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HITCHCOCK OPERA HOUSE

Tuesday Ev'g, Nov. 14.

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SIMPLE AND EASY TO CLEAN.

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Having neither time or room to carry plants through the coming winter, will close out what we have on hand at great discounts.

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We'll Do the Same

By you on Subscription Clubbing Offers as any reliable agency. We take the responsibility as well as the trouble—at ENTERPRISE Office.

Ask about the New Combinations...

They are better than ever.

Local Happenings.

J. C. Brooks is spending the winter in Alabama.

David Gray made a trip to Bay Port yesterday.

Nov. 30th has been fixed as Thanksgiving Day.

W. W. Bender made a business trip to Kinde last week.

Jas. M. Tracy, of Ellington, was in town last Thursday.

Stanley Warner, from south of town, has moved to Saginaw.

A. McGregory, of Shabbona, did business in town on Saturday.

A. C. McLean, of Argyle, did business in town on Saturday.

Clyde A. Lutz has accepted a position with G. A. Stevenson.

Jas. Wooley, of Bad Axe, was in town over Thursday night.

Geo. W. Parrott, of Shabbona, did business in town on Saturday.

Miss Ada Huffman of Elkton, is the guest of the Misses Ziebeck.

J. Cornelius has been considerably "under the weather" this week.

Edwin Bigham, of Argyle, was in town on business last Saturday.

Jno. C. Winton, of Oscoda County, visited friends in town last week.

Clayton McKenzie has returned to the Business University at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ostrander left for their new home at Lapeer on Saturday.

Note what Cornelius has to say in his advertisement about canned goods.

Roy Messner, of Pontiac, has been spending some time with friends in town.

Paul D. Cooper, formerly of this place, is now attending College at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating were the guests of Mrs. H. Dew, at Elkton, on Sunday.

Wm. Merchant and Frank Neville, of Cumber, did business in town on Saturday.

Andrew H. Campbell has been assisting at Lee's Furniture Store a part of the week.

Ted Snelling, one of the proprietors of the hotel at Kingston, was in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sinclair occupy the residence rooms over T. L. Tibbals' jewelry store.

Wm. A. Fairweather returned Saturday forenoon from an automobile drive to Detroit.

Wm. Weldon has been assisting Rich. Duggan with the bricklaying on the Parker Block.

E. B. Sconler assisted Fred Smithson with the bus and dray line during his father's illness.

Mrs. Scripture and son, Frank, were delayed in leaving for Detroit and did not go until today.

Mrs. W. Fallis entertained a company of her lady friends yesterday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. J. D. Crosby entertained a company of fourteen of her lady friends at tea on Friday evening.

Himeloch Bros. & Co., of Caro have another big advertisement in this issue. See fourth page.

A Sunday school convention will be held at the Greenbank M. E. Church this afternoon and evening.

Jos. Cobleigh, from near Sandusky, was in town on Tuesday, in search of a small farm, to lease or buy.

N. Bigelow & Sons have the contract for placing a furnace at the residence of H. L. Hunt, Leach Street.

Miss Lizzie Beebehyser has returned from Rochester, Mich., where she has been employed for some time.

A. A. Hitchcock announces a great coat and fur sale for next Wednesday. See advertisement on last page.

W. A. Seeger has the contract for placing a Peck-Williamson furnace in St. Agatha's Church, Gageton.

H. T. Elliott, the undertaker, says he has the finest lot of chairs he has ever offered. See advertisement.

Some of the older pupils of the M. E. Sunday school are arranging to give a bazaar at the holiday time.

Jas. Henry has moved to town and occupies the residence on Seventh Street, belonging to A. L. Johnson.

We notice that F. A. Hulbert, formerly of this place, has accepted a position as miller in the Lexington flour mills.

F. A. Ellis recently advertised a cow for sale in our Limer Column and within four days had as many applicants and sold the animal at a fair price. And yet occasionally, we hear it said that "nobody reads the advs. anyhow."

Mrs. W. H. Anderson spent Sunday at Deford, with her daughter, Miss Mable Anderson teacher of the schools there.

D. Hillgartner has sold his eighty acre farm, northeast of town, to Fred Jans, and will move to town for the winter.

Mrs. A. L. Foster, of Bad Axe, was in town a part of the week, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary Walters.

E. V. Ingersoll and W. H. Martin, of Bay City, and M. A. Took, of New York City, were visitors in town last Thursday.

Geo. W. Heberton, Henry Lorentzen and Wm. Philop, of Shabbona, were among the visitors in town on Saturday.

D. Hutchinson has been appointed agent and distributor for the Potts Oil Co., at this place, vice Wm. Smithson, resigned.

Geo. O. Wright, of Hinesdale, Mont., has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Wright, and other relatives here.

Wm. B. Davis, of Marlette, has been in town this week. He is now wholesale traveling salesman for the Anketell Lumber Co.

Sam. F. Bigelow, of the firm of Bigelow and Sons, has been confined to the house for a part of the past week, through illness.

Wm. Smithson was obliged to quit work on Saturday and has been quite seriously ill, but was able to resume work on Tuesday.

Roy Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Hill, of this place, is now engaged in silver prospecting in the new Cobalt district in New Ontario.

J. A. Caldwell has placed a portion of his stock of buggies, implements, robes, etc., in his new building on the south side of Main Street.

Ted. M. Beebehyser is at present in Harper's Hospital, Detroit, where he has undergone two operations and his early recovery is now hoped for.

Wm. Wilson left on Thursday last for Beaver Lake, above Bay City, to inspect a lumbering contract offered him by Henry Dodge, of Elmwood.

Mrs. Belinda Bates, of Merritt, Mich., formerly Miss Belinda Predmore, of this place, died on Nov. 1st, aged thirty-three years. She leaves five children.

Bruce E. Wheeler has returned from a two months' trip to the Canadian Northwest and states that he is well pleased with the prospects in that country.

Clarence Boulton, who has been employed at the Eastern Michigan Asylum at Pontiac, for some time, returned home on Friday evening, owing to poor health.

Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Baptist Church on Thanksgiving evening, when Rev. W. Berge, of the Evangelical Church, will preach the sermon.

Mrs. Wm. Somerville has leased her eighty acre farm, north of town to David Gray, and is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Balkwell, west of town.

The Epworth League meeting for next Sunday evening will be a temperance meeting, the topic being "The Dangers of Indulgence." Miss Mabel Anderson will lead.

H. B. Wilson, of the firm of Wilson & Caldwell, has been quite ill for the past two weeks at his home, near Deford. We understand he is now on the way to recovery.

"Propagation of Doctrine," will be the subject of the sermon at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning, and in the evening a talk will be given on "Good Government."

See advertisement in another column for the entertainment in the Opera House next Tuesday evening. Don't fail to see the Great Doss who grows a foot and a half while you watch him.

D. Law, local manager for the Sioux City Seed and Nursery Co., carries a bandaged head, owing to getting too near a revolving belt, as the shades of eye were falling. The injury was not serious.

All members of Cass City Camp, Modern Woodmen of America, should bear in mind that the next meeting occurs on the evening of Monday, Nov. 20th, and it is absolutely necessary that all members be present.

Through an exchange of farm property, Gus. Zapfe, who has owned and operated a farm some two miles east of town for a couple of years, has moved to a farm near Shabbona, and Frank McGregory, of Shabbona, now owns and has moved to the farm lately owned by Mr. Zapfe.

The nomination of officers will take place at the next meeting of Cass City Tent, No. 74, K. O. T. M. M., on the evening of Friday, Nov. 17th. Finance Keeper Moore says there will be a "backwoods lunch," but he refuses to tell what that is,—says the Sir Knights will have to come to find out.

The first public rehearsal of the season given by the pupils of Mrs. Caroline Penn-Bigelow, on Monday evening, in the Opera House reception hall, was even more of a success than had been anticipated. The attendance was excellent and all present were much pleased with the manner in which the pupils acquitted themselves.

Willett J. Wright, who has been seriously ill for some time, passed away this morning, aged eighty-eight years. He was Canadian born but has been a resident here for many years. His wife and one son, Z. W. Wright, the latter of Detroit, survive. The funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at the Baptist Church, of which society deceased was a member of many years standing.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League, held on Tuesday evening, was favored with a larger attendance than has been known for many months, and the gathering was quite enthusiastic in arranging for a more aggressive work. The next meeting occurs on the first Tuesday evening in December and a grand rally is planned for that time when every member of the organization is expected to be in attendance. The membership now numbers ninety-six and will be increased by a class of graduates from the Junior League at that time. The annual election of officers will also be held that evening.

The community was startled last Friday morning to hear the announcement that John Quinn, of Quinn Bros.' Livory was dead. Very few had heard of his illness and could hardly believe the report. He was about the barns on Wednesday morning, but complained of a headache and was obliged to give up work and go home. He became rapidly worse and the doctor found a case of acute meningitis, which it was impossible to check. Both Drs. Treadgold and Deming were called, but the disease had become too strongly entrenched to yield to treatment and Mr. Quinn passed away Friday morning. Deceased was thirty-one years of age and unmarried.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Quinn, corner of Third and Leach Streets. He has been connected with the firm of Quinn Bros. since the transfer of the livery business to them some three years ago. He was of a quiet turn and had a large circle of friends. The funeral services were held at St. Agatha's R. C. Church at Gageton, on Tuesday and the interment took place in the adjoining burying ground.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

Money to loan on real estate at Cass City Bank. 11-9-1

Velvet collars put on overcoats at 50 cents. 75 cents and \$1.00 at A. SMITH'S. 11-9-4

STRAYED—Last evening, 8th inst., small grade Jersey-Durham cow, no horns, halter and rope. Notify J. MAIER.

Bay City Railway.

According to the Port Huron Times of last Friday, Marcus Young has made the statement that the Bay City-Port Huron Railway Company has raised sufficient money to build the road and will commence operations at once.

The statement is given some strength by the fact that three strangers passed through here last week, carrying charts and evidently engaged in an inspection of the proposed route.

Do not be deceived by counterfeits when you buy Witch Hazel Salve. The name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box of the genuine. Piles in their worst form will soon pass away if you will apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve night and morning. Best for Cuts, Burns, Boils, Tetter, Eczema, etc. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

Don't fail to see the line of Cloaks and Skirts at Mrs. G. W. Goff's.

STORE FOR RENT—Also rooms above, lately occupied by S. Ostrander. Inquire at Cass City Bank. 11-9

You will find a complete line of foreign and domestic woolsens at A. Smith's tailor shop in the New Sheridan Bld'g. 11-9-4

SCHOOL NOTES.

Lillie Rogers entered the Grammar Room Monday.

Seniors apply to V. P. for private instruction at special rates.

Paul Silvernail entered the Intermediate Department Monday.

Robert McKenzie and Flossie Sommerville entered the Grammar Room Monday.

Eliza Sommerville and Ethel McCrea have returned after an absence of a week.

Miss Brooker has been aiding Mr. Sinclair in the Zoology class part of this week.

The Eighth Grade boys were given the privilege of using the gymnasium Tuesdays and Fridays.

We are pleased to say that Frank Hutchinson has recovered from his recent illness and is with us again.

The meeting of the teachers' club for last Friday was postponed to Nov. 10th. It will be held at the residence of Mrs. Dora Fritz.

One of the ninth grade pupils came to the conclusion that a submarine boat would not be of much use because it might be swallowed by a whale.

Minta Wallace, Dora Wallace, Emma Muck, Ora McKim, Clara Lenzer, Golda Jamieson, Jennie Miller and the Grammar Room visited the H. S. this week.

We wish to rectify the very serious mistake made last week in saying that Miss Hunter undertook to teach German I, as we have found her very capable in that line.

During the absence of Miss Cochran, the Latin classes are thriving under the instructions of Miss Libby. Miss Cochran is much improved and expects to be with us next week.

The composition class has been writing the history of Cass City and surrounding country the past week. It proved very interesting, especially to those who were not acquainted with it before.

Stand up, 75 spellers now and spell, spell, plectanistoscope and kneel Or take some simple word as chilly Or ganger, or the gardenilly.

Warning to the tenth grade composition class.

A demure Senior upon viewing with fear and trepidation the outline of the parmacoecium on the field of the microscope recalled certain infant memories, that the toe of the slipper goes one way the heel the other.

A meeting of the Athletic Association, held Tuesday afternoon, was called to order by President, Dan Duncanson, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—Pres., Roy Phillips; vice pres., Clarence Howell; sec'y, Frank McComb; treas., Irvin Bradford.

Many of the H. S. pupils were greatly disappointed when they read the president's proclamation, stating Thanksgiving to be on the 30th, as they had expected to celebrate the 23rd as given erroneously by some calendars. We would suggest to all those planning the making of calendars to consult the manager of the Ann Arbor football team before naming the day.

Ladies' skirts and jackets cleaned, pressed and remodelled at A. SMITH'S. 11-9-4

Autumn.

'Tis the gray autumn, and the woods grow bare Like to the head of age in its decay. The chilling winds are sweeping o'er the ground, With frequent hoar-frosts, cold in garnishment, While substituting glare for glory dead, The summer glory of the flaming towers, Earth's garb of green, the wondrous raiment wrought By unseen hands, on Nature's active loom. Of plant textiles, beautiful throughout!

More varied than tartans of the Clans of Scotland! In sheen far, far exceeding Silken robes! In gorgeousness the damasks of the East! Joyous, how joyous to behold!—The meadow, smothered and ruined, strewn around, Lie bloom and beauty 'neath the feller's hand. Autumn, like Death, spares not, disrobing all, Leaving in wreckage, drear, chaotic gaus Which naught can change but first creative power.

