a couple of inches of each other. The fish either struck both baits at once or it struck one of them, felt the pain from the hook, slung its head to one side and got the other hook.

## The Future of Irish Art

Great Painter Enthusiastic Over Its Prospects—Dublin to Be the Center of a World-Colony of Painters.

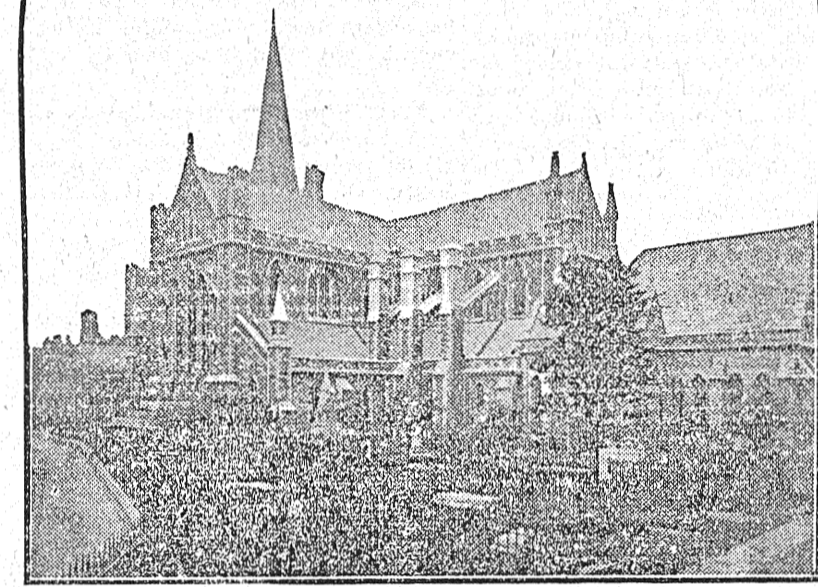
(Special Correspondence.)



B. YEATS, portrait painter and Irish patriot, looks forward to the day when Dublin will be the home of a celebrated colony of artists.

"This light was made for painters," he declared. "We escape the gloom of London here and we are in the midst of people among whom artists like to live. Our whole environment, animate and inanimate, quickens the artistic instinct."

Mr. Yeats asserts that the Irish people are poetical and sympathetic and have a large capacity for the ideal. "They love the things of the mind," he said.



St. Patrick's Cathedral.

"Go into our schools and witness the splendid energy there. See our boys studying. They are looking forward to great careers. One Irish boy says, 'I'll go to London and become a judge,' another, 'I'll be a big doctor,' another, 'I'll go to India and make a name,' or 'I'll be off to Persia and become a grand vizier,' another, 'I'll write a volume of essays or poems or compose a song or paint a picture.' The English boys say, 'I'll go into my uncle's office,' or 'I'll go into trade and make a fortune.' Hence the English boy's dull plodding and perfunctory devotion to study. The career held out to the English boy makes him a drudge and crushes the poetry in himself; the career held out to the Irish boy makes him work light-heartedly and stimulates his powers of mind and soul."

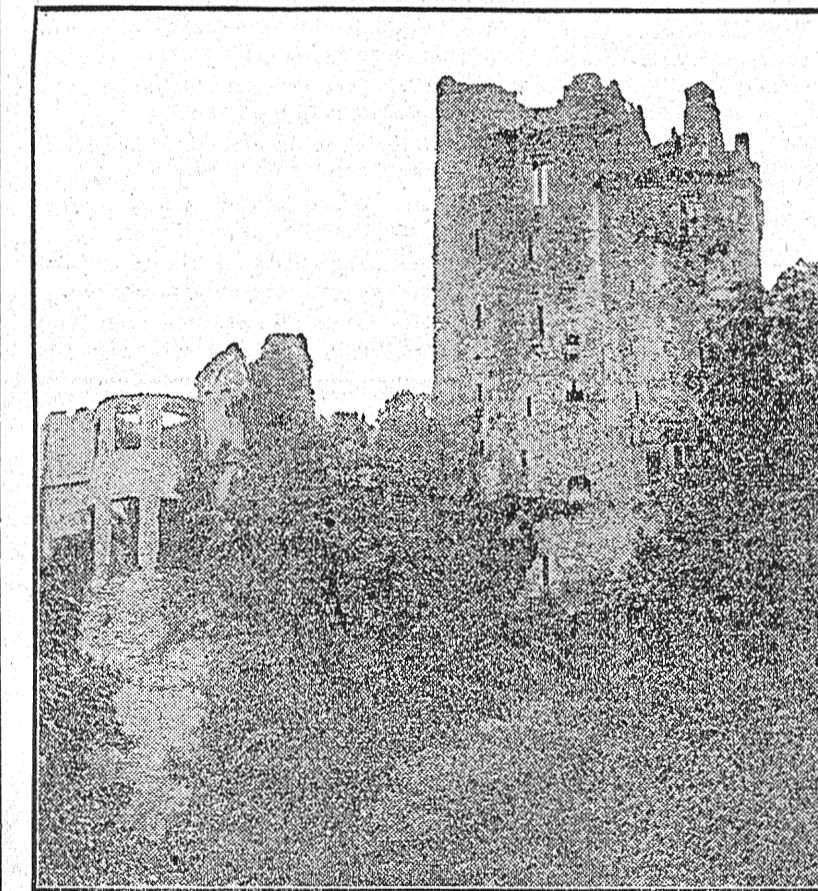
Great things seem to Mr. Yeats to be in store for Ireland when the Catholic element in the country attains efficiency in practical things. "It will be a glorious country then," he affirmed. "The Catholics are full of longings and poetic musings, but they are slack, inefficient. The Protestants are without imagination, save the imagination of oratory, but they are great administrators, they are highly efficient. Catholic Ireland is awakening. We must keep commerce out of the art-crafts—silver work, furniture, stucco, glass and mezzotint engraving—done in Ireland up to just

artistic temperament. He likes the architecture, the statues, the parks and such stately thoroughfares as Sackville street, where rise the O'Connell statue and the Nelson pillar. The Bank of Ireland, Trinity College and St. Patrick's Cathedral are thought to offer fine specimens of the type of structure that gives to the Irish capital the aspects that please the artistic eye and nourish artistic talent.

The best hopes for Irish art are the leading portrait painters and a most accomplished artist. W. Orpen, though little more than a boy, has made a name in London with his intensely moralized Hogarthian painting and drawing.

The suburbs of Dublin have wonderfully improved within the past twenty years, and with their many fine buildings and remarkably well-kept streets, they may almost be said to constitute at present the chief of the many attractions which the stranger is wont to admire. The outlying townships of Rathmines and Rathgar, Kingstown and Pembroke, Clontarf and Dalkey, are all inhabited by persons engaged in the commerce of the city.

In wealth and commercial importance the capital of Ireland is increasing yearly, and architecturally its beauty is being steadily added to. The venerable buildings of famous old Trinity College, rich with the memories of the famous Irishmen who have graduated from its halls to win distinction in all walks of life, are partic-



Blarney Castle.

ularly attractive to the visitor and are pointed to with pride by every native of the city. The population may safely be put at 400,000 and is steadily advancing, the emigration from the island not seeming to affect the residents of the capital. No spot in Europe is more worthy the attention of the tourist than the chief city of the Emerald Isle.

Traffic on Elevated Railroads. Last year the New York elevated railroads of Manhattan carried 223,427,283 passengers.

The Kaiser's Christmas Gifts. The Kaiser spent last year over \$90,000 in Christmas presents.

### REED'S METHOD OF WORK.

Would Postpone It to the Last Minute for Light Literature.

Many stories are told illustrative of Reed's methods of work. He was extremely fond of what is called "light literature" and would postpone work on a task he had before him to the last possible moment in order to finish some story or romance. He always managed to get up steam, however, in time to complete his work.

For weeks before his graduation from college he was buried in the treasures of fiction contained in a friend's library. The number of speakers for commencement day had been changed that year from fifteen to ten, and Reed was reminded of the fact by a college mate.

"Time enough yet. Why I have five weeks!" he answered.

"But the other fellows have been working five months!"

"Never mind," he answered as he went on with his reading. "I'll have a place on the program." And he did so, standing fifth on the list of commencement orators.

