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TWINS SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OLD

Mrs. Hitchcock and Mrs. Murphy Will Have Reached that Age Saturday.

Tomorrow, Saturday, July 28, marks the sixty-fifth birthday of Mrs. Caroline Hitchcock and Mrs. Emmeline Cass City. These ladies are enjoying for several years she had spent the summer months with her sister. striking and it is only after an intimate acquaintance their friends can distinguish one from the other.

Caroline and Emmeline Turnbull were born July 28, 1841, in North Jackson, Ohio, their parents' names being Robert and Margaret Turnbull. Together they attended Hiram College at Hiram, Ohio, when James A. Garfield, later president of the United States, was president of the college, and then completed their education at the Female Seminary at Steubenville, Ohio.

They engaged in teaching in Ohio for a few years and in the year 1862, Caroline was united in marriage to James L. Hitchcock, while in 1864 Emmeline was married to Jas. Patterson, the latter couple remaining at Newton Falls, Ohio, where they were successful in securing for themselves a very comfortable property. Mr. Patterson died in 1900, and in February, 1905, Mrs. Patterson was united in marriage to one of our most successful and respected citizens, John W. Murphy, and they have since resided

Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock came to ness struggled to make a home for took possession of the mines. themselves. For two years after her marriage, Mrs. Hitchcock taught poor tobacco rolled up in a paper with school, walking two miles every day, a little fire at one end and a big night and morning. After eight monkey at the other. Some of the years' residence at Wahjamega they chief enjoyments it produces are fits, came to Cass City and were successful nightmare, cancer, spinal trouble, in establishing one of the largest mercantile houses in the village. funeral processions. They were the parents of four children, George L., Arch. A., Carrie and died about six years ago.

and although their preferred denomination, the Disciples, have no organization here, they assist in the forwarding of the work in other denominations and are true Christian wo-

of home and with many friends who thrashed. He also interviewed 30 Caseville. them more pleasure and happiness.

PARADE OF THE UNKNOWN.

Last Friday evening, in accordance with the advertisements not on the billboards, the citizens of our peaceful little city were plunged into deep distress at the sight of a troupe of uniformed men on the streets.

they gazed on the passing scenery.

tice on Friday evenings, and as the hurt and dies with the whooping leader and all the members had been hypnotized with a shotgun in the hands of the ringmaster of the men, who had evidently started on they led the procession. The look of stole a watermelon from M. H. Ogfear and chagrin on the faces of those den's grocery store, and were quickly band boys as they traversed our rounded up by the police. Their streets that evening will ever be a names were Chas. McDonald of Clio, haunting memory to the bystanders. Jesse Riley of Caro and Archie Camp-The parade started from the council bell of Detroit, the ages of two being peared. Later, it is said, that several guilty and fined \$15 and costs or 30 of our prominent business men and their employes merged from alleys and through back doors with a knowing expression on their countenances. Some folks don't believe they had anything to do with that 'ere parade, reports to the contrary notwithstanding, but suspicion must rest on someone, so why not conclude that they did it? Whoever was instrumental in the consummation of the affair, certainly deserves praise for originality, and we rise to remark that a repetition of the fun, properly announced, would make the population for miles around sit up and take notice. PROPERTO PRO

Magazines at Ruhl's.

HARTLE-CROCKER.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday evening, July 11, at eight o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Niendorf at Saginaw, when Frederick acquaintances. Mrs. Hitchcock has P. church. The wedding was very taken up their residence at 322 Far- fungus known as "early blight." well street.

THUMB NOTES.

said to produce hay fever. So is kiss- first sign of blight appears if possible. ing a grass widow."

A. H. Ale & Co. opened their new store in the academy building Friday. and others should be made at inter-W. A. Heller and Miss Jennie Harris vals of ten or fifteen days, so long as in charge.—Mayville Monitor.

Mrs. G. F. Beadle and children are enjoying a vacation with Greenleaf and Cass City friends.-Melvin correspondent to Brown City Banner.

Wylie's flour mill at Fairgrove was totally destroyed by fire last Thursday, only a few barrels of flour being sayed. The loss is a severe one, amounting to nearly \$6,000.

The Sebewaing coal mines of Thos. P. Whittier of Saginaw and formerly owned by Chas. Montague of Caro, have been sold to eastern capitalists Wahjamega immediately after their and on Tuesday last H. W. Campbell marriage and in the Michigan wilder- of Detroit, trustee of the syndicate,

A cigarette is a small amount of softening of the brain and numerous A traveler who stopped for a few.

days in a village in Maine put up at Iris, the last mentioned having died its one hotel. At dinner he was several years ago. Mr. Hitchcock also waited on by the landlord's daughter. After he had finished the early course Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Hitchcock she asked him if he didn't want some are both workers in church affairs, pie. To his inquiries as to what varieties she had she replied: "Well, we got three kinds o' pie-open-faced, cross-barred and kivered, all apple."

An editor with those old-fashioned notions sent out a reporter to interview 30 successful business men and Their sixty-fifth birthday finds found that they were boys who had would seem to be that father should line launch when the waves are high. rush his "kid" into the woodshed at once and thrash him severely.-Minneapolis Journal.

Isn't this a topsy-turvy world? One man is struggling for justice, and another is fleeing from it. One man is Where they suddenly emerged from, try to save money to build a house, whither they were going and where and another is trying to sell his for they disappeared to, will perhaps less than it cost. One man is spendforever remain an unsolved and unex- ing all the money he can make in takplainable mystery. There were some ing a girl to entertainments and sendfifty of these fellows decked out in ing her flowers in the hope of evenfantastic costumes, each to represent tually making her his wife, while the some nation (unknown) of the world, neighbor is spending the gold he has that is, a great many of the terrified got to get a divorce. One man esonlookers came to that conclusion as capes all the diseases man is heir to and gets killed on a railway. An-The Cass City band meets for prac-other goes everywhere without being cough.-Ex.

Last Monday evening three young Unknowns, at the council rooms, the right road to become "hobos," rooms about seven o'clock and a few 18 years and the other 23. They were minutes later swooped down on Main lodged in jail over night and the folstreet and then in the gathering lowing morning they were arraigned gloom of evening the company disap- before Justice Lyon. They pleaded

POTATO BLIGHT AND ROT.

Hundreds of Dollars Lost Each Year in Michigan.

Hundreds of dollars are lost each J. Crocker, a son of Mr. and Mrs John year in Michigan by the blighting and Crocker, living southeast of Cass City, rotting of potatoes. Although its de-Murphy, twin sisters, both residing in and Miss Walberga Hartle, both of structiveness is increased by wet, Saginaw were united in marriage by muggy weather, the disease is really good health and have a large circle of Rev. W. Stephenson, pastor of the M. caused by a fungus, and the loss can be lergely if not entirely prevented by been a resident of Cass City many quiet, only the nearest friends and thoroughly spraying the vines with years, while her sister has resided relatives being present. After the blue vitrol and lime, commonly called here about a year and a half, although ceremony the company adjourned to Bordeaux mixture. It seldom attacks the dining room where light refresh- early varieties that ripen before Auments were served. The table was gust 1, but if they are injured by Their resemblance to each other is prettily trimmed with cut flowers and beetles it will often pay to spray them made a very pretty scene for the oc- with Bordeaux mixture and Paris casion. Mr. and Mrs. Crocker have green, which will also control another

The more injurious form which is called "late blight," seldom appears until August, although if the weather is hot and muggy during the latter The bachelor editor of the North part of July it will be safest to make Branch Gazette says: "Goldenrod is an application at once and before the As a rule, it will answer if the first application is made by August 1st, the weather remains favorable for blight, although once in fifteen days will ordinarily answer. It will be well to continue the applications up to within ten days of the time the potatoes will be ripe. If the weather continues dry during August there is not likely to be very much blight, but

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OAK BLUFF WAVES.