Season for sober thought; we love to dwell On those philosophies that teach us truth; That life unwell, and bid us penetrate The depths of wisdom witnessed everywhere. From subtle germ, the bud, the scented bloom, The fruition in maturity and use, Are gifts of God to man—man's heritage In bestowment! Their transient nature May help to draw us closer to Himself: Like one who shows a pretty toy to draw A child. Then takes the hand removing Soon the toy! Or, teaching our dependence, show

The alchemy of Nature, as it makes Or unmake!—The thought to us of daily bread; The serving season; providences plain; And, adaptations, tho' of temporal kind, Foreshadowing the great universal Adaptation of two beings so remote As God and man, brought near and intertwined Ninth one high Law that governs their lives.

JAMES MACARTHUR.

Goods and trimmings sold by the yd. at A. SMITH'S. 11-9-4

The largest line of Lamps is to be found at Mrs. G. W. Goff's. See them.

Old Musket Burst.

Patriek McQuade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McQuade, of Minden City, is minus his left hand. He took his grandfather's old musket, which had not been fired for years, and went hunting. When the gun was discharged the barrel burst and tore his hand so it had to be amputated. His grandfather, John McQuade, to whom the gun belonged, was lying dead in the house at the time.

Harvey C. Clark and Ed. Martin, from east of Kingston, were recently fined \$40 and \$10 respectively for pummeling Howard Robinson who resides in Sanilac County. The case was tried before Justice Randall, at Caro.

Cass City Markets.

Wheat No. 1 white	75
Wheat No. 2 red	75
Wheat No. 3 white new	75
Barley	60
Timothy Seed	2 00
Beans, Hand picked	1 40
Peas	7 00
Clover Seed	6 00
Corn	7 00
Hay, pressed, per ton	4 00
Eggs per doz.	15
Butter	16
Hops, dressed, per cwt.	6 00
Live Hogs, per cwt.	6 00
Beef, dressed, per cwt.	7 00
Sueep, live weight, per cwt.	3 00
Lamb, per cwt.	4 00
Chicken, per lb.	10
Turkeys, per lb.	8
Ducks, per lb.	5
Geese, per lb.	5
Potatoes per bu.	60
Hides	60

MARKETS AT HOLLER MILLS.

White Lily, per cwt.	3 00
Granham Flour, per cwt.	3 00
Coronet, per cwt.	3 00
Bolton Meal, per cwt.	2 00
Feed, per cwt.	1 25
Meal, per cwt.	1 25
Bran, per cwt.	1 25
Middlings, per cwt.	1 25
Oil Meal	1 85

Christmas is Coming! We Have the Goods!!

....Sale Now On of....

Genuine Spanish Leather Rockers,
Genuine Karpen Leather Rockers.

Morris Chairs,
McKinley Rockers
Box-seat Diners,
Prairie Grass
Chairs & Rockers,
Extension Tables,



Parlor Tables,
Couches,
Bedroom Suits,
Odd Dressers,
Pictures and
Medallions,

Quartered Oak Pedestal Dining Room Tables.

Our prices are right. See show window.

H. T. ELLIOTT
The Undertaker.

PASSING OF AUTOCRACY LOOKED UPON AS THE ADVENT OF GREAT NATION

AUTOCRATIC GOVERNMENT AS IT WAS IN RUSSIA YESTERDAY.

Absolute Power of the Czar. Popular Representation a Farce. Peasants Practically Slaves. Personal Liberty dead. Censorship of the Press. Privilege of Nobles Unknown. Education a Make-Believe.

POPULAR GOVERNMENT AS IT EXISTS IN RUSSIA TO-DAY.

A Limited Monarchy. A Cabinet Responsible to the People. A Parliament Chosen by the People. Immunity of Person. Freedom of Press. Right of Habeas Corpus. Freedom of Education.

The prediction that the czar would grant Russians a constitutional government, or something like unto it, has been verified. Count de Witte's



Count Sergius de Witte.
Born in Thilis, Caucasus, 1845. Descendant of family of Dutch emigrants to Russia. Graduated from mathematical sciences department Novorossiisk University, 1870. Successively traction director, exploitation director and director-in-chief South-western railways, 1877-1888. Director railway department, ministry of finance, 1889. President tariff commission, 1889. Minister of ways and communications, 1892. Minister of finance, 1892-1896. Financed and built Trans-Siberian railway. Reorganized Russian finances, establishing gold standard. Secretary of state to the czar, 1896. Privy councillor, 1899. President of council of ministers, 1903. Opposed war with Japan, 1903-1904. Head of Russian delegation to negotiate peace with Japan, 1905. Counsel has been headed. The people are to be given some "inalienable rights"—the right of assembly, freedom of the press, and the writ of habeas corpus. The national assembly is to be converted into a real legislature with much greater powers than those given the duma. The suffrage is to be much extended. This should pacify Russia, but it may come too late.

It is manifest that the policy of coercion could not longer be adhered to. The reports as to the unreliability of the army are more detailed and come from more points. One hears of soldiers who refuse to fire on the people, who desert, who mutiny. It is evident that the leaven of discontent is working among the troops, and that the right arm of the autocracy is weakened. The people are losing their fear of the soldiers as well as of the priests. Every sign of timidty on the part of the autocracy emboldens them.

No concessions the czar will consent to make will have much influence on the social democrats and the revolutionary socialists who have engineered the extensive strikes and demonstrations which are reducing the government to impotency. Their simple creed is "land and liberty." They demand for the peasants the



THE CZAR'S SON
crown lands and those held by the grand dukes and the large landed proprietors. They demand universal suffrage without distinction of race or sex and the transfer of the powers of government to a national assembly.

Live the Simple Life.
Mrs. J. G. Phelps Stokes, bride of the millionaire reformer, has solved the servant problem by being her own cook and housekeeper. Though they might keep a large establishment and many servants, the rich settlement worker and his wife live simply in a modest six-room apartment on the East Side of New York city. Mrs. Stokes' kitchen is in white enamel. Not a speck of dirt can be found in the whole flat, and she has made it as homelike and artistic as a little nest for two can be.

The peasants are rapidly being converted to belief in the creed that the land belongs to those who till it. Their education has gone so far that peasant congresses are held in which the large land owners, the state officials, and the priests are denounced as enemies. Even if peace shall be restored in the cities the increasing population will remain to be dealt with.

The reforms in government conceded by the czar ought to pacify, and probably will pacify, the educated classes. They will gain all that they can reasonably ask for. They should place themselves on the side of the government as against the social democrats and revolutionary socialists. The latter will not abandon their campaign for "land and liberty." It may be that the city workmen, who are imbued with socialist ideas, will

refuse to be pacified. It is possible that their leaders will reason that further agitation will secure more concessions.

There is greater hope for Russia than there was last week, but one cannot say positively that the worst is over. The foreign bankers who have been at St. Petersburg to discuss the placing of a new loan have postponed negotiations. They are to leave St. Petersburg to-morrow. Manifestly they have not sufficient confidence in the stability of the government to lend it a large sum at this time. Notice was served on them some time ago by the revolutionists that future loans made while the autocracy was in power would be repudiated after it was overthrown. The bankers seem to think it may be overthrown.—Chicago Tribune.

DYNASTY OF THE ROMANOFFS

MICHAEL ROMANOFF (1613.)



NICHOLAS II. (1905.)



THE PRESENT:
NICHOLAS II. (Eighteenth of the Line.)
ASSASSINATED:
PETER III. (1762.)
IVAN VI. (1764.)
PAUL. (1801.)
ALEXANDER II. (1881.)

The Romanoff dynasty has ruled Russia for 392 years, or through nearly four whole centuries, marked by bloodshed, massacre, assassination, intrigue, conspiracy, and war.

In those four centuries the Romanoffs fought wars with nearly every people in Europe. They fought Sweden, subdued Poland, subjugated the Crimean provinces, overran Livonia, dismembered Poland, and sent their Cossacks like a scourge across the Caucasus until they had conquered the center of Asia as far as the tomb of Tamerlane, and added all of Siberia to the realms of the czar.

In those four centuries the Romanoffs fought wars with Sweden, England, France, Italy, Prussia, Austria, Hungary, Turkey, China, and Japan. They fought with and against Napoleon. They helped Prussia against France, and in turn joined France in crushing Prussia. Three times they tried to conquer Turkey. Twice they tried to invade Persia. Their hand has been against almost every nation, and ruler, and people in Europe. They have been better hated and better feared than the members of any reigning family that ever held a throne in modern Europe.

And yet these same Romanoffs, whose throne has been washed with the blood of a million murdered subjects, until its steps were as crimson as the velvet canopy above it, found Russia a horde of half oriental barbarians, to a modern nation, one of the recog- to a modern nation, one of the recognized powers in the world. They developed commerce, established universities, gridironed the empire with railroads, fostered religion, cultivated art and science. Their ships ply every sea. Their railroads cross two continents. They are rivals with England and the United States in many lines of commerce. Their lawyers are recognized in the international courts of the world, their scientists are quoted in every laboratory, their literature is in every modern library, and their music is recognized among the classics.

The first Romanoff was Michael Feodorovich who ascended the throne in 1613, after the assassination of Feodor I, last of the house of Rurik, which had ruled for 700 years. He crushed a rebellion and ruled until 1645 in comparative peace. He was succeeded by his son Alexis, who in his turn crushed a rebellion by hanging, burning, and torturing 7,000 prisoners.

Then came the son of Alexis, Feodor III, who ruled from 1676 to 1682. He left two sons, Ivan V. and Peter I.—half brothers. They ruled jointly, the real empress being Sophia, mother of Peter I. Sophia gave Russia the bloodiest reign history had ever known up to that time. It all ended in 1696, when Ivan V. died. Then Peter I. asserted himself, and put his mother in a convent.

The history of modern Russia really dates from the reign of Peter I, for he was that most famous monarch of all Russia, Peter the Great. He signalized his entry into power by beheading 5,000 of his enemies. He was a wonderful, enterprising, broad minded, cruel, bloodthirsty monarch, who hanged, burned, tortured, and drowned his subjects, until all Russia was one vast orgy of blood. And yet Peter the Great built St. Petersburg, established the commerce of Russia, introduced modern culture, and died after poisoning his own son.

Catherine I, wife of Peter the Great, succeeded him in 1725. She was as famous as she was infamous. She was succeeded by Peter II, and then by Anne, daughter of Ivan. Anne was the first ruler of Russia to banish prisoners to Siberia. She thus exiled 40,000 of her subjects, and sent 10,000 more to the scaffold.

Anne was followed by Ivan VI., who was exiled and then assassinated. A coup d'etat called Elizabeth, daughter of Peter the Great, to the throne in 1741, and she reigned through twenty years of intrigue and assassination.

Peter III. mounted the throne in 1762, only to be murdered by his wife's favorite in a few months. Then his wife, Catherine II., grasped the scepter and ruled, a dissolute empress, until 1796. Her son Paul succeeded her, and in 1801 he was assassinated.

Then came Alexander I., the emperor who burned Moscow to prevent its capture by Napoleon, and who afterwards marched his army to the gates of Paris, compelled Napoleon to abdicate, and sent him an exile to Elba.

Nicholas I. came to the throne in 1825. He was a warlike ruler, and his armies fought on every battlefield of Europe for thirty years. During his reign 1,000,000 of his subjects perished in foreign wars.

Alexander II. began to rule in 1855. He was the most enlightened ruler of the Romanoff dynasty. He liberated the serfs, and is remembered as the czar who sent a fleet to New York during the civil war to check England's threats of recognizing the confederacy. He was assassinated in 1881 just as he was about to grant Russia a constitution.

Alexander III. ruled from 1881 until 1894 as a reactionary. He was succeeded in 1894 by the present czar, Nicholas II.

Biped and Quadruped Hogs.
The Arabians may beat us on horses and the Scotch on sheep dogs, but when it comes to swine, America takes the cake. Our breeds are numerous, but all are fat and gifted with enormous squealing power. Witness the squeals of the railroad hog when it is even suggested that he is getting rather more than his share of swill. But there are others. There is the private car hog, the steel hog, the street railroad hog, the insurance hog—all fat and ready for the butcher.—Portland Oregonian

Monument Well Deserved.
In New Haven a memorial is to be erected in memory of Cornelius S. Bushnell, through whose efforts the government was persuaded to accept plans of the Monitor presented by Ericsson. Connecticut has appropriated \$5,000 and more than that sum has been raised by popular subscription. The monument will be eighteen feet high and be surmounted by a carved eagle with outspread wings and bearing a suitable inscription on its shaft. The sculptor is Herbert Adams.

BARBARITY OF FEUDAL TIMES.

Juggery Apparently Only Refuge of the Aged Poor.

Concerning the life of poor people during the middle ages a writer says: In those bygone days of feudal rule, the dwellers in the country were almost invariably serfs, bound to the estate on which they were born, and under the absolute rule of the owner. They were possibly better fed than at the present day, for butter, cheese and eggs were plentiful; and the fertile soil of Italy supplied them with abundance of fruit and vegetables. In a poor man's garden we find strawberries, raspberries, cherries; and he grows leeks, onions, peas, beans, spinach, beetroot, turnips, carrots, rhubarb and fennel; while he esteems the use of nettles, and boils violet leaves like spinach. He holds his plot of ground by the tenure of so many days in the service of his lord. But in sickness or old age his case is pitiable indeed, and he has a curious proof of this in a letter written in 1465 by the mother of Filippo Strozzi, at Florence. She is speaking of some old people on her estate in the country: "Piero and Monna Cilla are both alive and infirm. I have overworked the field for next year, and as I must put it in order, these two old people, if they do not die, must go and beg. Heaven will provide." This is no passing thought of the good lady, who was pious and highly esteemed—a friend of the Medici; but it is a firm resolution in her own mind. A few months later she writes to her son: "Piero is still alive, so he must put up with it and go away and beg. It would be best, of course, if heaven would take him." Apparently a merciful Providence had already provided for Monna Cilla!