Next to fiction he was fond of oratory. He was a student of parliamentary law and of oratory long before he himself became an authority by the publication of the standard works, "Reed's Rules" and "Modern Eloquence."

Another time Reed was asked to contribute an article to a magazine by a certain date. As usual, he put it off. Finally the last night of the allotted time arrived, and Reed sat down at his desk, intending to scribble off an apology for his inability and a refusal to write the article. Suddenly an idea occurred to him. He wrote feverishly until after 2 o'clock the next morning and finished the article in the one sitting.

### WAS SIMPLE WHEN EXPLAINED.

But Phonetic Spelling of Name Puzzled Hotel Clerk.

The man walked up to the hotel register and signed his name, with a flourish, "E. K. Phtholognyrrh." "Look here, Turner," said the clerk, who knew him very well, "is somebody on your track? Where did you get that outlandish name?"

"My boy, you're slow," replied Turner, airily. "That's my same old name written in plain English and pronounced as it is written—just Turner. Look at it. Of course I do it just to make people guess. They wonder about my nationality and the pronunciation of my name. I can hear them talk about it. But, as I said before, it's English spelling."

"Will you kindly explain?" asked the clerk.

"Phth, there is the sound of 'u' in 'phthisis,'" began Turner; "'olo,' there is the sound of 'ur' in 'colonel,' 'gn,' there is the 'n' in 'gnat,' 'yrrh' is the sound of 'er' in 'myrrh.' Now if that does not spell Turner what does it spell?"

"Well," said the clerk, "it is lucky that the majority of men don't register their names phonetically."

### Charity Richly Rewarded.

Henry Douglas, an ice wagon driver of Paducah, Ky., cast his bread upon the waters, to some purpose. He learned recently that a man he befriended two years ago has left him the snug sum of \$5,000. In 1900 a boy tramp, known as "Greasy Jim," struck Paducah sick, penniless and hungry. Douglas gave the lad clothing and food and a place to sleep. In a few weeks the youth was well again and left town. A few days ago Douglas received news that James Holman, a soldier in the Philippines, who died in a Manila hospital, had named him as his next friend. This recalled to Douglas's mind that "Greasy Jim's" last name was Holman. He later received a formal notice from an insurance company that the soldier Holman had left a life insurance policy to the amount of \$5,000, Douglas being named in the policy as beneficiary.

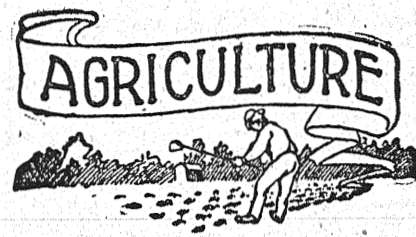
### The French Academy.

The French academy is one of the five academies, and the most eminent, constituting the institute of France. It was founded in 1635 by the Cardinal Richelieu, and reorganized in 1816. It is composed of forty members, the new member elected by the remaining thirty-nine members for life, after personal application and the submission of their nomination to the head of the state. It meets twice weekly, at the palace Mazarin, 23 Quai Conti, Paris, and is "the highest authority on everything appertaining to the niceties of the French language, to grammar, rhetoric and poetry, and the publication of the French classics." The chief officer is the secretary, who has a life tenure of his position. A chair in the academy is the highest ambition of most literary Frenchmen.

### Tidal Waves in Harness.

A proposal is on foot a Hikuraki, in New Zealand, for the utilization of the tidal waters of the place in the generation of electricity. The plan is to build a tunnel through a narrow neck of land at Pelorus sound, eighty-eight feet in length. The rise and fall of the tide at this place varies from six feet and seven feet to ten feet and eleven feet, and the tunnel would, it is said, command 50,000 acres of tidal water. It is not stated how the power would be generated, but presumably the tunnel would be made below the level of the lowest ebb tide and turbines would be installed at either end of the tunnel. The scheme has been taken up by a local company, which has a capital of \$375,000.

Let him that would move the world first move himself.—Socrates.



Treatment for "Bogus" and Marsh Land.

From Farmers' Review: The astonishing demand for farm land during the past few years has produced great activity towards improving swamp and marsh land. What we once considered worthless peat marshes, are now by the aid of the spade and dredge being converted into tillable farms. All down the eastern part of Illinois and northwestern part of Indiana are hundreds of acres of this sort of territory that is undergoing transformation. This land, after being drained, is of a loose friable condition with all the appearance of a good crop producing ability. But from some quarters we hear complaints that land of similar composition belies its appearance by producing grain of inferior quality. Corn grows to an amazing height, producing a great yield of stover, but an unsatisfactory amount of ears, of which an unprofitable percentage are "nubbins." Oats on the same soils make a wonderful growth, and a few weeks prior to the harvest, one, judging from their appearance, would estimate the yield at from 60 to 100 bushels per acre. But just before harvest the oats become "straw fallen," lodge and otherwise make tedious work for the binder. A close inspection reveals short heads with grain that is inclined to be chaffy, and the yield below our estimate one-half.

These tracts are not confined to Indiana and Illinois. In every state can be found tracts of this unproductive black lands, varying from a few square rods to hundreds of acres. It is well known that "bogus" land, sometimes incorrectly called "alkali," for it has none of the real characteristics of a soil improved by drainage, a chemical analysis shows it to be abnormally rich in nitrogen, due to the large amount of partially decomposed organic matter. In fact, in some areas organic matter makes up the greater part of the material. An analysis of this soil shows it to contain over 2 per cent nitrogen, 1/2 per cent phosphoric acid, but only 1-10 per cent of potash.

The uninitiated often think commercial plant food is to be used only on worn and exhausted lands, and to fertilize black soil is extravagant and foolish. Yet experiments made at different agricultural experiment stations show that the great salvation for these soils is kainit. Kainit is a crude potash, containing 12 per cent actual potash, chloride magnesium and chloride sodium, and seems to be a natural mixture to correct the irregularities of this soil. This should be applied in liberal amounts. Nine years ago the Indiana station in its experimental work on such soil used a ton of kainit per acre, and the good effect can still be noted.

It need not generally be applied in such large amounts, but in the above mentioned experiment, land that produced practically nothing, gave an average yield of 54 bushels of corn per acre for four years. The kainit cost \$20 in Indiana, delivered and distributed and the returns for the first four years was \$76.80. In the case of small areas of unproductive soil in the field, it is the custom of farmers to plow and plant these patches the same as the productive parts of the field. The treatment of these tracts with kainit will render the labor applied to these places effective. While lime can sometimes be used to an advantage on raw muck land, it does not seem to mix readily with this bogus land.—D. I. Duncan.

### Hessian Fly in Indiana.

Prof. Troop, of the Indiana Experiment Station, in a bulletin to the press, says: Responses have been received from 185 correspondents to date representing eighty-six counties. Of these seventy-three counties report the fly as doing more or less damage. Thirteen counties report no fly, which may or may not be true, as it has frequently happened that one man has reported no fly and another man living in another section of the county has reported it as doing considerable damage. Those counties reporting no fly are Lake, Allen, Whitley, Jasper, Newton, Blackford, Warren, Vermilion, Owen, Sullivan, Knox, Starke and Scott. Those which have not reported at all are Elkhart, Wells, Adams, Bartholomew, Jefferson and Pike. Forty-six counties report the damage to wheat as ranging from fifteen to seventy-five per cent of the crop. Twenty-four counties report only slight damage; the greatest amount of damage is reported from the central and southern counties. (In Decatur county fifteen-two larvae were found in one plant.) In sixty-five counties in which the fly is found, the wheat was sown before September 25, while in eight counties it is found, in wheat grown after September 25th, but in only one after October 1st. Twenty-seven varieties of wheat are mentioned as being grown in the infested districts, and no one variety is mentioned as being more free from attacks than others.

Agricultural education is a thing that the farmer can no longer afford to ignore. In the past ignorance has collected a greater tax from the farmer than have the town, county, state and national governments combined.

# Cass City Enterprise.

An independent newspaper published every Thursday by A. A. P. McDowell, Main Street, Cass City, Tuscola Co., Mich.

