# BOW ON MEN'S HATS

Why do we have bows on the left side of our hats? In olden times when men The Michigan Telephone Company were much in the open air and hats could not be bought for half a dollar, it was the habit to tie a cord around the crown and let the ends fall on the left side to DEAL RECENTLY CONSUMMATED be grasped on the arising of a squall. They fell on the left side so they might be grasped by the left hand, the right usually being more usefully engaged. Later on the ends got to be tied in a bow and later still they became useless, yet the bow has remained. We have just received a consignment of new spring styles in Felt and Straw Hats.

#### W. L. Douglass Men's Shoes

and Pingree & Smith Ladies' Shoes just in. We have them in Patent Leath er, Patent Kid, Vici Kid, and Valure Calf in all styles and widths from A to

Butter and eggs same as cash.

# J. D. Crosby & Son,

Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men



#### Satisfaction with every load

is what you get when you buy Lumber from us. Bargain counter buyers get the worst of it in the long run. Careful, shrewd, conscientious buyers who want the worth of their money do business with a firm whose record for fair dealing has no flaws. We never lost a customer through indifferent or unfair treatment. It pays to do business with that kind of a firm. Call and inspect our stock and get our prices.

# Cass City Lumber and Coal Yard

# For Business and Pleasure

People ride wheels and a man who rides for either must ride a good wheel or he will be disappointed. We sell

#### THE CLEVELAND The Leading Wheel the World over

Come in and examine its creditable points not to be found on any other. Remember we have the largest stock of wheels in the Thomb ranging in price from \$3 to \$50. A complete line of

# BICYCLE SUNDRIES.

Repairing, brazing and enameling done with neatness and dispatch. Easy terms to parties buying wheels.

# JOHNSON & SEELEY.

# A new line of

# MAGAZINES AND BOOKS

just received.

Also Hammocks, Base Ball Goods, Camera Supplies, etc. at

Bond's DRUG STORE.

# HE IS STILL ON DECK.

Undertaker F. C. Lee is still doing Wesley E. Annis, Canada business at his old stand. The report | Gelia Miller, Gilford that he was about to sell out has no foundation. He is ready to answer night or day calls promptly. His Bichard Craig, Fremont stock of furniture is the largest in this part of the Thumb country. It pays to consult him before you buy Frank McCrea, Almer elsewhere. His stock of cabs and go- Emma Sutherland, Almer carts is complete. Also handles pianos, organs and sewing machines at right prizes. Of the three stores which are full of goods, the millinery department will be closed out at once. Ladies will find excellent bargains in this department at present.

# EXCURSION.

The P. O., & N. R'y will give the first excursion of the season to Detroit and return on Wednesday, May 22nd, giving excursionists 8 hours in Detroit, at same rates of fare as last

# Sheep To Pasture.

I want about 40 sheep pastured for the season. Anyone with poor feed or poor fences need not apply.

H. S. WILCOX, Deford, Mich.

# MOORE CONTROLS

Lines In The Thumb.

All Bell Phone Offices in This and the Adjoining Countles Will Be Consolidated.

W. J. Moore. proprietor of the Moore Telephone System, and his enbeen quietly at work for several idation of telephone interests in the stricken horses and a cow. Thumb, which is of more than ordinary importance to the business comwith the Moore system whereby the physicians. and Hubbard of Bad Axe will be add- and father. ed to the Moore system. The local Bell office which has been managed by E. F. Marr will soon be transferred to the Moore office, which will undoubtedly be located in the Chronicle office in charge of the present manager. Miss Anna Klump. Mr. Moore has now a splendid system by which all points in the Thumb and throughout the state can be reached.

As soon as the transfer of the Bell line is made the patrons can talk to Chicago. Cleveland and other large cities.

# COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION.

The annual Tuscola County Sunday School Convention will be held here at the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, June 4th. The following program which is nearly completed will be ren-

PROGRAM.

ì	9:00 Song Service conducted by Fred Bigelow
	19:20 Devotional Service Rev. L. Brumm I
	9-30 Greetings Hugh Seed. Jr
	9:45 Topic
	9:45 TopicR. Rutledge 10:00 DiscussionLed by Laura Klump
	ta 15 Dibla Tania - Rev. Margun I
	10:35 DiscussionLed by L. A. Maynard
	1 10:45 Report of Omcers and appointment
	of committees
	11:00 Question DrawerSec'y Anred Day
-	AFTERNOON.
	1:30 Song Service Conducted by
	11:45 Decision Day Rev. C. A. Salver
	2:00 Discussion Led by F. Klump
	2:10 "The Teacher Sowing Seed"
	2:40 DiscussionLed by Rev. S. P. Todd
	2:40 DiscussionLed by Rev. S. P. Todd
	3:00 Model Sunday School, Conducted by
	l. Infant ClassMrs. G. W. Barlow
	2. Boys' ClassMrs. I. B. Auten
	3. Girl's ClassMrs. Cora Seeley
	4. Young Ladies' Class. Mrs. C. Hawley
	5 Young Men's Class Arthur Veitch
	5. Young Men's ClassArthur Veitch 6. Bible ClassRev. C. A. Lohnes
	12.45 Report of Committees
	4:00 Question DrawerSec'y Day
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# MARRIAGE LICENSES.

EVENING.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Tuscola county's

James Smith, Wells Liberty Scott, Loyd Hall, Juniata Rowena Sutherland, Colorado Edmund Davison, Ellington Elizabeth Wardell, Caro Wm. Mead, Mayville Lucia A. Henryes, Mayville Ella Helker, Traverse City Robert Albrent, Columbia Lillian Krane, Ellington

# HAS GONE TO HER REWARD.

Mrs. McLellan, an aged and very highly respected lady of Greenleaf, preached the sermon to a large con-Taggert cemetery.

Mr. McLellan, the husband of the leaves several children, Allen and The catering was done by the sisters Geo. Battle of Cass City, Mrs. Dun can Buchanan of Sheridan, and Mrs. Johnson who resides in Canada.

F. C. Lec.

#### CASE OF HERCLIFF IS SAD.

Denuty Sheriff Morris Visits His Home and Reports a Deplorable Condition of Affairs.

The case of John Hercliff which vas given in detail in last weeks Chronicle is even more serious and sorrowful than first reported. Deputy Sheriff Morris paid the Hercliff home a visit a few days ago and found the family in a condition of neglect and poverty. Mrs. Hercliff informed the officer that her husband's condition had been gradually growing worse for several months past. The ergetic assistant, W. R. Olin, have property which they at one time months past to bring about a consol- now they only have a span of poverty-

munity. Several months ago Mr. to manage his affairs rightly. After bee and never in all the days of his practitioner. The Doctor is a Cass Moore was called to Detroit by a rep- his release on the day of his arrest earthly career did the Chronicle City boy and always had a warm place resentative of the Michigan Telephone here he was found by some parties a scribe witness a more exciting and in the hearts of the people of this Old People's Concert. A part of the Co., or what is usually known as the few miles west of town in a mixed up nerve racking scene than at this community. Bell Co., for the purpose of taking condition. Somehow the harness on barn raising. About three o'clock preliminary steps in uniting the his horse broke, and in trying to fix the boss carpenter, Frank Auslander, his most estimable wife, who is highly Prof. Case is a host as a musical direc-Bell interests with those of the Moore | the same he got the horse headed to- informed the crowd that it was time | esteemed by her many friends in and system. The fact that the Bell peo- wards Cass City, and undoubtple have been playing a losing game in edly would have landed here again on usual parley Tom Agar and Bob Cragg where the doctor expects to pursue a by his majestic appearance and unthis section of the country is no sec- the same day had not these parties were selected as captains and they in special course of study of a year's durret. The Moore system so completely helped him to get home. Mr. Hercovers the Thumb that there was no cliff's condition has been reported to was manifested in this as each captain the far southwest and follow his propossible chance for the Bell people to Judge of Probate Smith, and steps was desirous of securing the best fessional calling. put up a strong competition and hence are being taken to have his mental men. After a lapse of a half hour the they have entered into a contract condition examined by competent crews were ready for business.

latter will from now on operate the The case appeals to the sympathy Bell lines in the entire Thumb coun- of the entire community and it is to After the four bents had been raised tive of the Morris family. They will At the Evangelical church he sang The Chronicle predicts that be hoped that something can be done by all hands unitedly, then the fun step into the vacancy made by the resooner or later the so-called Thumb to relieve the family and restore the commenced. The last bent was hard-moval of Dr. Wickware immediately. Co., which is owned by Messrs. Ryan health of the unfortunate husband ly in position when the word was It is to be expected that they hope to

#### HANDLED HIM ROUGHLY.

Farmers at Paris Showed Their Estimate of Lightning-rod Agent.

John Uller, Sr., John Uller, Jr., and

Anthony Kowalski, all of Paris township, were arrested and lodged in the county jail at this place yesterday by Sheriff Rowe on complaint of Joseph B. Smith. This Smith is a member of the gang of lightning rod agents that have been operating in this county for the last two weeks. They struck a harvest in Paris, securing a number of contracts and taking the farmers' notes. In some manner the deal became known to the farmers who are alleged to have telephoned Smith at Harbor Beach offering to take up the contracts at once if he cared to allow a 10 per cent. discount. Smith accepted and immediately drove out to Paris, where it is said he was met by a mob of infuriated farmers who held him up, searched his clothing and relieved him of all the air to intimidate Smith, and he was otherwise roughly handled, one party producing a rope which he proprevented. Several other well-known farmers are implicated. Public opinion is with the farmers.

# PRIMARY SCHOOL FUND.

rate being forty cents per capita. TOWNSHIPS.

1	Akron	\$	265
1	Almer		164 - 0
	Arbela		138
	Columbia		204
1	Dayton		182
	Denmark		228
	Elkland		282
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	Fairgrove.		287
	Fremont		
ı	Gilford		210
1	Indianfields		333
	Juniata		136
	Kingston		165
	Kovlton		191
į	Millington		104
	Novesta		150
	Tuscola		186
	Vassar		332
	Watertown		138
	Wells		141
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# WEDDING BELLS.

One of the most charming matrimonial events of the season was celebrated on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Helwig, near the county line, when their daughter, Miss Clara, was unitpassed away last Friday and was bur- ed in holy wedlock to George A. ied on Monday. Rev. Smith of Ubly Bartle, in the presence of only the immediate friends and relatives of the course of people at the Frazer church. contracting parties. The ceremony The interment took place at the Mc- was performed by Rev. L. Brumm of the Evangelical church.

After the ceremony the party sat deceased, died last August. She down to a superb wedding supper. in the preparation of all the delicacies of the season.

The bride is one of Elkland's fairest daughters and the groom is a welltations of their host of friends.

At Jonathan Agar's Barn Raising On Wednesday.

OVER 100 MEN WERE PRESENT

The Race Was Hotly Contested and

Looked Decidedly Dangerous.

nesday afternoon, The people around | ing to Dr. Wickware's practice. possessed has dwindled away until Shabbona in Evergreen Township are It goes without saying, Dr. Wick- ing more than ordinary interest in which was again demonstrated at community. He has endeared him-The entire surroundings indicate Agar's barn raising. About one hun-self by his gentlemanly conduct and that Mr. Hercliff is not in a condition dred and ten men took part in the literary attainments as a medical of I. B. Auten the convention will be for them to choose sides. After the about Cass City, will move to Chicago turn chose their crew. Much rivalry ation. After that he will locate in he is endowed. His appearance at the

ers, while others screeching and yell. | well and favorably known. ing like Comanche Indians, were climbing posts, pushing timbers, driv- ress and expansion and while we re ing pins, each side doing their utmost gret the departure of Dr. Wickware to win out. The feat consisted main- at the same time we bid Drs. Morris ly in placing the purlin plate. At and King a hearty welcome and hope first it looked as if the Cragg crew their cup of usefulness and happiness would win out, they having a better may be filled to overflowing. start than the Agar crew. During this awful turmoil of yelling and screeching and pulling and lifting and hammering and running and climbing and what not a very nerve-racking scene took place among the Cragg

with some others were trying to place | Editor Chronicle: the short bend of the purlin place and somehow Harrison lost his hold on the post; it slipped and had not young Coulter come to his assistance the nis clothing and relieved nim or all papers in his possession. During the hold-up several revolvers were fired in how many man it would have struck ple calling themselves "Latter Day is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding the calling themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching a new way of finding themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching themselves "Latter Day" is also teaching the new the how many men it would have struck and possibly killed. Even Robert culation that I have been requested who wish to avoid the way to the second the last big light Agar, who, before he lost his limb, to state as briefly as possible the who wish to avail themselves of the posed to use, but which cooler heads was one of the most daring men at barn raisings, expressed his fear for the safety of Harrison and Coulter. All this time the rest of the fellows were working like beavers to win a point. About this time it was noticed that Bob Agar's crew would win The following is the semi-annual ap- out. The Cragg men had struck a portionment of primary school fund for the towns in Tuscola County, the plate stuck and in spite of the most plate stuck and in spite of the most than good. Since the building of the cert ever held in Cass City. No one gigantic lifting, the fellows could not church here, they have become more budge it. The other men were \$ 265 60 gaining. Before they had their purlin in place a young fellow by the name of Pringle was astride of it ready to place the rafters. The Cragg men became desperate. Some one yelled, Don't give up, boys, we'll beat them vet," but all in vain. The next momenta heathenish yell came from fifty throats. The Agar crew had won. Then another mighty rush followed by the winning side for the supper table; again they won. While the men were raising the barn, the ladies were making ready to

feed over one hundred hungry men. This part of the raising was as successful as the other. In spite of the cold which was gradually increasing, all hands set to, the editor and doctor with the rest, and the victuals vanished like the snow before the hot sun. The barn was framed by Frank Auslander and as far as our knowledge goes he did his work well. The barn Is 36x52 with bank stables underneath it. When once completed Mr. Agar will have one of the best arranged barns in this section of the country.

# QUARTERLY MEETING.

Alexander, the only two sons, Mrs. of the bride, who excelled themselves Evangelical church, May 24-26. Dr. their teachings such as, salvation by G. J. Kirn, presiding elder of Flint water baptism, receiving of the Holy grand trustee, C. A. Hathaway, Clio; District, will conduct the services. Ghost by the laying on of hands, bap-Quarterly conference Saturday after- tism for the dead, etc., and also gave noon, preaching and sacramental ser- a sketch of the life and death of the A beautiful line of trimmed hats to-do farmer. It is needless to say vices Sunday morning at 10:30. There founder of Mormonism—Joe Smith. and sailors at cut prices. Call on Mrs. they begin life with the hearty felici- will be English preaching in the evening.

#### WILL SOON LEAVE OUR MIDST Dr. M. M. Wickware Has Disposed of

His Business to Drs. Morris and King. The rumor which has been afloat on

our streets the past week, with reference to Dr. Wickware leaving the city, has now become a settled fact. The deal was finally consummated yesterday morning by which Drs. Morris of Gagetown and King of Petersboroughl Ont., become the proprietors of Dr. Wickware's Seegar street There was an old-fashioned barn property, horses, buggies, surgical inraising at Jonathan Agar's last Wed- struments, in fact everything pertain-

In the course of a month, he and

Dr. W. M. Morris, who has been a Previous to this the timbers had all the past 24 years, has formed a part- and enthusiastically sings it, and been placed in their several positions. | nership with Dr. King, who is a relagiven by the captain and the crews retain all of Dr. Wickware's practice made a rush for their places. Agar's and gain for themselves as wide a crew took the east side and Cragg's field of usefulness as possible. Dr. crew the west side of the barn. The Morris is an experienced physician rush reminded one of a western cy- and enjoys an extensive practice in clone. Men ran here and there, some | Gagetown and vicinity. He comes to carrying pike poles, axes, command- Cass City not as a stranger; but is

The Chronicle is a believer in prog-

#### A RELIGIOUS WAR.

A Methodist Relieves His Mind in Regard to the Latter Day Saints. The following letter was received at this office which we publish with-

Wm. Harrison and Robert Coulter out further comment at this time.

Will you kindly allow space in your paper for a short statement concerning the scriptural controversy recently held here concerning the doctrines Saints?" So many rumors are in cir-

plain facts, For years this sect has been preaching here a doctrine not only unscript- week. ural, but one decidedly pernicious. thinking that to denounce them aggressive from the refusal of the Methodists to allow them the use of the building excepting on funeral occasions. The refusal has been strictous to dedicate a church to God and word, and hold it secondary to the post mortem probation. But on funorganizations in general, the Metho- named lnjury. dist in particular. However, the and then Rev. C. W. Seelhoff bearded the lion in his den and single handed put him so badly to rout that we have not even heard the echo of one of his roars since.

Mr. Seelhoff however was forced disputing every statement Mr. Seelhoff had made in his bible reading and The outcome was the arrival in

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# SING, SING, SING!

That's What About Seventy-five People Are Doing Here.

#### **OLD FASHIONED SINGING SCHOOL**

Is Being Conducted by Prof. Case. Convention Interesting. Closes With Old Folks Concert.

The Musical Convention as outlined in last week's Chronicle under the able direction of Prof. Case is creatnoted for prowess and daring feats, ware will be greatly missed in our our town this week. About seventyfive pupils, both young and old, have been enrolled and through the efforts continued next week, and will wind up with a most glorious and unique program which will be rendered is given in the supplement to this paper. tor and singer. Everyone, even the most prosaic people, are fascinated speakable musical powers with which various churches last Sunday was highly enjoyed by all who had the pleasure of hearing him. While resident physician of Gagetown for others preach the gospel he devoutly thereby makes lasting impressions. one of his own selections with telling effect. One stanza reads as follows:

Be careful what you sow; For seed will surely grow; The dew will fall, The rain will splash, The clouds grow dark, The sunshine flash; And he who sows good seed today, Shall reap good seed tomorrow, And he who sows good seed today, Shall reap with joy tomorrow. Cnorus.

Be careful what you sow, For seed will surely grow, And he who sows good seed today, Shall reap with joy tomorrow.

Mr. Case has introduced many new things in this musical convention. Perhaps the most important new thing is the new way of beating time. Instead of down up and down left up, the way we have formally been taught, he has it down, down, down in all varieties of measure. This new way of beating time was first introduced about 15 years ago in the schools of Boston, and now about onethird of the larger city schools are us-

Another new thing is the using of the syllable "ti" instead of "si" for seven of the scale. This is now being "do" which is so simple and easy that benefits of this convention can do so yet as the same will continue another

A rich treat is in store for the peo-The Methodist people have for the ple in the coming "Old Peoples Congreater part held aloof from them, cert" which will be held at J. L. Hitchcock's opera house on Friday would only give them free advertis- evening, May 24th. It is expected should miss it.