RECOVERED HEALTH IN DESERT.

Iowa Professor Starts with New Lease on Life.

In the desert of southern Arizona, with an Indian, two centipedes and a gila monster as his companions, Prof. W. J. McGee of Iowa, suffering from lost health, slept for four months without bed or covers upon the hot sands of the desert and regained all his former vigor. McGee has just returned home, a veritable athlete, in place of the weakened and emaciated man who struggled out of a severe attack of typhoid fever with only enough strength to drag himself west. While on the desert he amused and edified himself by studying the habits of the insects, reptiles and plants which exist there. He believes that his experiment has disclosed a cure for men suffering from mental and physical collapse.

Rabbit as Retriever.

In a Philadelphia club a number of young men were arranging for a rabbit hunt as soon as the shooting season should open.

John Luther Long, the Japanese authority, said:

"There is a Japanese rabbit-hunting story.

"One Jap meets another in the hunting season with a gun over his shoulder.

"Aha, been shooting?" he says. "You look upset."

"I am upset," replies the huntsman, "and with good reason. I started a rabbit. Cherry-blossom, my dog, ran after it. I fired, and Cherry-blossom fell."

"Too bad. And the rabbit?"

"The rabbit? It brought Cherry-blossom back and laid her at my feet."

Burnt Offerings.
Quoth the little god Love (who is greater far Than the wrathful and high gods be), "These hearts that ye bring for an offering They are never the gifts for me; They are young or old, they are whole and cold."

Yet seldom to my desire, Let the gifts ye give that my fame may live Be burning and burnt with fire."

Quoth the little god Love, "Shall my altar burn Be mocked with a trifling thing? Shall I take the sign for the right divine— Is thisel the gift of a king? Ye pour a name when ye give these hearts, Poor gifts without pulse or start. Let the white smoke rise from your sacrifice Of the beating, burning heart."

Lord Love, thou has fallen on evil days. Men trade in a sordid mart. Yet thy faithful still at thy altars spill The name of the burning heart."

—Theodosia Garrison in Life.

Wind and Appetite.

This, I feel confident, is something positively new under the sun: When the wind blows from the east, say, two or three weeks at a stretch, people are liable to lose their appetites. A long blow from any other direction has a similar effect but in a lesser degree. The keenest desire for food is caused by the nipping breezes from the northwest and west. The southern zephyr brings lassitude, while Boreas is a trifle too severe to tickle the palate, or stimulate a craving for delicacies. Where the wind changes every day—as in Bayonne—people eat a great deal and seem to enjoy their food.—New York Press.

"Personal" Easy to Understand.
William H. Ellis, the negro promoter, who has returned from Abyssinia with the dukedom of Harrar to show as a mark of Menelli's favor, was asked the other day if he was glad to get back home.

"I am glad to get home," said Mr. Ellis, laying down his newspaper. "Ever the personal column of the daily press pleases me with its homelike look.

"I read the personals of this paper here. It was amusing. One of the items ran: 'Alonzo—Return at once to your Matilda. The piano has been sold.'"

CAPT. GRAHAM'S CURE.

Sores on Face and Back—Tried Many Doctors Without Success—Gives Thanks to Cuticura.

Captain W. S. Graham, 1321 Eoff St., Wheeling, W. Va., writing under date of June 14, '04, says: "I am so grateful I want to thank God that a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. I suffered for a long time with sores on my face and back. Some doctors said I had blood poison, and others that I had barbers' itch. None of them did me any good, but they all took my money. My friends tell me my skin now looks as clear as a baby's, and I tell them that all that Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment did it."

Walking a Lost Art.

The elevator and the street car are doing damage to man's anatomy. Every elevator boy can tell of instances where a man will push the electric button till it rings like a general fire alarm, call the elevator from the basement, get in at the seventh floor and as the car begins to drop shout "sixth!" There are busy men who will wait ten minutes for a street car to ride on block. As for long walks in the country and the exploration of fields and woods, why, perish the pernicious thought! On Sunday, after a week cooped up in the office or the shop, a man must spend his week's earnings to ra buggy or an auto. Even the tramp would rather steal a ride on the track of a freighter than be true to his name. People ought to walk more for recreation. It is a fine way of seeing the near-by country. It is exercise that gives strength to the body and the brain.—Washington Star.

Both Thought of Same Subject.

Herbert Russell sends a literary coincidence: "My father, W. Clark Russell," he writes, "had finished mulling the plot of his novel, 'The Death Ship,' which is a version of the legend of Vanderdecken. I was his amanuensis at the time. He said to me: 'Tomorrow we will begin the story.' On the following morning when I entered his study to take his dictation of the opening lines he showed me a letter he had just received. It was from Mr. W. S. Gilbert, the well-known dramatist, asking him why he did not write a novel about the Flying Dutchman."

Living Mummies Exist in Tibet.

In small caves in the solid rock, each built up in front with stones and mortar. They have small holes, just sufficient for a man to pass his hand through. In these cells men are buried for life with the idea of thus "attaining merit." Once interred they are, in extreme cases, never seen again by mortal eye. Their death is only made known when they fall for several days to stretch out the hand for food.

All on Account of the Weather.

An Emporia man went around the other morning blaming the weather for making him sick. Before he went to bed he had three bottles of beer, several hamburger sandwiches with onions, cheese, fry bread and finished off with a particularly bad cigar. He says he didn't sleep at all, and no one wonders. But what has the weather to do with his health?—Emporia, Kan., Gazette.

Catch Fish With Poison.

The natives of Guam used to catch fish by poisoning them with the juice of the fruit of a tree known as the Barringtonia speciosa. The Spanish government forbade this wasteful method, but since the island has passed under American control it has come into use again.

OLD FASHIONED FARE

Hot Biscuits, Griddle-Cakes, Pies and Puddings.

The food that made the fathers strong is sometimes unfit for the child. Under the new conditions of our changing civilization is constantly bringing in. One of Mr. Bryan's neighbors in the great state of Nebraska writes:

"I was raised in the South, where hot biscuits, griddle-cakes, pies and puddings are eaten at almost every meal, and by the time I located in Nebraska I found myself a sufferer from indigestion and its attendant ills—distress and pains after meals, an almost constant headache, dull, heavy sleepiness by day and sleeplessness at night, loss of flesh, impaired memory, etc., etc.

"I was rapidly becoming incapacitated for business, when a valued friend suggested a change in my diet, the abandonment of heavy, rich stuff and the use of Grape-Nuts food. I followed the good advice and shall always be thankful that I did so. "Whatever may be the experience of others, the beneficial effects of the change were apparent in my case almost immediately. My stomach, which had rejected other food for so long, took to Grape-Nuts most kindly; in a day or two my headache was gone, I began to sleep healthfully and before a week was out the scales showed that my lost weight was coming back. My memory was restored with the renewed vigor that I felt in body and mind. For three years now Grape-Nuts food has kept me in prime condition, and I propose it shall for the rest of my days.

"And by the way, my 2½ year old baby is as fond of Grape-Nuts as I am, always insists on having it. It keeps her as healthy and hearty as they make them." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason.

Read the little book "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs.

MOURNING THAT WAS SINCERE.

Loss of Mrs. L. B. Smith Evidently Was Deeply Felt.

The following appeared in a Maine newspaper a few years ago, only the names of the parties being changed: "Oh, how we miss dear Mrs. L. B. Smith, whom death has so recently taken from our midst! There was no one lady at the village whose loss would have been felt by so large a circle of friends as hers, for she was a dressmaker of extensive patronage and noteworthy patience. It will be a long time before we get accustomed to living without her. Why she was taken from us in one of the questions in the long list only to be answered in eternity. She leaves a companion, a sister and a brother. The beautiful home is so lonely without her beautiful presence there, we would quote a remark from Undertaker Jones. When he had finished his task he gazed for a moment into the casket, and then, turning away, he said: 'That is the handsomest corpse I ever prepared for burial.' She has a father, mother and sister in the spirit land. We trust they are an unbroken band, waiting to welcome the remaining ones as the death angel pilots them to the other shore."

Ask Your Neighbors.

Gelat, Pa., Nov. 6th (Special)—Mrs. H. W. Sterns, a well respected resident of Gelat, tells in convincing words, what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for her. She says:

"I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism, caused through my Kidneys being out of order. I was subject to early warning, and while the attack lasted I was so lame I could not get around. So I had to send for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took them for three days, but didn't feel much benefit, but on the fourth day I noticed a great change, the lameness in my back was gone, and the pains I used to suffer were less. I kept on with Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I am glad to say I have no lameness nor pain of any kind. I feel as if I didn't know what Rheumatism was. I shall never be without Dodd's Kidney Pills in the house, and I bless the day I first heard of them."

Shock to Physiognomists.

Dr. Barnardo, the great London child savor, was once discussing crime and criminals with a Scotland Yard expert and expressed his disbelief in the theories of heredity and primal physiognomy. He produced two photographs of two well-known men and showed the faces only to the expert. "One," he said, "is that of a once notorious criminal and the other is that of a notably good man. Tell me which is which." Without hesitation the expert designated one of the photographs as that of the notorious criminal. Dr. Barnardo was triumphant. The expert criminologist had chosen the photograph of an arch-bishop of Canterbury.

Sisters and Brothers.

Don't snub your brothers. They are lovely things to have around, if only treated half-way decently. Unfortunately, girls forget that brothers also grow up, and they go on treating them as if they were boys. This leads to friction, and very often disagreeable repartee, when it is least wanted, and is most disserviceable.—New York Press.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed it has a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. The cause of ten out of ten cases of deafness, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give one Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness cured by Dr. King's Catarrh Cure, sent by mail. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists.

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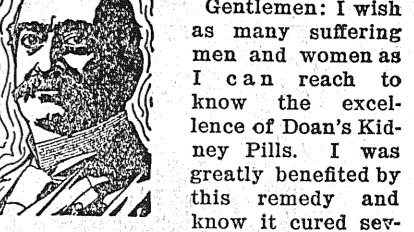
the tonic-laxative, cures sick-headache, not merely stops it for an hour or two. It removes the cause of headache and keeps it away.

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GRATIFYING PRAISE.

Letter from Marcus Mayer, the Great Patron of Music and Drama.

Marcus R. Mayer, who brought to America Mme. Patti, Duse, Salvini, Coquelin and other famous singers and actors, writes:



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(Signed) MARCUS R. MAYER.

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Cause for Rejoicing.

The Fall Mail Gazette rejoices in the fact that Canada is "a chip of the old block," because a steamship, with supplies for the Hudson bay mounted police, has been kept waiting at St. Johns for weeks while the police department and ministry of marine settle a dispute as to which shall control her movements.

Autoint Awaited Verdict.

Paris, cablegram: Elliot Fitch Shepard, son of the late Col. E. F. Shepard, of New York, was tried for killing a girl with his auto Aug. 28. The court deferred decision.

London Bathers.

Bathers at borough private baths in London last year numbered 3,104,333; at the swimming baths, 2,568,570.

CONSTIPATION AND STOMACH TROUBLE CAN BE CURED

J. S. Janssen, President of the Milwaukee Retail Druggists' Association.

Talks on the Dangers of Constipation and Stomach Trouble.

"Have you noticed the large number of cases of typhoid fever lately?" said Mr. J. S. Janssen to a Daily News reporter. "My mother died of typhoid fever, malarial fever, appendicitis and many kindred complaints are the result of constipation, which in many cases is allowed by the patient to run its course without proper treatment. You will remember when you were a child and the doctor was called, his first prescription was that of castor oil and pills. All physicians know the value of having the bowels thoroughly opened. People, when they grow up, allow constipation to become chronic through neglect of attention to the failure of the bowels to carry off the undigested food, which collects in the intestinal canal and there decays, generating poisonous disease germs. These germs find their way into the blood by means of which they are carried to every tissue. The fever thus created affects not only the lungs, kidneys, heart and nervous system, but in every organ of the body it leads to breakdown as a result. The blood becomes thin and watery. The sufferer loses in flesh and energy. Castor oil will not cure an affliction like this. Something more than a laxative is needed. There are many physicians on the market and we sell a great many having probably never considered the value of the kind in the city. I do not often talk about manufactured medicine, but the high esteem in which Mull's Grape Tonic is held by the drug and medical fraternities has impressed me and I know from actual experience right here in our store that Mull's Grape Tonic cures constipation and stomach trouble positively and permanently. Mull's Grape Tonic is not a physic, but it immediately clears the bowels of the decaying food because of the peculiar strengthening effects it exerts over the organs of the digestive system. As a tonic it is superior to the nauseating cod liver oil compounds. It builds flesh faster and creates strength quicker than any other preparation known to medical science. The ingredients are positively harmless, made mainly from crushed grapes and fruits. Although a full bottle might be taken at once, no inconvenience would result. I only wish that people paid more attention to these little details, which in themselves in the beginning are of so slight importance, but which grow in magnitude until the most serious trouble and some deadly disease fastens itself on the constitution. There is really nothing easier to take than Mull's Grape Tonic. I hope you, through the influence of your paper, can bring the readers to a sense of the gravity of allowing constipation to become chronic."

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One of the most noted, successful and richest men of this century, in a recent article, has said: "I am and whatever success I have attained in this world I owe all to my wife. From the day I first knew her she has been an inspiration, and the greatest helpmate of my life."