Everyone enjoys the beautiful sun-

Everyone enjoys the good meals at

he boarding house.

Clarke McKenzie is spending his vacation at the Bluff.

Dr. Treadgold came up in his auto and stayed over Sunday. Hammock avenue has been very

lively the past two days. Everyone had a huge time at the

Masonic picnic Thursday.

Mrs. Iva Fritz and daughters, Lucy and Naomi, returned to Cass City on Tuesday afternoon. The Misses Campbell, Schenck and

Robinson arrived at 1092 Hammock avenue on Tuesday. Some of the campers could not re-

sist the temptation and returned to Cass City to the show Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lamb return-

ed to the Bluff after spending a few days at their home in Imlay City.

The Bluffers had the rare treat of a ball game Tuesday between Bad Axe them surrounded by all the comforts been governed strictly and frequently and Caseville. Score 8-5 in favor of

wish that each year may bring to loafers to learn that 27 of them had If you are ready to spend a day in been "mamma's darling" and the bed while your clothes dry, inquire of other three had been reared by their Messrs. Wickware, Schenck, Nettleton grandmothers. The moral of this or Meredith Auten how to run a gaso-



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BACK TAXES DUE FROM YEAR 1856 TO 1893.

PRISON BROOM-MAKING INDUS-TRY HELD ILLEGAL.

Lansing, Mich., July 24.-The state has gained an important point in its last of the great railway cases by a decision of the supreme court Monday afternoon in the case of the state against the Michigan Central railroad to collect \$4,000,000 in back taxes, claimed to be due the state under an original charter of the corporation, and covering years from 1856 to 1893. The suit was brought before Judge Wiest in the Ingham county circuit court to collect on the grounds that the company had made fraudulent report as to the amount of property it had subject to taxation.

The company filed a demurrer, alleging that the state was barred by the statute of limitations and laches. The court below overruled the demurrer and the company appealed. The supreme court sustained Judge Wiest. The arguments were heard by the entire court, except Justice Carpenter, who was ill, and Blair, who was attorney-general at the time the proceedings were started. The opinion was written by Justice Montgomery, all of the justices concurring, except Grant, who filed a lengthy-dissenting opinion.

Broom-making as an industry to keep convicts at Jackson prison busy, will have to be abandoned, the supreme court having handed down a decision Monday afternoon that the constitution prohibits it.

The decision was rendered in a caso brought by Martin Manthey, a broommaker, against the prison board of control, and the warden and the Illinois Broom Co., a concern having a contract for the services of 50 convicts for a period of eight years, to restrain them from continuing the con-

Constitutional provisions prohibit any mechanical trade being taught convicts, except to manufacture those articles which are not supplied to any great extent by factories of the state. It was contended by the board that as each of the 13 convicts make a separate part of the broom, the section was not violated, but the court says it applies to convicts collectively in that regard, as well as individually.

INVESTIGATE HOSPITALS.

Detroit's Commission Hears of Tales Horror.

Detroit, Mich., July 24.-In an effort to ascertain for themselves wheth er tales of horror told in the meeting of the commission, Monday, about the way in which Emergency hospital treats its patients are true, or only the products of insanity on the part of the patients themselves and of sympathy and credulity on the part of their friends, the poor commission will make a tour of all the hospitals Wednesday, in which the city cares for its ailing and injured poor.

WANT INCREASE IN PAY.

One Thousand Employes of Quincy Mine Go on Strike.

Calumet, Mich., Jluy 2.-About 1, 000 men employed at the Quincy mine went on a strike Monday morning, demanding a \$5 increase in their wages. Superintendent Lawton states the company cannot afford the increase. The men are all quiet and a settle ment is looked for in a short time.

Murdered For Thirty Dollars.

Menominee, Mich., July 24.-Victor Lannti, a Finnish wood chopper, has been found dead in the road near Marenisco. He had been stabbed in the back four or five times. There was a slash eight inches long on the side of ihs face and neck, evidently done with the bloody razor that lay near; a blow on the head from some heavy body, and a bullet wound in the right breast. He had evidentaly been murdered for the \$30 he had on his person. Sam Lovenic and Antonio Datillo, two young Italians, are suspected of the murder, but have not yet been captured.

Meat Inspectors For Detroit. Detroit, Mich., July 24.—Eight new federal meat inspectors will be stationed at Detroit under the direction of Dr. L. Kenneth Green, to carry out the provisions of the new inspection law passed by congress after the recent agitation in Chicago. Men will be stationed at slaughter houses which in the past have never had federal inspection, and the increased force will make more careful and constant supervision of the other establishments possible.

Drowns in Kalamazoo River. Otsege, Mich., July 24 -Ruell Falk, aged 17, drowned while attempting to swim across Kalamazoo river about a mile below this village. Witnesses saw something was wrong, but had no way to reach him. The body was recovered. His parents live near Kalamazoo, where the body will be taken HARPER GRANTED NEW TRIAL.

Supreme Court Allows it on Grounds of Errors and New Evidence. Detroit, Mich., July 24.—Floyd Har-

per, tried and convicted of the murder of Patrolman John Daley has been granted a new trial by the supreme

The grounds on which the new trial was asked and granted by the supreme court were that errors had been allowed in the former trial, and that new evidence had come to light since then. The ruling of the trial court relative to the testimony of "Queenie" Herndon, the colored woman, who posed as an eye-witness of the murder of Patrolman John Daley, night of Nov. 17, 1904, was one of the errors assigned for granting the new trial.

PRISON COT ON FIRE.

Men in Ypsilanti Jail Have Lively

Experience. Ypsilanti, Mich., July 24.-Irving Deach and L. Royce, two prisoners in the city jail here had a rather dangerons experience while locked in the same cell. They were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct. Late in the night Royce went to sleep with a lighted pipe in his mouth.

About 12 o'clock Deach awoke to find the cot that he and Royce were sleeping on ablaze. He pulled his friend to the floor and shouted for the warden, who appeared a few minutes later and led the men from the corner of the small cell, where they had been driven by the flames.

Where Is Vera Holmguist? Pentwater, Mich., July 24.-Two weeks ago Miss Vera Holmquist walked away from home while her parents were asleep at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. She carried her clothes in a bundle. She has completely dropped out of sight. The only trace that that can be had of her is the fact that she was seen walking toward the woods on the Ludington road. The girl is only 15 years old; has dark hair and eyes; dark complexion, and is very large for her age.

Funeral Held in a Tent.