# A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

John Mark while driving to town last Saturday had the misfortune of ly adhered to, as it seemed sacrilig- having the little finger on his left hand dislocated and otherwise injurthen allow those to preach therein ing his hand. The horse he was drivwho deny the authenticity of God's ing became frightened at a hog which was lying at the side of the road and Book of the Mormons;" who deny quicker than it takes to tell it the eternal punishment, and preach a animal made a lurch for the fence corner. The harness broke and let eral occasions the church has been at the breeching down upon his heels their service, and these solemn occas- and then he commenced to kick, ions have invariably been their oppor-smashing the dash board and striking tunity for a tirade against all other Mr. Marks' hand resulting in above

Mr. Marks came to the city and had church possessed her soul in patience Dr. Wellemeyere reduce the fracture. until patience ceased to be a virtue, He will not be able to use the hand for several weeks to come.

The Grand Lodge of Orangemen which convened at Flint last week elected the following officers: Grand Master, E. R. Phillips, Bay City; de-Thursday evening prayer meetings puty grand master, C. B. Streeter, Luone of the Saints(?) made a point of ther; secretary, R. P. Peavey, Caro; treasurer, W. Egan, Saginaw; grand lecturer, M. M. McLean, Port Huron; The first quarterly meeting for this on the following Sunday Mr. Seelhoff chaplain, W. F. Bisbee, Au Sable; dirconference year will be held at the from his pulpit denounced some of ector of ceremonies, O. F. Jones, Depeer; J. W. Wilson, Pigeon; A. D. Gillies, Cass City. The next annual meeting was voted to be held in Sagi-

Closing out sale at Mrs. Lee's.

Many doctors assert that nobody should ever run. Perhaps the messenger boy has got the right principle of long life after all.

What happens is important, but more important than any single event is the opinion held by the majority of the people. The event passes, but what the majority think and desire

to bring her millions of dollars in revenue. Capital for develpment appears to be the main drawback. There be utilized for works of every description. A few of them have been approfit. It is only a question of time when all of them will be utilized.

be here, thinks the Detroit Journal. Slaughter at railway crossings has money or conveniences.

The extension of domestic postal rates to Cuba will be a good thing for both that island and the United States. Two cents an ounce, instead of five cents a half ounce, will promote correspondence between the two countries, with beneficient results all around. Nor will the change be inconsistent with the principle that Cuba is a foreign country, remarks the New York Tribune, for our domestic rates of postage have long prevailed between the United States and Canada Cuba on the same postal basis with them.

It is a pretty idea that which a Londoner has submitted to the parks committee of that city. He would have butterflies introduced into London parks. He would have in each of placed and so protected that the birds cannot get at the caterpillars. With would be able to enjoy the graceful, fluttering insect as well as those that live in the country. He recommends three species that are hardy and very prolific and especially well adapted for good. such a purpose, the caterpillars being of the hairy kind unpalatable to most birds, the "red admiral," the "peacock," and the "tortoise shell."

Congress, by ratifying the cession act of the Tennessee Legislature, which fixed the Virginia-Tennessee boundary line in the middle of Main street in the town of Bristol, has created a situation some features of in the centre of that street there runs in Virginia and one in Tennessee, so States a passenger in that company's cars is traveling through depends on which side of the car he happens to find a seat. If he stands up he can be in both States at the same time. And if he moves from one side to the other he will have to set his watch backward or forward a whole hour if he wants it to show the legal time of day, for the State boundary is the dividing line between two standard time zones. Other difficulties and confusions are sure to manifest themselves to the citizens of Bristol, and they are likely to find their position even more inconvenient than interesting.

Exmpering copper so as to equal in flexibility, toughness and hardness the best Damascus steel is an art which unknown in modern times. Its rediscovery has been vainly sought for a century or more. Some years ago an American inventor claimed to have discovered the process. If he did, the world reaped no benefit from it, for he died without revealing his secret. men by May 20, about 1,000 will go on Now a woman and her two sons, liv- strike. ing on the Pacific coast, are said to have evolved a process which tempers copper so that it will cut chilled steel and Harvevized steel plates. If so, the lost art has been restored to the other one of ex-Gov. Pingree's parhuman race, for inasmuch as the secret of the process is in the posseslikelihood of its being finally com- sessions at Three Rivers on the 8th. municated to others

# BLOODSHED IN DETROIT.

Second Attempt to Suppress Single Taxer Caused a Riot.

12,000 PEOPLE PARTICIPATED.

Mounted Police Were Assaulted by Howl ing Mob and it was Some Time Before the Bluecoats Succeeded in Dispersing the Disturbers-Several Persons Hurt.

Riot Raged on Detroit's Streets.

Riot reigned for a time in the streets will shape the course of events in the of Detroit on the night of the 10th, and a score of persons bore upon their bodies the following morning painful The water power of Sweden ought reminders of the mob's doings. Five policemen more or less badly injured by cobble stones and brickbats and more than a dozen civilians crushed beneath the hoofs of the mounted poare innumerable waterfalls that might lice and otherwise injured are the result of the madness that seized upon 12,000 people, exasperated by the attempts of the police department to plied to the service of factories and clear the Campus Martius of the oraother works by foreigners with great tors and crowd-catchers that have obstructed this public square so many years by night. Not since the celebrated street car riots of the early '90's has anything like the frenzied scene In general it is notorious that Amer- been witnessed in any city in Michiicans are far too indifferent to the gan. Thousands of men gathered from taking of human lives. Long ago, all sections of the city in anticipation in many parts of the old world, which of trouble, and assembled upon the Campus while it was yet daylight. It we think behind ours, such a thing as was after 10 o'clock before the 200 poa highway crossing a steam railway licemen called out succeeded in disat grade became unknown. It should persing them and the streets were once again free. The trouble was the and Otsego counties. The Iowa peooutcome of the persistence of Tom Bawden, the single taxer, arguing his gone on long enough in this country. theory and congregating a crowd on Human life is more important than one of Detroit's principal thoroughfares, night after night.

> Later-Peace reigned on the Campus on the night of the 11th. In place of another and more serious riot, there was held a jollification meeting on the above night. Police Commissioner Andrews surrendered to the mayor and the trouble was all off.

#### Weekly Crop Bulletin.

The weekly weather crop bulletin says: The week has been favorable for the progress of field work, but too dry for the best growth of wheat, rye, meadows and pastures and the germinating of spring seeding. Very beneficial showers occurred in the upper and Mexico. The change will put peninsula and portions of the northern counties, but practically no rain fell in the central and southern counties and is now much needed. Wheat has made some progress, but continues very uneven and in some cases is being plowed under. Rye and meadows, although slow, are generally promising. Pasturage is very slow. Oat seeding is nearly completed and is germinating nicely, though slowly. Plowing for the larger parks small plantations of corn, beans and potatoes is well adnettles on which the eggs or the young vanced in most counties of the lower grubs of the butterflies should be peninsula. Corn planting has begun in the extreme southern portion of the state. Early potato planting is quite general. In the northern and central practically no expense, the city folk counties barley and pea seeding are well advanced and germinating nicely. Sugar beet seeding has generally begun. Cherries and strawberries are in blossom and promise good yields; all other fruit prospects are generally

Murderer Brumm Given His Liberty. While Eaton county people that James H. Brumm, the Dimondale present. murderer, would be given his liberty as soon as the supreme court took up the proceedings, the announcement that he had been released on the 8th was a complete shock. Brumm murdered Mollie Flagler on the morning of May 16, 1899. His only defense at the trial was epileptic insanity and the prisoner's murderous attack on Sheriff Shepherd in the jail corridor is still which are decidedly curious. Exactly fresh in the public memory. During the trial relatives and acquaintances a car track, one rail of which is now testified that Brumm was subject to violent attacks and they were always fearful that he would commit some the question as to which of the two rash act and in view of all these facts the prisoner is again turned loose on the public. Dimondale people who were bitter against Brumm all think him to be a fit person for an insane asylum. The responsibility for the prisoner's release rests with Gov. Pingree, who pardoned him on the last lay of his term of office.

Mysterious Drops of Fresh Blood. Again on the 6th it was reported that several drops of fresh blood were to be found on the face of the famous 'bleeding" picture at Menominee. One of the priests drew some blood from his own veins and compared it with the substance on the glass. The two were identical. It is said that when some of the dried substance came in contact with the fresh blood from the priest's wrist, it resolved itself into a shape that strongly resembled the face of the Savior. An examination of the red spots on the picture has resulted in the discovery that they are coaguthe ancients possessed, but which is lated blood. Dr. Venema, one of the leading physicians of Menominee, has declared so emphatically. The origin of the spots is shrouded in mystery.

> Norway's new bank will commence business about June 1. Unless the employing machinists of

> Martin Vanderpool, of near North bolt of lightning on the 8th and instantly killed.

> Joseph Moran, of Jacksonville, andoned convicts was found guilty of

criminal assault on the 8th. The annual grand encampment I. O. There were 150 delegates in attendance. | boost prices up.

Upwards of 50,000 telegraph poles, two sawmills, a salt block, a dredge, a tug and many thousand feet of lumber were burned in a fire that started shortly before 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 12th in Salliotte & Furgason's sawmill at River Rouge, causing a loss of at least \$323,000, divided among the several firms as follows: Western Union Telegraph Co., \$200.000; Salliotte & Furgason, \$50,000; John Brownlee & Co., \$45,000; Carkin, Stickney & Cram, \$15,000; Maltby Lumber Co., \$12,000;

FIRE AT RIVER ROUGE.

Nearly a Half Million Dollars Worth of

John Mason, salt well tools, \$1,000. Fanned by the furious westerly gale that blew fully 30 miles an hour at times, the fire was soon out of the control of the village firemen and was licking up the mills and lumber piles hundreds of yards away. It swept over huge piles of lumber almost as fast as the eye could follow it, and in less than an hour had eaten its way from the place where it started to a point fully a half mile distant, where eight acres of land were piled high with cedar poles belonging to the

Western Union Telegraph Co. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a spark from the smokestack of Salliotte & Furgason's salt block, which is immediately west of the sawmill. Fortunately no fatali-

Blg Sale of Stump Lands. The Michelson & Hanson Lumber Co., of Lewiston, has just closed a deal with a company of Iowa farmers which disposes of about 18,000 acres of its stump lands. The lands embraced in the deal lie in Oscoda, Montmorency ple, under the management of Cephas Buttles, of Milwaukee, will open the lands for settlement and are already forming a colony for that purpose. This movement means much for this section of the state and especially for the village of Lewiston, which is now an enterprising village of about 800 inhabitants, but maintained largely by lumbering interests.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Rogers City will soon be lighted by electricity. Forest fires are doing considerable

damage in Wexford county. A fine new grain elevator is in course of construction at Vermontville.

The state convention of W. C. T. U. will be held at Marshall, June 5-8. Gladstone was scorched to the extent

of \$35,000 on the morning of the 8th. Centreville is now a "dry" burg, the council having suppressed the saloons. The plant of the Bellmer Eames Fool Co., of Cincinnati, will locate at

Cadillac is already preparing plans or a monster celebration this year on July 4 and 5.

Grand jury has been called at Grand Rapids to investigate the water scandal and other matters. The total membership of the L. O.

T. M. in Michigan is now 59,609, an increase of 1,100 during April. The ice blockade at Marine City

broke on the morning of the 8th, and St. Clair river is now free of ice. The Manchester Enterprise reports that snakes are plentiful this spring.

Just a little early for snake stories. Wheat is said to have come through and to be in splendid condition at

A dispatch from Algonac, dated the 26th, says that notwithstanding the fact that the ice is slushy the jam is still unbroken.

Muskegon and Ludington are to be connected by an electric line, the council of the former place having already granted a franchise.

A Jackson company is trying to lease about 1,000 acres of land at New Baltimore. It is believed there is a good vein of coal thereabouts. A petition is being circulated by the

farmers between Milan and Stony Creek and many are signing it, asking for a free rural mail delivery route. It is expected that the work of wid-

of the Pere Marquette railroad from narrow to standard will be done this month. Alex. R. Avery, collector of customs at Port Huron, died very suddenly at

Lakelands, Fla., on the 6th. Notice of his death came as a great surprise to his family and friends at home. A rear-end freight collision occurred

at Raisin, two miles north of Monroe, on the Pere Marquette at an early as a result 15 cars were ditched. What resembled a sea serpent, but which is believed to be a sea lion

which escaped from Lincoln Park, Chicago, three years ago, was seen in the lake off Benton Harbor on the 6th. Miss Inez Malthy, aged 20, of Flint, out who had of lat, been employed as cide by swallowing a huge dose of carbolic acid on the 6th. Her aim was to have caused her to commit the rash

Five or six logs rolled from the top & Northwestern railroad at Ironwood on the 7th into a crew of laborers who | Spanish-American war. were standing beside the track, in-Branch, and his dog were struck by a stantly killing one and injuring several others so that there is no hopes of their recovery. The men were all

Polanders. The coal dealers of Albion have formed a trust among themselves, to do away with all "trust" for their customers. Hereafter, they announce, all sion of three persons there is every O. F. of Michigan, closed its annual transactions will be on a spot cash Rogers City to Onaway, connecting basis. The combination will also

DOINGS OF THE 41ST SESSION.

The following bills were passed by

the house on the 8th: Appropriating \$50,000 for a psychopathic ward at the state university; detaching territory from Millen and Hawes townships and attaching same to Mitchell township, Alcona county; amending Detroit charter; to provide for a central bureau for the receiving and compiling records of the description, measurements and histories of the convicts in the penal institutions of this and other states, to make such descriptions, neasurements and histories available to the several circuit courts of this state, and to appropriate \$500 a year for these purposes; relative to authorizing use of voting machines at elections; amending act relative regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders and associations; relative to laying of telephone wires; amending horseshoers' act so as to extend the time for filing liens upon horses and other animals from 60 days to six months; fixing minimum capitalization of trust deposit and security companies at \$100,000; empowering state board of education to provide all courses of study in state normal schools and to grant such certificates and diplomas as it may see fit; to legalize special assessments on which taxes have been levied in Highland Park village, Wayne county, for the building of sewers costing about \$60,000; authorizing city assessor of Grand Haven to assess the tax on the toll bridge across Grand river for the year 1901; providing for transfer to city of Lansing of 21/2 acres of Industrial School for Boys state land for \$400 for street and highway purposes; memorializing congress to submit to popular vote an amendment to the federal constitution for the election of U.S. senators by direct vote of the people; amending act for regulation of plate glass, accident, live stock, steam boiler and fidelity insurance; providing for the incorporation of companies to carry on any lawful business; to prevent wearing of G. A. R. and other badges by unauthorized persons; amending act to provide for the sale of swamp lands; amending act providing for the incorporation of cities of the fourth class; amending act relative to title to real property by descent; regalating use of chemical preservatives in articles of food and drink; amendng act relative to incorporation of villages.

The senate passed the following bills on the 8th: Appropriating \$20,000 for publishing the records of Michigan soldiers; appropriation for state horticultural society; to reimburse Ingham county; to amend the tax laws; to amend Detroit's charter; to amend Detroit's charter; to organize Sheridan township, Mason county, into a single school district; to detach territory from the townships of Millen and Hawes. Aleona county, and attach the same to Mitchell township; relative to salaries of certain officers of Springwells township, Wayne county; to authorize Grand to protect owners of bottles, etc.

The following bills were passed by the house on the 6th: Appropriation of \$2,500 for completing records of soldiers and sailors in Spanish-American war; provide for organization of Sheridan township, Mason county, into single school district; organization of Hamlin township, Mason county, into the winter finely in Mccosta county in Saginaw and authorizing common craze for speculations in stocks. The council to issue \$25,000 bonds to pay excitement occasioned, either by for the same in anticipation of the collection of the assessments; amending general tax law relative to township treasurers making returns; amending law relative to societies for loaning and investing money; amending garnishee law so that proceedings may be commenced against the state of Michigan, or any county, the same as against municipal corporations, also that summons may be served on any officer of a corporation; relative to the commencement of suits in which partition of law is sought; limiting stay of proceedings upon any verdict to 20 days unless party applying shall execute a bond for the amount; amending election law relative to ballots: authorizing superintendents of police ening the guage of the Almont branch and governor to license persons to carry concealed weapons.

The following bills were passed by the senate on the 7th: To amend Manistee's charter; to reduce the number of justices in Grand Rapids; to reincorporate Menominee; to permit catching earp, suckers and redsides with nets and spears in the inland waters of Wayne county which have not been planted by the state fish commission; to amend Kalamazoo charter; to reguhour on the morning of the 7th, and late electric cars in Bay county; appropriating \$2,000 per year to the state board of health; appropriation for Marquette prison; appropriation for Marmette Normal.

The following bills were passed by the house on the 7th: Compelling the equipment of electric cars in Bay county with air brakes. Applies to a domestic in Detroit, committed sui- cars running from Bay City to Winona Beach; submitting to the electors of Manistee proposition to raise \$125,000 become an actress, and having failed for a gas and electric lighting system; to make any progress along this line allowing the catching of carp, suckers rats and a phial containing 100 tablets since locating at Detroit, is thought to and redsides with nets or spears in the of aconite were found at hand. All inland waters of Wayne county not planted by the fish commission.

The senate on the 7th voted to ap-Saginaw concede to the demands of the of a train in the yards of the Chicago propriate \$20,000 for the compilation and publishing of the records of the

# NEWSY BREVITIES.

4 Fifty men were thrown out of work at Carson City on the 7th, as a result of a fire which destroyed a stave mill there. Property loss, \$8,000.

The Rogers City & Western railway is a sure thing. It will run from there with a road to be built to Petos-

He Left an Estate of \$1,000,000 to His 33 Children.

25,868 INDIANS ATTEND SCHOOL

According to a Statement Given Out by the Indian Bureau—This is the Largest Number at Any Time in the Last 10 Years-Other Events of the Week

Killed Her Father and Herself. Gustave Baare, aged 50 years, bailiff of the St. Louis, Mo., school board and an ex-representative in the legislature, was shot and killed at his home on the night of the 7th by his daughter, Ida N. Baare, aged 20, who then turned the revolver upon herself inflicting a wound from which she soon died. Both were shot through the head. The action of the young woman was premediated as was shown by the letter which she left. In it she said the frequent insults offered her mother by her father became unbearable and that she had resolved to kill him and then herself. Mr. Baare was taking a nap when he was killed.