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To be such a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband, to inspire him to make the most of himself, should be a woman's constant study.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging, that she gets easily tired, dark shadows appear under her eyes, she has backache, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness, whites, irregularities or the blues, she should start at once to build up her system by a tonic with specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Following we publish by request a letter from a young wife:

"Ever since my child was born I have suffered, as I suppose women ever have, with inflammation, female weakness, bearing-down pains, backache and wretched headaches. It affected my stomach so I could not enjoy my meals, and half my time was spent in bed."

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman, and I feel so grateful that I am glad to write and tell you of my marvelous recovery. It brought me health, new life and vitality."—Mrs. Bessie Ansley, 611 South 10th Street, Tacoma, Wash.

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Ansley it will do for every sick and ailing woman. If you have symptoms you don't understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and always helpful.

Brittany Marriage Custom.

Conspicuous among the adornments of the bridal feast in Brittany is an artistic and elaborate butter structure as fanciful and elegant as the most beautiful bridal cake, and into this structure the guests stick split sticks bearing coins of gold or silver.

Special Hearse for Giant.

A hearse had to be specially made at Harewood, England, for the burial of James Nuttall, "the largest man in Lancashire." The coffin, which was six feet four inches long, three feet wide and two feet deep, was carried by twelve bearers.

Real Contentment.

Money doesn't bring happiness, but it makes a fellow feel mighty contented when he is ordering a first-class dinner.—Atlanta Constitution.

IF YOU ARE A WOMAN

What Mrs. Ford Says Concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Will Surely Interest You.

"I wish I could help other women get rid of certain physical troubles as completely as I have succeeded in getting rid of mine," said Mrs. B. D. Ford, of Peshawar, Miss., recently. "You know," she continued, "that a woman's health depends chiefly on the regularity of just one function. If she fails to keep that properly regulated she has no end of physical misery. I suffered from that one cause for two wretched years, during one of which I was kept in bed all the time. I tried medicines enough to cure any illness, but nothing gave me the slightest benefit until I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They cured me. Why, I was suffering all the time practically from sickness of the stomach, dizziness or swimming of the head, and pain in my back. Now I am entirely free from discomfort of that sort. I am not only able to keep on my feet, but to do my work as a teacher, and to enjoy the pleasures that come through the possession of sound health."

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JOAN OF THE SWORD HAND

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CHAPTER XXXI.

Theresa's Last Secret.

It was approaching ten of the clock Boris and Jorian had already visited all the posts, and were now ready to make their venture with Theresa von Lynar.

"No fools like old fools!" grumbled Jorian sententiously, as he buckled on his carinated breastplate, that could shed aside bolts, quarrels and even bullets from powder guns as the prow of a vessel sheds the waves to either side in a good northerly wind.

"Tis you should know," retorted Boris, "being both old and a fool."

"A man is known by the company he keeps!" answered Jorian. "Ah!" sighed his companion, "I would that I had the choosing of the company I am to keep this night!"

"And I!" assented Jorian, looking solemn for once as he thought of pretty Martha Pappenheim.

"Well, we do it from a good motive," said Boris; "that is one comfort. And if we lose our lives, Prince Conrad will order many masses (they will need to be very many) for your soul's peace and good quitance from purgatory!"

"Humph!" said Jorian, as if he did not see much comfort in that, "I would rather have a box on the ear from Martha Pappenheim than all the matins of all the priests that ever sung laud!"

"Canst have that and welcome—if her sister will do as well!" cried Anna, the two men went out into the long stone passage.

"Oh! I have hurt my hand against that hard helmet. It serves me right for listening! Marthe!"—she looked about for her sister before turning to the soldiers.

"See, I have hurt my hand," she added. Then she made the tears well up in her eyes by an art of the tongue she had.

"Kiss it well, Marthe!" she said, looking up at her sister as she came along the passage swinging a lantern as carelessly as if there were not a Muscovite in the world.

But Boris forestalled the newcomer and caught the small white hand in the soft leather grip of his palm where the mail stopped.

"I will do that better than any sister!" he said.

"That, indeed, you cannot; for only the kiss of love can make a hurt better!"

"Well, then, I love you!" said Boris, who did his wooing plainly. And did not kiss her hand.

Meanwhile the others had wandered to the end of the passage and now stood at the turnpike staircase, the lantern making a dim haze of light about them.

Anna looked at Boris as often as she could.

"You really love me?" she questioned. "No, you cannot; you have known me too brief a time. Besides, this is no time to speak of love, with the enemy at the gates!"

"Tush!" said Boris, with the roughness which Anna had looked for in vain among all the youth of Courtland. "I tell you girl, it is the time. You and I are no Courtlanders, God be thanked! In a little while I shall ride away back to Plassenburg, which is a place where men live. I shall not go alone. You, little Anna, shall come, too!"

"You are not deceiving me?" she murmured, looking up upon occasion. "There is none at Plassenburg whom you love at all?"

"I have never loved any woman but you!" said Boris, setting his conscience by adding mentally, "though I may have thought I did when I told them so."

"Nor I any man!" said Anna, softly meditative, making, however, a similar addition.

Thus Greek met Greek, and both were very happy in the belief that their own was the only mental reservation.

Attired in her cloak of blue, with the hood pulled low over her face, Theresa von Lynar was waiting for Boris and Jorian at the door of the market-hospital.

"I thank you for your great need of you. I put a great secret in your hands. I could not ask one of the followers of Prince Conrad, nor yet a soldier of the Duchess Joan, lest when that is done which shall be done tonight, the Prince or the Duchess should be held blameworthy, having most to gain or lose. But you are of Plassenburg and will bear me witness!"

Boris and Jorian bowed themselves as low as the straightness of their armor would permit.

"We thank you, madam," they said; make sure that her late escort was hidden. Then she took a whistle from

her gown and blew upon it shrilly in a lull of the storm. At the sound the war-captains could see the Cossacks drop their lances and pause in their unwearied ride. They appeared to listen eagerly, and upon the whistle being repeated one of them threw up a hand. Then between them and on foot the watchers saw another man stand, a dark shadow against the watchfires.

He came straight towards Theresa as if he expected a visitor.

The two men in hiding saw him take her hand as a host might that of an honored guest, kiss it reverently, and then lead her up the little hill to where the sentinels waited motionless on their horses. So soon as the pair had passed within the lines, their figures and the Cossack salute momentarily silhouetted against the watchfires, the horsemen resumed their monotonous ride.

By this time Jorian's head was above the bushes and his eyes stood well-nigh out of his head.

"Down, fool!" growled Boris, taking him by the legs and pulling him flat; "the Cossacks will see you!"

"Boris," gasped Jorian, who had descended so rapidly that the fall and the weight of his plate had driven the wind out of him, "I know that fellow. I have seen him before. It is Prince Wasp's physician, Alexis the Deacon."

Boris and Jorian nodded. There was no difficulty about that.

"Good!" they said together as of old. "Listen, then," Theresa went on. "You know, and I know, that unless quick succor come, the city is doomed. You are men and soldiers, and whether you make an end amid the din of battle, or escape for this time, is a matter wherewith ye do not trouble your minds till the time comes. But for me, be it known to you that I am the widow of Henry the Lion of Kernsberg. My son Maurice is the true heir to the Dukedom. Yet, being bound by an oath sworn to the man who made me his wife, I have never claimed the throne for him. But now Joan his sister knows, and out of her great heart she swears that she will give up the Duchy to him. If, therefore, the city is taken, the Muscovite will slay my son, slay him by their hellish tortures, as they have sworn to do for the despise he put upon Prince Ivan. And his wife, the Princess Margaret, will die of grief when they carry her to Moscow to make a bride of a widow. Joan will be a prisoner, Conrad either dead or a priest, and Kernsberg, the heritage of Henry the Lion, a fief of the Czar. There is no help in any. Your Prince would succor, but it takes time to raise the country, and long ere he can cross the frontier the Russian will have worked his will in Courtland. Now I see a way—a woman's way. And if I fall in the doing of it, well—I but go to meet him for the sake of whose children I freely give my life. In this bear me witness."

"Madam," said Boris, gravely, "we are but plain soldiers. We pretend not to understand the great matters of state of which you speak. But rest assured that we will serve you with our lives, bear true witness, and in all things obey your word implicitly."

Without difficulty they passed through the streets and warded gates. They plunged into the darkness of the outer night. At first in the swirl of the storm the three could see nothing; but gradually the watchfires of the Muscovite came out thick-sown like stars on the rising grounds on both sides of the Alia. Presently they began to descend into the valley, the iron-shod feet of the men clinking upon the stones. Theresa walked silently, steeped in thought, laying a hand on arm or shoulder as she had occasion. Suddenly tall Boris stopped dead and with a sweep of his arm halted the others.

"There!" he whispered, pointing upward.

And against the glow thrown from behind a ridge they could see a pair of Cossacks riding to and fro ceaselessly, dark against the ruddy sky.

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"The valet, it seems, had preceded him on the journey, but the train had been wrecked and the poor fellow killed. This was explained to the count by his courier, who ended the count by the words: 'Alas! sir, I looked my last upon poor Francois two hours ago. His corpse lies on the outskirts of Mentone, out in a hundred pieces.'"

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She Made No Mistake.

"It was my first experience at one of them after tea," said Aunt Maria Blake on her return from a visit in the city, "but I kept my eyes open and watched the others as if I don't think I made any mistakes, even if I ain't used to the ways of city folks. I never see anything purtier than the refreshment tables was, all tricked out with ribbons and flowers, and they'd sandwiches all rolled up and tied with narrower pink ribbon. Just think!"

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Formerly of Minden, but latterly of Detroit, has resumed the practice of medicine at Cumber, Mich. Chronic cases a specialty. 7-20-05

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I. A. FRITZ, DENTIST, Office over Fritz's drug store, City Block, Cass City. Out of town Tuesdays.

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Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. O. G., meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, in Oddfellow Hall. Visiting companions always welcome. A. E. BOUTON, C. G. JAS. REAGH, Sec.-Treas. 1-23-03.

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Karr's Corners.

Auson Karr visited at Geo. A. Karr's Sunday.

Stanley Karr is working in the sugar factory at Caro.

Jas. Karr is helping his brother, Dan, this week.

Mrs. C. Coon left yesterday for a visit at Flint and Saginaw.

Mrs. W. R. Mark has returned from a week's visit with Caro relatives.

Jno. Winton, of Fairview, formerly of these parts, visited friends here last week.

Never can tell when you'll mash a finger or suffer a cut, bruise, burn or scald. Be prepared. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil instantly relieves the pain—quickly cures the wound.

Iman Cooley, living with Mack Nicholson near Cass City, pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny before Justice Randall this week and is awaiting sentence. He stole a gun belonging to Thomas Jackson.—Caro Courier.

West Greenleaf

Mrs. Samuel Lee Pla is better.

John Ballagh, of Elkton, called on friends here Sunday.

Lucy Hartwick visited at her parental home last week.

Phillip Wright and sons, John and Albert, called on the former's brother, Willett Wright, Sunday.

Mrs. Sim Bardwell and Mrs. J. Bardwell spent Tuesday with Mrs. James A. Greenleaf, near Cumber.

Grant McConnell spent part of last week at Cass City, helping to care for Willett O. Wright, who is very ill.

Fred Lee Pla, who has spent the past fifteen months near Winnipeg, Manitoba, arrived home last Friday, Nov. 2nd. When he left there people were packing ice. He thinks he will go back again in the near future as he likes the country. Good times! Good wages!

Constitution causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physic grips, sickness, weakens the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulents act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

Freiburgers.

Old winter made us a call Friday.

Earl Pollard did business in Tyre Saturday.

A. C. Graham was in Uby on business last Friday.

Louis Peter made a business trip to Uby on Tuesday.

James Haggerty transacted business in Tyre Thursday.

Miss Irene Pollard visited friends near Elmer last week.

W. C. Meredith, of Caro, was a business caller in town Saturday.

Fred Pollard took some cattle to Uby Friday for A. C. Graham.

Mass was celebrated at the R. C. Church Saturday by Father Conus.

Mrs. Thos. Brown and son, Cecil, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pollard on Sunday.

The Primary Dept. of our school starts Monday with Miss Blanche McLean as teacher.

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a position.

Cumber

Louis Bookie had an auction sale of farm stock and household goods.

Dr. A. N. Johnson and wife, were in Brookfield last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Oxworth, Palms, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, and other friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Lang returned to Detroit last week after spending a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Oxworth, Sr., met with quite a serious accident by falling into the cellar, breaking her leg above the knee and receiving other serious injuries.

The funeral of the late Jas. Brown took place last Thursday morning from his old home. Mr. Brown had been ailing for some time, and at the time of his death was living at Sterling, Mich., where his sickness took a serious turn and on Tuesday morning he passed away. His wife and son, Tom, were with him when he died. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his departure.

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Mrs. Warren Churchill is on the gain.

Mason work has begun on the new church.

Mrs. W. E. Holcomb is visiting her mother in Yale.

Sunday School Convention at McHugh M. E. Church Thursday.

Mrs. Hellen Barnard, of Armada, is visiting her father, Chas. Ashby.

There was a bee at Morley Palmer's last Wednesday to help him plow.

Mrs. H. E. Mulholland, of Romeo, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Warren Churchill.

John McCaugha still continues his sale on the articles left in his store. He is fast closing out.

Miss Anna Crawford has purchased an organ to take the place of the one destroyed in the cyclone.

School has begun in the Crawford school house, with Miss Talmage installed as teacher. All are enjoying the new cement building.

Mrs. Anna Handley has returned home after several weeks' nursing of typhoid fever patients in the homes of Mrs. Emily Warner and Jesse Cooper.