**Advertisements.**  
All changes of advertisements must be sent to this office no later than Wednesday noon of each week, else they can not be inserted in that week's issue. Reasonable rates are charged for display advertisements. Local notices in our paid local columns are five cents per line for first insertion. Notices of festivals, lectures, concerts and all entertainments of a money-making character are 25 cents a line. Resolutions of respect are charged for at the rate of one dollar for each insertion. Cards of thanks are twenty-five cents for each insertion.

The wide circulation of the ENTERPRISE in the counties of Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac, makes it valuable advertising medium.  
A. A. P. McDowell,  
Proprietor.

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Physician and Surgeon. Offices in new Ala Block. Residence, Seegar street, four doors south of New Sheridan. Phone 15.

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office and residence over Auten's Bank, Cass City. Office hours: 11 a. m. to 3 p. m.; 7 to 8 p. m. The hours will be observed as strictly as possible. Can also be found in office at other times unless engaged in outside calls.

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## Societies.

**I. O. F.**  
COURT ELKLAND, No. 828, I. O. F., meets on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month in their hall in the Campbell block, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.  
WILLIAM MESSNER, C. R.  
A. A. P. McDowell Rec. Sec. 3-11-97

**I. O. O. F.**  
CASS CITY LODGE, No. 208, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited.  
A. A. P. McDowell, A. W. Truesdell, N. G. D. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

**K. O. T. M.**  
CASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.  
A. A. P. McDowell, Rec. Sec. S. H. RICE, Commander.

## Church Directory.

**BAPTIST**—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting Monday evening. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening.  
Rev. H. WEAVER, Pastor.

**EVANGELICAL**—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting at 6:30 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. All are invited.  
Rev. L. BRUMM, 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 m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening.  
Rev. M. W. GIBSON, Pastor.

**PREBYTERIAN**—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.  
Rev. S. JACKSON, Pastor.

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"When the butter won't come put a penny in the churn," is an old time dairy proverb. It often seems to work though no one has ever told why.

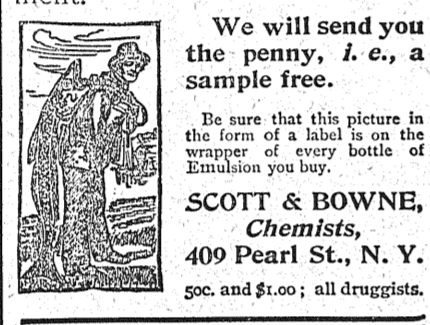
When mothers are worried because the children do not gain strength and flesh we say give them Scott's Emulsion.

It is like the penny in the milk because it works and because there is something astonishing about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply a milk of pure cod liver oil with some hypophosphites especially prepared for delicate stomachs.

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For all weak and pale and thin children Scott's Emulsion is the most satisfactory treatment.



We will send you the penny, i. e., a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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409 Pearl St., N. Y.  
50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

## Novesta

M. H. Quick went to Caro Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Ora DeLong is able to be around again after her serious illness.

Miss Lottie Raff, of Yale, is visiting at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. R. Warner.

School started in the different districts around here Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

All the holiday visitors have returned and settled down to work again, feeling better after taking a short rest.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hamilton and family moved to Caro last week. Sorry to have them leave the neighborhood, but wish them success in their new undertaking.

Rev. R. B. Brown, of Yale, preached in the schoolhouse Monday evening to a small congregation. The elder should have a larger crowd as he is a plain and forcible speaker.

## TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## Wickware.

Harry Sansburn visited Darsie Bond last week.

Miss Mina Bradley visited Maude Gracy Sunday.

Mr. Carson exchanged horses with Wm. Loney Monday.

Mrs. Durkee has gone to North Branch to visit friends.

Frank Sansburn has gone to the lumber woods to work.

Mr. Herrington made a business trip to Cass City Monday.

Mort Keyser entertained a number of young people Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Herriman has gone to Ypsilanti to visit friends for a few weeks.

Miss Ida Burt left for Mt. Pleasant Monday, where she will attend school.

Mrs. E. Sansburn and daughter, Ziza, visited Mrs. George Bond Sunday.

A baby girl came to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brown Monday morning.

For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Warranted to cure. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

In order to show off the rare qualities of his old plug, an Amadore man got out of his buggy and held his horse while a train went by. When he got ready to start again, he found his ancient nag was fast asleep dreaming of clover as high as his back.—Lexington News.

## CASTORIA

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## Pingree

Rosella Chambers is visiting friends near Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. George Emery called at Mr. Fox's this week.

Mrs. M. Rumohr, of Parkhill, Ont., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. McInnes.

Ethel and George Brackenbury visited friends north of the city last week.

Mrs. Chambers is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Cooke, and her brother Mr. Garbet.

Miss Etta Mark, who has been very ill with inflammation of the lungs, is gaining slowly.

Frank Chambers has returned home from St. Mary's hospital, Saginaw, and is improving slowly.

Miss Rose Towle has returned to Ann Arbor after spending the holidays at her home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffert and children visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chambers, this week.

On New Year's night a quiet wedding took place at the home of George Agar, when Frank McCreary and Miss Ethel Agar were united in marriage by Rev. N. Kiteley. Only the immediate friends were present. The young couple are highly esteemed and their friends extend to them the most hearty congratulations.

The crowned heads of every nation, The rich men, poor men and misers All join in paying tribute to DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

H. Williams, San Antonio, Tex., writes: Little Early Riser Pills are the best I ever used in my family. I unhesitatingly recommend them to everybody. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Torpid Liver, Jaundice, malaria and all other liver troubles. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Wilmot.

Ella Hart has mumps.

Mrs. Coan is some better this week. Harlow King went to Detroit Monday.

Mrs. T. Pritchett, of Sanilac, visited relatives here Wednesday.

Wm. Franklin, formerly living here, but who has been at Alberta the past two years, is here on a visit.

Mrs. Bertha Green, of Port Huron, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graves and son, Herb Jeffery and J. Graves, of Sanilac, were called here by the death of their relative, Mrs. Ben Graves.

While working on the hay press at R. Jeffery's last Friday, Bert Maule received a blow from the sweep which resulted in a compound fracture of one leg below the knee. He is doing nicely. Dr. Hanna is attending him.

Henry Ogden, Mrs. H. Shumaker and Mrs. Ed Farrell received a message from Ionia Monday stating that their brother at that place had dropped dead that day. Mr. Ogden and Mrs. Farrell attended the funeral which was held at Lapeer.

After a severe illness lasting four days, Mrs. Sarah Graves departed this life Friday evening, January 2nd, and her many friends and relatives mourn their loss which came so suddenly. Besides her husband, three little ones are left to mourn, the youngest ten weeks old. She also left two sisters and one brother. The funeral took place Monday morning and the remains were laid to rest in the Kingston cemetery.

All d'sases start in the bowels. Keep them open or you will be sick. CAS-CARETS act like nature. Keep liver and bowels active without a sickening griping feeling. SIX million people take and recommend CAS-CARETS. Try a 10c box. All druggists. 11-21-'01.

## West Greenleaf

Last week's correspondence.

Oh: for a little more snow.

James Souden has a friend from Grand Rapids visiting him.

Mrs. Barney Hill was the guest of Mrs. Stanley Jones Sunday.

Miss Ethel McDowell, of Cass City, is visiting at Wallace Gilbert's this week.

The Misses Eunice Chase and Millie Hiltz attended services at the Town Hall Sunday.

Wallace Gilbert has let the contract to Messrs. Rowley and Bennett for cutting down the north half of one of his fine sugar bushes.

We see by the Greenleaf correspondent that Ed. Jackson called on his best girl there Sunday. We think they must be mistaken, either that or Ed. has two best girls—Nuff said.

The Ladies' Aid Society of this place will meet with Mrs. Morrison Jones on Thursday, Jan. 8th, at 10 o'clock. All the members are request to be present as there is work to be done. Visitors are cordially invited.

John Schmitt has sold his farm, Wallace Gilbert having purchased the forty with the green timber on, and James Souden takes the forty with the buildings on. Mr. Schmitt has not decided yet where he will locate.

The Christmas entertainment given at the Stone schoolhouse on Christmas eve by Miss Sarah McLellan and pupils proved a success. The program was a fine one, and the tree was laden with presents and every one seemed to enjoy themselves. Santa Claus acquitted himself in fine style.

## Beauley.

James Grenache has moved his family to Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Parr, Jr., entertained friends on New Year's day.