Flint, Mich., July 24.—At Pine Run Monday morning, a funeral was held in a tent. The deceased was Mrs. Elcanor Carson, and as she weighed 350 pounds, no effort was made to transport the body to the church. There was a big crowd at the funeral At the graveside, owing to the heat of the day, Mrs. Carson's daughter, a Mrs. Davis, was seized with heart failure, and did not regain consciousness for two hours.

Preacher Is Arrested.

Jackson, Mich., July 24.--Rev. J. P. Phelan, the Cement City minister and editor, who is accused by a Brooklyn, Mich., bank of obtaining money under false pretenses, has been arrested and brought here by the sheriff. The amount named in the warrant is \$20. but at the time he disappeared, it is claimed, the reverend gentleman owed something like \$1,500. He overdrew his account at the bank.

Shot While at Picnic.

Edwardsburg, Mich., July 24.-Mrs. lda Scheffler, of Mishawaka, Ind., was accidentally shot with a target rifle in the hands of a lady friend while attending a family picnic at Pleasant lake, near this place. She died within an hour.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

Knights of Columbus of Cheboygan, assisted by delegates from other points initiated about 75 members on Sunday. A banquet was served to about 600 members.

Congressman Hamilton has received a letter from Hon. Joseph Cannon, stating that he will not be able to attend the banquet of the Berrien County Republican club, which is to take place at St. Joseph this week.

The members of Co. K. of the Detroit Light infantry, spent a strenuous day during the heat of Sunday practicing in mimic warfare on Slocum's island. All kinds of warlike maneuvers were on the program.

The North Michigan Seventh-Day Adventists plan to hold their annual camp meeting at East Jordan, beginning July 30 and continuing two weeks. Some 500 delegates are expected to attend, and the prominent elders of the association will make ad-

Ex-Rep. "Jim" Jerome, of Detroit. had a narrow escape from drowning off Camp Algonac, at Algonac. He was out alone in a sailboat and got in the way of the steamer Tashmoo. The swells from the boat upset the craft. T. C. Gilbert, of Algonac, saw the accident and rescued him with a launch.

The several unions of Port Huron gave a smoker the other night and every union in Port Huron participated. The object was to do away with the use of tobacco manufactured by the trust. Speeches were made by C. P. Alder, Charles Evans, of Detroit, and L. Lenhoff, representing John Bagley & Co. This was the first meeting of its kind. Several are to follow throughout the country.

Michigan rural letter carriers, of whom the state has 1,700, will convene in Battle Creek this week for the fifth annual meeting. Addresses will be given by Paul D. Lindsay, president of the national association, from Tucker, Ga.; H. H. Windsor, of Chicago, editor of the R. F. D. News; Horatio Earle, state highway commissioner; Hon. J. H. Brown, editor of the Rural Advocate, and others.

STRIKE ONE MORE BLOW

OUTLAW RUSSIAN PARLIAMENT ISSUES FINAL APPEAL.

PEOPLE ASKED TO CEASE FUR-NISHING TROOPS AND MONEY.

PREMIER STOLPIN PLANS TO EN-LARGE HIS CABINET.

Viborg, Finland, July 24.—The curtain dropped, Monday afternoon, on the final act of the drama of Russia-s first parliament, when, under the spur of the threat of Governor Rechanberg to use military force to end the session, and with troops already converging on the Hotel Belvedere, where the meeting was held, the assembled members of the lower house-183 in number-hurriedly adopted and signed an address to the people which is thoroughly revolutionary in nature; elected a perpetual executive committee, headed by Prince Paul Dalgoroukoff, vice-president of the house, to carry on the work of liberation, and adjourned amidst characteristic Russian embracing and kissing.

A few members, including President Mouromtseff, Ivan Petrunkevich and Count Heyden, returned to St. Petersburg by evening trains. The constitutional democratic cohorts intend to go to St. Petersburg, in a body, in the morning; but, many of the radical members, fearing their arrest on their arrival at the capital, will remain for the present in Finland or return by a roundabout route.

The address, which bears a remarkable similarity to the manifesto framed by the council of workmen last November, which landed its authors and the editors of eight St. Petersburg newspapers in cells of the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, strikes the government in its most vulnerable point, by declaring that the administration, and not parliament, is responsible for the delay in the settlement of the agrarian question, and by proclaiming a cessation of payment of taxes and of military service and repudiation of future loans.

St. Petersburg, July 24.-The great news of today is the adoption of an address to the people by the deputies to parliament who assembled at Viborg, the language of which, with its revolutionary demands; that the people cease to furnish money and troops to the government, and repudiate further loans, afford pretext enough for the government to lodge its authors in the fortress if it feels strong enough. A rumor has been spread that this course had been decided upon. Soldiers Guard Newspapers.

Copies of the appeal to the people are in the hands of all St. Petersburg newspapers, but it will scarcely be printed, for the reason that a detachment of police is posted at the door of every newspaper printing office in the city with orders not to permit any papers to leave the building until. authorized by the censor. The authorities hope by equally vigorous measures, to prevent the publication of the appeal in other cities, and in the meantime to nullify the fears of the people as to the possible effect of the appeal.

The theatres and other places of amusement are almost empty at night. the public fearing conflicts between crowds and the military and police. Several encounters took place in various parts of the city, but they were all of a petty character.

A few days may witness the consti tution of a provisional government, composed of an enlarged council of ministers, with the inclusion of conservative members of the dispersed lower house of parliament; councillors of the empire, and men influential in the life of the empire, who can be induced to accept ministries, without portfolios, and contribute their authority and advice to the hard-pressed government. This is the solution to which Premier Solypin and the memhers of his cabinet, who realize the nature of the task of tiding over the country during the tempestous era that is now dawning, and it was the subject of deliberation at two meetings of the cabinet.

The masses of the Rissian people, slow of thought and action, have not yet roused themselves to the gigantic uphelaval which is sure to follow the dissolution of their parliament, Minor dozen cities. disorders are reported from half a

Leaves Burning Auto Just in Time. East Jordan, Mich., July 24.-A. F. Young, of Charlevoix, lost his \$3,500 automobile by fire just before reaching East Jordan. He was making the run from Charlevoix when he discovered that the automobile was ablaze. He barely had time to get out before the gasoline tank exploded, blowing things in all directions. The accident was caused by a leaky gasoline pipe. The machine is a complete wreck, but the loss is partially covered by insurance for \$1,600.

Eight Bulgarians Murdered.

Salonika, Saturday, July 21.—At a farm at Malavista, near Karaferia, July 20, a Greek band captured and murdered eight Bulgarians. including \$5 75@6; the proprietor of the farm.

PLUNGES INTO LAKE.

Train Goes Over Embankment, and About Dozen Men Drown. Spokane, Wash., July 24.-The en-

gine, express car and smoking car of the Great Northern fast train, westbound, are submerged in the deep waters of Diamond lake, one and a half miles east of Camden, about twenty miles from Spokane. Nine men, who went down in the smoking car, were drowned, and the engine crew are dead in the deep water. As the train came through the portal of the tunnel, the rails spread and the engine plunged down a sixty-foot embankment into the lake, fcllowed by the express car and the smoker. The other care remained on the track. The couplings were unbroken.

A wrecking car went out from Spokane and has just returned with the dead and injured.

Will Arrest Soldiers For Murder.