Assaulted and Left for Dead. Miss Ethel Bonnie, daughter of G. W. Bonnie, an employe of the Kansas penitentiary, while gathering mushrooms near Lansing, was struck on the back of the head by an unknown white man on the 7th, presumably a tramp, and rendered unconscious, after which she was assaulted and her body thrown into an old well, for the purpose of hiding the crime. The young woman regained consciousness and after repeated attempts, reached the surface where she was found, sitting on the edge of the well. She stated that she had caught a glimpse of her assailant and would be able to identify him.

Left 33 Children and \$1,000,000. The will of Geo. Q. Cannon, of Salt ake City, Utah, filed for probate on the 9th, disposes of an estate approximating \$1,000,000. The estate is divided into two parts, the first part consisting of gilt-edged securities worth \$200,000. This is to remain in trust until his youngest child, now 9 years of age, attains his majority. All of the 33 children of President Cannon are given an acre of land from the Cannon farm, and \$2,000 in cash on attaining majority or at marriage, the balance of the \$200,000 to be divided among the children when the youngest with 10 officers, 180 men, 107 rifles and child becomes of age.

25,868 Indian Pupils. A statement by the Indian bureau shows that there are more Indians now in the schools of the government than at any other time in the last 10 years, the total being 25,868. The statement embraces figures for the three months ending March 31, 1901. It shows that Haven, Ottawa county, to collect the in the non-reservation boarding schools tax on its toll bridge for the year 1901; the enrollment for the quarter was the enrollment for the quarter was 7,470. The enrollment in reservation boarding schools in the three months was 10,411. The day schools during the quarter had 4,307 pupils. The total enrollment of the three classes of schools during the quarter was 22,188.

Craze for Speculation Causes Many Deaths. single school district; provide for the Chicago health department attributes building of stone and brick sidewalks an increase in the death rate to the losses or quickly gained riches, the report says, has proven dangerous, chiefly to persons over 60 years of age. Of 566 deaths which occurred there during the past week 124 were persons 60 years old or older. There is an increase of 26 per cent over the previous week and of 24 per cent over the corresponding week of 1900.

Panama Canal for Sale. In order to remove the objection raised by the isthmian canal commission, the Panama Canal Co., with the approval of the Colombian government, has announced the terms on which it will sell the Panama canal to the U.S. The letter containing its proposition was submitted to Rear Admira Walker, chairman of the commission by Dr. Martinez Silva, Colombian minister. No price is set by the company for its property and franchise.

Charged With Cremating His Cameren. On April 30 the house of Jos. Parton, at Hurdville, Ont., was destroyed by fire and five children, the eldest aged 16. were burned. On May 7 Parton was arrested on a charge of murder, it being alleged, that he deliberately cremated the children. Parton, who is 70 years old, had, it is alleged, been in the habit of cruelly beating the children, but what evidence the crown possesses on the murder charge has not developed.

Suicided to Avoid Disaster. A man believed to be R. N. Pollock. the missing bank president from Cleveland, O., ended his life at Seattle, Wash., on the 8th in the Hotel York by sending a bullet through his brain. A razor, a two ounce box of rough on papers belonging to the man had been

burned before committing the deed. Lynching Mob Were Frustrated. A mob made an unsuccessful attempt on the jail at Chandler, O. T., on the night of the 7th, in an effort to secure and lynch John Cofield, a farmer, who is charged with having ruined his two step-daughters, aged 13 and 15, and who, it is alleged, had a criminal operation performed on the elder one, resulting in her death on the 5th. When

Shirt waists parties are becoming a fad at the U. of M. Augusta, Ga., was visited by a \$170,-000 fire on the 8th

arrested Cofield attempted suicide.

CUBA AND PHILIPPINE NEWS.

ment the report stated that the U.S. ciated in the U.S. generally. as the republic is established. The the fact." representatives announced that Secretary Root had said there was nothing in the Platt amendment to prevent finds support in its effort, toward the Cuba having diplomatic representatives in foreign countries.

The island of Samar, one of the Visayan group, has been transferred from the department commanded by Gen. Wade to that commanded by Gen. Hughes. Gen. Hughes has been ordered personally to Samar and if he is unsuccessful in negotiating the surrender of the insurgent, Gen. Lukban, the force of American troops in Samar will be increased and a vigorous offenaive campaign will be inaugurated.

Provost-General Davis is preparing recommendations to submit to the commission for a separate scheme of city government in Manila. The commission favors a plan of federal center similar to that of Washington and the City of Mexico. Ordinances are in course of preparation.

The military authorities at Manila have prepared a schedule and forwarded the same to Washington covering the sailing dates of the 10 regiments of volunteers still in the archipelago. Unless unforseen delays arise, the last of these regiments will reach home before June 30.

Col. Astilla, the insurgent governor of Infanta province, has surrendered 10 cannon.

#### TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

In the German reichstag on the 7th Baron von Hodenberg, the Guelph leader, interpellated the government on what steps had been taken to effect the release of the German missionaries now held prisoners by the British in South Africa. He averred that 10 missionaries were confined in Pretoria, and that there was not the slightest charge against them, and that their property had been seized. A general debate on the interpellation followed, several members strongly condemning British methods in South Africa. Sir Alfred Milner, the British com-

missioner, addressing a mass meeting In a report issued on the 6th the at Cape Town on the 7th, said there was absolutely no reason for the anxiety felt in some quarters lest any change be introduced in South Africa that would in any way weaken the imperial policy. Such a change was impossible. Great Britain had made up her mind and would carry out the policy she had laid down.

The report that a force of Boers is concentrating under Delarey at Hartebeestefontein is regarded with a feeling of satisfaction. The British force should far outnumber the Boers, and as the latter must by this time have lost practically all their guns, Delarcy cannot have any artillery with him. This fact alone should place him at a great disadvantage.

A dispatch from London, dated the 7th, says that the health of Mrs. Botha, wife of Commandant-General Botha, has broken down owing to worry, and her constant journeys between her husband and Lord Kitchener, and that she is about to sail from Delagoa Bay to visit Mr. Kruger, and to appeal to him to persuade the Boers to surrender.

The London war office on the 6th officially gave out the total number of deaths in the South African war at 714 officers and 14,264 men. Four officers and 314 men have been invalided home and subsequently died. Two thousand four hundred and ninetythree non-commissioned officers and men have left the service unfit for duty.

By the explosion of a boiler near Uniontown, Pa., on the 7th, two men lost their life.

The River Raisin Paper Co.'s plant, at Monroe, was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 29th, entailing a loss of \$30,000.

Information was received at Wash ceived at Washington on the 8th confirming a dispatch from Pekin regarding the amount of indemnity to be demanded. This total has now been reduced from something like half a billion dollars to \$337,000,000. The supreme council of the Order of

Chosen Friends has been dissolved by Judge Leathers, of Indianapolis, Ind., and enjoined from doing business. This was the result of a suit filed by the county prosecutor to aid Receiver Clark. Many thousand dollars worth of property could not be obtained because the order was still in existence. It is said Former President Grover Cleveland made \$400,000 by the advance of Northern Pacific railway stock on the 8th. He got his tip from Daniel S. Lamont, who is vice-president of the system, and got in on the ground Bend, Ind., will be in operation by

CHINA WAR NEWS

The commission of the constitutional The latest mail from China has convention which returned to Havana brought to the state department at from Washington, May 5, presented to Washington new proofs of the terrible the convention on the 7th, at the lat- and perhaps irretrievable conditions ter's secret session, an extensive re- which exist under the foreign military port of the conferences with President rule in north China, involving a situa-McKinley and Secretary Root. In ref- tion not hitherto fully realized, even erence to the third clause of the amend- in Washington, and utterly unapprewould not intervene unless Cuba were character of the information which attacked by a foreign power or unless has now come into the administration's there existed in Cuba a condition of af- possession is summarized in the folfairs similar to that which existed un-, lowing extracts from a communication der Spain at the time of American in- written by one of the most trusted tervention. Regarding coaling sta-officials in the service abroad and tions, the report set forth that the mailed from Pekin a month ago: "The places so desired by the U. S. were question of raising the indemnity, Capes Mais and San Antonio, and an- though one of the most serious for the other point commanding the entrance | Chinese government, is not paramount. to the Gulf of Mexico; these would be All the people who are likely to know definitely determined upon when draw- declare that the Chinese peasant can ing up the treaty and that the object stand no greater burden of taxation of these stations would be the main- than in the past, as the question resoltenance of the independence of Cuba ves itself largely to reducing the exas well as the protection of the U.S. pense of collection, which in China in-The report also said that the U.S. volves radical reforms. Another propwould in no way interfere in the local osition for meeting the indemnity is to government and that President Mc- grant lucrative mining and indus-Kinley had promised to appoint a com- trial concessions to foreigners, by that mission to meet a Cuban commission means bartering their independence to discuss the economic question, and and laying up endless trouble for the draw up a commercial treaty as soon Chinese, which are quick to recognize

> Inquiry at Washington confirms the report that the U.S. is working, and opening of all China, including the provinces, to the trade of the world. This does not mean the abolition of customs duties, but would make every Chinese city a market for the world's goods instead of limiting foreign commerce to the few existing treaty posts. The project is one that appeals temptingly to the commercial interests of others of the great powers than the U. S., and, if it should command the support of the necessary number, hope is entertained that it will indirectly aid in the settlement of the troublesome indemnity question.

> The report of Gen Ketteler, received at Pekin from Kuo Lu, differs from the other reports concerning the German-French expedition previously received. Gen. Ketteler's report shows that the Chinese troops did not leave the province till they were forced to do so. The entire brigade, commanded by Gen. Ketteler, met the enemy on April 23 and inflicted immense loss. The report does not give the loss. The Germans had one officer and three soldiers killed and 28 soldiers wounded.

> The foreign ministers on the 7th decided to address a collective note to the Chinese government informing it that a joint indemnity of 450,000,000 taels would be demanded, and asking what method of payment is proposed. A reply is expected at the end of the week, which will probably propose to meet the indemnity by raising the customs tariff.

> A dispatch from Pekin, dated the 7th, says China will request the powers to obtain for her a loan sufficient to pay the indemnity as soon as the amount thereof is made known. She will also ask for an extra 20,000,000 taels to be provided annually according to the proposition of foreign minsters.

> The transport Egbert, now in quarantine at San Francisco, has on board the remains of 59 men who died in

#### BASE BALL.

Below we publish the standing of the American and National league clubs up to and including the games played on Sunday, May 12:

•	MANAGER SERVICE			
		Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
	Detroit	13	4	.765
	Chicago	11	6	.647
	Boston	7	6	.539
.	Baltimore	6	- 6	.500
	Washington	6	6	500
1	Philadelphia	6 .	7	.462
:	Milwaukee	- 6	11	.353
.	Cleveland	4	13	.235
1	NATIONAL LE	 AGUE		
		Von.	Lost.	Per et.
	Pittsburg	- 10	6	.625
	Cincinnati	01	6	.625
1	New York	7	5	.583
1	Boston		6	.538
:	Brooklyn	7	8	.467
1	Philadelphia	7	9	.438
	Chicago	8	12	.400
1	St. Louis	7	- 11	.389
1	THE MAD			

# THE MARKETS.

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No. 2 red No. 2 mix No. 2 white 51@51% New York 34@34 7120711/4 5176511/2 Chicago 75@75% \*Detroit 45@45 31@3114

Toledo 28/02814 757076 46 2461/4 Cincinnati 307230 77.077% Pittsburg 47.047 33703314 Buffalo 70@76% 46 @ 46 \*Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy, \$12 75 per ton. Potatoes, 35c per bu. Live Poultry, spring chickens, 11c per 1b; fowls, 10c; turkeys, 11c; Eggs, strictly fresh, 12c per dozen. ducks, 10c. Butter, best dairy, 15e per 1b; creamery, 18c.

Big Steel Combine. A steel-producing company, capital-

ized at \$117,000,000, and promoted by Philadelphia capitalists, will come into existence as a result of the merging of the Consolidated Lake Superior and the Ontario Lake Superior Cos. These corporations are at present capitalized at \$20,000,000 each. The plant will be located at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. Its capacity is to be 2,500 tons a day.

It is said that the interurban electric iline between Benton Harbor and South Aug. 1, as far as Niles.

# Mildred Jo Grevanion

BY THE DUCHESS.

CHAPTER XII.

tered as though it could not fail to to see the time the estate would restrike despair and remorse into the trieve itself. I ask you, therefore is hearts of her hearers; and, indeed, in | it honorable to borrow?" Lady Caroline's breast it awoke mingled feelings of joy and terror, though George urged feebly, "else we must in those of Mildred and Mabel the joy | starve." reigned supreme.

Lady Caroline attempted a faint remonstrance, but was sternly silenced; and on Wednesday, two days earlier decided, the old lady, bag and bag-

And now came the most trying time in all poor Mildred's life. During all bling. of the past weeks that she had been suffering violence at the hands of her relatives, Lord Lyndon had become a constant, untiring visitor at King's Abbott, taking no rebuffs, nor open slights, nor petulant actions to heart, but, as might a faithful animal, attending all the more assiduously to her wants who was his acknowledged mis-

Patience, assisted by perseverance, has ever been known to work wonders, so it followed that in process of time | ed agitation. he became—though so imperceptibly that it was without her knowledgenecessary to Mildred; so much so indeed that fewer and fewer grew the slights and unkindnesses on her part, while in their place a certain winning friendliness came and increased, raising false hopes in Lyndon's breast that should never have been there.

The end of all this was that close upon Christmas-time, somewhere about the middle of December, while all their minds were fully occupied with Lady Eagleton's sayings and doings, Lord Lyndon proposed for Miss Trevanion, and was rejected. This blow might perhaps have effectually daunted auother man; but Lyndon, still following of that subject. I will hear no more up his trusty instincts, determined to of it. Thinking it over of late, I can bide his time and never surrender hope | see no just reason why Mildred should until a more favored suitor took his

Mildred, having lively recollections of the treatment she had received on a smile, "the sooner it comes to pass the similar occasion, thought well to keep her own counsel in this matter; and so it was agreed upon between them to hold the entire circumstance a secret from the rest of the family-to insure which, things of course went on | through her fault that sorrow had fallin the usual way, he calling every other day and she accepting his attentions-which were never of the obtrusive description—in the same manner as formerly. So well did they sustain their several parts that even Lady Harriet's keen old eyes failed to detect that anything was amiss.

going from bad to worse. He had been hard at work for the past two months trying to find the ways and means to ward off the inevitable day of reckoning, and had suggested plans and pur- | you do it?" sued theories, all of which his man of of money-and that to be written in five figures-stood between him and | could?" complete ruin; and how to secure the money was the difficulty-a difficulty beyond all surmounting unless somefriendship's sake would lend it for an indefinite period, trusting to time and chance for repayment. Such a friend was hard to find.

One evening Mildred, on her way to her mother's room, was stopped by a servant with the intelligence that Lord Lyndon had just called, and was in the drawing-room.

"Would Miss Trevanion go down and receive him, while she informed her ladyship of his arrival?"

To which Mildred made answer that she would tell Lady Caroline herself, and went on to her mother's apart-

When she came to the bedroom she found the door closed, but opening it passed on toward an inner room beyond, where Lady Caroline usually sat, and whence voices, suppressed yet distinct, reached her. As she approached still nearer, they rose still higher, and words became intelligible to her ears.

"If I do not get this money without delay we are simply ruined," said Sir George, irritably.

"Then I suppose there is nothing left you but to ask Mr. Younge for it," returned Lady Caroline, in a reluctant tone.

"I suppose not," said Sir George. Ask Mr. Younge! Ask the father of | all. the man whom she had not considered good enough to marry for money! What could it all mean?

Mildred stopped short and pressed her hands tightly together. Surely she had not heard aright. They could not mean- She drew her breath hard

and swept like a whirlwind into the "Papa," she said, "what are you thinking of? What have you been saying? I heard you as I came along.

By what right do you intend to ask money of Mr. Younge-of him of all men? What claim have you on him?" "Mildred, you do not understand," began her father. "I speak of a loan."

"Yes, I do understand," broke in the girl passionately—"only too well. You

years? Why, you yourself told me This terrible announcement she ut- only the other day you could not hope

"Something must be done," Sir

"Then let us starve," cried Mildred, vehemently; "far better do that, or | work for our daily bread as others have done before us, than live comthan that on which she had originally fortably on other people's money. Let us be honest, whatever we are; and keeping down with firm hand the risgage, swept out of King's Abbott, very surely to borrow without hope of bemuch to the relief of those she left ing able to repay is the very acme of all dishonesty."

Lady Caroline rose, pale and trem

"Mildred," she said, "how dare you me a great injustice." speak so to your father? You have altogether forgotten yourself, I think. How can you presume to dictate to him what is right or wrong? Is he not your father? Are you not his child? Ah, it is because he has been so good to you that you now fail in love and obedience to him!"

It was the first time she had ever rebuked Mildred within her memory, and her voice shook with the unwont-

"Do not speak to her like that," interrupted Sir George, gently. "She is right; she has but spoken the truth. I can now see for myself that my intention was dishonorable and dishonest."

But Lady Caroline was still stung to the quick.

"And you, you ungrateful girl," she went on, taking no notice of her husband's speech, "how can you claim to have any voice in the matter at allyou who could have saved us all by putting out your hands and would

"Hush, Carry!" interposed Sir George, authoritatively. "We have had enough sacrifice herself to please her family. If I am to be beggared in my old age,' he said, with a wretched attempt at a better."

An awful pain arose in Mildred's heart; her mother's words had sunk deep into it. Was she indeed the cause of all this cruel suffering? Was it en upon the closing years of her father and mother?

CHAPTER XIII.

Mildred descended the stairs and hurried across the hall, giving herself no time to think of or meditate on what lay before her, and, going into Sir George's affairs at this time were the drawing-room, found Lord Lyndon standing with his back to the fire. She went up to him, and held out her hand. "I want you to do something for me," she said, in a low, choked voice-"will

"Of course, I will," he responded in

"Hush!" she said. "I would rather you did not promise just yet. Wait until you have heard my request, for body could be found who for pure it is no ordinary one. I do not think you can grant it. I shall not think it in the least strange if you tell me

you cannot." At least let me hear what it is," he requested, gently.