J. L. McDonald and family, H. J. McDonald and D. McDonald and family spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. James Dando, at Gatetown.

Alvia A. McDonald writes from Seattle that he was presented with a gold watch and chain on Christmas by his uncle, A. A. Young, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McDonald attended services in Bad Axe Sunday where evangelists, Mr. and Mrs. Reece, are holding revivals. Bad Axe is shaken to the center. Never had the like before: two churches crowded; farmers lunch in the basement so as to be able to attend all the meetings.

The Grant M. E. Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. R. Parr last week and elected their officers for this year. President, Mrs. John Moore; vice pres., Mrs. John L. McDonald; sec'y, Mrs. R. Parr; treas., Mrs. J. Russell. The Aid has always been very helpful in the church here. God bless our Ladies' Aid.

Our Christmas entertainment was a grand success. The proceeds were \$14.45. Many of the presents were costly. John Moore was presented with a china tea set by the school; Rev. Peeden, driving gloves; Mrs. D. McDonald, silver fruit dish and pickle dish for organist; D. McDonald, driving gloves from his class; John McDonald, driving gloves from his class; Mrs. R. Parr, Jr., fur coat; Mrs. R. Parr Sr., parlor rocker; D. McDonald, gold watch from Mrs. McDonald; and many others received costly presents. The entertainment was one of the best for years.

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Caro.

A young son at Mr. Horeshower's.

Miss Anna Belle Dann is visiting in Ohio.

Miss Ethel Ash spent her vacation at St. Johns.

Miss Mable McBride has returned to Bay City.

Miss Laura Seely is visiting friends in Minnesota.

Mrs. Jas. Howell has returned from a visit at Marine City.

Miss Abby Springer has gone back to school at Ypsilanti.

William Wright, of Elmwood, did business here on the 5th.

Grant Parker, of Elmwood, was in town the first of the week.

L. E. Butler, of Ellington, was in town on business Monday.

Kirk McPhail, of Scottville, spent a few days of last week here.

M. A. Smith, his wife and son, Fred, spent Monday at Elmwood.

Frank Guilds and wife, of Elmwood, did business here on the 5th.

F. Huffman and wife, of Indianfields, were Caro callers on Monday.

John Groh has sold his property on Gamble street to J. F. Seelye.

Miss Grace Renton is entertaining friends from Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Miss Grace Scott has returned from Wells, where she spent her vacation.

Mrs. Albert Willis, who spent two weeks here, the guest of friends, has

returned to her home at Elmer.

Miss Jessie Smith has returned from a two weeks' visit at Elmwood.

Dr. William Morris, of Gatetown, was here on business Wednesday.

S. F. Dean and wife, of Elmwood, were in town the first of the week.

Miss Pearl Groh, who has been spending a week at Pinconning, has returned home.

Sabin Hooper, of New York, was the guest of his parents, Jerry Hooper and wife, Christmas.

School commenced on Monday morning, January 5th, after a two weeks' vacation.

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Kodol does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or over-loaded. Kodol supplies the natural juices of digestion and does the work of the stomach, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol digests what you eat and enables the stomach and digestive organs to transform all food into rich, red blood. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

**Bay Port.**

Mrs. Wm. McLeish is on the sick list.

G. L. White spent Thursday in Saginaw.

Miss Edna Cobb, of Caseville, is visiting her sister, Miss Dilly.

Misses Nell and Belle Wallace returned Monday to Alma, where they are attending college.

Mrs. Heath and daughter, of Petoskey, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Ballard.

Miss Vina Dowkes returned to Bay City Friday to continue her course at the Bay City Business College.

W. H. Sparring and Miss Watie Wooden returned from their two weeks' vacation Friday to resume their duties in our public schools.

Alfred Wise underwent an operation Tuesday, performed by Drs. Harrington, of Bad Axe, and McDowell, of this place, during which the fingers of his right hand were taken off.

Mrs. Crist Houck died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Byron Brackenbury, after an illness of four months. She leaves five children:—Crist, John, Mrs. Brackenbury, of this place, Mrs. M. C. Carrington and Mrs. Robert Adams, of Caseville. The deceased was esteemed by every one who knew her and her presence will be greatly missed.

Last week's correspondence.

Major Campbell and wife, of Caro, are visiting friends in town.

Miss Rowe, of Caseville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Meyer.

Mrs. Burt Vaughn, of Saginaw, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Wallace last week.

Mrs. Smith, of Saginaw, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Tiley, last and this week.

Mrs. M. H. Tanner spent part of the Christmas holidays with her mother, of Bay City.

Chas. Kosanke has secured a position in the Sugar Beet Co.'s office at Sebawaing.

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Frank Inoscho is dead at East Day-ton, aged 67 years. Mr. Inoscho was one of the pioneers of Tuscola county, coming from New York nearly fifty years ago. He served his country with honor and distinction throughout the civil war.

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### Cedar Run

Last week's correspondence.

Don't forget the spelling school Jan. 9th.

H. Becker's, of Novesta, spent Christmas at E. F. Stone's.

Miss May Sanborn is spending a few days with E. F. Stone's.

Mrs. W. A. Lookwood is enjoying a visit from her father, of Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith are visiting in the southern part of the state.

Chas. McComb attended the teacher's meeting at Saginaw this week.

L. H. Huffman's returned from a week's visit at Millington on Saturday.

Geo. Wood, of Manchester, Iowa, was visiting at J. Spittler's part of last week.

Florence Webster, who has been in Caro some time, spent Christmas at home.

Cecil Warner and Miss Stone, of Novesta, spent Christmas at J. M. Dodge's.

J. P. Hendrick, of Rose Island, is home for the present, being sick but is some better at this writing.

The scholars of Cedar Run school gave a Christmas tree and a nice program was rendered on Christmas eve.

We hope the Enterprise staff, one and all, had a merry Christmas and wish them a happy and prosperous New Year.

John J. Hayes and Ola Hendrick were married Dec. 24th at Caro and took the train for Ypsilanti for a short visit with relatives. Congratulations will be in order when they return.

Frank Seely and Sophia Perry were married Christmas day at the home of the bride. They also went on a bridal tour. We congratulate both couples and may they live long and prosper.

One Hundred Dollars a Box is the value H. A. Tiedale, Summerton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients, relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

### Shabbona

School opened Monday, January 5.

Three of Paul Brown's children are on the sick list.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. E. Hyatt this week.

Miss Nettie Smades left Tuesday for her home in Saginaw.

Mrs. Cameron is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Rev. Kiteley will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday at 3 p. m.

Misses Susie and Lillian Davidson returned to Port Huron Wednesday.

Dr. Truesdell has returned from a visit to his "alma mater" at Kingston, Ont.

Mrs. Ridley is entertaining her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Severance were presented with a son and heir on the 23rd ult.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, on the 29th of December, a daughter.

Miss Jennie Cullen is home from Wolverine, where she has been for the past year.

Mrs. Eastman is very ill with broncho-pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Boyce.

Rev. McMillan preached to a large and appreciative audience in the M. E. church Sunday afternoon, January 4th.

Walter Bishop, of Deckerville, has been spending a few days in Shabbona in the interests of the John Hancock Life Insurance company.

Married, on the evening of January 1st, at the home of George Agar, foster brother of the bride, in the presence of the immediate relatives, Miss Ethel Booker and Frank McGregory. We extend best wishes for a happy voyage through life.

Geo. Allen has confessed that he stole two horses from the Weber farm near Grassmere, and fired the barn to conceal his crime.

### Wonderful Nerve

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In addition to a full treatment of the Venezuelan situation, the editor of the Review of Reviews, in his January number, discusses the most important of the questions immediately before Congress, together with current municipal problems as illustrated in various American cities at the beginning of the new year.

### Don't Worry.

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The rapid advancement made by a new department of our postal service is well brought out in an illustrated article on "The Rural Free Delivery Service," contributed to the Review of Reviews for January by Day Allen Willey. It will be news to many that it is now seriously proposed ultimately to establish a free delivery of mail to every farmhouse in the United States.