Shoshone, Wyo,, July 24.-Two colored cavalrymen from Fort Washakie will be arrested, charged with the murder of City Attorney Moody, and the shooting of Banker Anderson here, a few days ago. The authorities have learned that two soldiers who had trouble with Night Watchaman Mc-Coy, were looking for McCoy on the night of the murder, and it is generally believed they killed Moody by mistake.

Tried to Reduce Her Weight.

St. Louis, July 24.—A long-contin ued diet of principally pickles and vinegar, in the hope of reducing weight, caused the sudden death here of Miss Annie Gross, 25 years old. A postmortem examination revealed that the inner walls of her stomach were almost completely eaten away. The girl dropped dead while taking a drink

BRILF DISPATCHES.

James Spratt, a farmer, was instant ly killed and five others were injured. two of them seriously, by lightning, which struck a hay shed Monday, on the Caperton ranch, near Louisville, Ky.

Ferdinand Saar, the author and member of the upper house of the Austrian reichsrath, shot himself Monday, at his residence in Dobling, a suburb of Vienna. He had been suffering from nervous prostration.

Harry Baker, who won the title of amateur featherweight champion of America. last winter, in the San Francisco fistic carnival, has been matched to fight Frankie Neil, former bantam chamion, twenpty rounds before the Pacific Athletic club, of Los Angeles, August 9, at catch weights.

Charles A. Seeters, a vaudeville actor, 56 years of age, well known under the stage name of Albert Christal, who had been filling an engagement with a theatre in Ohama, Neb., was found dead in his room Monday. Heart failure was the cause. Seeter's home was 3832 Spring Garden, West Philadelphia. Statistics collected by the United

States consulates throughout France. and tabulated by Consul-General Mason, show that exports from France to the United States for the year ending June 30, reached the record-breaking total of \$107,240,547, an increase of \$18,823,475, or 17 per cent over the previous year. John Dedrick

postoffice clerk, in point of service, as well as in years in the United States, and said to be the oldest postoffice clerk in the world, is dead, of senility, at his home in Louisville, Ky. He was 88 years of age last June, and had been in continuous service as clerk in the Louisville postoffice for the last 63 years. He was appointed a clerk in Louisville postoffice, March 6, 1843, during the administration of President Tyler.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Tuesday, July 24, 1906. DETROIT-Wheat: No. 1 white, 76½c; No. 2 red spot, 76½c; Sept., 76½c; Dec., 77¾c. Corn: No. 3 mixed, 53c; No. 3 yellow, 54c. Oats: No. 2 white, 37½c. Rye: No. 2, 63c. Beans: July, \$1 50; Oct., \$1 50. Clover: Spot, \$6 95.

CHICAGO-Wheat: July, 751/2c; Sept., 761/2c; Dec., 78%c. Corn: July, 50 %c; Sept., 50 %c; Dec., 47 %c. Oats: July, 33%c; Sept., 33%c; Dec., 33½c. Pork: July, \$18 75; Sept., \$17 32. Lard: July, \$8 87; Sept., \$8 92. Ribs: July, \$9 25; Sept., \$9 25.

Live Stock Markets.

DETROIT-Cattle: Choice steers, \$4 60@5 00; choice handy killers, \$3 90@4 40; light to good butchers' steers and heifers, \$2 75@3 75; common killers and fat cows, \$2 50@3 80; canners' cows, \$1 50@2 25; common to prime shipping bulls, \$2 50@3 50; light butchers' and heavy sausage bulls, \$2 50@3 50; stockers and feeders, \$2,50@4 00. Sheep: Steady; spring lambs, \$6,50@7 00; light to fair, \$5,50@6,40; common to prime sheep, \$3 00@5 00; mixed sheep and lambs, \$5 50@6 50; common killers, \$2 90@2 25; culls, \$2 25@2 75. Hogs: Medium and fat yorkers, \$6 85@6 95; light yorkers and pigs, \$6 85@6 90; rough. \$5 50@6 50.

CHICAGO-Cattle: Beeves, \$4@649; cows and heifers, \$1 25@5 25; stockers and feeders, \$2 50@4 25. Hogs: Mixed and butchers, \$6 40@6 87; good heavy, \$6 40@6 90; pigs, \$5 70@6 65. Sheep: Lower; sheep, \$3@5 70; lambs, \$4 75@7 70.

EAST BUFFALO-Cattle: Exporters, \$5 40@5 90; extra, \$6; shipping, \$5@5 40; butchers, \$4 25@5 25; best fat heifers, \$4 25@5 10; cows, \$3 25 @4 40. Hogs: Medium heavy, \$7 10/ @7 15; yorkers, \$7 20@7 30; pigs, \$7 30@7 35. Sheep: Best yearlings, \$5 75@6; springers, \$6 75@7 25; wethers. \$5 50@5 75; ewes. \$4 75@5.

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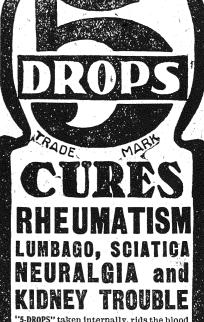
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By BOOTH TARKINGTON

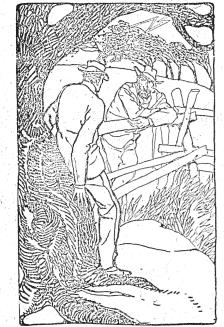
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He crushed his hat down over his edly. She saw him go out the gate the rain." and disappear into sudden darkness. He ran through the field and came out on the road. Heaven and earth were revealed again for a dazzling white there till the storm broke. second. From horizon to horizon rolled clouds contorted like an illimitable he got to the road he turned that way." field of inverted haystacks, and beneath them enormous volumes of bluish vapor were tumbling in the west, advancing e. stward with sinister swift- low?" ness. She in to a little knoll at the house and saw him set corner of his face to the storm. She cried aloud

to him with all her strength and would have followed, but the wind took the words out of her mouth and drove her back, cowering, to the shelter of the

Out on the road the lashing dust came stinging him like a thousand nettles. It smothered him and beat him so that he covered his face with his sleeve and fought into the storm shoulder foremost, dimly glad of its uproar, yet almost unconscious of it, keeping westward on his way to nowhere. West or east, north or south, it was all one to him. The few heavy drops that fell boiling into the dust ceased to come; the rain withheld while the wind kings rode on earth. On he went in spite of them. On and on, running blindly when he could run at all. At least the wind kings were company. He had been so long alone. There was no one who belonged to him or to whom he belonged. For a day his dreams had found in a girl's eyes the precious thing that is called home. Oh, the wild fangy!\ He laughed aloud.

There was a startling answer-a lance of fire hurled from the sky, riving the fields before his eyes, while crash on crash numbed his ears. With that



was leaning over the top rail and looking at him,

iis common sense awoke, and he looked about him. He was two miles from lown. The nearest house was the Brisloes', far down the road. He knew the ain would come now. There was a big ak near him at the roadside, and he stepped under its sheltering branches and leaned against the great trunk, wiping the perspiration and dust from is face. A moment of stunned quiet -iad succeeded the peal of thunder. It was followed by several moments of inessant lightning that played along he road and the fields. From that inolerable brightness he turned his head ind saw, standing against the fence, ive feet away, a man, leaning over the op rail and looking at him.