Our peaceful, law-abiding citizens are trying to find some satisfaction in the fact that Halloween does not come but once a year. However, they groan that it comes oftener than once in a lifetime. A little fun is alright, but a lot of meanness is all wrong.

A Disastrous Calamity.

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Gone to Her Rest.

Over this community, Monday, was cast a shadow when it was learned that Edith Croft had passed to the Great Beyond. She was a daughter of Henry Croft, of Ivanhoe. She was a bright, loving young lady, and was but eighteen years of age. She often spoke of dying and she was bright and happy till the last, telling her parents, brothers and sisters not to weep for her as she was just going home. The funeral was held at the Frazer Church at Greenleaf, of which she was a member, the interment being made in the McTaggart cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. MacKersie.

Nature Needs But Little.

Nature needs only a Little Early Riser now and then to keep the bowels clean, the liver active, and the system free from bile, headache, constipation, etc. The famous little pills "Early Risers" are pleasant in effect and perfect in action. They never gripe or sicken, but tone and strengthen the liver and kidneys. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

Shabbona

Willing Workers met Tuesday with Mrs. Wm. Philpot.

Mrs. S. Mudge is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Phillips.

Mrs. A. E. Phillips entertained her niece, Mrs. Stonehouse, last week.

Wm. Meredith is moving into the house on Mrs. Geo. Gotham's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Gotham are moving on their farm, one mile east of Shabbona.

Henry Phillips and family have returned from Cass City to their old home here.

Charles Keyworth has purchased the village property of Geo. Parrott and is repairing the residence.

The postoffice is now removed from the corner lot on Dr. Truesdell's land, to the postmaster's property, twenty rods east.

The Evergreen Township Sunday School Association will hold its second convention of the year at Greenbank M. E. Church, Thursday Nov. 9th.

The Methodist Church is now filled to listen to the eloquence of the new pastor, Rev. Robt. Stevenson. Services begin promptly at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on alternate Sabbaths. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

The people of Shabbona very much regret the removal from their midst, to Orion, of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Auslander, which event took place last Monday. The Wednesday previous to their departure they were surprised by a crowd of their friends and neighbors, who took possession of their home and after serving refreshments presented Mr. and Mrs. Auslander with a parlor lamp accompanied by a speech, in which regrets for their removal and sincere wishes for their prosperity in their new home were expressed.

LAME EVERY MORNING.

A Bad Back is Always Worse in the Morning.

A back that aches all day and causes discomfort at night is usually worse in the morning. Makes you feel as if you hadn't slept at all.

Can't cure a bad back until you cure the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, make you feel better, work better, rest better and sleep better.

J. H. Sheap, prop. of the City Dairy, living just outside of Sturgis, Mich. says: "I endorse the claims made for Doan's Kidney Pills, for I know they are an excellent remedy for kidney trouble.

For five years there was a dull heavy pain in the small of my back about all the time. Often it was acute and piercing, particularly if I took cold, for it always settled in my back and I felt so lame and stiff in the morning I could hardly get around. The kidney secretions were affected, very distressing at times, were of murky nature and badly discolored. I tried a number of remedies but received no benefit. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills curing people troubled like I was, and I got a box. They did me more good than any other remedy I ever used. They positively relieved the aching in my back and stopped the annoyance from the kidney secretions. The treatment brought relief not given by any other medicine."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Comic and souvenir postal cards for sale at the ENTERPRISE OFFICE.

If you recognise the importance of buying

GOOD PURE MEAT

You will place your order with us. You can then depend upon the best.

We pay the highest cash price for Butter, Eggs and Poultry—any day.

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... All going at Big Bargains...

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Peninsular Steel Ranges, Hard or Soft Coal Heaters

and will furnish you larger sizes for your money than you can get elsewhere.

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J. L. HITCHCOCK & SONS.

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET

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Choice Line of Fresh and Cured Meats

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Cash Paid for Hides and Pelts.

A share of your patronage solicited.

Phone 52.

Himelhoch Bros. & Co., Caro, Mich.

Now for the third week of this Record Breaking November Clearing Sale.

We have just received another big consignment of latest styles in Women's and Children's Coats and Cloaks which is included in this sale.

<p>\$5.00 for Tailor-made Dress Skirts, sold in most places for \$10.00. These are in all-wool materials and include all popular colors.</p>	<p>\$7.50 for Women's Cloaks nicely trimmed, Empire style smooth and rough goods, actual value, \$12.00.</p>	<p>\$10.00 for Women's Cloaks, nicely plaited, trimmed all around and with real full skirts, actually worth \$15.00.</p>	<p>\$12.50 for Women's Cloaks that sell all over for \$18 to \$20. These are made in the very height of fashion and in all the new colors.</p>
<p>\$2.95 for Dress Skirts, light and heavy weight material, and all colors, actually worth \$5.00.</p>	<p>\$5.00 for Women's Coats, in black and colors, extra long, actually worth \$10.00.</p>	<p>\$7.50 for Women's Cravenette Rain Coats in the very latest styles, actually worth \$12.50. All sizes in dark and light colors.</p>	<p>\$3.95 for Children's Cloaks, all sizes and in a beautiful range of colors and heavy weight materials, regular price \$5.00.</p>

Our entire stock of Women's Fall Suits, all new this season, at 1/3 off regular prices. \$15.00 Suits for \$10.00. \$18.00 Suits for \$12.00. \$25.00 Suits for \$17.50.

Reductions in Reliable Furs.

Fur Neckpieces, Stoli shape, satin lined, nicely trimmed, regular \$5.00 value for \$2.95

Fur Scarfs of fine French Martin, single and double, extra long, nicely trimmed, regular \$8.50 and \$10.00 value, for \$5.00.

Electric Seal Coats at \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$35.00.

Clearing Sale Prices

on Black and Colored Dress Goods, Silks, Linings, Flannels, Domestic Underwear, Hosiery, Carpets, Curtains, Linoleum, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Shoes and Rubbers.

This is the greatest opportunity you will have this winter to supply all your needs in wearing apparel at a big saving. Don't neglect the opportunity.

Himelhoch Bros. & Company, Caro, Mich.

Sale continues all this month.

Tuscola County Economy Centre.

CASS CITY ENTERPRISE

A. A. P. McDOWELL Publisher
CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

Castro gets more ultimatums than picture postal cards and his wall-space is limited.

Somebody suggests there is no dispute about the sex of Lucifer. This takes the angel cake.

Nature is pretty wise, after all. When she gave Alaska its climate she also filled it with coal.

Castro is at present endeavoring to conquer the American language. He may tackle America itself next.

The Pittsburg embezzler who put \$20,000 in large bills into the fire doubtless thought he had money to burn.

Three bears have been killed in Duluth, but the dispatches do not say what stocks will be affected by their demise.

An Omaha negro has trained his dogs to rob hen roosts, but watermelons will have to be "lifted" in the same old way.

The people who have been accustomed to speak of the Atlantic ocean as the "big pond," now call the Panama canal a ditch.

Statistics show that America makes more barrels than any other country. And bigger ones, too. Look at Rockefeller's and Carnegie's.

A revolution broke out the other day in Korea, but it luckily happened that forty or fifty Japanese soldiers were on hand to put it down.

If men ever do the cooking, at least two provers will have to be revised to "the sort that father used to make" and "feed the dear."

It is difficult for mere man to pick out the sound chestnuts from the wormy ones, but bright-eyed little Mr. Squirrel can do it every time.

An American who tried to introduce the quick lunch in London has failed. Perhaps he made the mistake of having coffee instead of tea on tap.

The "Empress of the Sahara" is singing songs in German variety halls. The Lord only knows what has become of "Emperor" Jacques Labaudy.

The total profits of baseball this season are estimated at \$800,000. We wonder what the total profits were in the other great American national game.

A New York girl has invented a machine by which she claims she can count a million dollars a minute. John W. Gates will no doubt hail this as a real boon.

A New York girl has had her lover arrested "because he kissed her too much." One of the first things a lover should learn is to kiss the girl just enough.

Joseph H. Choate says the opportunities for young men are greater than ever. This may be so, but what about the opportunities for men who are over forty-five?

The English novelist who committed suicide in order to advertise her new book set an example that the most enthusiastic literary aspirant will hesitate to follow.

It has been necessary to place a special guard on duty to keep Princeton students from daubing a statue of Washington. Princeton should have a kindergarten department.

A German savant says the bite of a pretty girl is as deadly as a rattlesnake's. If any pretty girl wants to be shown, we offer ourselves as a sacrifice in the cause of science.

In a recent race of carrier pigeons one bird made 200 miles in three hours. In aerial navigation the pigeon easily holds the lead over all other flying machines yet invented.

A recent count shows that there are 10,080 millionaires in the world, more than half of whom live in this country. Still, we had supposed that Pittsburg alone had more than 10,000 of them.

An advertisement in the Yorkshire Post asks, "Would any lady of means care to marry poor, crowded-out clerk, aged 37?" This sort of thing is almost the only fact behind the query, "Does advertising pay?"

Sir Thomas Lipton's promise that if all goes well he will be at Sandy Hook in 1907 with a new yacht to challenge for the America cup, means only that some American designer will also be there with a better one.

For the successful conduct of the war the mikado again gives credit to the illustrious ancestors. It would be interesting to know how far the ancestors would have been held to blame if the war had gone the other way.

Prof. Henry Van Dyke is quoted as saying: "If I can persuade men to see the difference between Shakespeare's writings and 'Fables in Slang,' I think I will accomplish a great task." We do hope, however, that Prof. Van Dyke really said, "I shall accomplish."

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

BESSEMER'S HEIR TO THE THRONE OF NORWAY MAY ACCEPT.

SAGINAW SUICIDE'S APPEAL.

Among the Hills With Stolen Money and Jewels—She Was a Michigan Girl—Vincent Pays Up.

May Be a King.

Bessemer may furnish a ruler for the now vacant throne of Norway. Invitations have been received by ex-representative Louis Munthe, a man who is termed the legitimate wing in the Norwegian storting, to visit Christiania and establish his claim as direct descendant of Haakon V., the last independent king, who died in 1319. Mr. Munthe has been a resident of Haakon V. for more than a decade. He represented the Gogebie district in the state legislature in 1891, being the only Democrat ever elected to the legislature from that district.

The legitimate party in the storting insists that the Norwegian throne shall be filled by a direct descendant of the native royal line. It is opposed to giving the crown to any other. It was because of this stand that the invitation was sent to Mr. Munthe, who declares that he can trace his descent from Agnes Haakandotter, daughter of Haakon V.

Mr. Munthe is now an old man, and even the possible achievement of a crown were he to return to Norway is scarcely attractive enough to persuade him to make the trip to his native land. Should further opportunity be made upon him, however, it is possible that he might accede to a pressing invitation.

To Young Men.

With bed clothes wrapped tightly about him just as he had pulled them in last convulsions, George O. Peize, of Saginaw, was found in a room at the Grand Union hotel where he had committed suicide 23 hours before. Chloroform and strychnine found on the dresser left no doubt of the means employed. On a stand near the bed was a note giving his name and asking that Henry Peize, Jr., of Saginaw, be notified. A letter written in a clear firm hand and addressed "To Young Men," gave an inkling of the man's history. In it he says:

"I began to go in fast company. "My drinking and gambling habits became fixed. "I got the only good job I ever had. "I braced up for a time, but fell back again. "I got worse and worse till it has come to this. "For God's sake, young men, stay away from liquor, gambling and women."

Fled With Money and Jewels.

Somewhere along the range of hills lining Lake Michigan north of Muskegon, Owen Comm, alias Louis Clarke, and his wife and child are believed to be hiding, having in their possession \$150,000 in jewels and other valuables stolen from along State street, Chicago, during the past three months by a gang of professional thieves. Comm and party left Chicago last Thursday, but sent a trunk ahead of them. The trunk contained over \$7,000 in money and the rest of the bag was on their persons. Their trunk was carted away from the Goodrich dock at Muskegon by an old farmer. Chicago detectives are aiding the Muskegon officers.

Lived in Marquette.

Mabel Beland, the young woman who is featured in the sensational \$50,000 damage suit for alleged breach of promise against John O'Neil, a wealthy Chicagoan, for whom she was housekeeper, is the daughter of Mrs. Stack, of Marquette. It is some eight or nine years since she resided there. She was reported to have married the widower of her sister, a man named Keister. The news of her breach of promise suit is a big surprise in Marquette on that account. Her mother's second husband is a locomotive engineer.

Vicious Convict.

An ugly convict, in Jackson prison, Wm. Hennessy, found a rusty old shoe knife and with it he slashed convict John Kreiting as he was passing Hennessy's cell at locking up time. The wound is across the breast in a jagged line and though not very deep it is feared blood poisoning may result because of the condition of the knife. There was no cause for the assault.

Hennessy was sent up from Monroe a few months ago for 15 years. Kreiting was sent from Muskegon in 1900 for six and a half years for attempted murder and would soon have been released.

Hennessy has been placed in a dungeon, awaiting the result of Kreiting's wounds before a determination of his punishment. Kreiting is no worse, but is closely watched by the prison physician.

Mrs. Abbie Baylis, aged 70, walked directly in front of a Lake Shore passenger train at Tecumseh, and was probably fatally injured.

Mrs. Anna Ozorites, of Saginaw, was married 12 years ago in Poland, it is said, and as she was married this week to Matthew Yetchuaneev without getting a divorce, a warrant was sworn out by her husband's brother, charging her with bigamy. The woman fled, but was captured in a cemetery after a long chase over fields.

Commercial travelers would retaliate on the railroads for withdrawing the old form of interchangeable mileage and substituting the new "rate tape" scheme, by having the legislature fix the maximum fare in the lower peninsula at two cents a mile on all lines.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Free delivery of mail has been inaugurated in Houghton.