### Unconscious From Croup.

During a sudden and terrible attack of croup our little girl was unconscious from strangulation, says A. L. Spafford, postmaster, Chester, Mich., and a dose of One Minute Cough Cure was administered and repeated often. It reduced the swelling and inflammation, cut the mucus and shortly the child was resting easy and speedily recovered. It cures Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure inserts in the throat and chest and enables the lungs to contribute pure, health-giving oxygen to the blood. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

About 2 o'clock Tuesday morning Joseph Underwood, eighteen years old, and two companions returned to Port Austin from a dance at Underwood. When they reached home Underwood was nearly insensible. To conceal his condition from his parents his companions took him to one of their barns, put him in a stable and covered him with blankets. When his comrades went to the barn at eight o'clock that morning he was dead.

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Mendon, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Ellsworth Centers who lived at Juniata station last September and who gave the officers such a chase while being arrested for assault and who has been in the county jail since his arrest in September, was adjudged insane at the Probate Court in Caro last week and on Monday morning was taken to the Pontiac asylum by Sheriff Blinn. He has been an inmate of the asylum on two previous occasions, being sent there from Genesee county. He was considered a dangerous person to be at large.—Tuscola County Pioneer.

### Tried to Conceal it.

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Charlie Davis met with an accident on Wednesday of last week that has confined him to the house since. He was in the loft of the barn after some hay for the horses when he fell to the lower floor, and in falling quite a large hole was torn in his abdomen. He is getting along as well as could be expected but it will be some time before he will be entirely recovered.—Minden City Herald.

### Domestic Troubles.

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### A Marvelous Invention.

Wonders never cease. A machine has been invented that will cut, paste and hang wall paper. The field of inventions and discoveries seems to be unlimited. Notable among great discoveries is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It has done a world of good for weak lungs and saved many a life. Thousands have used it and conquered Grip, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Consumption. Their general verdict is: "It's the best and most reliable medicine for throat and lung troubles. Every 50c and \$1.00 bottle is guaranteed by T. H. Fritz, Druggist, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston. Trial bottles free.

Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Ferguson Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The Caro Courier states that the officers have ousted the slot machines from the saloons and hotels there. We cannot help wondering how long they will stay ousted. County officers have ousted the machines in different localities in the county but have winked at them being replaced and they continue to reap a harvest of nickels.

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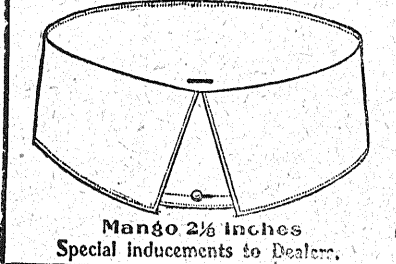
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## Happenings of Importance During The Twelve Months Just Ended.

### Coal Strike the Event of the Year of the Most Far-Reaching Importance—Public Sentiment Thoroughly Aroused Over the Controversy.

The year of 1902 opened with the assured certainty of the early coming of peace in the Philippines and South Africa, and with the date for the establishment of an independent government in Cuba already determined. The Congress of the United States was rapidly approaching the favorable determination of its great problem of the construction of an isthmian ship canal and about Germany and England were almost ready for combined action against Venezuela the matter of those same nations which in the concluding year of the year have been the cause for a new strain in the interpretation of the Monroe doctrine. But as the year progressed the greatest of these matters possessed for the people of the United States such vital importance as another event, which was far from being foreseen at the time, and which, when it came, gave at the start little reason to suspect what its course and conclusion would be. This was the great strike in the anthracite coal mines of Pennsylvania, which lasted through the summer and fall.

It was not merely that this was one of the greatest strikes in the history of the United States for the number of men engaged, the length of its duration and the obstinacy with which it was fought, nor was it because of the mere fact of the inconvenience and loss occasioned by it to the public; nor yet because in securing its settlement the President of the United States was forced to take control of the situation by acting in a manner for which there was nothing in the constitution or custom of the land to give justification. Beyond all these things the strike was the most pregnant event of the year, because of the way it crystallized sentiment on the part of the great body of the American public—the consumers—who were concerned in it neither as employers nor as laborers, but who were forced, by the jeopardizing of their interests as consumers, to intervene for their own protection.

The strike began May 12, and the miners of the great strike in the anthracite coal mines of Pennsylvania, which lasted through the summer and fall. The mine owners organized in the most thorough monopoly in the country, and represented by the presidents of the coal carrying railroads, seemed to welcome the strike, and to have no objection to all proposals of arbitration, from whatever source. Whether their attitude was dictated by a desire to obtain larger holdings of stock in a demoralized market, or to make possible permanent higher prices for coal, or from a deep antagonism to organized labor, was a matter only for speculation on the part of outside observers. Through the strike there has arisen as one of the greatest among the great figures of American history, that of John Mitchell, the young leader of the Mine Workers' Union, who June 17, at Indianapolis, prevented the bituminous coal miners from striking in sympathy, who carried on the strike with less accompanying violence than was ever known in so great industrial disorganization before, and who, by his personal and personal aggression from his opponents' methods, maintained a serenity that helped not a little in the clear-sighted progress which was made to ultimate victory. With the finding of President Roosevelt's commission of arbitration next spring came the end, as far as its immediate incidents are concerned, of an industrial struggle that would never have been had the representatives of capital showed the moderate and sane to their agreements and as intelligent in their views as did the representatives of labor.

### Independence of Cuba.

Of the two great events of the year in connection with the treatment by the United States of the islands that fell under its influence as a result of the Spanish war, the first was the inauguration of independent government in Cuba. The Cuban independence day, when President Palma took control of the executive of the nation, and the college and passed after young Alfonso attained his majority and became king of Spain in fact. The popular election had been held Dec. 31, 1901, and the voters had chosen the island's president Feb. 24, The American military governor, Gen. Leonard Wood, lowered the American flag and left the island to its own resources.

### Peace in the Philippines.

The Philippine Islands were declared by proclamation of the President July 4, to be in a state of peace and quiet and worthy of the establishment of the civil in place of military government, for which Congress had provided. With this went a proclamation of amnesty to political offenders and civil administration began.

### The Year's Legislation.

Of national legislation during the year there was none of more importance to either the commerce or the naval power of the country than that authorizing the construction of an isthmian ship canal. After much discussion of the relative merits of the Panama and the Nicaraguan routes, Congress made provision for a \$200,000,000 bond issue and passed a law which gave President Roosevelt the power to decide upon the route.

Of other legislation of the year the national irrigation act, turning over the revenues from the national domain for the use of a comprehensive scheme of irrigation and the creation of a permanent census bureau are to be noted. To relieve the congestion of an ever-accumulating surplus, Congress removed the last of the war revenue taxes and passed the largest river and harbor bill in the country's history—appropriating \$65,000,000. A 10-cent tax on gold and silver oleomargarine, so heavy as practically to cut that industry in half, was imposed.

### End of the Boer War.

The Boer war brought to an end May 31 by the signing at Pretoria by

the Boer representatives, together with Lords Kitchener and Milner, of a document embodying terms of surrender. The Boers' persistence in the conflict which they had insisted when they were ready to yield more than a year before. They had not been holding out for independence, but for clemency for their leaders and for the return to South Africa of the Boer prisoners on English islands. They gained these things and also the gift of \$15,000,000 in cash to be used in the restoration of their agriculture, and promises of further loans as they needed them, together with the assurance that self-government on colonial lines would be rapidly granted them.

### The Venezuela Imbroglio.

At the beginning of the year Germany and England were acting in harmony on a plan to compel Venezuela to pay a few millions of debts due their subjects. It was understood they had given the United States assurances that they would not in any way overstep the limits set by the United States in the Monroe doctrine. Their plans were dropped during the spring and summer,

however, while President Castro of Venezuela found himself busy in suppressing a rather more than usually pretentious revolution. In the last month of the year German and English fleets suddenly appeared off Venezuelan ports, sank Venezuelan ships and announced their intention to blockade the ports and seize the customs to make good the debts. Arbitration at The Hague was not wanted by the European powers, as they feared Castro would pay no heed to a decision against him, and for the reason a proposal was made to President Roosevelt to become the arbitrator. The vital feature of this demand was that it sought to impose on the United States some responsibility under the Monroe doctrine, along with the authority admitted to it. Upon the refusal of President Roosevelt to act as arbitrator, the allied powers finally yielded to his urgent suggestion that the matters at issue be referred to The Hague tribunal for settlement.