The same flash swept brilliantly before Helen's eyes as she crouched igainst the back steps of the brick aouse. It revealed a picture like a marine of big waves, the tossing tops of the orchard trees, for in that second the full fury of the storm was loosed, wind and rain and hail. It drove her against the kitchen door with cruel force. The latch lifted, the door blew open violently, and she struggled to close it in vain. The house seemed to rock. A candle flickered toward her from the inner doorway and was blown

"Helen! Helen!" came Minnie's voice anxiously. "Is that you? We were coming to look for you. Did you get

Mr. Willetts threw his weight against the door and managed to close it. Then Minnie found her friend's hand and led her through the dark hall to the parlor, where the judge sat placidly reading by a student lamp.

Lige chuckled as they left the kitchen. "I guess you didn't try too hard to shut that door, Harkless," he said, and then when they came into the lighted room, "Why, where is Harkless?" he asked. "Didn't he come with us from the kitchen?"

"No," answered Helen faintly. "He's gone." She sank upon the sofa and put her hand over her eyes as if to shade them from too sudden light.

"Gone!" The judge dropped his book and sat staring across the table at the girl! "Gone! When?"

"Ten minutes-five-half an hour-I don't know. Before the storm com- matches. In the darkness she came to menced.'

"Oh!" The old gentleman appeared eyes and ran toward the orchard gate. to be reassured. "Probably he had For a moment lightning flashed repeat- work to do and wanted to get in before

But Lige Willetts was turning pale. "Which way did he go? He didn't come around the house. We were out

"He went by the orchard gate. When She pointed to the west.

"He/must have been crazy!" exclaimed the judge. "What possessed the fel-

"I couldn't stop him. I didn't know how." She looked at her three companions, slowly and with growing terror, from one face to another. Minnie's eyes were wide, and she had unconsciously grasped Lige's arm. The young man was staring straight before him. The judge got up and walked nervously back and forth. Helen rose to her feet and went toward the old man, her hands pressed to her bosom.

"Ah," she cried out, "I had forgotten that! You don't think they-you don't think he"-

"I know what I think," Lige broke in. "I think I'd ought to be hanged for letting him out of my sight. Maybe it's all right. Maybe he turned and started right back for town-and got there But I had no business to leave him. and if I can I'll catch up with him yet." He went to the front door and.

opening it, let in a tornado of wind and flood of water that beat him back. Sheets of rain blew in horizontally in spite of the porch beyond.

Briscoe followed him. "Don't be a fool, Lige," he said. "You hardly expect to go out in that." Lige shook his head. It needed them both to get the door closed. The young man leaned his back against it and passed his sleeve across his wet brow. "I hadn't ought to have left him."

"Don't scare the girls," whispered the other; then in a louder tone: "All I'm afraid of is that he'll get blown to pieces or catch his death of cold. That's all there is to worry about. They wouldn't try it again so soon after last night. I'm not bothering about that; not at all. That needn't worry anybody."

"But this morning"-

"Pshaw! He's likely home and dry by this time. All foolishness. Don't be an old woman."

The two men re-entered the room and found Helen clinging to Minnie's hand on the sofa. She looked up at

"Do you think-do you-what do

Her voice shook so that she could not go on. The judge pinched her cheek and patted it. "I think he's home and dry, but I think he got wet first. That's what I think. Never you fear. He's a good hand at taking care of himself. Sit down, Lige. You can't go for awhile." Nor could he. It was a long, long while before he could venture out. The storm raged and roared without abatement. It was Carlow's worst since '51, the old gentleman said. They heard the great limbs crack and break outside, while the thunder pealed and boomed, and the wind ripped at the eaves till it seemed as if the roof must go. Meanwhile the judge, after some apology, lit his pipe and told long stories of the storms of early days and of odd freaks of the wind. He talked on calmly, the picture of repose, and blew rings above his head, but Helen saw that one of his big slippers beat an unceasing little tattoo on the carpet. She sat with fixed eyes, in silence, holding Minnie's hand tightly, and her face was colorless, growing whiter as the slow hours tragged by.

Every moment Mr. Willetts became more restless. He assured the ladies he had no anxiety regarding Mr. Hark-It was only his own dereliction of duty that he regretted. The boys would have the laugh on him, he said. But he visibly chafed more and more under the judge's stories and constant ly rose to peer out of the window into the wrack and turmoil, and once or twice he struck his hands together with muttered ejaculations. At last there was a lull in the fury without, and as soon as it was perceptible he announced his intention of making his way into town. He "ead ought to have went before," he declared apprehensively. and then, with immediate amendment, of course he would find the editor at work in the Herald office. There wasn't the slightest doubt of that, he agreed with the judge, but he better see about it. He would return early in the morning and bid Miss Sherwood goodby. Hoped she'd come back some day; hoped it wasn't her last visit to Plattville. They gave him an umbrella, and he plunged into the night, and as they stood for a moment at the door, the old man calling after him cheery good nights and laughing messages to Harkless, they could see him fight with his umbrella when he got out into the

Helen's room was over the porch, the windows facing north, looking out upon the pike and across the fields. "Please don't light the lamp, Minnie," she said when they had gone upstairs. "I don't need it." Miss Briscoe was flitting about the room hunting for

her friend and laid a kind, large hand on Helen's eyes, and the hand became wet. She drew Helen's head down on her shoulder and sat beside her on the

"Sweetheart, you mustn't fret," she soothed in motherly fashion. "Don't you worry, dear. He's all right. It isn't your fault, dear. They wouldn't come on a night like this."

But Helen drew away and went to the window, flattening her arm against the pane, her forehead pressed against her arm. She had let him go; she had let him go alone. She had forgotten the danger that always beset him. She had been so crazy; she had seen nothing. thought of nothing. She had let him go into that and into the storm alone. Who knew better than she how cruel they were. She had seen the fire leap from the white blossom and heard the ball whistle, the ball they had meant for his heart-that good, great heart. She had run to him the night before. Why had she let him go into the unknown and the storm tonight? But how could she have stopped him? How could she have kept him after what he had said? He had put it out of her power to speak the word "Stay!" She peered into the night through distorting tears.

The wind had gone down a little, but only a little, and the electrical flashes danced all round the horizon in magnificent display, sometimes far away, sometimes dazingly near, the darkness doubly deep between the intervals when the long sweep of flat lands lay in dazzling clearness, clean cut in the washed air to the finest detail of stricken field and heaving woodland.

A staggering flame clove earth and sky, and sheets of light echoed it, and a frightful uproar shook the house and rattled the casements, but over the erash of thunder Minnie heard, her friend's loud scream and saw her spring back from the window with ooth hands, palms outward, pressed to her face. She leaped to her and threw ber arms about her.

"What is it?" "Look!" Helen dragged her to the

window. "At the next flash! The fence beyond the meadow."

"What was it? What was it like?" The lightning flashed incessantly. Helen tried to point. Her hand only jerked from side to side. "Look!" she cried.

"I see nothing but the lightning," Minnie answered breathlessly.

"Oh, the fence! The fence! And in the field!"