"I want you to lend me, for an indefinite period, fifteen thousand pounds." Lord Lyndon was so taken aback that at first he scarcely recognized the importance of an immediate reply. He was rich, certainly-richer far than many men who were accounted well possessed of this world's goods; but fifteen thousand pounds was a sum himself said quietly:

"What day shall I bring it to you? Or would you prefer paying it in any-

where?" "You will give it to me, then? You really mean it? Are you sure—certain? Think what a large sum it is, and how small is your hope of repayment, and do not speak in too great

a hurry." "I am sure," he said. "I promise you." "And about securities?" questioned

Mildred, trying anxiously to recollect all that she had ever heard about money matters, and not succeeding at "We will not speak about securities,"

answered Lyndon, gently. "Let it be an arrangement between you and me alone: I shall trust to you to repay me the moment you are able." The utter kindliness and nobility of

his nature touched her to the heart. "What shall I say to you?" she said, in a low tone, while a strange trembling pervaded her voice. "How shall I thank you?"

"Say nothing-do not thank me at manner, moving back a few steps from

her. Meanwhile time was flying. One, two, three minutes passed, marked by nothing except the small ormolu ornament on the chimney piece, as it ticked speak of a 'loan'; when, then, do you away its little monotonous existence. grounds to be used for additional com-

membered nothing-beyond the fact that, for her, life's sweetness, liberty and tender sympathy were not.

At length, rousing herself with an effort, she went up to Leydon and placed her hand on his. Her heart was beating wildly, her face was ash-

"Do you remember a question you said. "Do you still care to remember it? Because, if so, I have a different answer to make you now."

"Two weeks ago I asked you to marry me," he replied, in a forced, unnatural manner. "And then I said 'No,' " she mur-

mured faintly; "now-now-I would say 'Yes.'" She covered her face with her hands; a thick, dry, tearless sob escaped her.

"But I have not asked you to say ing hope that was consuming him. "What, Mildred, do you imagine that, because I have been able to help you in this little matter, I have a claim on you? You are doing both yourself and

"You are too good for me," Miss Trevanion; "and yet I know you glad to look into your happy faces; love me. If you still care to marry glad to know that contentment and me, I will gladly be your wife."

"Mildred, Mildred, what are you saying?" he cried, all the icy brave reserve breaking down in an instant. 'Think what your thoughtless words must mean to me-life, hope, happiness greater than I have ever dared to dream of-and beware lest I take advantage of them. If you are saying all this—as I feel you are—from a mistaken sense of gratitude or pity, I implore you to desist and leave me as I was before."

"Listen to me," entreated Mildred, determined honestly to advocate her own doom, and holding out to him her hands, which he gently took and held. "If I tell you that I do not love marry, but that I respect you above all living men, will it content youwill you take me as I am?"

"If I were quite sure you would be happy," he began, reluctantly.

"I am quite sure I should be happy," she interposed, and burst into bitter tears as she spoke.

After a little she recovered herself. "I feel nervous," she declared, trying bravely to appear her usual self, and smiling a wan, faint smile, though heavy drops were on her lashes; "you visited both at Ventura and at Santa should have come to my rescue—it is Barbara. not every day the proposal is made by the woman." "My darling," he said, tenderly ca-

had again possessed himself, "I hope -I think-you will never regret it. Mildred, if I were quite certain that this was for your good, and that you would never wish unsaid the words you have uttered, I believe I might feel satisfied."

"Be satisfied, then," she returned, but there was a terrible, dull aching pain at her heart, as she gave the expected assurance.

When he was gone she went upstairs again to the room where she had left her father and mother, and found business had frowned at and pooh- his pleasant, cheery way. "Why do them still there—Sir George standing poohed as utterly impracticable. Noth- you ask me that? Have you yet to at the window gazing out upon the ing but the possession of a large sum learn that there is nothing in the snow-covered ground, Lady Caroline before the fire, as though in the act of warming herself. The traces of to the earth's surface any heat along tears were still upon her mother's with their rays of light? This is a quescheeks, and even as Mildred gazed a tion which scientists have long been heavy drop fell upon her lap.

"Mamma, be comforted," cried Mildred, coming suddenly forward from these far-off bodies has not only been where she had been standing unnoticed, in the shadow of the door; "I

have done what you wished me to do -I have got the money for you." Lady Caroline started and turned to-

ward her; so did Sir George. (To be continued.) WILL NOT LEND THE BOOKS.

Collectors of Rare Volumes Have a Horror of the Borrowers.

A noted book collector of New York, one whose library is filled with some that few could put their hands on at of the rarest treasures of the biblioa moment's notice. He hesitated, there- | phile's heart, recently complained of fore, for a little, and then recovering the total lack of the collector's spirit among literary men. "I was recently asked by a literary man to send him a copy of an extremely rare book that I have on my shelves to aid him in some work that he is doing. Now, I want to help him all I can, and if he will come to my house he can have the use of the book as long as he wants it, under the most favorable circumstances. But send him the book-no, under no circumstances! It is not the fact that it is worth hundreds of dollars anywhere in the market, but the fact that if damaged or lost it would be utterly irreplacable that makes the collector shudder. If it were lost or spoiled Mr. Literary Man would send an abject letter expressing his deep contrition at field, have been arrested and merchanan untoward accident, perhaps with a dise identified as goods stolen from check inclosed, but of the real horror a freight car found in their possesof the situation I think he and his tribe could have no inkling."

Improvements Upon National Capitol. About \$300,000 will be expended upon the capitol at Washington during the congressional recess. Many desirable improvements will be made, and the architect of the capitol has been auall," he answered, in a hurried, pained | thorized to prepare and submit plans for the reconstruction and fireproofing of the central portion of the building and the renovation and redecoration of the rotunda. Plans are also to be prepared for a new fireproof building adjacent to the capitol intend to return it—in months, in He, gazing absently in the fire, be- mittee rooms, storage and power plant. average 45,000 pounds of milk a day.

# thought him of what all this might portend; she thought of nothing—remembered nothing—beyond the fact

President Sees the Old Spanish Missions.

THE INCIDENTS OF A DAY.

asked me about two weeks ago?" she In a Speech Mr. McKinley Draws Parallel Between California and the Philippine Islands-The Chief Was Bound to See the Chief Magistrate.

Del Monte, Cal., May 13.—The presidential train arrived early in the evening, the whole town turning out to greet the chief executive and his party. The train was taken down to the bay of Monterey, where the public demonstration was held and where the party remains 36 hours. The president said: it," observed his lordship, coldly, still | "So long as virtue and patriotism and morality, along with education, are taught in the schools as they are taught in the homes, our flag will always be sustained, for there will be earnest, loyal hands to bear it after the veterans of the civil and Spanish wars have passed away. I am glad to meet and greet you all this morning; prosperity are confined to no single section of the United States, but that everywhere, in every nook and corner of this great republic, plenty smiles on all the people."

There were 5,000 persons on hand to meet the president here. The train the boy's uncle. Pat Sheedy took a stopped at the foot of State street, near the center of the town. The local reception committee, headed by Mayor Stocke, met the president and his party and conducted them to carriages.

At e.ery stopping place today there was a flower show rivaling in beauty the floral parade which the president witnessed yesterday at Los Angeles. At Ventura and Santa Barbara the president was simply overwhelmed with flowers. The carriages in which he you with that passionate love with rode were lined with them and the which some women love the men they streets over which he passed were paved with them. There was no abatement today of the enthusiasm which attended the president's progress since he entered California.

As he approaches his destination at San Francisco the programs at the different stops are more enjoyable and less fati\_uing. A drive through the city was in each case the principal feature at the places where he stopped today. The president was very much interested in the old Spanish missions, filled with historic relics, which he

An unusual incident occurred during the president's stay at Santa Barbara. The residence of the chief of the fire ressing the small hands, of which he brigade caught fire. The fire chief, who was on the street, awaiting the coming of the president, was informed that his house was in flames.

"Let it burn," he replied, "I will wait and see the president, I can build This is necessary because of the filing another house, but I may never have of cases before the Spanish claims another opportunity to see the presi- commission alleging damages on the dent of the United States." And he grounds that the vessel was destroyed stoically remained while his house by the Spaniards. The evidence which burned to the ground.

"I saw the president," he said, when informed that his house was in ruins. "I saved the lot anyway."

STARS GIVE OFF HEAT. Question Which Has Long Puzzled

Scientists Solved. Williams Bay, Wis., May 13.—Do the stars, millions of miles away, send unable to answer. It is answered now and affirmatively. The heat from detected, but measured. The credit for solving the problem, which has long puzzled astronomers, and for constructing the instrument sensitive enough for this purpose, belongs to levolve upon the claimants to prove Professor E. F. Nichols of Dartmouth

college. After his experiments, by comparison and mathematical reductions, Professor Nichols ascertained that the heat coming to any point of the earth's surface from Arcturus, one of the nearest fixed stars, is something greater than the heat which would be received at a given point from a candle six miles distant, if none of the candle's heat were absorbed by the atmosphere. Observations on Vega, another fixed star, showed about one-half the quantity of heat received from Arcturus. The planet Jupiter sends us about twice as much heat as Arcturus, and from Saturn we receive only heat enough to equal the unabsorbed radiation of a candle ten miles away.

Bare a Blg Robbery Plot. Kansas City, Mo., May 13.—The pobe a general conspiracy to rob Burlington freight cars. James Magruder and F. L. Riding, conductor and brakeman on a local freight train running between Kansas City and Brooksion. Riding admits his part in the

conspiracy. Duty on Sugar Is Increased. Washington, May 13.-Following the recent action in the case of Russia, in which an additional tariff duty was placed on sugar receiving a bounty, the treasury department has imposed mencement dress ideas and asks teachan additional duty of 10 centavos per kilogram upon Argentine sugar.

Huntley as Milk Producing Center. Huntley, Ill., May 13.-The Journal this week publishes figures in an effort to show that Huntley is the greatest milk producing center in the world. The creamery here is receiving on an Kinley to remove Governor Dole. He

His Home.

mick's body has been found in Crom-

well's creek, at One Hundred and Six-

ty-first street and Railroad avenue, only a few blocks away from the home of the boy's parents in Highbridge. Only a few days ago the search for the missing boy, whose disappearance was one of the most mysterious in years, took the despairing turn of dredging sewers, Captain Titus, the head of the detective bureau, having become convinced that the boy was dead. Cromwell's creek is on the dividing line between the Morrisania and Highbridge police precincts. It was six weeks ago last Wednesday, on March 27, that Willie McCormick, 10 years old, disappeared. He started from his home on Ogden avenue, Highbridge, a little after 7 o'clock in the evening to attend devotional exercises at a church not far away and was never seen alive again. His disappearance was reported to the police just before midnight that night, a general alarm was sent out and from that day to this many false clews were followed and false identifications were sent in. Kidnapers were at first suspected, of course, and the theory was helped by an alleged letter from a kidnaper received on April 2 demanding money. Gypsies arrested in Washington were thought for a time to know something about the case. Rewards amounting to \$6,000 were offered for the recovery of the boy by a neighbor and by M. G. McCormick, hand in the matter and offered to do what he could to clear the mystery. As late as last week persons in this city and out of town reported that they were sure they had seen the boy recently on cars or in other public places. Hundreds of letters were received by the afflicted family, showing that the public sympathy was gener-

ally aroused. De Forest Boy Heard From. Cresson De Forest, 13 years old, who disappeared April 22 from his home, 229 West Eighty-third street, has been heard from. His father, who is assistant manager of the Hoffman house, today received a letter from the boy in which he said he was in San Jose, Cal., working on a farm at \$3 a day. "I will return in a few months," the boy says, "and will bring back the bank book and the money I took."

#### CLOSELY WATCH MAINE WRECK Heavy Claims Hinge Upon the Cause of the Explosion.

Washington, May 13.—The work of Chamberlain & Co., the Chicago contractors, in raising the wreck of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor will be closely watched by representatives of this government. It is important that the cause of the disaster, whether by interior or exterior explosion, should be definitely established. was produced by the investigation conducted by this government prior to the outbreak of the Spanish war is not considered sufficient to established beyond a doubt the cause of the explosion. Should the contractors use a coffer-dam, as planned, the hull of the wreck can be closely scrutinized. As the number of cases arising out of the destruction of the Maine and the amount of damages claimed will probably be large, the government is determined to safeguard Its interests and procure all evidence obtainable to combat the theory which tommonly prevails that the Spaniards destroyed the ship. The government will not necessarily lose its case should It be found that an external explosion caused the calamity, as it will then that the act was committed by the Spaniards.

Aldermen Aid Striking Yotormen. Albany, May 13.—An ordinance passed by the city council requiring hat motormen opera'ng electric itreet cars in Albany must have had it least twenty-one days' experience has been signed by Mayor Blessing. The ordinance was framed with the purpose of aiding the striking employes of the United States Traction company.

Starts a \$50,000 Damage Sult. Valparaiso, Ind., May 13.-H. R. Robbins, a prominent attorney Knox, will file in the federal court at Fort Wayne a suit for \$50,000 damiges against the plaintiffs in the disbarment case brought by fifty Starke ounty citizens. He alleges he has suflice have discovered what appears to lered financially, mentally and socialy as a result of the prosecution of he suit.

> Judge Dies from Accident. Keokuk, Ia., May 13.—Richard Peter Miller, judge of the Keokuk Superior tourt, died from injuries received last week in collision with a street car while driving. He was born at Fort Madison, this county, came to Keokuk in 1859 and was 46 years old.

Dress Reform Is Urged. Warren, O., May 13.-The Warren poard of education passed a resolution igainst extravagance on the comers, pupils and parents to assist in bringing about a dress reform on that recasion.

Appeal for Dole's Removal. Honolulu, May 13.—The territorial egislature has passed a resolution conaining a memorial to President Mcs charged with obstructing legislation.

AKE BOAT BURNS; FIVE DIE New York, May 13.—Willie McCor-Steamer Bon Voyage Destroyed

in Lake Superior.

THE DEAD ARE ALL WOMEN.

lose Their Lives by Drowning While

Trying to Reach the Shore-Crew Safely Gets to Beach-Two Lost in St. Clair River. Houghton, Mich., May 13.—The paslenger steamer Bon Voyage caught are in Lake Superior and was beached near the Portage ship canal. Five passengers, all women, were drowned in getting from the boat to the shore. The rest of the passengers, all men, and the crew, escaped in safety to the beach. Four of the passengers lost beonged to the Altman family of Calumet, Mich. There were two women of that name, one 60 years and the other 30 years old, and two girls, 5 and 12 years old. The fifth one of the lead is an unidentified girl. The fire broke out around the steamer's smokestack when she was some distance from the land. The glare was seen from the life-saving station, and the crew made all haste to reach the spot on tugs. They arrived just as the passengers and crew were driven to seek refuge from the flames in the lake. The survivors were picked up by the tugs. The crew of the steamer fought the fire with great courage. They manned the fire apparatus at the first alarm and had a stream of hose on the blaze in a short time. The fire spread rapidly in the dry wood around the stack, and it gained on the crew in spite of their best efforts. The people on board held out as well as they could, but were finally unable to stand the smoke and flames and dropped into the water one by one. Some had

life preservers, but there was not much chance of any one living in the water had not help been at hand. One of the Altman children was saved, the only one out of the family of five on board The burning steamer the steamer. was first sighted about 9 p. m. She was then several miles out from the shore, and was headed for the beach. The steamer was burning flercely, but was apparently in control of the crew, who did not have time to make the ship canal, but headed for the shore near Red Ridge, south of the canal. The steamer struck the bottom nearly a mile from land, owing to the shoal water. The tug Mary L. left the canal, followed by the tugs Meldrum and Fred A. Lee. The steamer was seen to be wrapped in fire from bow to stern, and was burned to the water's edge. She is a total loss. She caught fire on the last trip down from Duluth, but was saved by the crew. The Bon Voyage was owned by Singer's White Line Transportation company of Duluth, and traded between Duluth and the ports of the copper country. She was formerly on the run between Chicago and Saugatuck, and was brought to Lake Superior two years ago. The Bon Voyage measures 500 gross tons, and is 153 feet long by 30

BOAT SINKS AND TWO LOST.

The Steamer Annie Laura Collides with Cake of Ice. Port Huron, Mich., May 13.-The

schooner Fostoria, in tow of the steamer Annie Laura, collided with a huge cake of ice in St. Clair river and sank almost immediately. Two sailors, whose names are not known, were drowned. Three members of the crew were saved: They are: Capt. Albert Lockert, Sandusky, Ohio; Annie Lockert, Sandusky, Ohio; Annie Lockert, daughter of the captain, cook, Sandusky, Ohio; Albert Cronk, mate, Sandusky, Ohio. They were brought here on a tug, and taken to a hotel, where medical attendance was summoned, but all were found to be in a critical condition, owing to their immersion in the cold water. The two sailors hailed from Sandusky, but Capt. Lockert and Mate Cronk have not recovered sufficiently to tell their names. Their bodies cannot be found. The Fostoria and the Annie Laura lay in port all day on account of the dense fog which delayed all navigation on the river. About 6 p. m. they started out, and immediately encountered the heavy ice which the current in the information contained in it, and was bringing down from Lake Huron. When abreast of the Grand Trunk dock, 100 feet south of Fort Gratiot light, the steamer blew four whistles for a tug to help the two boats out of the river. Before the tug reached the big cake, which broke in lanking and waukee & St. Paul Railway sent on boats the Fostoria collided with the timbers, and the schooner sank almost receipt of ten (10) cents in stamps. immediately. All the members of the Address F. A. Miller, General Passencrew were thrown into the water, and ger Agent, Chicago, Ill. the three saved were rescued only with great diffic. ·v the men on the tug. The Fostoria is owned by E. E. Koch of Sandusky, O.

Joseph Hush 108 Years Old.

Mishawaka, Ind., May 13.-Joseph Hush has just celebrated his 108th birthday anniversary. His health is good, his sight is excellent and his voice wonderfully clear and strong for one of his years. Hush was born in New Jersey on May 10, 1793.

Ostrich Swallows Diamond. Colorado Springs, Colo., May 13 .-While Jacob Becker was inspecting the ing administered to the bird in order miles distant. to recover the diamond.

Signal Reaches 134 Miles. Washington, May 13.-Consul Grout at Malta has informed the state department that recent experiments in wireless telegraphy off the coast there have resulted in the successful trans mission of a message 13! miles.

AMONG ANCIENT PERUVIANS. The Early Tribes Trephined Skulls with Stone Instruments.