### Matters of General Interest.

Of matters of other than political or industrial import during the year two which will be at once thought of are the sending of the United States expedition for the fostering of scientific research and investigation and Cecil Rhodes' great gift of his fortune by will to the University of Cape Town. The message across the ocean by the Marconi system was one of the great achievements of the year. The first signals were sent from Cornwall, but in December they were followed by complete messages from Lord Minto, governor general of Canada,

to King Edward and to the king of Italy. In the matter of the navigation of the air some progress was made, as notably when Stanley Spencer sailed thirty miles across London in September. The year witnessed one of the greatest disasters in history during the volcanic activity in the West Indian islands, when Mont Pelee's eruption on Martinique killed, with a handful of exceptions, every living being of the city of St. Pierre, 40,000 souls. The response of America to the story of suffering was such a prompt creation of both government and private relief funds as to add an additional great surprise to the many who had been still more grief-stricken in the last few years.

### Decrease in Lynchings.

The lynchings reported in 1902 show a most gratifying decrease, being but ninety-six as compared with 135 in 1901. Of these lynchings eighty-seven occurred in the South and nine in the North. Of the total number eighty-six were negroes, nine whites and one Indian. One woman was lynched in South Carolina.

### Fire Losses in 1902.

The total fire losses of 1902 will be about \$154,000,000, which is an improvement in the situation as compared with 1901. The decrease in the fire waste would have been still more had not for several large fires in December. The losses this year of \$100,000 and upwards reached a total of \$75,000,000.

### Disasters in the United States.

The following table gives the loss of life resulting from disasters of various

## Terrible Disaster at Martinique the Most Appalling Calamity.

kind in this country during 1902 as reported:

Fires	1,540	Mines	818
Drowning	2,098	Cyclones	481
Explosions	628	Storms	481
Falling Build-	295	Electricity	131
ings, etc.	419		

### Trusts Formed During the Year.

New trusts, with a total capital of almost \$4,000,000,000, were formed during 1902. Of this vast capital over seven-eighths, or approximately \$3,700,000,000, was the capital of the combines formed in New Jersey, New York, Delaware and Maine. The other companies were scattered over all the other states. The total is only about \$200,000,000 below the total of the trusts formed during the year 1901, when the billion dollar steel trust and the \$400,000,000 Northern Securities Company were formed.

### King Edward's Coronation.

What was expected to have been the most gorgeous spectacle of modern times was the coronation of King Edward VII of England at Westminster Abbey on June 26. In anticipation of the event the British Empire had been preparing be-

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fore 1902 began and the end of the Boer war was even more welcome, because it enabled Edward to don his crown in a time of perfect peace. As the days drew near the Ambassadors from the farthest ends of the earth came to London, already overcrowded by visitors from all lands. The ceremonial, retaining nearly all the mediaeval formalities, were carefully planned and minutely rehearsed, the public rushed eagerly to buy seats erected along the line of march and the nobility of the realm concerned themselves with the ceremony in the Abbey. The king came up to London in very ill health. On the 24th of June he took to his bed, and on the following day a colic of the most eminent physicians and surgeons of the realm determined that an operation was necessary to save him from death of an ailment closely resembling appendicitis. On the 25th Sir Frederick Treves performed the operation, and for many days the King hovered between life and death. Coronation gavel gave place to gloom, thousands of visitors, including some of the Methodists churches North and South, nor of the Northern and Southern Presbyterians, but progress has been made. The project for bringing together the Congress of the United Brethren and protestants and the United Brethren has made hopeful advance.

### Religious Movements in 1902.

There has been perhaps nothing more striking in the religious history of the year just closed than the disposition of religious bodies of different names to "get together" in the practice, prosecution of their work. Nothing decisive has yet come of the movement for a union of the Methodist churches North and South, nor of the Northern and Southern Presbyterians, but progress has been made. The project for bringing together the Congress of the United Brethren and protestants and the United Brethren has made hopeful advance. Finally, the year has been one of generous giving. The most remarkable single instance is found in the Methodist church. Three years ago, on "watch night," there went out from a Springfield, Conn., church, the Methodist dollar fund for the development of Methodist religious and educational work. Dec. 31, in the same church, to the people assembled for the annual conference, was made the official announcement of the completion of this noble fund. It is a great achievement, which fittingly crowns the closing year.

### The November Elections.

The general elections of November 4 resulted in the election of the Fifty-eighth Congress as follows: Republicans, 208; Democrats, 178.

November 4.—Of the states in which United States Senators are to be chosen the following elected Republican legislators: California, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, New Hampshire, New York, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin. Democratic legislatures were chosen in Colorado, Florida, Missouri, Nevada, North Carolina and South Carolina. The following state governors were elected: Alabama, William D. Jelks (Dem.); California, D. George (Rep.); Colorado, James H. Peabody (Rep.); Connecticut, Abram Chamberlain (Rep.); Idaho, John T. Morrison (Rep.); Kansas, William J. Bailey (Rep.); Massachusetts, John L. Bates (Rep.); Michigan, Aaron T. Bliss (Rep.); Minnesota, Samuel R. Van Sant (Rep.); Nebraska, John H. Fry (Rep.); Nevada, John Sparks (Dem. Silver); New Hampshire, Nahum J. Bacheiler (Rep.); New York, Benjamin B. Odell, Jr. (Rep.); North Dakota, Frank B. Rowley (Rep.); Pennsylvania, Samuel W. Pennypacker (Rep.); Rhode Island, Dr. L. F. C. Garvin (Dem.); South Carolina, Duncan C. Heyward (Rep.); South Dakota, Charles N. Herrold (Rep.); Tennessee, James B. Frazier (Dem.); Texas, Samuel W. T. Lanham (Dem.); Wisconsin, Robert M. LaFollette (Rep.); Wyoming, De Forest Richards (Rep.).

\*Re-elected.

New York City gave a Democratic plurality of 121,000.

### Prince Henry's Visit.

Four days later and on the same day Mrs. Stone was released. February 23, Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of Kaiser William of Germany, landed in New York and as the nation's guest was accorded a rouser welcome. He had never given a foreign visitor. He came to represent his brother at the launching of his yacht, the Meteor, built by an American firm and christened by Mrs. Almeda Roosevelt at Shooter's Island, New York, February 25. On the 27th the Prince, his suite and the diplomatic corps at Washington attended a session of both Houses of Congress in the Senate Chamber, at which Secretary of State Hay delivered his memorial address in eulogy of the late President McKinley. During the remainder of his visit the Prince's special train bore him westward, as far as St. Louis, Milwaukee and Chicago, south as far as Chattanooga, where a brief but enthusiastic welcome awaited him at every stop. He sailed for home on March 11, leaving a pleasant impression of himself behind and bearing with him a favorable idea of America.

### Troubles in China.

To the story of 1901 belongs the bloody "Boxer" riots in Peking, the bloody occupation of Tien-Tsin and Peking by the allied forces of Russia, England, Germany, France, Austria, United States, Italy and Japan. The flight of the Empress Dowager with her grandson, the Emperor, and the rest of the Chinese court and the tedious negotiations attending the settlement occurred in the preceding year, but it was not until January 7 that the remarkable woman who dominates the government of China returned to Peking. With all show of graciousness and reassuring messages to the foreign diplomatic court reassembled within the Forbidden City, arrangements were made for the payment of the indemnities to the powers and a withdrawal of the allied soldiers was discussed. This evacuation was delayed because of fear created by Russia's attitude in Manchuria.

Indigestion, congested liver, impure blood, constipation, there are what afflict thousands of people who do not know what is the matter with them. They drag along a miserable existence; they apply to the local doctors occasionally, and sometimes obtain a little temporary relief, but the old, tired, worn-out, all-gone, distressed feeling always comes back again worse than ever, until in time they become tired of living, wonder why they were ever born, and why they are alive unless to endure constant suffering.

To such sufferers there is a haven of refuge in Dr. August Koenig's Hamburg Drops, which was discovered more than 60 years ago, and which is a wonderful medicine. One trial will convince the most skeptical that any or all of these difficulties may be removed, and a perfect cure effected, by taking Dr. August Koenig's Hamburg Drops. Get a bottle at once, before it is too late.