"Helen! What was it like?" "Ah, ah!" she panted. "A long line of white looking things - horrible

"What like?" Minnie turned from the window and caught the other's

wrist in a strong clasp. "Minnie, Minnie! Like long white gowns and cowls crossing the fence!" Helen released her wrist from her companion's grasp and put both hands on Minnie's cheeks, forcing her around to face the flickering pane. "You must

"They wouldn't do it! They wouldn't -it isn't!" Minnie shuddered. "They couldn't come in the storm. They

look! You must look!" she cried.

wouldn't do it in the pouring rain." "Yes! Such things would mind the rain!" She burst into hysterical laughter, and Minnie seized her round the waist, almost as unnerved as Helen, yet trying to soothe her. "They would mind the rain," Helen whispered. "They would fear a storm. Yes, yes!

And I let him go; I let him go!" Pressing close together, clasping each other's waist, the two girls peer ed out at the landscape.

"Look!" Up from the distant fence that bordered the northern side of Jones' field a pale, pelted, flapping thing reared itself, poised and seemed, just as the blackness came again, to drop to the ground.

"Did you see?" But Minnie had thrown herself into a deep chair with a laugh of wild re-"My darling girl!" she cried. "Not a line of white things-just one-Mr. Jones' scarecrow! And we saw it blown down!"

"No, no, no! I saw the others. They were in the field beyond. I saw them. When I looked the first time they were nearly all on the fence. This time we saw the last man crossing. Ah, I let him go alone!"

Minnie sprang up and infolded her. 'No; you dear, imagining child, you're upset and nervous, that's all the matter in the world. Don't worry; don't, child; it's all right. Mr. Harkless is home and safe in bed long ago. I know that old scarecrow on the fence like a book, and you're so unstrung, you fancied the rest. He's all right. Don't you bother, dear."

The big, motherly girl took her companion in her arms and rocked her back and forth soothingly and petted and reassured her and then cried a little with her, as a good hearted girl always will with a friend. Then she left her for the night, with many a cheering word and tender caress. "Get to sleep, my dear," she called through the door when she had closed it behind her. "You must if you have to go in the morning. It just breaks my heart. I don't know how we'll bear it without you. Father will miss you almost as much as I will. Good night. Don't bother about that old white scarecrow; that's all it was. Good night, dear; good night."

"Good night, dear," answered a plaintive little voice. Helen's cheek pressed the pillow and tossed from side to side. By and by she turned the pillow over; it had grown wet. The wind blew about the eaves and blew itself out. Sleep would not come. She got up and laved her burning eyes; then she sat by the window. The storm's strength was spent at last. The rain grew lighter and lighter until there was but the sound of running water and the drip, drip on the tin roof of the porch. Only

the thunder rumbling in the distance marked the storm's course, the chariots of the gods rolling farther and farther away till they finally ceased to be heard altogether. The clouds parted



"Look!" she cried.

majestically, and then, between great curtains of mist, the day star was seen shining in the east.

The night was hushed, and the peace that falls before dawn was upon the wet, flat lands. Somewhere in the sodden grass a swamped cricket chirped; from an outlying flange of the village a dog's howl rose mournfully; it was answered by another far away and by another and another. The sonorous chorus rose above the village, died away, and quiet fell again.

Helen sat by the window, no comfort touching her heart. Tears coursed her cheeks no longer, but her eyes were wide and staring, and her lips parted breathlessly, for the hush was broken by the far clamor of the courthouse bell ringing in the night. It rang and rang and rang and rang. She could not breathe. She threw open the window. The bell stopped. All was quiet once more. The east was gray.

Suddenly out of the stillness there came the sound of a horse galloping over a wet road. He was coming like mad. Some one for a doctor? No; the hoof beats grew louder, coming out from the town, coming faster and faster, coming here. There was a plashing and trampling in front of the house and a sharp "Whoa!" In the dim light of first dawn she made out a man on a foam flecked horse. He drew up at the gate.

A window to the right of hers went screeching up. She heard the judge clear his throat before he spoke.

"What is it? That's you, isn't it, Wiley? What is it?" He took a good deal of time and coughed between the sentences. His voice was more than ordinarily quiet, and it sounded husky. What is it, Wiley?"

"Judge, what time did Mr. Harkless leave here last night, and which way did he go?"

There was a silence. The judge turned away from the window. Minnie was standing just outside his door. "It must have been about half past 9, wasn't it, father?" she called in a choked voice. "And-you know-Helen thought he went west."

"Wiley!" The old man leaned from the sill again.

"Yes," answered the man on horseback. Wiley, he left about half past 9just before the storm. They think he

went west." "Much obliged. Willetts is so upset he isn't sure of anything."

"Wiley!" The old man's voice shook Minnie began to cry aloud. The horseman wheeled about and turned his animal's head toward town. "Wiley!"

"Wiley, they haven't-you don't think they've got him?"

Said the man on horseback, "Judge, I'm afraid they have."

CHAPTER VIII.

HE courthouse bell ringing in the night! No hesitating stroke of Schofields' Henry, no uncertain touch, was on the rope. A loud, wild, hurried clamor pealing out to wake the countryside, a rapid clang! clang! clang! that struck clear in to the spine. The courthouse bell had tolled for the death of Morton, of Garfield, of Hendricks; had rung joy peals of peace after the war and after political campaigns, but it had rung as it was ringing now only three times-once when Hibbard's mill burned, once when Webb Landis killed Sep Bardlock and intrenched himself in the lumber yard and would not be taken until he was shot through and through, and once when the Rouen accommodation, crowded with children and women and men, was wrecked

within twenty yards of the station. Why was the bell ringing now? Men and women, startled into wide wakefulness, groped to windows. No red mist hung over town or country. What was it? The bell rang on. Its loud alarm beat increasingly into men's hearts and quickened their throbbing to the rapid measure of its own. Vague forms loomed in the gloaming. A horse, madly ridden, splashed through the town. There were shouts; voices called hoarsely; lamps began to glowin in the windows; half clad people emerged from their houses, men slapping their braces on their shoulders as they ran out of doors; questions were shouted into the dimness.

Then the news went over the town. It was cried from yard to yard, from group to group, from gate to gate, and reached the furthermost confines. Runners shouted it as they sped by, and boys panted it, breathless; women with loosened hair stumbled into darkling chambers and faltered it out to new

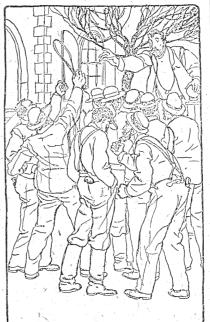
wakened sleepers, and pale girls, clutching wraps at their throats, whispered it across fences. The sick, tossing on their hard beds, heard it. The bell clamored it far and near; it spread over the countryside, and it flew over the wires to distant cities. The White Caps

had got Mr. Harkless! Lige Willetts had lost track of him out near Briscoe's, it was said, and had come into town at midnight seeking him. He had found Parker, the Herald foreman, and Ross Schofield, the typesetter, and Bud Tipworthy, the devil, at work in the printing office, but no sign of Harkless there or in the cottage. Together these had sought for him and had roused others who had inquired at every house where he might have gone for shelter, and they had heard nothing. They had watched for his coming during the slackening of the storm. He had not come, and there was no place he could have gone. He was missing. Only one thing could have happened.