Prof. W. J. McGee of the bureau of ethnology, in Washington, has received official permission to exhibit at the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo his studies of trephining among the early Peruvians. He will show ancient skulls trephined by stone implements, and in connection with this, some animal skulls, showing experimental work done under Prof. McGee's direction, using the same flint implements which the aborigines were forced to employ. It is doubtful whether the ancient operations were performed for a distinctly surgical purpose or whether the operation was of some mystic significance. In some cases the freshness of the wounds in the bone showed that the patient did not long survive the operation, and in one or two instances it is plain that the ancient operator must have cut down upon a large blood vessel, causing almost instantaneous death, but in other cases the operation was more successful and the patient. must have survived for some years at least. Prof. W. H. Holmes, of the National Museum, will exhibit a dozen groups of models representing the domestic life of the aborigines of both North and South America, and will show also the houses in which they lived and some of the garments and implements of their daily life. This exhibit, although under the auspices of the National Museum, has been planned to supplement the regular ethnologic and archaeologic exhibit of the exposi-

tion. A Miracle Explained. Bryant, Mo., May 13th.—The sensational cure of Mrs. M. A. Goss of this place has sent a ripple of excitement all over Douglas county, and Dodd's Kidney Pills, the remedy in question, are receiving thereby the greatest advertisement any medicine has ever had

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Brokers Not Happy. This is a booming market, they tell

me in the street, and the outside impression is that the brokers, of whom there are some 5,000 all told, are wallowing in wealth. It cannot be. Such as do not speculate, but confine their business to the legitimate exaction of eights and quarters for services rendered, despise a steady boom. What they want is an active market with rapid fluctuations, in which their customers both sell and buy. The present market is dangerous. It is too onesided. The short interest has been eliminated. It is a bankers' market, with abundant subsidies. So some brokers say .- New York Press.

South Dakota Farms Is the title of an illustrated booklet just issued by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, descriptive of the country between Aberdeen and the Missouri River, a section heretofore unprovided with railway facilities, but which is now reached by a new line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Everyone contemplating a change of location will be interested a copy may be had by sending a twocent stamp to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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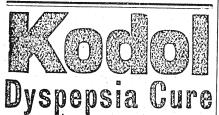
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# MARKET REPORT.

The Tone of the Market Is Steady in Nearly All Lines.

Business was not very active among dealers in farm produce today, but several changes were noted, lower weather continues. New potatoes are FREDERICK KLUMP, Publisher. promises to be plenty. The creamery grades are easy and in good supply. Vegetables are active and fruits steady. The sugar market is firm. GENERAL PRODUCE.

NEW POTATOES-\$2.75 per bushel. EGGS-Fresh receipts, 12c per doz. CABBAGES-\$1.25 @ \$1.50 per 100 lbs. POPCORN-New, 1 @ 11c; old 2c per

SWEET POTATOES—Jersey, \$2.75 per

cheese-Full Michigan cream, @ 10c per lb.

HONEY-No. 1 white, 14 @ 15c; light amber, 10@11c; dark amber, 8 @ 9c; extracted, 6½ @ 7c per lb.

DRESSED CALVES—Fancy, 7½ @ 8c; air, 6½ @ 7c per lb. POTATOES—Car lots, 30 (a) 31c; store

lots, 35c per bu. APPLES-Best, \$3.50 @ \$4.00 per bbl; cooking, \$2.75 @ \$3 per bbl.

COFFEE-Package coffee, sold on the equality plan on a basis of \$11.50, less 5c per 100 lb case in New York,

BUTTER-State creamery, extra, 19 @ 20c; firsts 18c; seconds 16 16½c; select dairy 15 @ 16c; fair grades 13c per lb; roll butter, choice, 14 @ 15c; good, 13c per lb.

FEED-Jobbing prices are as follows: Bran, \$17; coarse middlings, \$17; fine middlings, \$18; cracked corn, \$18; coarse corn meal, \$18; corn and oats chop, \$15.75 per ton.

One Dollar. Address Dept. 1, EDWIN B. GILES & COMPANY, 2330 and 2332 Market Street, Philadelphia.

нау-No. 1 timothy in car lots, \$12.50 per ton; No. 2 timothy \$11 @ flour for cakes. \$11.50; clover mixed, \$11 (@ \$11.50; wheat and oat straw, \$5 @ \$5.50; rye straw, \$7 50per ton, car lots, on track. FLOUR-Michigan patent; \$4.40; Michigan clear, \$3.75; Michigan straight, \$3.90; Detroit made, spring patent, \$4.30; Minnesota patent, \$4.30; Minnesota clear, \$3.30 3.50 per bbl. in jobbing lots.

POULTRY—Dressed turkeys, 10@11c; dressed chickens, 11@114c; dressed fowls, 10½ @ 11c per lb: live turkeys, 10½@11; live ducks, 9 @ 10c; live geese, 9 @ 9½c; live chickens, 10½c; live fowls,

PROVISIONS—Family pork, \$15 50 \$16.00; mess, \$14.75; short clear light, \$15.25; heavy, \$16.40; pure lard in tierces, 8½c; kettle rendered, 9c; smoked hams, 11 @ 11½c; bacon, 10 @ 11½c: shoulders, 74 @ 8c; picnic hams, 8c per

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, @ 75c per bunch; beets, 50 @ 60c per doz; cucumbers, \$1 1.25 per doz; cauliflower, \$1.50 @ \$1.75 per doz; lettuce 11c per lb; head lettuce, 75 @ 80c per doz, mushrooms, 45c per lb; pieplant, 40 @ 40c per doz; tomatoes, \$2.00 @ \$3 per six-basket crate.

WHEAT-721c for No.2 red wheat,46c for No. 2 corn and 31c for No. 2 white

RYE—Cash No. 2, 561c nominal. CLOVERSEED-Prime spot, 30 bags t \$6.50; October, 50 bags at \$5.25, BEANS-Cash, \$1.70:

East Buffalo, N. Y.. May 15-Speeial—Dunning & Stevens' report: Cattle-Receipts, 3 cars; sales steady to firm; veals \$3.50@\$5.75. Hogs—Receipts 18 cars; steady; yorkery, \$5.40@ \$5.55. Sheep-Receipts, 30 cars; higher for lambs; tops, \$5.10@\$5.20; others, \$3.25@\$5; sheep firm; top mixed, \$4.10 @\$4.30; others, \$2.25@\$4; wethers and yearlings, \$4.30@\$4.50.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

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	Cass City, Mich., May 17, 1901
	Wheat, No. 1 white
	Wheat, No. 2 red
	Rye, No. 2
	White oats, No. 2
į	Hand picked beans 1 5
	Peas
	Barley, per cwt
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	Butter
	Live hogs, per cwt 5 2
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l	White Lily, per bbl 4 00
l	Heller's Best per bbl
ı	Pillsbury's Best
	Graham flour per bbl 4 00
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	Feed per cwt
	Meal per cwt
	Bran per cwt 80
	Middlings per cwt
	Rye flour per cwt
	"I have been suffering from Dyspepsia
1	for the past twenty years and have
	read from Journ and Have

been unable after trying all preparations and physicians to get any relief After taking one bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure I found relief and am now in better health than I have been in twenty years. Lean not praise Kodol twenty years. I can not praise Kodol Dyspepsia Cure too highly."thus writes Mrs. C. W. Coberts, North Creek, Ark. Amos Bond.

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All Doctors have tried to cure CA-TARRH by the use of powders, acid gasses, inhalers and drugs in paste prices being quoted in lines that are form. Their powders dry up the mubecoming more plentiful as the warm cuous membranes causing them to weather continues. New notatoes are crack open and bleed. The powerful lower, but there is no change in old, the market in that director being the their th the market in that directson being that their makers have aimed to cure, very quiet. Eggs are lifeless and while pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and exate demand. Dairy butter is more easy. Dealers note a large increase in shipments and in a few days there perience practioner who has for man a Treatment which when faithfully used, not only relieves at once, but permanently cures CATARRH, by removing the cause, stoping the discharges, and curing all inflammation. It is the only remedy known to science that actually reaches the afflicted parts. This wonderful remedy is known as "SNUFFLES the GUARAN TEED CATARRAH CURE" and is sold at the extremely low price of One sold at the extremely low price of One Dollar each package containing internal and external medicine sufficient

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ompany each package. Don't delay but send for it at once, and write full particulars as to your condition, and you will receive special advice from the discoverer of this wonderful remedy regarding your case without cost to you beyond the regular price of "SNUFFLES" the "GUARAN-TEED CATARRH CURE."

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It took me eighteen months to buy piano. I investigated all leading makes pianos. I take I was interviewed by more piano men than any other man in the state. I finally went to Chicago myself and looked over the pianos as to quality and prices, in company with my niece who lives in Chicago and is a musician. After looking them all over I decided to try the Schiller Piano, which is manufactured at Oregon, Ill., 60 miles out of Chicago. I was at the factory and saw how this piano is made from ton strictly first class.

saw how this piano is made from top strictly first class. to bottom. One was shipped to my home in this city on approval, and after having it thoroughly tested by leading musicians, I bought it, and if

GEO, DUNSTER,

Bad Axe, Mich.

Very truly yours,
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Pres. Simpson Musical College,
Indianola, Ia.

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Mrs. Edna Johnson, of Detroit, who mas been seriously afflicted with a com-plication of diseases for years, makes the following unsolicited statement. Sne says: "I wish to state that for years I have been a great sufferer from eart disease, and catarrh of the stom ach, with nervous debility. I would have nervous spells every few days in which I would lose consciousness. Having treated with more than a dozen different doctors, with no benefit. I determined to try the Detroit Clinic, having had a number of friends who were cured there. I placed myself under treatment at the Clinic, and am happy to say that I improved right along, and all of the distressing symp-toms have left me, and I most heartily recommend the wonderful treatment to all sufferers."—Edna Johnson.

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Remember, it costs you nothing to consult this specialist, such an opportunity does not offer itself very often to people outside of large cities, and our citizens will certainly do well to take advantage of this one. It is best to consult the specialist personally, but question blanks will be sent on applieation, and all communications will receive prompt attention, if they are addressed to

> DETROIT CLINIC, Detroit, Michigan.

Order of Probate Court

APPOINTING DAY OF HEARING UPON APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola holden at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro on Friday, the 10th day of May, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and one. Present, Hon. John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the application of the Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola for the appointment of three Special Commissioners to determine the necessity of a Drain through certain lands in the townships of Novesta and Ellington and for the taking of private property for the use and benefit of the public for the purpose thereof, and the just compensation to be made therefor. Whereas, application has this day been made in writing to this court by the Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola for the appointment of three special Commissioners to determine the necessity for the proposed Drain through certain lands in said townships of Novesta and Ellington set forth in said application, and for the taking of private property for the use and benefit of the public for the purpose thereof and the just compensation to be made therefor STATE OF MICHIGAN, County for the purpose thereof and the just compensation to be made therefor which said Drain is described as follows:

which said Drain is described as follows:

DEER LICK DRAIN.

Minutes of a survey of a Drain and Branch Drain, the center line of which is described as follows viz:

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Commencing at a point on n e \(\frac{1}{2}\) of the second of n \(\frac{1}{2}\) of Sec 27 of T 13 n R 10 e 15.90 chs and 0.09 ch w of the n e corner, hence n 20 min w 3.74 chs n 44\(\frac{1}{2}\) deg w .59 chs n 45 min w 4.75 chs n 22\(\frac{1}{2}\) deg 3.22 chs e 0.61 ch. Total 14.91 chs to line 4.60 chs s of n e corner Thence entering on n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n w \(\frac{1}{2}\)

line 4.60 chs s of n e corner
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f Sec 26 T 13 n R 10 e 4.60 chs s of n
r corner n 54¼ deg e 5.09 chs n 37½ deg e
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hs n 80 deg e 5.56 chs n 49¾ deg e 6.66
hs. Total 17.88 chs to e line 9.75 chs
of s e corner

Thence entering on se 4 of sw 4 of c 23 T 13 n R 10 e 9.75 chs n of sw 52 chs n 71; deg e 2.88 chs n 82; deg e 52 chs n 71; deg e 4.43 chs. Total .83 chs to e line 15.11 chs n of s e

Thence entering on s w ¼ of s e ¼ of c 23 T 13 n R 10 e 15.11 chs n of s w rner n 71¼ deg e 4.95 chs s 81½ deg e 34 chs n 44¼ deg e 5.85 chs. Total 44 chs to n line 2.55 chs w of n e cor-

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Thence entering on n e ‡ of s e ‡ of c 23 T 13 n R 10 e 2.60 chs n of s w ner n 44‡ deg e 24.53 chs to n line

3 chs w of n e corner. Thence entering on se \(\frac{1}{4}\) of ne\(\frac{1}{4}\) of 5 \(23\) T \(13\) n \(\text{R}\) \(100\) 10 \(2.73\) chs w of se ner n \(44\)\(\frac{1}{4}\) deg \(eq 3.92\) chs to \(eq \) line 1 \(chs n \) of se corner.

Thence entering on s w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of s w mer n 44\(\frac{1}{2}\) deg e 23.80 chs to n line 2 chs w of n e corner.

Thence entering on n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of sec 24 T 13 n R 10 e 3.42 chs w of some n 44\(\frac{1}{2}\) deg e 4.80 chs to e line 3 chs n of s e corner chs n of s e corner.

Thence entering on n e ‡ of n w ‡ of 24 T 13 n R 10 e 3.36 chs n s w corner n 44‡ deg e 22.49 e 4.06 chs. Total 26.55 chs to e 0.374 ch s of n e corner.

hence entering on n w ‡ of n e ‡ of 24 T 13 n R 10 e 0.37½ ch s of n w her east 20.17 chs to e line 0.37½ chs n e corner.

nence entering on n e t of n e t of 24 T 13 n R 10 e 0.37½ ch sof n w er c 8.49 chs n 61 deg 35 min e ch. Total 9.37 chs to n line 9.27 e of n w corner.

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eg e 7.92 chs. Total 22.78 chs to e .04 chs s of n e corner.

ence entering on setefs wtof 8 T 13 n R 11 e 5.04 chs s of n w r n 89‡ deg e 19.92 chs to e line

nce entering on n w 1 of s e 1 of T 13 n R 11 e 5.41 chs e of s w (Probate Seal).

corner n 58# deg e 12.80 chs e 3.68 chs. Total 16.48 chs to e line 6.60 chs n of

Thence entering on ne ‡ of se ‡ of Sec 18 T 13 n R 11 e 6.60 chs n of s w corner e 2.32 chs n 53 deg e 21.81 chs Total 24.13 chs to e line 0.41 chs s of n

Thence entering on n w ‡ of s w ‡ of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 0.41 chs s of n w corner n 56‡ deg e 0.69 chs to n line 0.55 chs e of n w corner.

Thence entering on s w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 0.55 chs e of s w corner n 56\(\frac{1}{4}\) deg e 23 chs to e line 12.39

chs n of s e corner.

Thence entering on s e ‡ of n w ‡ of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 12.39 chs n of s w corner n 56‡ deg e 13.68 chs to n line 8.30 chs w of n e corner.

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Thence entering on n w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n e \(\frac{1}{2}\) of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 5.24 chs. n of s w corner e 1.90 chs s 39 deg e 6.65 chs.

Total 8.55 chs to s line 5.98 chs e of s w corner.

Thence entering on s w \(\frac{1}{2}\) of n e \(\frac{1}{2}\) of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 5.98 chs e of n w corner s 39 deg e 22.95 chs to e line 1.91 chs n of s e corner.

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Thence entering on n e ‡ of s e ‡ of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 1.61 chs e of n w corner s 52 deg e 14.08 chs e 2.87 chs n 39‡ deg e 7.23 chs.

Total 24.18 chs to e line 3.11 chs s of n e corner.

Thence entering on n ½ of s w ½ of Sec 16 T 13 n R 11 e 3.11 chs s of n w corner n 39½ deg e 4.08 chs to n line

2.65 chs e of n w corner.

Thence entering on s w ‡ of n w ‡ of Sec 16 T 13 n R 11 e 2.65 chs e of s w corner n 39½ deg e 2.69 chs e 4.00 chs s 48½ deg e 3.00 chs. Total 9.69 chs to s line 10.80 chs e of s w corner.

Thence re-entering on n ½ of s w ½ of Sec 16 T 13 n R 11 e 10.80 chs e of n v corner s 48½ deg e 2.85 chs s 73 deg e w corner's 48½ deg e 2.85 cns s 73 deg e 9.25 chs to w line of right of way of P. O. & N. R. R. s 73 deg e 0.75 ch to e line of right of way of P. O. & N. R. R. n 88 deg e 17.90 chs. Total 34.83 chs to a point on east line 5.22 chs south of n e corner. Total length of main drain is 449.75 chs.

The branch commences at a point in main drain on n w ½ of n e ½ of Sec

in main drain on n w \( \frac{1}{2} \) of Sec 17 T 13 n R 11 e 5.24 chs n and 1.90 chs e of s w corner, thence n 45\( \frac{1}{2} \) deg e 21.30 chs to n line 17.28 chs e of n w

Thence entering on s ½ of s e ¼ of Sec 8 T 13 n R 11 e 17.28 c.s e of s w corner n 41 deg e 26.60 chs e 4.60 chs. Total 31.20 chs to a point 0.17 ch w and 0.14 ch s of n e corner.

Total length of branch 52.50 chs. Total length of branch and main drain 502.25 chs.

Slope of bank for drain is 1 to 1

(45 deg).

The width of ground required for main drain and branch drain and the deposition of excavated earth is 25 links on either side of above described genter line of survey.

center line of survey.

For a more particular description reference is made to accompanying plat of survey and profile which shows by figures and tracings the depth and width of surface excavation at grade width of surface excavation at grade stakes which are two chains apart except between Nos. 224 and 225 on main drain which is 1.75 chs and between Nos. 26 and 27 on branch drain which is 0.50 ch apart; the numbers of which appear in the margin, width and grade of bottom as surveyed by me Jan. 29th, 1901.

John A. Teskey,
Surveyor.

And it appearing to this Court afte due examination of such applica-tion that the said application and all the proceedings heretofore taken in the premises, are in accordance with the statue in such cases made and provided. Thereupon it is ordered, that Thursday, the 20th day of June, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and one at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the office of the Judge of Probate, in the Village of Caro, in said County, be and the same are hereby appointed as the time and place of hearing of such application before this Court. And it is further ordered, that all persons whose lands are to be traversed by such Drain or who will be liable to assessment for benefits in the construction thereof and who have not released right of way and all damages on account thereof, appear at the time hs s of n e corner.

on account thereof, appear at the time and place designated, if they so desire, and show cause, if any there be, why r n 46½ deg e 7.39 chs to n line hs e of n w corner.