### His Only Chance.

One day, a few years ago, Mr. O'Brien, a land agent in the west of Ireland, met a countryman, and, having heard of his marriage, saluted him with:

"Well, Pat, so you have taken to yourself a wife?"

"'Tis your honor," said Pat, touching his hat, "I have."

Mr. O'Brien looking comically at him, said:

"Well, here I am, and I can get no one to take me, and I feel very lonely sometimes."

Pat, looking confidential, said:

"I think I can put yer honor in the way."

"How, Pat?"

"Do as I did; go where you are not 'nown.'"

### His Household Goods.

When Mark Twain was a young and struggling newspaper writer in San Francisco a lady of his acquaintance saw him one day with a cigar box under his arm looking in at a shop window. "Mr. Clemens," she said, "I always see you with a cigar box under your arm. I am afraid you are smoking too much." "It isn't that," said Mark. "It's my moving again."

### Spreading the Good News.

Whatcom, Wash., January 5th.—Mrs. A. M. Ferguson who came here from Winnipeg, Manitoba, relates how that great destroyer of Kidney Complaints, Dodd's Kidney Pills first reached the extreme North West corner of the United States:

"I had used Dodd's Kidney Pills for what the Doctors pronounced Bright's Disease in Winnipeg." Mrs. Ferguson says, "And the disease disappeared entirely. That was about three years ago and I enjoyed good health till about two years later when I removed to Whatcom.

"Whether it was the change of climate I can't tell but my old trouble returned in full force. My legs were swollen to nearly twice their size. I could not go up or down stairs for about two months.

"My husband hunted Whatcom for Dodd's Kidney Pills but could get none till a Druggist sent away and got them for him.

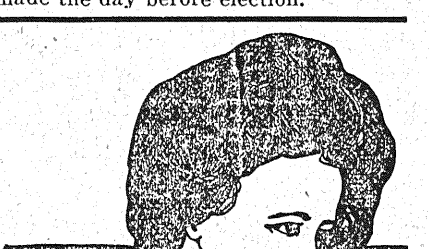
"I began to get well as soon as I began taking them." Others in Whatcom have learned to know and appreciate Dodd's Kidney Pills.

The flower of love may be fairest when the frost of hate strikes it. The craving for external glory will shut you out of the eternal glory.

### ARE YOUR CLOTHES FADED?

Use Red Cross Ball Blue and make them white again. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

A great many people never hold a candidate responsible for statements made the day before election.



### Mrs. Emmons, saved from an operation for Ovaritis, tells how she was cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I am so pleased with the results I obtained from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I feel it a duty and a privilege to write you about it.

"I suffered for over five years with ovarian troubles, causing an unpleasant discharge, a great weakness, and at times a faintness would come over me which no amount of medicine, diet, or exercise seemed to correct. Your Vegetable Compound found the weak spot, however, within a few weeks—and saved me from an operation—all my troubles had disappeared, and I found myself once more healthy and well. Words fail to describe the real, true grateful feeling that is in my heart, and I want to tell every sick and suffering sister. Don't dally with medicines you know nothing about, but take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and take my word for it, you will be a different woman in a short time."

—Mrs. LAURA EMMONS, Walkerville, Ont.—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your case which you do not understand. She will treat you with kindness and her advice is free. No woman ever regretted writing her and she has helped thousands. Address is Lynn, Mass.

## REVIEW OF YEAR 1902 THE CHIEF EVENTS

### JANUARY.

- 1—First election day in Cuba.
- 2—Steamer Walla Walla lost; 41 lives.
- 6—Jean de Block, Russian economist, died.
- 7—Emperor returned to Peking.
- 8—New York tunnel collision; 15 killed.
- 10—Nicaraguan bill passed, house.
- 11—Nixon, Tammany hall leader, died.
- 14—British warship Condor lost; 130 lives.
- 17—Earthquake Chilpancingo, Mexico; 300 killed.
- 21—Aubrey de Vere died, London.
- 24—Treaty signed ceding Danish W. I.
- 27—Explosion in N. Y. subway; six killed.
- 28—Admiral Kimberly died, Newport.
- 29—Fleet St. fire, nine dead, Boston.
- 30—Fire at Norfolk, Va.; \$500,000 loss.
- 31—Prof. Williams, Ohio Wesleyan University, died.

### FEBRUARY.

- 2—\$2,000,000 fire, Waterbury, Conn.
- 8—Fire Paterson, N. J.; \$5,000,000 loss.
- 10—Fire Springfield, Ohio; \$900,000 loss.
- 11—Anglo-Japanese alliance.
- 12—Marquis of Dufferin died, London.
- 13—Fire South Mills, N. C.; \$500,000 loss.
- 15—William West, minister, died.
- 17—Senate ratified Danish treaty.
- 18—War revenue reduction passed.
- 18—Rev. Newman Hall died, London.
- 18—Kellough sanitarium, Battle Creek, burned; \$485,000 loss.
- 20—Troops shot rioters, Barcelona.
- 20—Fire New York city; \$750,000 loss.
- 21—Bishop Latane, Baltimore, died.
- 22—Park Ave. hotel burned, New York.
- 22—"Billy" Emerson died, New York.
- 23—Miss Stone freed by brigands.
- 23—Prince Henry reached New York.
- 24—Boers captured a convoy.
- 24—Prince Henry at White House.
- 25—Kaiser's yacht launched.
- 25—Ship Jules Jean Baptiste lost; 80 lives.
- 26—Victor Hugo centenary, Paris.
- 27—McKinley memorial service, Wash.

### MARCH.

- 2—Francis W. Parker died, Miss.
- 4—Philippine tariff passed, house.
- 4—Congressman Polk, Penn., died.
- 7—Gen. J. Estey died, Vermont.
- 7—Boers captured Gen. Methuen.
- 11—Prince Henry left United States.
- 12—John P. Altgeld died, Illinois.
- 13—Gen. A. P. Martin died, Boston.
- 13—General Methuen died, Boers.
- 15—Wages advanced 10 per cent, Fall River.
- 17—Life savers drowned, Monomoy; 7 lives.
- 17—Ship subsidy passed, senate.
- 18—Fire Hoboken, N. J.; \$1,000,000 loss.
- 20—Judge Noah Davis died, N. Y.
- 22—Judge Taft in Vermont, died.
- 24—Mal. Gen. O'Leary retired.
- 26—Cecil Rhodes died, South Africa.

### APRIL.

- 1—Thos. Dunn English died, N. J.
- 2—12 hotels burned, Atlantic City; \$1,000,000 loss.
- 11—Boer war 2½ years old.
- 11—Gen. Wade Hampton died, S. C.
- 12—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage died, Washington.
- 13—Cuban reciprocity passed, house.
- 18—Guatemala earthquake; 2,000 dead.
- 19—Morgan steamship trust launched.
- 20—Frank R. Stockton died, Washington.
- 20—Steamer City of Pittsburg lost; 70 lives.
- 20—Fire Dallas, Texas; \$400,000 loss.
- 21—Archbishop Williams died, aged 80.
- 27—J. Sterling Morton died, Chicago.
- 27—Fire Glens Falls, N. Y.; \$500,000 loss.
- 28—Sol Smith Russell died, Washington.

### MAY.

- 1—W. H. Moody, secretary of navy.
- 2—Amos J. Cummings of New York died.
- 4—Potter Palmer died, Chicago.
- 6—Archbishop Corrigan died, New York.
- 6—Bret Harte died, London.
- 6—Admiral Sampson died, Washington.
- 6—Fire New Milford, Conn.; \$500,000 loss.
- 6—Paul Ford, author, New York.
- 8—St. Pierre destroyed by volcano; 40,000 lives.
- 8—Volcanic eruption, St. Vincent; 2,000 lives.
- 12—Coal strike began.
- 12—Explosion naphtha, Pittsburg; 23 killed.
- 12—Steamer Camarta lost, Bay of Bengal; 739 lives.
- 17—Alfonso XIII crowned, Spain.
- 17—\$400,000 fire, New York.
- 17—Tornado in Texas; 100 dead.
- 18—Bishop Taylor died, California.
- 19—Mine explosion Fraterville, Tenn.; 200 lives.
- 20—Natal day, republic of Cuba.
- 20—Palma, president of Cuba.