Perry Teller, teamster, Adrian, was instantly killed by a kick from a horse Saturday afternoon.

Henry Polky, of Standish, was accidentally shot in the leg by his brother, George, while hunting partridges.

Game Warden Chapman says he will particularly watch the western portion of the upper peninsula. A 5 per cent dividend on preferred stock was declared by the Detroit & Mackinac R. R. Co. annual meeting.

The special election in Ann Arbor resulted in authorizing \$8,000 bonds for a new detention hospital for contagious diseases.

While feeding a dog from the porch of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Clark, Mrs. Lydia Glover, aged 79, of Ithaca, fell and broke her neck.

The Arcadian mine, Houghton, which was closed about two years ago, is to be reopened again for exploration on an extensive scale.

Hallowe'en jokers set fire to James Kaley's barn, in Adrian, which was totally destroyed in his store. The contents, including a cow.

H. B. Gill, of Northport, consigned 1,327 bushels of potatoes to James Flood at Chicago. This is a record-breaking carload of potatoes.

Miss Blanche Feishuhn, living near Maple Ridge, had her skull fractured while out riding. An operation was performed and she may recover.

Christian Nonnan, aged 60, of Grand Rapids, dropped dead in his store. Heart disease was the sudden shock of his daughter's death was the cause.

Zeeland township will go to the courts to try to compel the Grand Rapids & Holland Interurban line to abide by its franchise and not increase its rates.

John Gould, of Battle Creek, has never walked in his life, and weighs but 42 pounds, yet he took state bar examination at Lansing and will practice law.

A coffin was stolen from the undertaking establishment of Chambers & Co., Grand Rapids, Hallowe'en night and so far all efforts to find it have been fruitless.

Fred Leninger, of Lansing, had his skull fractured by the falling of a heavy cast iron weight attached to the mechanism for lowering the street lamps. He may die.

Gov. Warner has appointed Chester E. Cone, of Cassopolis, judge of probate for Cass county, to succeed Judge L. B. Des Voignes, who has been elected circuit judge.

State Game Warden Chapman reports that during October he seized 2,500 pounds of fish that had been lawfully taken and distributed them among the state institutions.

Only \$125 was raised by the private bankers to defeat the McKay bill in the last legislature to provide for state regulation, so Prosecutor McArthur has dropped the investigation.

Potatoes are decaying as a result of the blight. The dealers are now asking 90 cents, and it is thought the price will go higher before the end of the winter. Report from Houghton.

To comply with the new state law German parochial schools will hereafter teach English. German will be the official language, but English will be used in teaching the lower branches.

Eighteen-year-old Fred Fuller, of Pontiac, has been sentenced to from six months to 15 years in Inola for assisting G. B. Flodell in a restaurant theft. He also assisted Flodell to escape from jail.

After a search of a year and eight months Elmer Dewitt, of the Lehigh road, has located a car of furniture shipped from New York to Grand Rapids, on a side track between Port Huron and Saginaw.

Theodore Sloat, aged 14, only son of John Sloat, of Turner, accidentally shot himself in the arm while hunting. The arm was amputated at the shoulder, but gangrene has set in and there is little hope of recovery.

B. D. Chandler, secretary of the company manufacturing voting machines, has placed a forfeit of \$500 that Mayor Todd, of Jackson, cannot prove his assertions that voting machines are a menace to honest politics.

Lewis A. Monroe, a veteran of the first engineers and mechanics, having recently been found to be an inmate of the Lenawee county poor house, steps are being taken to have him sent to the soldiers' home.

Richard Sulvin, of Alpena, was seriously hurt by an explosion of dynamite Saturday. His left hand was shattered and his face and eyes badly injured. He had just recovered from the result of a fall to the bottom of the quarry some time ago.

Just as he was about to sit down to the evening meal Tuesday night, William Hodges, aged 75, of Bay City, fell to the floor and expired. He was apparently hale and hearty, working at his trade, ship carpenter, in all kinds of weather.

The chastisement of a high school girl for Postul Dunning has not resulted in a public apology, neither has that official resigned. The students seem to favor the principal and boys and girls joined recently in giving him three cheers.

Commissions for the members of the new state tax commission are as follows: R. H. Shields, Houghton, term expires Jan. 1, 1909; W. H. Hoyt, of Plymouth, holds office till 1911, and the term of James H. Thompson, of Ewart, expires in 1913.

Warden Vincent, of Jackson prison, has paid into the state treasury \$240, representing the amount expended for cigars and billed as groceries. He has not yet paid the interest collected on convicts' money, but the attorney general will insist that this amount be refunded.

Hugh McKenzie, a wealthy Chicago leather merchant, was putting his gun in a buggy to go hunting at Michilinda, 20 miles north of Muskegon, when the weapon was discharged, tearing his left hand and lower arm to the elbow so as to destroy the use of it.

FOREIGN EVENTS

ODESSA'S BLOODY HORROR IS APPALLING IN RESULTS.

NUMBER KILLED IS NOT KNOWN.

The Fury of the Mob Only Ceased From Absolute Exhaustion—There Were Nearly 6,000 Maimed and Wounded.

Unequaled Mob Ferocity.

Owing to the mobs being satiated with two days' carnival of murder and destruction by flame, the revolt against law and order in Odessa began dying down on Saturday, partially, perhaps, because of lack of material upon which to prey. Almost the entire Jewish quarters of Moldavia, Slobodka and Bugaiovka are devastated and their inhabitants have either been killed or wounded or have sought refuge in other sections of the town. It is impossible to ascertain the number of persons killed. Up to Saturday morning 5,657 wounded persons were reported to have been taken to the hospitals. The fury of the mobs was directed unchained and unbridled against the first demonstration under the emperor's manifesto and the sudden acquisition of "freedom" tens of thousands of men who had hated the Jews through generations became drunk with the wine of Jewish blood, swarmed into the Jewish sections and killed and killed for the very joy of killing.

In some instances the military aided instead of prevented the work of vengeance and fury which culminated Saturday in the quarters mentioned. Every Jew, man, woman and child, who was caught was slaughtered. The methods employed in the work of butchery were too revolting for description. Before the morning's dawn the material had become exhausted and the men who had for the moment become beasts, left 30 wrecked sections of the city and though sullen, were easily driven back before the rifles of the infantry.

A trip of investigation over the Jewish quarters confirmed the stories of horrors and devastation. Some bodies, of men, women and children, were still unremoved from the deserted streets. The shops were closed and in the wrecked houses broken furniture was lying everywhere in heaps.

At the beginning of the massacres, the students' militia rendered some assistance and saved many lives, but the police, it is said, disarmed the students and even in some cases shot them with their own revolvers.

Witte's Problem.

Count Witte is getting his hands on the helm and the Russian ship of state is beginning to right itself. Gradually the chaos of the revolution is being reorganized and the people liberty is being put down.

The premier has met the immense difficulties confronting him and the pressure of the demands of the different parties and the necessity of giving to him the support of the moderate liberals, who have been frightened by the carnival of disorder into which the country has been plunged and the inordinate demands of the proletariat, under the leadership of the "reds" and social democrats.

Freedom of the press and general amnesty, except for crime, have followed each other, but Count Witte has steadily refused to yield to the demand for the organization of a national guard in the ground that the army would be equivalent to arming the social democrats to fight and destroy the whole government between midnight and morning.

A Sleeping Swimmer.

Deserting his bed for two hours or more, at least twice a week, and then denying that he had been absent at all, caused Mrs. Gabriel Jackson of English, Ind., to become suspicious of her husband and led her to have her brother "keep an eye upon him."

Last night Gabriel slipped out as usual and was followed, watchfully by his brother-in-law, while he traveled more than a mile to the old "swimming hole" upon his father's farm, where he divested himself of his clothing and swam to and fro across the pond three or four times. When he emerged he carefully redressed and hid the clothes until the next morning he knew nothing of the occurrence till told of it, and could not believe it till brought to the scene and shown the footprints in the sand.

The queer part of it is that Jackson was not known to be a somnambulist, though he had been thus afflicted in childhood.

Good health is an assurance of perpetual youth and beauty.

"Please do not say that the family deeply mourn for their dead. For years he has been husband and father only in name. For affection given, only blows and curses have been received in return. It is better for him that he is dead and better for us. Now that the long, dark chapter is ended, do not make us hypocrites by publishing that which is not true." So declared the wife and family of the late William Clarke, of Muscatine, Ia., when reporters called to get his obituary. He died of delirium tremens.

Vartianin must die. He is a naturalized American on a visit to his home in Constantinople, and was convicted of murder. The United States stopped his execution long enough to ascertain that he had been given a fair trial.

The medical supplies of the canal zone are purchased through the office of the surgeon-general of the army. They include, among other things, guns, pistols and home-made weapons, used for experimental purposes, and wooden legs of assorted sizes. Orders are filled for bibles and playing cards among others in the great variety of articles purchased for the canal.

Killed and Maimed.

Escaping gas ignited by a candle carried by two men who entered the basement to investigate the cause of the leak shattered the solid brick building occupied by the Miners' National bank, in Ishpeming, crushed out four lives and injured a dozen others more or less seriously, shortly after 9 o'clock Sunday morning. Strange to say, the men who carried the light that caused the explosion were uninjured, although they were blown through a rear window and into a box car standing near.

The dead are: Edward McGraw, aged 12; Stephen Goodman, aged 12, son of B. J. Goodman, logging contractor; Alice McGee, aged 10, daughter of James McGee, master mechanic on the D., S., S. & A., and Edward Kiser, aged 11.

The most seriously injured are: Jas. F. Mullins, fracter of the Miners' National bank, whose injuries may prove fatal, He and Hans Gunderson, a real estate man, were in the building when the explosion occurred. Gunderson was blown out of the building up in the air and upon the roof of a higher building near by, his life being thus saved, as the fall would have killed him.

Fred Anderson and Erick Peterson were blown through the end of the building and badly burned. Thomas Flannigan, a retired merchant, had fractured his leg, as also did Miss Berdie Ruez. Others who were more or less cut and bruised are Ray Butler, Mrs. P. F. Small, Loretta McGee, Katherine Bright, Mrs. J. M. Keith, Mrs. Geo. Smeltz and Charles Duden.

Those killed and most of those injured were on their way home from early mass. Had the explosion occurred a few minutes earlier there would have been many more fatalities, as most of the church people had passed when the explosion took place.

The force of the explosion was terrific. The church building was almost completely wrecked. Portions of the walls were hurled out and the debris was piled high in the street. Citizens were wrought to a high pitch of excitement and the report spread that burglars had made an attempt to blow the bank's vault with dynamite.

Speedy relief for the injured was offered, and willing hands released those more or less buried in the wreckage. James Mullins was not recovered until two hours were spent in hard relief work.

Ghastly Find.

After two days' work dragging the harbor bottom along the course of the East Boston ferry, the police on Saturday brought to the surface a leather handbag in which the head of Susan Henry, of New York, was found, together with 30 pounds of lead.

This bears out the story of Wm. Howard and Lewis H. Crawford, under arrest in New York, who confessed to disposing of the girl's remains.

The head is in a good state of preservation and was readily recognized by the officers.

A nurse named Dean is charged with having performed the operation which caused the chorus girl's death. She cannot be located.

Died of Hemiphrasia.

A peculiar disease known as hemiphrasia afflicts the family of Prins. Within four years three sons have died of this disease. The third one dying Saturday. He was a boy of seven years old. He accidentally cut his tongue on Oct. 25 and bled constantly thereafter until he wasted away. The physicians could not stop the flow of blood. The other two boys died at the ages of seven and eight respectively. The hemorrhage in each case was caused by having a tooth drawn.

A Winter in the Ice.

Eleven whaling vessels comprising almost the entire fleet which sailed from San Francisco, have been caught in the ice of the Arctic ocean. They will not be able to get out until next July or August, and in the meantime their crews of 400 men must face the hardships of a winter in the north. The telegram comes from Capt. H. H. Rodfish, of the steamer Wm. Bayles, and states that only this vessel and the schooner Monterey were able to escape. Most of the vessels now in the ice left San Francisco last spring and are not provisioned for a stay in the Arctic. The crews, however, are heard from within a short time, it will be concluded that there is no hope for their escape, and the government will be asked to send out a relief expedition to forward supplies to the imprisoned men.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Col. D. B. Henderson, formerly speaker of the national house of representatives, is at the point of death in Dubuque, Ia. He has been removed to a hospital.

Frank Youngshek Sunday was probably fatally shot and four other persons were stabbed during a fight in Chicago brought about by a discussion of the revolution in Russia.

Mrs. Martha Johnson, of Cambridge, Minn., who, with her husband and 10 children was bound for a new home in Cuba, died on a West Shore train near Rochester, N. Y., Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. W. Wilson, of Austin, Ill., has given birth to triplets twice within 18 months. Her husband is an Odd Fellow. The first triplets were named Friendship, Love and Truth. They all died a few months after birth.

Jacob Haugh, his wife and his son Jesse were cremated in a fire which destroyed their cottage in Dayton, O. Sunday morning. Oliver Haugh, another son, was seriously burned.

For the first time since 1838, licensed saloons in Minneapolis were closed Sunday. The closing was due to an order by Mayor Jones to enforce the "Sunday closing law" in hotels and saloons.

Richard Hannibal, a negro bellboy, who died in Roosevelt hospital, New York, yesterday, is believed to have murdered Jacob H. Thompson, the New York editor, who was slain in his room in the St. James hotel several weeks ago. Hannibal was known to have plenty of money following the murder, and had a bad record. His throat was cut in a quarrel with a negro woman.

NEWS OF THE NATION

ROOSEVELT WILL HAVE A GREAT CAREER SAYS WATTERSON.