On account thereof, appear at the time and place designated, if they so desire, and show cause, if any there be, why the said application should not be granted. JOHN M. SMITH.

Judge of Probate.

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In costume of ye year 1795

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# Ye OPERA HOUSE,

On Ye Publick Big Road in ye Village of CASS CITY, on FRI-DAY nighte, ye 24th day of the month of MAY, Anno Domini, MDCCCCI.

Admission 25 Cents.

Ye doors shall be open at early candle lighte. Ye Syngynge will begin at 8 of ye tyme-beater's watche.

- N. B.—As ye season is now warm, ye Olde Ladies need not bring your Foot-stoves.
- N. B .- Ye young men are requested to turn their eyes from ye maidens whene they synge, lest they be confused in their minds and so falter.
- N. B.—Ye small boys in ye concerte house will not make a noise with their feet for ye Constable has his eye on them.
- N. B.—Ye menne and ye womenne will be suflered to sit together for ye nonce.
- N. B.-For as much as moste of ye pyeces be Sacred Songes and nes, a solemn silence should prevade the assembly; yet preadventure some of ye Worldlye Songs be funny, a little laughter will be indulged.
- N. B.—Dr. Zachariah Bean will attend to trimming ye candles.
- N. B.-All such as are endowed with strong lungs and a religious musickle training may stand and synge in ye last tune, which ye same is Olde Hundred.
- N. B.—After Synging Meeting bee out, ye young menne may choose ye maiden whome they wish to see home. Ye married men will go home with their wives.
- TAKE NOTYCE:-Forasmuch as no beans or potatoes or homespun bee needed thys yere, all ye folks who come to thys concerte will pay money to ye tyther to bee founde within
- N. B.—Ye are invited to come and hear ye anvil chorus with anvils accompanying as given through ye country by Gilmore's

#### SPRING AND SUMMER MILLINERY

in all the latest styles of the season. We are now ready to trim over your old hat, but would rather sell you a new one, but will try to give satisfaction on either one. We are not only having sales on Friday and Saturday but every day in the week. If you do not believe it, call in and examine stock and prices Miss Gallup has charge of our trimming room and her work is second lo none.

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LONGFELLOW could take one cent's worth of paper and write a poem on it, and make it worth \$5,000. That is

ROCKEFELLER could take a similar sheet of paper, write a few words on it and make it worth \$10,000. That is CAPITAL.

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A MERCHANT can take an article that cost him 90 cents and sell it for \$1.00. That's BUSINESS.

CASS CITY, MICH.

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A WOMAN can buy a good shirt waist of us for 75c but goes somewhere else and pays \$1.00. That is FOOLISHNESS

The MAN who wrote this ad could write a check for \$10,000 but it would not be worth one cent. That is TOUGH.

There are PEOPLE in Cass City that will tell you they can sell cheaper than we can. That is GALL.

Come and talk it over with us, get our prices, see the goods, then buy if the prices and the goods suit. That is

# Geo. Matzen

# **Tuscola County News**

EAST NOVESTA.

Mrs. H. A. Williams is in poor health.

H. Williams was a Caro visitor on Thursday. Mrs. Moses Powell is some better at

A large crowd attended the sale at E. Wentworth's Friday.

Mrs. Haley of Marlette was a coun-

ty line caller on Wednesday. Miss Helen Ashby is assisting Mrs. L. H. Palmateer with her work.

Miss Maggie Brown of Holbrook will assist Mrs. H. A. Williams with her work for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Niles and Mrs. Mattoon and daughter, Nellie, of Elkland attended the funeral of Miss Lattie

Snover last Monday. Frank Englehart and John Gage and Misses Clara Randall and Clara Powell were guests of Miss Lizzie Randall at Cass City Wednesday even-

Skin affections will readily disappear by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve Look oat for counterfeits. If you get DeWitt's you will get good results. It is the quick and positive cure for piles. Amos Bond.

ELMWOOD.

W. A. Lockwood was in Caro Wednesday.

John Spitler wae in Cass City on Wednesday.

Elder Ostrander arrived home on Tuesday for a short stay.

Elder Ostrander preached at the S. D. A. church Friday night.

Robert Miller of Cass City

through this part last Friday. The saw mill on H. Hodges farm is

to be moved a few miles west and south of here soon.

There were no services at the Cedar

Run schoolhouse on Sunday on account of the storm. Lockwood and Ostrander have im-

proved the looks of their residence by grading the front yard. Lake Butler arrived at Frank Hen-

drick's on Sunday and was taken sick so it was necessary to call a doctor on Monday.

There was a barn raising on Mr. Dickinson's farm Tuesday afternoon. It was well attended and went up in good shape.

Mr. W. J. Baxter of North Brook, N. C. says he suffered with piles for lifteen years. He tried many remedies with no results until he tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve and that quickly cured him. Amos Bond.

DEFORD.

Orson Valentine is laboring for Jno

Lottie Parks spent Sunday with her parents here.

Commissioner Davis visited the schools here on Tuesday. J. R. Lewis is painting and paper

ing the inside of his house. Fred Valentine has purchased a

new wheel of Orson Valentine. Mr. Stowels has purchased a span of

horses of J. Striffler of Cass City. A number of our people made a flying trip over to Cass City Tuesday

evening. A few from here went over to Akon on Tuesday to attend the Epworth League convention.

Depth 97 feet with water coming Worth, was a Monday business caller ground.

Try Heller's special process buckwheat flour.

# Sanilac County Items

PINGREE.

last Monday.

Katie Towle visited Cecil Auslander Thursday.

weather is fine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Agar, May 13th, a son.

Miss Crainer of North Branch was in this vicinity last week.

Frank Auslander is doing the carpenter work on Thos. Agar's house. Mr. and Mrs. John Agar visited Mrs. Sarah Agar Thursday evening.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers search the oemotest parts of the bowels and remove the impurities speedily with no discomfort. They are famous for tneir efficacy. Easy to take, never gripe. Amos Bond.

WICKWARE.

School closed Wednesday.

John Jackson cut his foot last week. Geo. Burt erected a new wind mill the fore part of the week. last week.

few weeks.

The Busy Bees met at Mis. Key-

ser's Wednesday. Mrs. E. Peter and Nettie Cutting

spent Sunday at home. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Ohio are

visiting with relatives here. Jno. Hodges and family spent Sun-

day with Mr. McLeish in Evergreen. Geo. Kivel and John Cleland of Hol- the care of Dr. McNaughton. brook called at this burg last Satur-≒∜ day.

Rev. Kitley called on friends here from a severe attack of inflammation of the lungs. The least in quantity and most in

Jimmie, Brown is slowly recovering

quality describes DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous for constipa-The farmers are busy while the tion and liver complaints. Amos

> FREIBURGERS. Lots of rain.

D. W. Graham spent Sunday in our burg.

The Lady 'Bees swarmed on Wednesday.

John Creguer is home for a few days on a visit. Wilbert Mathews was on the sick

list last week Robert McRae drives a fine horse

and top buggy. Rev. McLean of Durand spent Tuesday with  $\Lambda$ . C. Graham.

Miss Jennie McKay spent Sunday with friends in Cumber.

Chris Denstead lost a valuable mare Fr. Burke celebrated mass at the R.

Miss Pheme Wilson is home for a C. church on Sunday last. Mrs. Ann Brown of Cumber spent Monday at A. C. Graham's.

Paul Freiburger of Argyle was business caller on Tuesday. Miss Olive Creguer is slowly recov-

ering from a painful illness. John Armstrong of Cumber called

in town the fore part of the week. Charles Rheil is improving under

Robert Marshall looks pleasant

for the K. O. T. M.

an assistant postmaster, no doubt. You are much more liable to disease then your liver and bowels do not act

Circuit Court convenes next week. James McLaughlin made a trip to Brown City and Yale Monday and Tuesday.

Michigan Mutual Insurance Company.

W. H. Epplett, our village assessor, is able to be about assessing again. His recent illness interrupted his work some time ago.

certs Saturday evening. Weather permitting they will play on the streets every Saturday evening.

Fred McLaughlin is making hi house on Flynn Street look like new. He has entirely remodelled it. He is

was a curiosity to a number of people. Port Sanilac.

of the weather. A number of Carsonville peorle attended. Ex-County Drain Commissioner D. Croop has finished his new well. H. S. Hayward, of the township of

within a few feet of the top of the Mr. Hayward is engaged in farming insurance company as a side issue.

advice on the methods of equalizing assessments.

Adelia Michaels and husband of capias under \$1,000 bail.

time. Robert G. Hyatt, Argyle Florence M. Bonny, Shabbona Herbert Willey, Marlette Emma Hobson, Jeddo

know about Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, it would be used in nearly every house-hold, as there are few people who do not suffer from a feeling of fullness after eating, belching, flatulence, sour stomach or water-brash, caused by indigestion or dyspepsia. A preparation such as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which, with no aid from the stomach, will di-

Farm For Sale. Consisting of two hundred and six acres; 180 acres under cultivation; good house, two large barns, good orchard, 130 acres seeded to timothy and clover

Mrs. John Peter, Sr., and Mrs. John Franzel, Sr., are numbered with our

Material is on the ground for a new residence at A. Hunt's, which means

properly. DeWitt's Little Farly Risers remove the cause of diease.

It was caught in Allen's fishnet off The sale of the hotel furniture of J. S. McDonald Saturday afternoon was

The county board of supervisors met last Thursday pursuant to the call of the state tax commission. Commissioners Freeman and McLaughlin of 19 years. the state tax commission gave them

Brown City were in town Friday with Attorney Drake of Yale looking after some legal matters connected with the assault and battery case preferred by her against the Brown City hotel keeper. Mrs. Michaels was severely bruised about the face and neck caused by blows with a cane. A civil case was commenced for \$5,000 damages, defendant being taken with a

Gil R. Lovejoy of Mt. Clemens and Judge Reilly of Detroit were in the village last week looking over the proposed route of their projected railroad. From indications it looks as if they would not be able to build the road this year on account of the high price of railroad material. When they were asking for a franchise, they stated that there was no necessity for delay, that if a road was built, it could be done within a very short

For sale cheap and on easy terms these days-another new girl at home. | Enquire of E. B. LANDON.

Dr. McNaughton was in town Wednesday evening examining applicants

SANILAC CENTRE.

Amos Bond.

Ex. County Clerk, W. H. Hall, was a caller last week looking after the

The band gave another of their con-

building a new barn to match. Fisherman Henry Shaver brought a live loon home one day last week. It

well attended despite the inclemency

and engages in booming the Grange

If people only knew what gest your food, certainly help and do you good. Amos Bond.

Lillie Vatter rides a new wheel. Argyle now boasts a fire department J. H. Lavin of Detroit was in town

ARGYLE

Friday. Mrs. John Brooks is visitng relatives n Detroit.

Chas. McCarty was in Cass City on Wednesday. Ambrose Herdell was on the sick

W. Kile of Cass City was in town on business Saturday.

ist last week.

J. S. Dunham of Cass City was in town last Friday. Jennie Brooks returned from Pontiac last Friday.

Fr. Burke celebrated mass in the R. C. church Monday. Ed Cook of Lansing spent several

days in Argyle last week.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Ben Litner last Monday. Mrs. Kate Langenburg was granted

ı widow's pension last week. E. Marks of Deckerville visited the Argyle bank last Wednesday.

Jacob Buschlen of Moore Township vas a caller in town Monday. John McPhail purchased the Mc-Phadden property last week.

Deputy Sheriff Denio of Sanilac Centre was in town Tuesday. Norah Stevenson of Deckerville was the guest of her parents Sunday.

J. H. Stevenson and wife spent Sunday with relatives near Cass City. Alex King and son, Wilson transacted business in Cass City Friday. T. G. Graham, editor of the Peck

Ella and Joe McCarty visited relatives in Minden several days last week. Mrs. Sam Striffler and son, Ed, vis- phia. All correspondence strictly conited T. Ahr and wife of Cass City last | fidential. E363

Times, was a caller in town Tuesday.

W. D. Sefton of Laing transacted business at the Argyle bank last Wed-Dr. McNaughton's "Old Dick" died

on Friday, May 10th, at the age of

C. D. Striffler of Cass City was a pleasant caller in town several days

Grandma Umphrey of Croswell is the guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. Umphrey. Jennie McPhail, who has been visit-

for Chicago Tuesday. Mrs. McPhadden left Argyle Monday to join her husband, who is work-

ing north of Bay City.

McLARTY SCHOOL. Moтто:—Habit is a cable; we weave thread of it every day and at last we cannot break it.—Horace Mann. Average attendance this week 35.

Geography B have drawn some excellent maps this week. We are sorry to note that we lost

We are reminded of spring every norning by the new and beautiful oouquets to adorn the teacher's desk. No school on Monday last owing to

he funeral of Lattie Snover. While playing ball one day last veek Roy Ferguson was accidentally struck with a ball club and has not been able to attend school since. Mina Bradley is absent this week

on account of sickness. Those neither absent or tardy this week were Maud and Ruth Phillips, Howard, Ernie and Ida Henry, Florence and Clarence Bradley. Rob and Archie Hoagg, Lee and Mark Raymond, Roy Ferguson, Lavina McCool, Ida Crithers, Robbie Grace, Lottie Bigham, Willie Phillips.

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NELLIE M. JONES, Teacher.

KILMANAGH.

Jno. Voelker is again on the sick

K. O. T. M. meeting next Saturday

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Dentist Morse of Sebewaing will be n town every Tuesday afternoon. The Y. P. A did not have a meeting

last Sunday evening owing to the Faist and Beaver's celebrated halfsling is having a good sale. Have you

seen it? Jno. D. Finkbeiner and C. F. Hey were chosen delegates to the Sunday School convention to be held in Bad

Axe the latter part of the month. Geo. McElmurray closed his term of

school last week Friday. Mr. McElmurray has done good work and has, consequently, been re-engaged for another term.

Extra reductive sale every Saturday at Mrs. Lee's.

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night is about to shut out the land-

scape, flying slowly about a foot above

the ground, carefully inspecting the

beats over the marsh as a farmer sows

oats broadcast, back and forth, back

The sparrow hawk is one of the

of the prettiest. Although, as indica-

ted by his name, he frequently dines

on small birds, yet he is not entirely

harmful, for many mice and insects go

toward making up his bill of fare .-

Chicago Inventor Produces

a Wingless Flying

Machine.

Horseless carriages will not be fit

for comparison with the wingless fly-

ing machine if the aerial sailing de-

vice invented by Peter Moran, a Chi-

cago genius, bears out his claims and

expectations. The inventor, who was

formerly in the lumber business in Ne-

braska, has been thinking and plan-

ning the invention for over five years,

but it was not until two months ago

that he became satisfied that proper

results were forthcoming. Application

for a patent on the machine is now

on file in Washington, and the invent-

NEW FLYING MACHINE.

The flying machine, though without

wings, embraces all the principles of

wing navigation, according to the in-

ventor's explanation. Either steam or

problem of aerial navigation.

Chicago Record-Herald.

and forth, until his quarry is found.

There is an admiration held by most | consists almost exclusively of field boys, I think, for the hawk. I know it mice. He can often be seen just as It was so with me when I was a boy, and I used to stand and gaze at the rapacious birds and wish I knew more about them. And truly the hawks are grass beneath him. He is hunting for fascinating-their great stretch of his evening meal-a hapless mouse, or wing, their fierce defense of their perhaps, if necessary, a sparrow. He homes, the towering heights from which they first see the light-these and other noble qualities cannot help but attract the boy's admiration and cause him to forget that his father's henroost is not safe as long as Sir Hawk lingers in the vicinity. But all the hawks are not thieves, as I shall show, and some of them are of real benefit to the farmer. Our most com-



MARSH HAWK ATTACKS QUAILS. mon hawks in the middle west are the red-tailed hawk, Cooper's hawk, the marsh hawk, the sparrow hawk, the or feels sure that he has solved the broad-winged buzzard and the roughlegged or black hawk. The nests of several of these can be found if you rare watchful, but little good it will do you, for they are generally so high that few boys would dare to climb to them. Only one, the marsh hawk, nests on the ground, while the sparrow hawk makes its abode in some hollow tree.

The best known of the American hawks are the red-tailed and Cooper's varieties, for they are the ones that bear the nickname "hen hawk," and they are the ones that cause havoc among the fowls. The red-tailed hawk is larger than Cooper's hawk, and likes to make its nest near to the food supply. I knew of a pair that for several years reared their young in a nest built in a giant elm tree that stood in a grove near a farmhouse. They enjoyed their life there, for the only things that bothered them were . some crows that also claimed possession of the woods.

One never knows what life the common lazy crow can show until he witnesses his fighting tactics. In this instance the display was truly exciting. No sponer would Mr. Hawk spread his wings to go in search of food than the crow's "Caw-w-w! Caw-w-w!" would ring through the treetops. The hawk would hasten his flight, but the crows were too swift ffor him. Here they come! And now they begin their persecution. Rising high above the enemy, the crows turn, swiftness of an arrow straight at the lustrating stories for boys' books. Al- in Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico hawk driving their beaks into his back. The hawk cannot stand such



THE SPARROW HAWK. streatment long, and soon, with screams of anger and pain, seeks a secluded spot until his tormentors are

The red-tailed hawks do not invite disaster, I learned, for one season, after their nest was robbed, they deserted the grove for a place where trees stretched their branches nearer to the skies. The Cooper's hawk is not so thoughtful. I knew a pair that nested in a tree in a large grove. Their nest was robbed year after year, but the hawks always came back to the same place to raise their young.

The marsh hawk leads a lonely life is quite a boy himself as yet, being The above sketch was made in about where the tall grass grows and the always happiest when out hunting and twenty minutes from memory and snakes crawl among the hummocks. when in games and adventures such as shows an Indian in his war costume. He is a beneficial bird, for his dinner any boy would like. He is at the pres- - Chicago News. Occupations Taken Up by Women. Several women have taken up index- done such good work as to make them acid, sulphur, arsenic, zinc and white ing. Their patrons are people who moderately famous. A Vassar girl lead. Entertaining children is another keep scrapbooks, and who are too busy, with a penchant for chemistry found | new occupation. It demands much tact or, as is more often the case, too negli- herself thrown upon her own resources and infinite patience. Writing sentigent, to index for themselves. The three years ago, and adopted for her ments, letters and club addresses for work is slow and laborious. It de- daily work the giving of instruction to indolent women of leisure is followed mands a wide literary knowledge and members of her sex upon the subject by many ex-school teachers and college often a knowledge of French and Ger- of cold cream. To the uninitiated this seems a very simple matter, but in man. The pay is moderate, being usually \$3 a day. Artistic and fancy truth it is very complex. It involves bookbinding is practiced by eight or a knowledge of the various fats and

ten women in New York City. This is oils, including spermaceti, cocoa, but-

a skilled trade, of the highest class, | ter, wax, Japanese wax, almond cream,

tistic ability. Two of the binders have | as benzoin, camphor, myrrh, carbolic

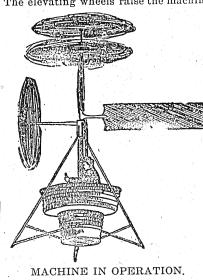
A good word is an easy obligation.