They had roused up Warren Smith, the prosecutor, and Horner, the sheriff, and Jared Wiley, the deputy. William Todd had rung the alarm. It was agreed that the first thing to do was to find him. After that there would be trouble, if not before. It looked as if there would be trouble before. The men tramping up to the muddy square in their shirt sleeves were bulgy about the right hips, and when Homer Tibbs joined Columbus Landis at the hotel corner and Landis saw that Homer was carrying a shotgun Landis went back for his. A hastily sworn posse galloped out Main street. Women and children ran into neighbors' yards and began to cry. Day was coming, and as the light grew men swore and savagely kicked at the palings of fences as they ran by them.

In the foreglow of dawn they gathered in the square and listened to Warren Smith, who made a speech from the courthouse fence and warned them to go slow. They answered him with angry shouts and hootings. But he made his big bass voice heard and bade them do nothing rash. No facts were known, he said. It was far from certain that harm had been done, and no one knew that the Six Crossroads people had done it, even if something had happened to Mr. Harkless. He declared that he spoke in Harkless' name. Nothing could distress him so much as for them to defy the law, to take it out of the proper hands. Justice would be done.

"Yes, it will!" shouted a man below him, brandishing the butt of a rawhide whip above his head. "And while you jaw on about it here he may be tied up like a dog in the woods, shot full of holes by the men you never lifted a finger to hender, because you want



They answered him with angry shouts. their votes when you run for circuit judge. What are we doin' here? What's the good of listening to you?"

There was a yell at this, and those who heard the speaker would probably have started for the Crossroads had not a rumor sprung up which passed rapidly from man to man and in a few moments had reached every person in the crowd. The news came that the two shell gamblers had wrenched a bar the elderly governor general! The exout of a window under cover of the plosion of his wrath, his howls of rage storm, had broken jail and were at as the mustard did its work, brought large. Their threats of the day before were remembered now with convincing vividness. They had sworn repeatedly to Bardlock and to the sheriff and in the hearing of others that they would "do" for the man who had taken their money from them and had them arrested. The prosecuting attorney, quickly perceiving the value of this complication ready forming, called Horner from the voung wife and a husband whose cold in holding back the mob that was alcrowd and made him get up on the fence and confess that his prisoners had escaped, at what time he did not know, probably toward the beginning baby of her former cook had been of the storm, when it was noisiest.

"You see," cried the attorney, "there is nothing as yet of which we can accuse the Crossroads. If our friend has been hurt it is much more likely that these crooks did it. They escaped in thought you said the baby was named time to do it, and we all know they were laying for him. You want to be are calling the baby Celestine." mighty careful, fellow citizens. Horner is already in telegraphic communication with every town around here. and he'll have those men before night, of a name to describe you, ma'am. All you've got to do is to control yourselves a little and go home quietly.' He could see that his words (except those in reference to returning homeno one was going home) made an impression. There was a babble of shouting and argument and swearing that grew louder and louder. Mr. Ephraim Watts, in spite of all

confusion, clad as carefully as upon of the rocks. The fortress is a lofty the preceding day, deliberately climbed | and precipitous rock of enormous size, the fence and stood by the lawyer and | 1,000 feet high and eight square miles made a single steady gesture with his in area. Its sides are so steep that it hand. He was listened to at once, as cannot be climbed without artificial his respect for the law was less note- | means. Within it is hollow, and the rious than his irreverence for it, and only entrance is by a subterranean

he had been known in Carlow as customarily a reckless man. They wanted illegal and desperate advice and quieted down to hear it. He spoke in

his professionally calm voice. "Gentlemen, it seems to me that Mr. Smith and Mr. Ribshaw," nodding to the man with the rawhide whip, "are both right. What good are we doing here? What we want to know is what's happened to Mr. Harkless. It looks just now like the shell men might have done it. Let's find out what they done. Scatter and hunt for him. Soon as anything's known for certain Hibbard's mill whistle will blow three times. Keep on looking till it does; then," he finished, with a barely perceptible scornful smile at the attorney-"then we can decide on what had ought be

Six Crossroads lay dark and steaming in the sun that morning. The forge was silent, the saloon locked up, the roadway deserted even by the pigs. The broken old buggy stood rotting in the mud without a single lean little old man or woman-such were the children of the Crossroads-to play about it. Once, when the deputy sheriff rode through alone, a tattered black hound, more wolf than dog, half emerged, growling, from beneath one of the tumbledown barns and was jerked back into the darkness by his tail, with a snarl fiercer than his own, while a gun barrel shone for a second as it swung for a stroke on the brute's head. The hound did not yelp or whine when the blow fell. He shut his eyes twice and slunk sullenly back to his place.

The shanties might have received a volley or two from some of the mounted bands, exasperated by futile searching, had not the espape of Horner's prisoners made the guilt of the Crossroads appear doubtful in the minds of many. As the morning waned the advocates of the theory that the gamblers had made away with Harkless grew in number. There came a telegram from the Rouen chief of police that he had a clew to their whereabouts. He thought they had succeeded in reaching Rouen, and it began to be generally believed that they had escaped by the 1 o'clock freight train, which had stopped to take on some empty cars at a side track a mile northwest of town, across the fields from the Briscoe house. Toward noon a party went out to examine the railroad embankment.

Men began to come back into the village for breakfast by twos and threes, but many kept on searching the woods, not feeling the need of food or caring if they did. Every grove and clump of underbrush, every thicket, was ransacked. The waters of the creek, shallow for the most part, but swollen overnight, were dragged at every pool. Nothing was found. There was not a

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A MUSTARD POULTICE.

It Made a Lot of Trouble and Didn't Cure the Cold.

Lord Carrington used to be a great practical joker, but he was once the victim of his own reputation. According to the Dundee Advertiser, he was at a hotel in Cape Town. In the same hotel were a young couple, and, the husband having a bad cold, the wife left her room to obtain for him the solace of a mustard poultice. She left him asleep and, thinking she knew her way, descended the stairs and, procuring a particularly virulent concoction, made her way back to her room. But doors are much alike in hotels, and, seeing one ajar, as she had left her own, she entered. Creeping quietly to the bedside, she saw, as she thought, the form of her sleeping lord and master. Eastily bending over him, she placed the fatal irritant upon his chest.

No sooner had she done so than a movement of the sleeper revealed, to her horror, that she had made a terrible mistake. Too frightened to recapture the incriminating poultice, she fled from the room and, rushing down the passage, discovered her own door and bolted herself in. It was but a minute, and the storm broke. The hotel was in an uproar. The mustard poultice had been placed on the chest of servants and manager to his bedside. The situation did not permit of an explanation. Furious with indignation, he declared himself the victim of a gross joke, and the efforts of the maitre d'hotel to pacify him were in vain. He swore that the practical joker was nobody else than Lord Carrington, and he next day, fuming and indignant, left the place. So did a very contrite was no better:

Her Namesake.

When Mrs. Lombard heard that the named for her she bought a suitable rattle with many jingling bells and vent to see her namesake.