THE TARIFF FOR PHILIPPINES.

Conditions in Panama Please Mr. Taft—Alexander, of Insurance Fame, Is Now "On the Rocks."

The President's Career.

A glorious career for President Roosevelt as president of Harvard university after he leaves the White House is predicted by Henry Watterson. He said: "President Roosevelt will round out his career after leaving the White House as president of Harvard university. It will be a fitting and glorious termination of his useful life. He will be the greatest figure in the country as the head of the university."

It was suggested that Mr. Roosevelt might be renominated, despite his decision not to accept a second term; that in some circles it had been predicted that the Democratic party would choose him to elect a fair commo.

"Stuff," replied Col. Watterson. "Roosevelt would not touch a second term with a 40-foot pole. I won't say why, and I won't give my reasons for predicting that he will become president of Harvard college, but see if I am not right."

Commenting on the continuous vacation President Roosevelt received during his recent trip through the south, the oracle of the Louisville Courier Journal started to give out an extended interview, beginning:

"President Roosevelt comes south claiming kindred; the south are a most impressionable people. Now go away; do you want me to say things I wouldn't say in my own paper? I want to go to sleep."

Philippine tariff legislation will be one of the first of great importance pieces of unfinished business brought to the attention of congress when it convenes in December. Advocates of free trade between this country and the archipelago are determined to see to it that their proposals will prevail at the coming session. The bill of Representative Curtis providing for a duty on sugar and tobacco at 25 per cent of the Dingley rates and all other imports free will be introduced again at once. Representative Payne has prepared a bill providing that all imports from the islands, including sugar and tobacco, shall come in free of duty, but not to take effect until 1909, when the provision of the treaty with Spain relating to her trade with the Philippines shall have ceased to be operative.

Good Progress.

Secretary Taft says he is very much pleased with the situation in Panama, which he said, he found, had greatly changed for the better since his last trip. He thought from what he had already seen that the work on the canal was progressing satisfactorily and that the work was now efficiently organized. He said he was happy to note the spirit of the men on the canal had improved and that the depression of five or six months ago did not exist. All of them seemed to enjoy life there and were interested in their work.

The secretary said he had found the sanitary conditions excellent and believed that by continuing the present methods yellow fever could be completely eliminated.

"On the Rocks."

A dozen or more insurance financiers were assembled in a room just prior to the exposure of the affairs of the Equitable Life. Its president, Mr. Alexander, stood before them and pleaded for the progressive method of financing the stock he proposed to take in case of their refusal. He could endure existing conditions no longer. They said, "It will ruin you." He replied, "I know it."

"There is a saying of the ancients, 'Let the man who has the fewest years to live be the sacrifice.' I am the oldest man present. 'You with your millions may weather the storm. I shall go upon the rocks, but conscience will be clear.'"

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There is said in a sermon by Rev. Dr. H. A. Stimson of the Methodist Congregational church, and is the first given the public that James W. Alexander is irrevocably broken in body. He is all but hopelessly broken in mind. He is broken in spirit. His family name, which he revered above all things, and which since once before the revolutionary war was synonymous for honesty, integrity, fair dealing and uprightness, has been assailed and tarnished.

Tallow candles are being used in the city of Winsted, Conn., rather than gas, upon which a monopoly in the city recently raised the rates from \$1.50 to \$2 per thousand feet.

Senator Burrows, of Michigan, the chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, said in Washington that he expected to have the case of Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, disposed of before the term ends.

Judge Edward M. Paxton, of Bucks county, Pa., has left part of his \$3,000,000 fortune to endow a college of agriculture for boys between the ages of 12 and 18.

Fleming D. Cheshire, who was some time ago appointed consular agent to Mukden, was prevented from taking up his duties at that place and who is now on leave of absence, has received his exequatur from the Chinese government and will at once proceed to Mukden. His official recognition by the Chinese government is regarded as quite important as it opens up Manchuria for the first time to American trade.

PURSUED BY WOLVES.

Surrounded and savagely attacked for three nights by a howling pack of two score wolves, emboldened by hunger, in a dense forest near county, Steve Looney and Robert Sullivan, timber-lookers, at last eluded their fierce assailants, and have returned to civilization from one of the most thrilling experiences reported by hunters or lumbermen in the history of the upper peninsula.

Looney and Sullivan, in cruising for timber, pushed their way far into the unbroken wilderness in Iron county. They suspected no danger from wild animals, and consequently were prepared with nothing but hatchets for the desperate attack made upon them Wednesday night. An occasional wolf had been sighted, but a horde of the fierce animals was not anticipated.

Lying by their camp fire, the timber cruisers were startled by the howls of the approaching pack. Nearer and nearer they came. The men sought refuge in the only course open to them—building an immense fire to keep the animals at bay. They succeeded, although the wolves came very near, making the situation more than desperate, unless the animals drew off on the break of day. This being experienced was repeated Thursday and Friday nights.

A march of 400 miles, from Fort Still to Fort Riley, Kan., is the stunt to be performed by light field artillery in the maneuvers which begin today.

"We are all dead" was the message written on a piece of paper pinned to the outside door with a table fork, on the house of Philander Burkholder, a Beverly, Ont., farmer, Sunday morning. "Prepare for an awful sight," the gruesome message further announced. Neighbors found that the man had shattered the heads of his wife and child with an ax and then cut his throat. Burkholder was a well-to-do farmer and did not live on good terms with his wife.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Price of cattle in this market this week range as follows: Shipping steers, choice, \$5.00 @ 5.25; medium, \$4.75 @ 5.00; butchers steers, good to choice, \$4.00 @ 4.50; medium half-fat steers, \$3.00 @ 3.50; choice to extra fat, \$2.50 @ 3.00; medium to fair do, \$2.00 @ 2.50; canners, \$1.50 @ 2.25; feeders, choice to extra, \$1.75 @ 2.50; cows, \$1.50 @ 2.00; stockers

TO ELIZABETH.

Sweet and warm is the summer's breath, Warm and wide is the summer's sea; But the heart of the summer I find in thee, Barefoot baby, Elizabeth!

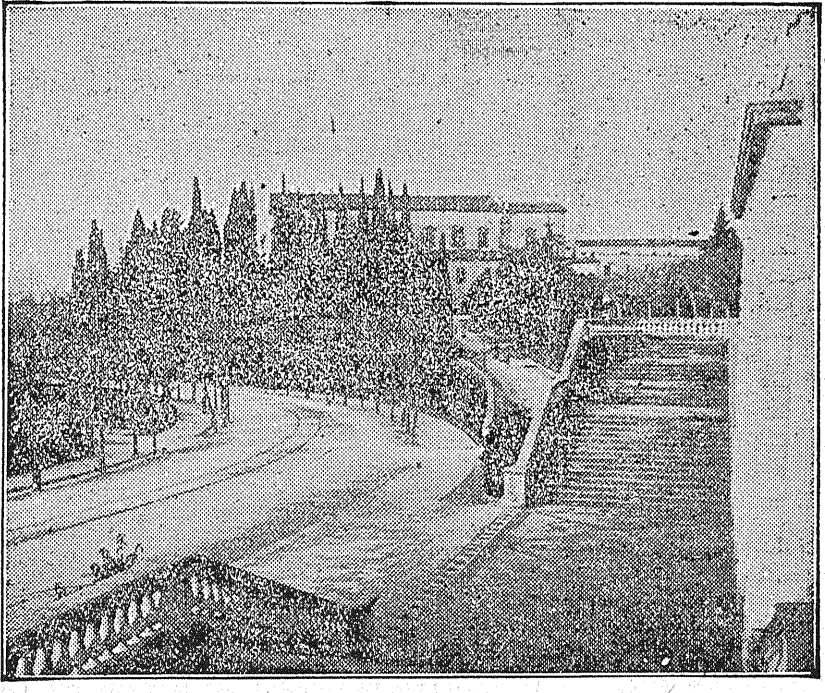
THE SECOND ENGINEER

THE morning was fine, and the sun sparkled on the sea in a thousand dancing points of light. A soft wind blew the clouds above our heads across the hills of Crete, which lay to the north on our port beam.

light. She was pretty and fresh in her white dress, but I don't think she expected to see either Capt. Hoskins or the engineer.

At Shrine of Saint Tomb of St. Anthony at Padua, Italy, Is a Marvel of Beauty.

Wandering through the art galleries of Europe, one constantly comes upon that favorite subject of Renaissance artists, the visions of St. Anthony. Murillo, above all others, loved to depict the Paduan saint.

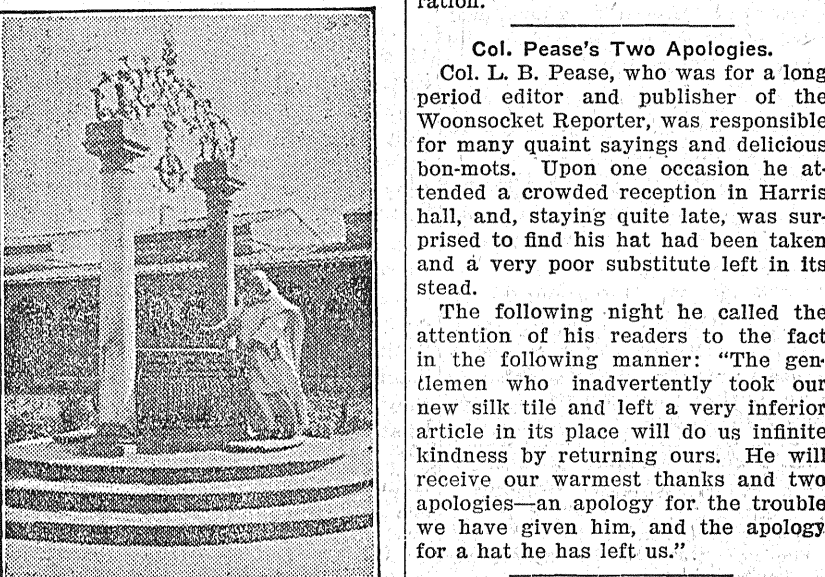


On the Outskirts of Padua.

mosaics of Ravenna, nor the architectural freaks of Bologna; still it can boast a Roman descent, and no less a person than the stern Montague headed its school of art.

Streets Unattractive. True to the traditions of north Italian towns, the streets of Padua are flanked by low arcades; others are narrow, sunless passages, picturesque, but damp and forbidding as an avenue of tombs.

There is much to please the eye, as one saunters through the main thoroughfares, trending towards the great church, which has been the lodestone of our visit.



Well in Public Square. A British stands before us. At first sight the architecture of this church impresses one as fantastic in the extreme, but, too, it holds the charm of fantasy.

WORE FALSE HAIR IN OLD AGE.

English history is rich in examples of the way in which the fashion in hair has changed from time to time. The spies sent out by Harold reported that the Norman invaders "did almost seem to be priests, because they had all their faces and both their lips shaven," which is confirmed in the Bayeux tapestry.

SUN FADES COLOR OF HORSES.

Animals With Black Coats Are Particularly Susceptible. The reason you see so few black horses is because people let them fade," said a horse lover. "You may laugh, but a horse fades just as the carpet on your own hair fades in the bright sun."

Singular Fact About Gems.

It is a rather singular fact that the most precious gems are composed of the most common substances. The diamond is the purest form of carbon and is identical in composition with ordinary charcoal without the impurities of the charcoal.

Soothing to Feminine Pride.

When a woman is married in this country her maiden name is seldom mentioned. Many people to whom she is very well known have never heard it. In Belgium marriage does not extinguish it, for many married women often combine the old name with the new.

Obstinate Clinging to Precedent.

Great is the butter-making of Siberia, and greater, says Mr. Turner, it is to become—a region that might supply half mankind with butter: "There are, however, peasants who, for one reason or another, refuse to sell their milk or to turn it into butter."

Husband Sold at Auction.

In the early eighties the writer was present at an inn in Cracow when a woman put up her husband to auction. She herself acted as auctioneer, while the lot to be disposed of—a strapping young fellow of not unprepossessing appearance, who was evidently not averse to the proceedings—sat on a stool at her feet.

Nature in Fit of Resentment.

A British ironclad discovered a new island in the Mediterranean some years ago, and the captain planted a union jack on one of the volcanic peaks. Nature kicked against his appropriation of her property, and rather than let John Bull have the island she sank it under the sea.

FARM MISCELLANY

Spree of an English Cow. We sometimes hear of farm animals becoming partly intoxicated on the stuff thrown out from breweries and distilleries and cutting up queer pranks.

Atavism.

Atavism is that quality in plants and animals that is always working against improvement, when we consider improvement away from the natural type of plant or animal. Every man that has to do with the production of plants or animals finds a constant tendency to revert to the original type.

Limbs in the Garden Soil.

I have read in papers that there is sufficient lime in the soil to last for a long time, and that men need not consider the lime in their estimates of the dressings to be used on the land. I notice, however, that in some soils the lime has washed down to a layer several feet deep in the soil and that in such cases sorrel grows on the land, especially if it is a hillside.

Making the Most of Land.

The farmer in the western part of the United States has never learned to make the most of his land, and is learning the lesson but slowly. He found at the beginning more land than he could take care of under intensive methods and arranged his work so that cattle, sheep, horses or hogs would do the work he had not the labor to do.

Col. Pease's Two Apologies.

Col. L. B. Pease, who was for a long period editor and publisher of the Woonsocket Reporter, was responsible for many quaint sayings and delicious bon-mots. Upon one occasion he attended a crowded reception in Harris hall, and, staying quite late, was surprised to find his hat had been taken and a very poor substitute left in its stead.

A Double-Edged Opinion.