Johnny-It's funnny how ignorant women are about such things, ain't demanding both technical skill and ar- lanoline and such medical ingredients it, pa?

keeping it balanced and safe from capsizing is said to be effected by the principle which is illustrated in the

The box containing the engine or power-generating electric batteries is at the bottom of the machine. Above it is the basket or car for the passendevice and the propelling wheel is atare of the fan or windmill pattern. Just above the point where the propelling wheel is attached to the center tube a rudder blade is attached.

Two elevating wheels revolve in opposite directions and serve to overcome the whirling motion. The proequal weight, one working in front causing the machine to proceed stead-The rudder is operated by a hand lever enables the guiding of the course of the machine. The propelling wheel all the time.' smallest of the birds of prey, and one directs the forward motion of the machine. The elevating and the propelling wheel act independently of each machine without any forward motion. The elevating wheels raise the machine



to the desired height, when the propeller can be put in motion to start it

forward. Application of the principle of wing navigation in the machine is in the construction of its wheels. Every fan in the wheels is a wing; the speed in movement which it can attain is said by the inventor to far exceed the power of the flying animal or human power.

Quails Shipped to Denmark.

A shipment of live quails was re-Denmark, but the unusually severe the United States, and it was found that these birds thrived so well and around in the cold." multiplied so rapidly that the attention of others was attracted to the plan of importing American quail. They are to be distributed among the large

landowners and are not to be killed

to keep their species in existence.—

electricity can be used as its motor power. Piloting it through the air and | Chicago Journal. AT WAR INDIANG

This picture was drawn by the noted, ent time on an extended trip with his artist, Dan Smith, who has spent much | sketch book and camera in the west, head downward, fold their wings tight- of his life making drawings of ani- and expects to sketch many of the In-Ty to their bodies, and dart with the mals, Indians and western scenes il- dians and wild animals to be found though Mr. Smith has drawn these in- and Arizona. These he will use in il-



teresting pictures for many years he | lustrating boys' books in the future.

alumnae.—Evening Post.

#### Bidding Off of Maria Fiirchild.

There'd got to be an auction, Loretty

Smith Wilkinson, best way I could fix it. I turned over more 'n a million plans in my mind, till my head felt ger. Two elevating wheels crown the like a wind-mill in a stiff breeze, and therewa'n't nothin' that seemed to tached to the center tube. The wheels kinder stand out before my dizzy eyes, cept an auction, and thought the sooner I had it the better. Pa's been dead nigh onto a year, and there's all them farm tools goin' to waste for want of bein' used. I shan't never undertake to hire my farm run ag'in, and I can't run pelling wheel and the rudder are of it alone. Yes, sir, I'll jest sell all but the house, and garden patch, and one and the other behind the machine, cow, and my bay horse, and have an auction of the farm tools and lots of ily through the air. The ascent and old furniture and stuff I don't need. descent is controlled by adjusting the Then, Loretty Smith Wilkinson, I shall rate of speed of the elevating wheels. begin to feel as though I was livin' and had room to breathe, and opperextending into the passenger car, and tunity to breathe, without bein' all cluttered up with that mess of stuff

"You don't mean to say that you're goin' to keep right on livin' here all alone, Maria Fairchild! What'll you other and enable the raising of the do in tramp time, a quarter of a mile away from the nearest house, and them big dark woods t'other side of you? You're flyin' in the face of Providence!"

> "How can I be flyin' if I'm jest stayin', Loretty? Now don't you go to work and worry bout me, for after the auction, I've no doubt, I'll be jest as comfortably fixed as you be, and prob'ly a great deal better."

> 'Well, don't get huffy, Maria. didn't intend to hurt your feelin's any, but I couldn't bear to think of you livin' all alone where nobody'd know if you was took sick or wanted anythin'. Have you decided when your auction's goin' to be?"

"Yes, I'm goin' to have it the sixteenth of February, and that'll be two weeks from next Friday. Ebeneezer Fisher's jest taken notices to the village, for me, and his brother Abe's goin' to be auctioneer. I'm powerful sorry I can't ask you to stay this afternoon, but I've got such an awful lot of work ahead of me to git my house in order for folks as prob'ly will be too cold to stand outside all day, that I'm too drove to spend many minutes visitin' jest now. Then I've got to kinder fresh up a good share of the stuff, so's it'll bring as big a price as possible, and altogether, I've got my hands full. But I hope to see you at the auction, even if I ain't got nothin' you're likely to want to bid off, and say-I've just thought! If 'taint too | house itself, for the reputation of the much trouble, I'd be real obliged to cently made to Denmark from the you if you could stay all day on the see for themselves if the house was United States and this is to be fol-sixteenth, and help me make coffee lowed by others from time to time. for them as wants it. I'm goin' to whether, as some affirmed, Miss Maria Quails were formerly numerous in make a lot of doughnuts too, for there ain't nobody goin' to say Maria Fairwinter of 1893 killed them off in great child's stingy, if she is an old maid, numbers. A few years ago a Danish and I guess there's lots will be thanksportsman imported some quails from ful for somethin' hot, and somethin' to stay their stomachs, after standing

"I'll be more'n glad to come and help you, Maria, and I can as well as not. If there's anythin' else I can do for you beforehand, you let me know." "Yes, I will, thankye, Loretty; good-

until their number is sufficiently large After the departure of her visitor,

> adorned the parlor. In Squire Fairchild's prime, than a mansion in those parts, and his extensive farm lands were the pride of the country. Ethan Fairchild had managed well, and, therefore, fell on the group outside the window, must be a rich man, concluded his and she saw with dismay her stove neighbors; but after the death of his dragged up for display. With a cry she wife, the squire took little interest in | darted through the door and up to the anything. He rarely left the door- auctioneer. yard during his latter years, and under the slack attentions of his farm hands, his crops ceased to yield so abundantly as in former times, and put it up!" showed plainly the want of the efforts of the master of the place. Even the house, and the well kept barns and stables began to look forlorn and dilapidated, and the general appearance of shabbiness extended to the animals as well. With rough, unkempt coats, the once sleek horses ambled along with downcast heads, meekly giving up to the spirit of gradual decline, which seemed to prevail. When Maria remonstrated, calling her father's attention to some new evidence of neglect on the part of the hired men, the

squire would say, merely: "There, there, Maria, I'll speak to Joe about it. Don't go to fussin' over nothin'. Things will come out straight in the end."

But the result was that things became crooked rather than straight. The fences sagged, posts leaned, scraggly branches drooped-in fact, everything seemed to have become tired and to have settled down for a rest. This feeling likewise seized the squire himself, and one day he too sank into a peaceful slumber from which he never woke.

People said that now Maria Fairchild would likely spunk up and marry Jed Tompkins, whom the squire had disliked for no apparent reason than that Jed would deprive him of the daughter who, to the best of her ability, made her father, comfortable. But Jed had left the town some years before, and if he had heard of the squire's death, he made no sign.

Then the popular opinion was that anyhow Maria would fix up the place, but when it became known that there really was no money, and that Maria was, indeed, a poor woman, speculations changed to expressions of wonderment as to what she would do, anyway. Then came the announcement of the auction.

"Dear me, Sus!" exclaimed one good git that fire started up any too soon soul. "Jest to think! Maria ain't to suit me!"—Ledger Monthly.

more'n thirty-five if she's that, and to think she's come to this!"

"Well," said another. "I don't see what on earth she's goin' to do when she's sold her furniture. I should 'a' thought she'd kept it and took summer boarders from the city. That furniture's real good if 'tis old. My land! Age ain't nothin' ag'inst stuff like that in the squire's house. That's the kind that gits better instead of worse. Ain't no imitation 'bout it neither! Every stick of it's the real genuine wood!"

Maria worked industriously. Before the afternoon had gone, several handsome, old-fashioned pieces had received shining coats of varnish, and gleamed anew with restored beauty. Loretta Wilkinson arrived bright

and early on the eventful day, and if she noticed the closed up appearance of certain portions of the house, she said nothing, but had her thoughts. "Why, Maria, where'd you git that stove?" said she, as she caught sight of a peculiar object in the wood-shed. "That ain't never your show-off parlor stove, is it?"

"Yes, Loretty, it is," answered Maria. "I've got one in there, you know, and this one ain't nothin' but a relic, you might say. I'm 'most in hopes nobody'll buy it, for that's the one thing I can't bear to part with; but I ain't thinkin' 'bout it any more'n I can help."

It was a curious article. On top was a mirror mounted like any chiffonier mirror, and at each side was a blue glass vase.

"Them held grasses most of the time," explained Maria, "and how many times I've seen pa shave himself in front of that glass, with his shavin' cup set there to keep warm on the side. But that was 'fore we had the stove in the parlor; after the stove was moved in the parlor we kept a fire in it only on some occasions, and ma used to joke me about my sparks; but 'tain't a subject I can talk about to nobody."

"Yes, I know," said Loretta. "You was thinkin' 'bout Jed. If I was you, I wouldn't sell it 'thout I'd got to." "Maybe I can't let it go, Loretty, but

we'll see. There! There's some folks come already, and Abe Fisher's lead-

in' the way to the barns." The day was clear and cold. Notices of the auction had been circulated far comin' in to warm themselves if it's and wide, and many farmers and their wives had driven in from the surrounding towns, bent on procuring something from the squire's place. The kitchen and sitting-room were well filled during the greater part of the day, and the steaming coffee and the new doughnuts found ready consumers. Curiosity had brought many, not only to the grounds, but into the squire's possessions had led many to stripped from cellar to garret, or had loads of much better stuff she wouldn't think of selling. The closed doors quenched the ardor of those intending a general survey of the house, but the fact that the coffee was served in Mrs. Fairchild's best old-fashioned sprigged china cups, conveyed the idea that there must be lots of valuable articles retained by the present owner.

The afternoon was half gone, and most of the things were sold. Dishes, substantial milk-cans bearing the squire's name, sleighs, carriages, and many articles besides the farm-tools Maria Fairchild went back into the and the furniture had been purchased, kitchen of the large, old home, and and yet the stove remained in its corbegan her task of re-varnishing a ner of the wood-shed. Maria saw it massive table that until lately had as she passed through on errands, and thought she would say nothing about it if Abe Fisher did not see it. She house had been considered little less had fully decided she could not let it go.

> A little later, as she was getting a cup of coffee for a neighbor, her glance

"Oh, don't sell that, Abe, I can't let it go! It's jest the only part of my life I can't get away from. You musn't

"It's on the list, Maria," said Abe, "and it'll sell all right."

"I know it, Abe, but it's like sellin' part of me. It is part of me, you know," she cried wildly. "Oh, no. If you sell that, I go with it!"

"Then I'll bid my hull stock of worldly goods for it!" said a loud voice, and elbowing his way through the crowd, a stranger took Maria Fairchild in his arms.

"It's Jed Tompkins!" gasped the members of the group.

"Yes, sir," laughed Jed, "and he's here jest in time to buy up the most valuable thing in the lot. And see here, you folks, anythin' Maria wants back, I'll buy from you, fer my money's hers and she's got a fortune of her own, too. I may as wall say, to cut matters short, that her father privately made over his property to me, some years ago, on condition that I'd keep away and not marry Maria till he was dead, as he couldn't spare her. I've only jest heard of his death, bein' on a long trip out West, and catchin' wind of this auction, I've rode all night and all day to git here. Now you jest leave Maria to me, and tomorrow we'll straighten up the auction business."

"What you goin' to do, Jed?" queried Maria later, as she heard him struggling with something in the shed. "I'm jest gittin' in the parlor stove

ag'in. If I'm goin' to spend the evenin', seems as though a little fire would be good in the parlor. Stove pipe's all right, I see." "But there ain't no furniture in the

parlor," laughed Maria happily. "I believe I ketched sight of a chair or two as you unlocked the door

Maria, and anyway, all we need's that stove with them blue vases branchin out at the sides, to make the room look real homelike—and say, we can't

# THE SASKATOON DISTRICT

CANADA DISTRICTS.

Great Advantages; of Settlement Where the Soil Is of Unexampled Fertility.

During the past year or two a large number of American settlers (those going from the United States to Canada), have made homes in the Saskatoon district in Western Canada. They have found the climate all that could the brightest. In writing of it a correspondent says:

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Water and fuel-these two prime velously productive, and both rest necessaries of life are plentiful

Progress in Aerial Navigation. M. Santon Dumont, who more nearly than any other aeronaut has approached a solution of the problem set by the founder of the Deutsch prize of £4,000 for the most successful navigable airship, has been awarded £160 dairy farming, as well as growing by the Aero club in recognition of his grain. Some idea of the richness of efforts during 1900 to fulfill the condithe natural grasses of the prairie may tion of the competition, writes a Paris correspondent. The contest during the than 200 tons of hay were gathered coming summer promises to be especially interesting.

# HUSeemses Thoughiny Baek Woold/Break."



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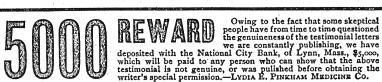
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# A Noted Knight Templar Owes His Health to Peruna

Colonel T. P. Moody, a prominent Knight Templar, is well known in every city in the United States west of Buffalo, N. Y., as a Jeweler's Auctioneer. In the city of Chicago as a prominent lodge man, being a member of the K. T.'s and also of the Masons. The cut shows Colonel Moody in the costume of the Oriental Consistory Masons, 32d degree. In a recent letter from 5900 Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill., Mr. Moody

says the following: "For over twenty-five years I

suffered from catarrh, and for over ten years I suffered from catarrh of the stomach terribly.

"I have taken all kinds of medicines and have been treated by all kinds of doctors, as thousands of my acquaintances are aware in different parts of the United States, where I have traveled, but the relief was only temporary, until a little over a year ago l started to take Peruna, and at the present time I am better than I have been for twenty years.

... The soreness has left my stomach entirely and I am free from indigestion and dyspepsia and will say to all who are troubled with catarrh or stomach trouble of any kind, don't put it off and suffer, but begin to take Peruna right away, and keep it up until you are cured, as you surely will be if you persevere."

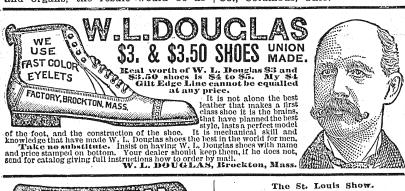
"My wife, as many in the southwest can say, was troubled with a bad cough and bronchial trouble, and doctors all over the country gave her up to die, as they could do nothing more for her. She began taking Peruna with the result that she is better now than she has been in years, and her cough has almost left her entirely. The soreness has left her lungs and she is as well as she ever was in her life, with thanks, as she says, to Peruna. Yours T. P. Moody. very truly.

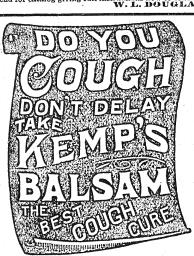
Catarrh in its various forms is rapfidly becoming a general curse. An



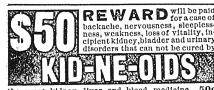
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ything is show, show, show.. ana purchase, an affair of some note rat, notably in its method of going in the days of Thomas Jefferson, involving disposition of 1,171,931 square miles of virgin territory. The tract of Mexico to British America, and the normal number of limbs is conas the state of New York. The price Rapin, a Swiss artist, who, though paid was \$15,000,000, the cost of two without arms, has made a name for or three big office buildings in this herself with her portraits and bas rehas in its treasury more money to 750,035,840 acres. The municipality of St. Louis has given \$5,000,000, the federal government \$5,000,000 and the scription, \$5,000,000; total, \$15,000,000.

Buy Oakley Racetrack. Andrew J. Welch and O. A. Jones have completed negctiations for the purchase of the Oakley racetrack, near Cincinnati, and its next meeting will be held under their management. Welch and Jones are owners of the Charter Oak course at Hartford, Conn.

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IN THE ODD CORNER.

QUEER AND CURIOUS THINGS AND EVENTS.

A New and Curious Rabbit Found on the Steeps of Popocatapetl—Rats Eat Up a Woman's Fortune-Chinese Beggars-Old-Fashloned Diamonds.

Two Schools. I put my heart to school. In the world where men grow wise. "Go out," I said, "and learn the rule; Come back when you win the prize."

My heart came back again. "And where is the prize?" I cried. 'The rule was false, and the prize was

pain. And the teacher's name was Pride.'

I put my heart to school. In the woods where wild birds sing, In the fields where flowers spring, Where brooks run cool and clear, And the blue of heaven bends near. 'Go out," I cried, "you are only a fool, But perhaps they can teach you here."

'And why do you stay so long, My heart, and where do you roam?" The answer came with a laugh and a song-

"I find this school is home." -Henry Van Dyke in the Atlantic.