### JUNE.

- 2—Philippine government bill through senate.
- 3—Rev. John H. Barrows died, Ohio.
- 4—Ard Patrick won the Derby.
- 5—Volcanic eruption, Guatemala; 1,000 lives.
- 7—M. Combes, premier of France.
- 7—Amnesty for Americans, Cuba.
- 7—Baifour, premier of England.
- 7—Anti-anarchy bill passed, house.
- 9—President Patton, Princeton, resigned.
- 11—West Point centennial.
- 12—Isles of Shoals, N. Y., \$750,000 loss.
- 12—King Albert of Saxony died.
- 22—Fire Portland, Oregon; \$900,000 loss.
- 24—King Edward's surgical operation.
- 24—Convention postponed, England.
- 24—Henry Hopkins, president of Williams.
- 25—Forest fires in Colorado; \$1,000,000 loss.
- 25—Great windstorm, Indiana; \$2,000,000 loss.
- 26—Philippine government bill through house.
- 28—Roosevelt signed canal bill.

### JULY.

- 2—Treaty of amity with Spain.
- 4—Peace declared in Philippines.
- 7—Marshall Williams, Ohio chief justice, died.
- 10—"Mrs. Alexander" died, London.
- 12—Kitchener back in England.
- 12—Archbishop Feehan died, Chicago.
- 12—Lord Salisbury resigned.
- 13—Richard D. Webb died, England.
- 13—Liang Chen Tung, minister to United States, died.
- 14—Gen. Davis in command, Manila.
- 17—Isles of Shoals, N. Y., \$750,000 loss.
- 20—John W. Mackay died, Elbe river, Germany; 60 lives.
- 22—Cand. Piechocki died, Rome.
- 22—Archbishop Croke died, Ireland.
- 25—Korea's independence guaranteed.
- 25—Jeffries whipped Fitzsimmons.
- 25—Abbi Joseph, head American orthodox Jews, died.
- 26—Fire Pittsburg, Pa.; \$200,000 loss.
- 26—Paul Vandervoort, former G. A. R. commander, died, England.
- 28—Troops out, Pennsylvania coal fields.

### AUGUST.

- 1—Rev. Atkinson drowned, Plymouth.
- 6—Outlaw Tracy dead, Oregon.
- 6—Col. Hooker died, Brattleboro.
- 7—Richard D. Webb died, England.
- 9—Edward VII crowned, London.
- 10—Senator McMillan of Michigan died.
- 15—Luther R. Marsh died, New York.
- 16—Boer generals in England.
- 16—Prof. Schenk died, Austria.
- 19—Volcano eruption Torishima, Japan; 100 lives.
- 19—Explosion paper mill Wilmington, Delaware; 10 lives.
- 20—War maneuvers, northeast coast.
- 20—Cronle left St. Helena.
- 21—Gen. Sigel died, New York.
- 22—Roosevelt on New England tour.
- 23—Dan Patch, mile 1:59½.
- 30—Another eruption, Mt. Pelee.

### SEPTEMBER.

- 1—Thirty-eight vessels lost, Algoa bay, Africa; 70 lives.
- 2—Edward Eggleston, author, died.
- 2—Roosevelt injured, Pittsburg, died.
- 5—Prof. Virchow died, Berlin.
- 6—Roosevelt on southern tour.
- 6—Germans sank gunboat, Hayti.
- 7—Magazine exploded, Governor's Island.
- 8—U. S. treasury, \$74,000,000 gold.
- 11—United States warships sent to Panama.
- 12—Alex. R. ("Boss") Shepherd, died.
- 13—Forest fires Oregon and Washington; loss, \$12,500,000; 38 lives.
- 14—W. E. Stran died, Colorado.
- 15—Judge Horace Gray died, Nahant.
- 15—Nicholas Fish killed, New York.
- 16—Henderson's election, Iowa.
- 17—Mine explosion Bluefield, W. Va.; 17 lives.
- 18—Perry failed to reach pole.
- 19—Roosevelt on western trip.
- 21—Second eruption Mont Pelee; 1,600 lives.
- 24—Third eruption Mont Pelee; 2,000 lives.

### OCTOBER.

- 1—Admiral Jouett died, Maryland.
- 1—Roosevelt summoned call, 100 lives.
- 1—Schooner Sybil lost at sea; 10 lives.
- 1—Steamer Quirang lost at sea; 30 lives.
- 2—White House coal conference.
- 2—Pennsylvania militia all ordered out.
- 7—Ex-Congressman Grout died, Vermont.
- 8—Miners voted to continue idle.
- 9—Mine accident Black Diamond, Washington; 11 lives.
- 9—Coal conference, New York.
- 10—Coal barons' meeting to terms.
- 15—Lipton's challenge arrived.
- 15—Coal commission named.
- 15—Admiral Selfridge died, Waverley.
- 15—Coal strike declared off.
- 15—Glucose works burned, Chicago; 11 lives.
- 15—Miners' convention called.
- 17—Kitchener to command, India.
- 18—Castro won 7-days' battle.
- 19—Fire Albany, N. Y.; \$500,000 loss.
- 21—Coal strike declared off.
- 22—Denmark refuses to sell islands.
- 23—Coal mining resumed.
- 23—Congressman Russell of Connecticut died.
- 24—Coal commission at work.
- 25—W. Wilson, pres. of Princeton.
- 25—Frank Norris, author, died, New York.
- 27—Prince Albert, Cady-Haunt mile, 57½ hrs.
- 27—Volcanic eruption, Guatemala; 7,000 lives.
- 31—British cable around world.

### NOVEMBER.

- 2—St. Pierre, Martinique, burned.
- 2—Steamer Enero lost off English coast; 22 lives.
- 4—Fireworks explosion Madison Square, New York; 15 lives.
- 8—Bond-Hay treaty signed.
- 8—Judge Nathan Webb died, Maine.
- 11—M. Field died, Boston.
- 11—Molnere acquitted, New York.
- 11—Railroad raised wages.
- 11—Bolier explosion Swift's packing house, Chicago; 15 lives.
- 14—Roosevelt hunted bear, Mississippi.
- 15—Shots fired at King Leopold.
- 15—F. O. Vickery died, Maine.
- 15—Armist packing plant, Sioux City, burned; loss, \$50,000.
- 17—Building cup defender, Bristol.
- 22—Peace in Colombia.
- 23—Steamer sunk in Danube; 20 lives.
- 23—Wisconsin Central ore docks, Ashland, Wis., burned; loss, \$25,000.
- 23—Harr Krupp died, Germany.
- 24—Riots in Havana.
- 25—Thos. P. O'Chiltree died, Virginia.
- 27—Cattle embargo, New England.
- 27—Steamer Sylvanus J. Macy lost, Lake Erie; 18 lives.
- 27—Steamer Bannockburn lost, Lake Superior; 20 lives.
- 28—Rev. Joseph Parker died, London.

### DECEMBER.

- 2—Holmes for United States Supreme court bench.
- 2—Message to Congress on trusts.
- 4—Minister Buice died, Japan.
- 6—Silveira, premier of Spain.
- 6—Alice Freeman Palmer died, Paris.
- 7—Thos. Nast died, Ecuador.
- 7—Thos. B. Reed died, Washington.
- 8—Ultimatum to Venezuela.
- 9—Venezuelan ships sunk.
- 9—Castro arrested foreigners.
- 9—Fire Atlanta, Ga.; loss \$1,000,000.
- 12—Puerto Cabello bombarded.
- 13—American sheet steel plant, Canal Dover, Ohio, burned; loss \$1,000,000.
- 14—Mrs. U. S. Grant died, Washington.
- 14—Laying new Pacific cable.
- 20—Venezuelan ports blockaded.
- 20—Humbert family, French swindlers, arrested in Madrid.
- 20—\$20,000,000 fund raised by Methodists.
- 20—Arbitration expected, Venezuela.
- 21—Wireless message across Atlantic.
- 22—Dr. Temple, archbishop of Canterbury, died.
- 22—Railroad collision Byron, Cal.; 16 lives.
- 23—Mary Hartwell Catherwood, novelist, died.
- 23—Storm Copenhagen, Denmark; 12 lives.
- 23—Railroad collision Wanstead, Eng.; 23 lives.
- 30—Advertiser printing plant, Battle Creek, Mich., burned; loss, \$50,000.
- 31—Castro agrees to arbitration Hague tribunal.

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