The Rev. A. A. Miner, a Universalist minister of Boston who was an extreme believer in prohibition, once had a lively colloquy with the late Gen. Patrick A. Collins of Boston over prohibitory legislation. The subject was up before a legislative committee. The minister was very much in earnest, while Gen. Collins was inclined to be jocular.

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Dainty, Desirable Patterns,

To select from, representing the

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The PRICES

are so very low that they

WILL SURPRISE YOU.

We're always glad to show our line even if you do not buy.

Full Line of Groceries Always Fresh.

Highest market price paid for butter and eggs.

H. L. HUNT.

It is said that Crosswell is to have a second paper, the old plant of the Journal having been leased for that purpose.

Money to loan on real estate at Cass City Bank. 11-9-tf

Alvin Kerbyson and Frank O. Russell employees at the Caro Sugar Factory, were both injured early last week, but their injuries were not serious.

Wm. Ashley, while visiting his son-in-law, Wm. Reed, at Millington, dropped dead while sitting at the dinner table.

LINER COLUMN.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading at the rate of one-half cent per word for each insertion; no charge less than 10c.

DRY WOOD for sale. Delivered promptly. Phone 65. 10-19-tf W. A. SEBBER.

FOR SALE—2 couches, 1 bedstead, 60-cant. kitchen chairs, sideboard, 12-foot extension table—cheap. Also house and lot. F. A. ELLIS.

FOR SALE—A second-hand “baby walker” for \$1.00. Original cost \$3.75. Enquire at this office. 10-19-tf

FOR SALE—82 acres east fractional half of north-east fractional quarter of town 13 north of range twelve east, Sanilac County, Mich. Well drilled, best of soil. For particulars apply to MARY D. McDONALD, Fairplay, Essex Co., Ont. 9-14-20*

FOR SALE—Two second-hand organs in fine condition, suitable for school, church, lodge or home. Will go cheap. Enquire at Lentzner's Furniture Store. 11-2*

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate security, \$1000 without any bonus. Will receive partial payment at the end of any year. E. B. LANBORN. 1-2*

WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework. Enquire at this office.

WE will undertake to furnish you any piece of Popular Music you want, at the right price. If we haven't it in stock we will get it here quick. A. A. P. McDowell, Enterprise Office.

Church Directory.

BAPTIST—Praying services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting Sunday evening at 8:00. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Rev. J. H. CALLENDER, 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. meeting 6:30 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. All are invited. Rev. W. BENROK, 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. E. N. HOLLAND, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. G. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. E. H. BRADFELD, Pastor.

ST. PANCRAIUS R. C. CHURCH—Services on the second Sunday of each month at 8:00 a. m. Standard Time; on the fourth Sunday of each month at 8:00 a. m. Standard Time. Rev. Fr. DWAN, Parish Priest.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the fifth day of November, 1901, was on the fifth day of November, 1901, executed by Joseph Wright and Emma Wright, his wife, to Frederick Traubenkraut, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office in Tuscola County, and State of Michigan, in book 108 of mortgages on page 45, on the 8th day of November, 1901. That default has been made in the condition of said mortgage whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due, and is hereby declared to be due, according to the terms of said mortgage; and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy and thirty-one hundredths Dollars. That under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Caro, in said Tuscola County, and that said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: The north half (N 1/2) of the southwest quarter (S W 1/4) of section twenty-four (24) in town twelve (12) north, range eleven (11) east, and will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date, and the costs of foreclosure. Dated November 1st, 1905. FREDERICK TRAUBENKRAUT, Mortgagee. J. B. BEVRELEY, Attorney for Mortgagee. Kingston, Mich. 8-5-13

DYSPEPTICIDE
The greatest aid to DIGESTION.

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar Cures all Coughs, and expels Colic from the system by gently moving the bowels.

Deford R.F.D. No. 3

John Hilliker is now on the sick list. R. Jacoby sold a cow to Jas. Borland last week.

Geo. R. Hollister was at Akron last week Wednesday.

F. W. Cooklin started north Monday to work this winter.

Kile's machine threshed beans for Fred Keilitz Monday.

Wm. E. Cones, of Detroit, is visiting his son, Emory Cones.

Haney Bros. threshed clover seed for Sam Bell last week.

There will be a dance at Lue Keilitz's Friday night, Nov. 10th.

James Dorman, Jr., has been working for S. H. Gould at Ellington.

Miss Edna Young, teacher in No. 6, Ellington, was in Cass City on business Saturday.

James Dorman, Jr., has rented a part of Mrs. Bailey's residence at Ellington and has moved into it.

Chas. Wickware and Elwin Balch started last Monday on a hunting trip above Bay City to hunt for deer.

Geo. Walker had the misfortune to break the axle of his engine on the railroad crossing at Deford last Friday.

Geo. R. Hollister started for Port Huron last Saturday where he has received a position with the Port Huron Threshing Co.

Frank Ellw had an auction sale last Friday afternoon to sell off his stock and all he did not want to take with him to Cripple Creek, Colorado. He is getting ready to start next week.

Wm. Colwell, Jr., and family started last Monday night to Caro on their journey to California. They took the train Tuesday morning bidding farewell to Tuscola County and her people forever. May they have a pleasant journey and success and prosperity go with them to their new home in that far off country.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*

Let this be our constant prayer—not a theme for laughter. May we find the fire here, but not—please heaven—hereafter.

“Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me”—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

KINGSTON.

Grover Ross left Thursday for Detroit.

A. A. McKenzie, of Cass City was in town Tuesday.

Floyd Hawkins, of Wilmot, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Baldwin made a trip to Caro Saturday.

Miss Lucy Hill and brother left for Illinois Wednesday.

Miss Anna Farrell spent Sunday at her home near Wilmot.

H. T. Elliott, of Cass City called on friends in town Tuesday.

Bertha Davis, of Traverse City, visited at Wm. Dixon's Monday.

Miss Vadna Hewitt is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. V. Hood.

Miss Celestia Hartt, of Wilmot, called on friends in town Saturday.

O. M. Carpenter, of Pontiac, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mrs. John Roy and sons, Ray and Gordon, visited in Deford over Sunday.

N. Karr and T. Snelling left Wednesday for a two weeks' hunting tour near Alpena.

Ray Veitch leaves Saturday for Detroit, where he will join his brother, James.

Wm. Gregor, who has been housed some time with a sprained knee, is able to be out again.

Ernest Ealy moved to a farm near Pontiac on Tuesday. Mrs. Ealy and family went Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Francis were called to Canada, Monday, owing to the death of the latter's sister.

T. Clark and family will leave Thursday for the northern part of the state where he hopes to secure employment.

Miss Josephine Sherwood and Clarence Rossman were quietly united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage in Caro on Wednesday. Miss Margaret Sherwood and Wm. Elliott acted as bridesmaid and best man. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a prosperous and happy life.

STUPENDOUS

Beyond conception were the crowds that visited I. S. Berman's Big Department Store in the last 30 days and partook in the greatest bargains that was ever known in this section of the country. Continued for 30 days longer. I. S. BERMAN, Kingston, Mich.

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. E. RYAN, L. I. Wood & Co.

Announcement.

The State Board of Library Commissioners wishes to announce that through a more generous appropriation of the last legislature, it has been possible to appoint a library organizer, who will act under the direction of the Board in extending the library interests of the state. The work of this organizer will be to visit every county in the state for the purpose of investigating library conditions and getting, so far as possible, correct statistics regarding school, township and free public libraries, in order that the aid offered by the state may be better understood and more generally accepted. The organizer hopes to work with the cooperation and under the advice of the county commissioners of schools, whose experience and familiarity with conditions will aid greatly in the work.

The organizer will attend the teachers' institutes, and demonstrate to the teachers the help which is offered to them by the state. Traveling libraries will be exhibited and explained, all attendant expenses being paid by the Board.

At a meeting of the Board held in Saginaw, September 9th, Mr. Roy C. Lyle, of Grand Rapids, was appointed library organizer. Work will commence in October and be actively carried on. During the school year Mr. Lyle will be at the service of the county commissioners of schools, and will appreciate the valuable aid which they can give him in connection with this important educational work.

JAMES B. PETER, President.
MARY C. SPENCER, Secretary.

A Liquid Cough Cure.

A Cough Syrup which drives a cold out of the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels is offered in Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. Clears the throat, strengthens the lungs and bronchial tubes. The mother's friend and the children's favorite. Best for Croup, Whooping-Cough, etc. A liquid cold cure and the only Cough Syrup which moves the bowels and works all cold out of the system. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

THE HICKS ALMANAC FOR 1906.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac will not be published for 1906, but his Monthly Journal, Word and Works, has been changed into a large and costly Magazine, and it will contain his storm and weather forecasts and other astronomical features complete. The November number, now ready, contains the forecasts from January to June 1906. The January number, ready December 20th, will contain the forecasts from July to December, 1906. The price of this splendid Magazine is one dollar a year. See it and you will have it. The November and January numbers containing the Rev. Irl R. Hicks forecasts for the whole year, and more complete than ever, can be had by sending at once 25 cents to Word and Works Publishing Company, 2201 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo. or to this office.

Advertised Letters

Unclaimed letters in the Cass City Postoffice for the week ending 11 4-05.

Hanery Crook
Donald M. Kennedy
Gladys Martin
Jary Roberts
Roy Russell
Mrs. W. A. Stone

When calling for the above please mention advertised.

H. S. WICKWARE, P. M.

THE ORIGINAL.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. All druggists, of Cass City, F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Editing a newspaper is a nice thing. If we publish jokes, people say we are rattle brained. If we don't, we are fossils. If we publish original matter, they say we don't give them enough selections. If we give them selections, they say we are too lazy to write. If we don't go to church, we are heathens. If we go, we are hypocrites. If we remain in the office, we ought to go out and hustle for news items. If we go out, then we are not tending to business. If we wear old clothes, they say we have had a pull. Now, what are we to do? Just as likely as not, some one will say we stole this from an exchange. So we did. But it is a good thing, so pass it along.

Man's Unreasonableness is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the “Republican,” of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble. “Instead,” he says, “we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties.” Guaranteed by E. Ryan, Druggist, Cass City; price 50c.

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WED., NOV. 15th

With their Exclusive Line of Winter....

.....READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS.....

It will be a Grand Display and Sale, such as you have never seen or heard of before, and it will pay you to come miles and miles to share some of the great bargains offered in this great Coat, Suit and Fur Sale. They will sell you not only....

The Latest New York Styles

but also claim that every garment sold you must be better in value and lower in price than those sold by any other dealer in the United States.

..Everybody Should Take Advantage of This Sale..

as you will not get another opportunity of this kind this season to save the money on your winter garments as you can in this great Coat, Suit and Fur Sale. Therefore let us impress it upon your mind that this display and sale should be taken advantage of by every economical buyer. Let nothing keep you from this sale. The hour is set—the date you know.

Follow the Crowds

To the Great Coat, Suit and Fur Sale, on Wednesday, Nov. 15th, at

A. A. Hitchcock's CASS CITY - MICH.

Canboro.

H. Mellendorf, Sr., did business in Sebawing Tuesday.

Wm. Parker and son, Wm., transacted business in Cass City Saturday.

A few from here attended H. Osborne's sale at Popple last Thursday.

Miss Grace McTaggart visited her parental home in Sheridan over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Gussell and children visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Parker, Sunday.

John Connell died at his home two and three quarter miles east of Canboro, Saturday morning, after a continued illness. The funeral was held at his residence Sunday at one o'clock, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Colfax Cemetery. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, four sons, two daughters and one sister, besides a number of other friends and neighbors. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the whole community.

But Few Are Free.

But few people are entirely free from indigestion at this season of the year, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is not only the best remedy to use because it digests what you eat but because it also enables the digestive apparatus to assimilate and transform all foods into tissue-building blood. Kodol relieves sour stomach, heart burn, belching and all forms of indigestion. L. I. Wood & Co.

A new law recently in effect says: Whoever paints, pastes, stencils or otherwise marks upon, or in any manner places upon, or affixes to any building, fence, wall or tree without the consent of the owner thereof any word, letter, character, figure sentence or device, or handbill or notice, shall on conviction be fined not more than \$50 nor less than \$5; but this action shall not apply to the posting of any hand bill or notice of any public sale of property by any sheriff, administrator, executor, guardian, or to any notice required by law to be posted.

Dr. A. F. Oldfield, of Harbor Beach, committed suicide on Friday evening by shooting himself through the head. He was sixty-five years of age and had become despondent through long illness, while his family consisting of a wife and two daughters, had not lived with him for several years, latterly residing in a suburb of Chicago.

The work of grading has commenced on the Bay City end of the Detroit-Bay City electric railroad.



You May Drive Home

with a wagon that everybody takes off his hat to if you trade with us. We are not given to extravagant statements but the experience we have had selling

Studebaker Vehicles and Harness

warrants us in putting it strong. That experience proves that nothing satisfies so well as Studebakers. We don't need to tell you that they are honest goods. When you have made your purchase you go home satisfied and stay satisfied. That's the kind of customers we need in the building of our business. That's why we handle the Studebaker line.

Do you need something? Let us figure on it with you.

Striffler & McDermott, Cass City, Mich

P. S. Studebakers are not afraid to brand their product with the name Studebaker, and that nameplate on your job is your best guarantee that you have a vehicle of true value and worth.

The Secret

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Is inside the can. The Canned Goods we handle will stand the test of examination, and we honestly believe them to be

The Best Goods

On the market at the price.

We don't sell the cheapest goods but can give you Genuine Corn and Peas at 10c. a can or three cans for a quarter. We also have higher priced goods of No. 1 value.

Try our Canned Goods once and you'll come again.

J. CORNELIUS