A New and Curious Rabbit. An extraordinary species of rabbit has been found high up on Mount Popocatenetl. Mexico, at and above an altitude of 3,000 meters (approximately 10,000 feet). This singular animal has exceedingly short hind legs, and instead of moving by a series of leaps like ordinary rabbits, runs along on all fours and lives in runways in the grass like the meadow mice. E. W. Nelson, who discovered this new species in the world of mammals, says: "On my first visit to Mount Popocatepetl I learned that these little rabbits were found there, and on my return to the city of Mexico I prepared for an expedition to secure them. On Jan. 5, 1894, my assistant, E. A. Goldman, and I made our camp on the side of a canyon at an altitude of about 3,500 meters (11,-000 feet), on the northwest slope of the mountain. We were accompanied by three Indian hunters and our packer. Among the firs and alders at this alatude the northerly slopes of the hills and canyons are covered with a luxuriant growth of succaton grass in huge bunches, from three to six feet across, and often reaching a height of six or eight feet. It was evident that the rabbits were very numerous here, and we all proceeded to hunt the vicinity carefully for them. Upon the first day of this sort of work I saw three, but was unable to get a shot at them. One came running through the grass along one of the hidden trails, and, seeing me, stopped in a little opening only seven or eight feet away. It was too near to shoot, and so it escaped after looking at me with inquiring eves for a few moments. The following evening I shot one, and thereafter sev-

Prof. Miller, assistant chief of the department of mammals at the Smithsonian institution, in commenting on

the discovery, said: "This is the most extraordinary variety of rabbit that has ever come under my notice. It is very small, and, in fact, resembles in some respects a

Pictures by Armless Painters. That success in art is not the mowas about twenty-four times as large clusively proved by the skill of Mile. city at the present day. Now, the liefs, and of the Belgian painter, rebegin the show with in 1903 than our Antwerp picture gallery copying the government paid in 1803 for nearly works of the old masters there on the entire west, a princely domain of view. Other armless artists, too, have acquired fame, among whom may be mentioned the celebrated Miss Biffen, who earned a living as a miniature people of Missouri by voluntary sub- painter. Originally on exhibition at Bartholomew Fair, she was seen by the Add to this sum the amount already Earl of Morton, who took her under received from concessonaires, or his patronage and paid for her artistic agreed upon, and you will have some education. She was a favorite of \$17,000,000 or \$18,000,000.—New York George IV. and William IV., the latter of whom allowed her a small pension. Turning to earlier armless celebrities, mention must be made of John Valerius, born in Germany in 1667, who was capable of performing many surprising feats. He could shave himself, play on the drum, fence with much

> ing neither arms nor legs. Despite his natural disadvantages, however, he is said to have been an excellent performer on the flute, bagpipe and trumpet, while his sketches-landscape, figures and coats of arms-which were executed with a pen, were equal to the most finished engravings. His caligraphy, of which examples are still extant, would have done credit to the most expert writing master, and, indeed, he was able to make no inconsiderable income by the sale of these specimens of his skill. He figured, likewise, in the not very invidious role of wife-beater, for on one occasion when one of his wives-he was married four times—insulted him he

buffeted her so severely with his stumps that she was glad to escape further chastisement by promising amendment in the future-a promise that she faithfully kept. Equally marvelous were the feats of William Kingston, who at the commencement of the present century resided at Ditcheat, near Bristol, where he cultivated a small farm. He could, without other aid than that of his toes, saddle and bridle his horse, milk his own cows, cut his own hay, bind up in bundles and carry it to his cattle.

Mountains of Volcanic Glass. A party of archaeologists and antiquarians have made important discoveries in the hitherto unexplored region at the northern limit of the Harqua Hala range of mountains in Arizona. A great desert and the total absence of water have prevented any previous examination, and only the Indians know of the curiosities of these mountains. One side of one mountain rises in terraces and presents many features recalling the Grand canyon of the Colorado. The whole mass is of obsidian or volcanic glass, and glitters in colors of green, blue and black. It may be seen on clear mornings at great distances and the glitter of the mountain has lured many travelers in its direction. It is pretty much as the last eruption left it except that where fractures have occurred the varied and beautiful colors of the volcanic glass are brilliantly reflected. The mountain is dangerous and difficult of ascent, owing to the precipitous terraces and the ice-like smoothness of the surface. The exploring party found under a high shelving rock a narrow necked olla, or earthenware jar, bottom side up, containing human bones, a broken hammer, and a metate, or stone, employed by the prehistoric races of Arizona probably for the same purposes as a similar utensil is used by the aborigines of today, for grinding maize. Slabs, turquoise stones and other curiosities were revealed by digging, and there were marks on burial rocks, which were supposed to be inscriptions.-Chicago Journal.

Rats Ate Up Her Fortune. Mrs. Martha Williamfeither of Tipton county, Indiana, 68 years old, after many years of toil on an old-fashioned carpet loom and at the washtub, accumulated between \$500 and \$600 in currency. During her years of saving she had little faith in banking insti-She secreted her hard-earned treasure in a smokehouse adjoining her home. The money was placed in a small wooden box. Mrs. Williamfeither went to the smokehouse to deposit more money in her little bank, and when she looked into the box she found the money gone. Soon after her attention was attracted to a house-cat by its mewing. The feline carried a full-grown rat in its mouth, and a piece of a \$10 bill was protruding from the stomach of the mutilated rodent. This gave Mrs. Williamfeither a clew to the thieves. She searched for the den of the rodents and there found all her money excepting \$80 or \$90. Several of the bills were mutilated, and will be sent to the government for redemption. The house-cat is to be rewarded with a gold dollar for its shrewd detective work.

College of Embalming Incorported. A pro forma decree of incorporation was granted to the Missouri College Juag Hough. The institution will engage in teaching the art of embalming. H. Chouteau Dyer, amicuscuriae, who examined the petition for incorporation, in his report, after saying that the obthe Rocky Mountains, from the Gulf nopoly of such as are dowered with jects of the corporation were to be commended, says: "The art of the Egyptians, though now lost to us in the preservation of their dead, has told to us their history; it has revealed to us much of their habits, customs and laws; in truth, it is that art, the art Louisiana Purchase Exposition already cently deceased, whom many of us of embalming their dead, that has have doubtless seen at work in the given us an insight into the many other arts of that wonderful people. I might add that since the development of our 'colonial system' and the concurrent necessity for the exercise of our arms in foreign climes, the art of embalming the dead has been stimulated. The soldier is brought home to rest, and the preservation of his body during the long journey is a small but dear comfort to his family and friends."-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Old-Fashioned Diamonds Today, to the diamond dealer, a stone purchased twenty years ago is in appearance as old-fashioned as a suit of clothes of that period is to the tailor. Instead of being cut oval or cushion shape, as diamonds were then, skill, and, in short, use his toes with stones today are cut round, thus inas much adroitness as most men can creasing the number of surfaces. It their hands. He possessed, however, a used to be the style to have a large modern rival in the person of Herr table, as the upper surface of a dia-Unthan, whom many will remember as mond is called, and to obtain this a exhibiting himself a few years ago in stone was cut in the form of a cushion. London, where he surprised large au- This style was changed not many years diences with his marvelous feats. Mat- ago upon the discovery that by cutthew Buckinger, who was born in ting a stone round and increasing the Nuremberg seven years later than Va. number of bevels its brilliancy was lerius, was but a mere trunk, possess- greatly increased.—The Empire.

> Chinese Professional Beggar, A Chinese professional beggar is one of the new curiosities of the East Side. Ordinarily a really destitute Celestial is quietly aided by his countrymen. Street begging is an unknown art to them. This particular Chinaman patrols the Bowery and Grand street, unblushingly demanding alms of the crowd and often getting a few pennies where the white pan-handlers would be refused. He spends his contributions for bad whisky.-New York Ledger.

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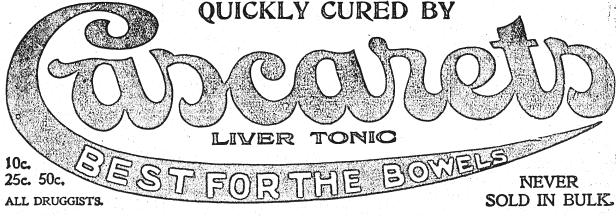
Small boys, and many times large ones, and occasionally girls, too, big and little, suffer terribly from convulsive pains or "cramps" in the bowels and stomachpain so violent that it "doubles up" the ones attacked, and makes it impossible for them to stand up.

Some people call it colic, but most honest,

plain-spoken people call it "belly-ache" and very properly, for the seat of the trouble is in the bowels, and caused by the violent efforts of the bowels to rid themselves of something which doesn't belong there. The small boy usually gets it from over-eating or from eating forbidden fruit, and suffers mostly in the summer time.

It's spring now, and "in times of peace, prepare for war." Let the boys and girls and the big folks, too, for that matter, clean out the clogged channels filled with winter bile and putrid undigested food, strengthen the 30-feet of bowel canal, liven up the liver, and "summer bellyaches" will have no terrors, because they won't

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#### LOCAL ITEMS.

Jno. Renshler is still on the sick

G. B. McFail has been on the sick ist the past week.

O. K. Janes transacted business in

Caro on Tuesday. Will Heller has moved into the Hat-

ton house on Ale St.

Marian Hubel left Thursday for

flint to visit her son. Herbert Frutchey is is home again

rom a trip to Pennsylvania. W. C. Janks and wife visited at Mr Janks' parental home last Sunday.

Clark McKenzie is now the proud owner of the Richard Fancher horse. A number of the Epworth Leaguers

attended the convention at Akron Wednesday. C. D. Striffier is in North Branch this week in the interest of the Cham-

pion machine. Fair Mead, the oldest son of Mr.

and Mrs. A. D. Mead, is seriously sick with pneumonia.

The first National cushion frame picycle sold in the town is ridden by Ulysses Force of Elmwood.

A. A. Hitchcock and Miss Jane Mc-Kenzie spent last Sunday with Mr. ind Mrs. Knapp at Bad Axe. Striffler & McDermott received a

consignment of buggies the past week They also have a car load on the way. Street Commissioner Ramsev expects to extend the water main on vest Main Street the length of one

Mrs. Frank Lenzner received a telegram on Tuesday bringing the sad intelligence of the sudden demise of her

Did you hear the mocking bird whistle the other morning? That's what advertised. H. S. Wickware, P. M. you may expect to hear whenever there is a fire.

Dennis Maul and Mrs. Jane Graves Usher is quite ill.

The Union Bible Reading will be held next Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mas. A. A. Jones. All are cordially invited.

M. H. Quick of Novesta received word Wednesday that his daughter, Mrs. Frank Bryant, of Pontiae has the smallpox. There are five cases in that city at the present time.

Will Karr, who formerly operated the pool room in the Hitchcock block, is now landlord of the Kingston hotel. delicious cream with the extra "Sun-Mr. Karr is fixing up the old hostelry in fine style. Will looks happy.

The advertised cheese meeting which was to take place at the old cheese factory north and east of town on Wednesday did not materialize. People are to busy to make cheese. Roy Rice, of the Chronicle staff,

has journeyed to St. Cathrines, Ont. He left on Thursday with his aunt. He expects to work in a canning factory. Roy is a good boy and should succeed in life.

Kyes, attended the 28th annual meetlast Friday. He reports a very profitable and enjoyable time.

Ed. Landrigan left for Saginaw about two weeks ago, where he had an operation performed whereby the en- furnished of cures made in Tuscola largement just back of his right ear | County by the Detroit Clinic, and you was removed. The operation was can be cured. Consult this specialist performed at St. Mary's hospital. Ed | Friday and Saturday at Gordon's returned home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bailey and children, the wife of our genial station agent, arrived here from Lima on Monday evening. | Shabbona of Elder Davis, the Goliath on Fourth of July.

Cass City May 30, and the following in his heart and the word of God in Milo Warner Post No. 232, Ladies G. | person sustained every point he un-A. R., L. O. T. M.s, K. O. T. M.s, dertook to establish. Not that Elder Masonic order, Gleaners and the chil- When Mr. Seelhoff would bring scripdren of the public schools.

Cass City Lumber and Coal Yards, struction of the passage, or alter the chaperoned by our proficient teacher, definition of a word to suit his own of the eighth grade, Miss Nellie West- | perverted idea, refusing Mr. Seelhoff's land, were the honored guests of Mr. suggestion to leave the decision to and Mrs. Melvin J. Cook of Decker- any school teacher in the audience, ville last Sunday, They report a de- and even refusing to abide by the delightful trip in spite of the inclement

Wm. Ratz, the hustling representative of the Wettlaufer & Ratz Mfg. Co., is at present in Wisconsin. He is sending in some big orders for pea harvesters and everything is moving at the factory.

A. G. Berney, a former highly esteemed townsman, paid his many friends here a short visit on Tuesday. He left for Pinnebog on Tuesday afternoon returning here on Wednesday Proprietors. and neighbors.

finest National racer that can be manufactured.

C. D. Striffler has purchased A. C.

north and east of town. Clark W. McKenzie and Samuel La Fond drove to Bad Axe Saturday evening returning on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bond visited with Mr. Bond's parents and his sick brother, William, at Evergreen last Editor Chronicle:-Sunday.

Albert Dunham accompanied by Maggie and Jessie Gillies spent Sunday at the Gillies' farm in Sheridan Township.

At a session of the Probate Court last Friday, Mrs. Lena Schwegler, was appointed administratrix of the John Schwegler estate. Misses Maggie and Jessie Gillies

left for Traverse City on Wednesday, where they will be employed as attendants in the asylum. J. A. Caldwell is very busy moving

week he moved the M. P. church at Gagetown to a street back of Main Messrs. Hill and Parent, accompan-

ied by Mrs. Parent and Miss Blanche Hansler, went to Bad Axe last Saturday, where they visited with friends Messrs. Johnson, Smithson, Seeley,

It is said they had a continuous vaudeville fishing expedition.

Mr. Pierce, our machinist who is now located in the foundry building, moved his family here last week. They are nicely situated in the Hitchcock house on Houghton Street.

The following letters remain unthe week ending May 4th, 1901. Ad- had fallen out of the wool market die Durfie, Mary A. Land. When under republican rule, and his councalling for the above please mention tenance showed a mental strain that

The Mayville Monitor issued a most creditable write-up, profusely illus- H. J. is non plussed, his smile fades as trated, of the business, prominent he looks toward the flocks on the of Wilmot called on Mr. and Mrs. citizens, industries and buildings of plains and he refuses to be comforted. Philip Usher Monday afternoon. Mr. that village. It's a credit to the publisher and to the business men of that

> away to Sebewaing for a week's out- take his sheep away, making the best ing. Mr. Hendrick is an experienced disposition of them possible, that we nimrod and the Chronicle staff is look- may hear his cheerful laugh and see ing forward with great expectation of his bright look as in days of old. He sitting down to a real fish supper when Mr. Hendrick returns.

That artistic sign in front of J. C. Lauderbach's confectionery is out of the reach of meddlesome boys, but then, the real foaming soda and that day" is gilt-edged and is on the level of all who need a cooling drink.

On Tuesday while coming to town with a load of potatoes, the little daughter of N. W. Bradley, who lives east of town, fell from the load and sustained painful injuries. Dr. Wickware was called and made the little girl as comfortable as possible

The Driving Park promises to be a lively place this summer. J. M. Miller of Bay City an experienced trainer of fast horses has made arrangements to handle Will Kile's Adeline, E. H. Pinney's spanking pair of sorrels, a ing of the Michigan Association of colt owned by Isaac Waidley and pos-School Superintendents, at Lansing sibly he will have in charge one or more of the Frutchey horses. He has also in charge Grocery Girl, a fast one from Bay City.

Hundreds of testimonials can be Hotel, Cass City.

# A RELIGIOUS WAR.

(Continued from first page.)

They are nicely situated in the Willof the Mormon church, alias Latter son house on West street. Mr. Bail- Day Saints, and the town rang with ey, who had not seen his family for the old Philistine cry, "I defy the several months, is as happy as a boy army of the living God." But the Lord's David feared not, and went Memorial Day will be observed in and met him with the Spirit of God societies are invited to participate: his hand; and to every fair thinking Court Elkland I. O. F., I. O. O. F., Davis acknowledged his defeat, O no! ture to prove a point, Elder Davis Wm. Davis, the able manager of the would wrest the grammatical con- 2.00 cision of Webster's dictionary; as for example, he claimed the word terrestial meant glory; John 4: 2, "Though Jesus himself baptised not, but his disciples" he claimed was a simple sentence meaning, "Though Jesus We were reminded of the pursued erpent that

himself baptised only his disciples."

"Wriggled in and wriggled out, Leaving the hunter still in doubt. Whether the snake that crossed the track Was coming in or going back." Therefore, Mr. Editor, Rev. C. W. Seelhoff presented the "Reorganized evening. Mr. Berney still thinks that Church of Latter Day Saints" the folthere is no place like Cass City, and lowing challenge to debate on or near he may sometime in the future return | the 4th of June, 1901: "Resolved that here to spend the declining years of the doctrines and teachings of the Re. his life in the midst of oldtime friends organized Church of Latter Day Saints are false." The decision to be | Phone 19.

A. Livingston has purchased the left to disinterested parties who are competent judges; the pastor of the defeated side to go before the congregation of the victor and acknowledge Hayes' interest of the Hayes farm his defeat. The challenge has not yet

been accepted, we await results. A METHODIST. Shabbona, May 15, 1901.

#### COWS VERSUS SHEEP.

Deford, Mich., May 15, 1901.

Allow me space in your paper to say to the friends of Bro. H. J. Wilcox that they must fly to his rescue. He struggles in the sea of perplexity and although it is gain for your humble servant, on Mrs. Wilcox's account I don't wish to see him shaken to the verge of mental aberation. Some years ago he and I indulged in a wordy setto in regard to the financial gain of sheep and cow, he showing the great gain of the former, while I contended that the latter was more beneicial for the poor husbandman. I think it was generally understood buildings at the present time. Last at the time that I came out second best. So H. J. building on the strength of the tussle collected all the "filthy lucre" at his command and in-

vested in sheep, believing as he told

me five years ago that under republi-

can rule wool would command a "mighty figger" because of the great wall of protection around it. Now he has sheared his big flock, but at 11c. Snelling, Kile and Landon journeyed per pound how can the expenses be to Sebewaing late last Saturday night. paid? No ray of hope, for price has fallen under the G. O. P. No chance even to denounce ex-President Cleveland. We fortunately did not share H. J's. faith in the protected market and have let our little flock out to be sheared on shares. After hard work we found a man to shear them on halves. I saw Bro. Wilcox on Saturclaimed at the P.O. at Cass City for day and asked him why the bottom was dangerous. The demand for butter holds strong, wool goes begging, Now the only thing that can be done under the circumstaeces is for H. H. Wilson or some other good J. F. Hendrick has hied himself friend to give H. J. a Jersey cow and has suffered enough. We believe kindness his due, for his faults are of the head and not of the heart. JOHN MCCRACKEN,

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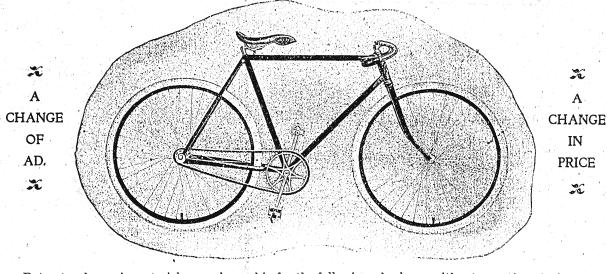
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