"Why, Bridget," she said to the late Miss Leahy, now Mrs. O'Sullivan, "I for me. My name is Hannah, and you

"Celestine L., ma'am," said Mrs. O'Sullivan hastily. "The 'L' is for Lombard, and Celestine is just a koind There ain't anny Hannah to your looks, Mrs. Lombard; anny wan would tell you that."-Youth's Companion.

A Remarkable Fortress In the northern part of Madagascar

s the most remarkable natural fortress in the world. It is occupied by a wild tribe who call themselves the people

Business Notices

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BERKSHIRE BOAR for service. J. D. Tuckey, R. F. D. 1. Cass City. 7-13-4

FOR SALE—One surrey nearly new, one top burgy, one light double harness, one light single harness. G, A, Stevenson, 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—Three new milch cows; barn timber; McCormick mower nearly new, for sale chea . J. S. Parrott. 7—20—3* FOR SALE—A top buggy, Portland cutter, pea harvester, a number of grain bags, and some household goods. Enquire of Mrs. Robt. Wallace, Cass City. 7-13-tf

FOUND on Field Day at Cass City, a small, plain gold chain. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice: Apply at Chronicle office.

HOUSE to sell or rent. Enquire of Mrs. L. E. McConnell. 6-22-4*

HOUSE FOR SALE cheap, or for rent on Woodland Ave. Good well and good barn. J. H. Striffler. 5-25-

NINE ROOM HOUSE to rent. Inquire of A. D. Gillies. 5-25-tf

STRAYED from my premises about June 20, one yearling heifer and one yearling steer, both red and white color. Suitable reward given to party finding same. J. F. Kilbourn, R. F. D. 4, Cass City. 7-20-2*

SALESMEN WANTED—Three salesmen to introduce our "New Consus Illustrated Atlas of Michigan.", A 1906 publication containing half-tone illustrations; historical and descriptive matter; special index to 3,630 cities, towns and postoffices. Special new maps. An absolutely new departure. Write for particulars. Rand, McNallly & Co., Chicago, Ill. 6-8

THREE-YEAR-OLD mare, weight 1,250, broke to drive single or double, for sale, Enquire at Chronicle office. 7-20

\$200 will purchase a traction engine and McCormick shredder. Enquire of Mrs. Jennic Collins. 7-20-2

Why not Spend Your Vacation at beautiful Lake Orion? Fishing, boating and bathing good. \$5,000 Program free. Greatest speakers and lecturers in America appear during the Season. LOTS FOR SALE. Free Booklet. Lake Orion Power and Improvement Co., Orion, Michigan.

Order of Publication.

State of Michigan, Twenty-fourth Judicial

State of Michigan, Twenty-tourth Judicial Clicuit, in chancery.
Suit pending in the circuit court for the county of Tuscola, in chancery, at the village of Caro, on the 16th day of May, 1906.
Cora Shageny, complainant vs. Gaylord Shageny, defendant.
In this cause it appearing from the affidavit on file that the defendant, Gaylord Shageny, is not a resident of this state, but is a resident of Rocky Mountain, in the State of North Carolina.

resident of Rocky Mountain, in the State of North Carolina.

On motion of Brooker & Corkins, the complainant's solicitors, it is ordered that the appearance of said non-resident defendant, Gaylord Shageny, be entered herein within four months from the date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on the complainant's solicitors within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and in default thereof said bill will be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant.

will be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant.

And it is further ordered that within twenty days the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and published and circulating in said county, and that the said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

WATSON BEACH.

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Circuit Judge.

Dated this l6th day of May, 1906.

Order of Hearing. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss.

As a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the probate office in the Villageof Caro on the 18th day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and six. Present, John M. Smith Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Harry Landrigan, deceased. On reading and filling the petition, duly verified, of J. D. Brooker praying this court to adjudicate and determine who are or were at the time of his death the lawful heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which he died selzed. It is ordered that Monday, the 13th day of August next, at 10° clock in the foremon at the probate office be assigned for said hearing. hearing.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this

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JOHN M. SMITH.

(Probate Seal.) 7-20-4 Judge of Probate.

Order of Hearing.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola,

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss.

At a session of the probate court for said county, held at the probate office in the Village of Caro on the 18th day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Julia Margaret Landrigan, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of J. D. Brooker praying this court to adjudicate and determine who are or were at the time of her death the lawful heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which she died seized. It is ordered that Monday, the 13th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the probate office be assigned for said hearing.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper, printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(Probate Seal.) 7-20-4 Judge of Probate.

CASS CITY MARKETS. Cass City, Mich., July 26, 1906.

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	Wheat, No. 1 white		
	Wheat, No. 2 red	. ^	
	Rye No.2.		
	White oats No. 3		
	Choice Handpicked Beans		1
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	June 7	00	8
	Barley, per cwt		1
	Peas		
	Corn		
	Hay 5 (00	7
	Potatoes, old		
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	Butter		
	Live hogs, per cwt		6
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	Hides, green		
	ROLLER MILLS.		
	White Lily, per cwt		2
	Ceresota, per cwt		2
	Economy per cwt		1
	Fanchon per cwt		2

Graham flour per cwt.

Granulated meal, per cwt.....

Feed per cwt

Bran per cwt.....

Middlings per cwt.....

Oil Meal per cwt.....

Salt, per bbl.....

LOCAL ITEMS.

A. H. Ale left for Detroit Monday on a business trip.

on business Tuesday. Frank Utley of Dryden spent Sun-

day with friends in town. John Lenzner of Gagetown was a

aller in town Wednesday. Chas. Pollard of Freiburgers was in

town on business Wednesday. W. D. Schooley of Saginaw was in town on business Tuesday.

J. B. Madill of Port Huron was in own Wednesday on a business trip.

Roy Condon of Detroit was the guest of Miss Helen Murdock Sunday. Geo. Freeman is engaged in veneer-

Mrs. Mary Cooley spent Saturday and Sunday with friends near Gage-

Miss Iva Coffron of North Branch past week. was the guest of friends in town over

Sunday

were guests at the home of C. Wilsey Monday. Miss Joyce Fairweather of Imlay

City is spending the week with friends in town. Mrs. Anna Parker spent Sunday

with her sister, Mrs. McColl, at Ward Parent of Bad Axe is the guest of his cousin, M. A. Parent,

this week. Earl Starr of Argyle spent part of ast week at the home of his uncle,

John Austin. Miss Ella Sheridan has gone to Bad Axe where she will spend a few days

with friends. Rev. Wm. Bergey left Tuesday morning for a few days' business trip near Bay City.

Glen Eno of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives and former acquaintances in town.

F. Roy Phillips and Herb Ehlers of Shabbona were the guests of friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. E. Hyde left Tuesday morning for Detroit, where she expects to remain indefinitely.

H. P. Lee was in Kalamazoo last week where he attended the Undertakers' convention.

Miss Mildred Croop of Deford is spending a few days here as the guest of Miss Leila Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McPhail went to Deckerville Sunday to spend a few lays with relatives. Mrs. Robt. Young and two daugh-

ters of Gagetown were the guests of friends in town Wednesday. John Fisher spent the first of the week with friends and relatives in

Columbia township. Austin, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Koppleberger, has been very

ill for several days. Miss Lola Zanders of Saginaw is visiting at the home of her grandparents,

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brooker. Monday after spending a few days

with relatives in Ellington. W. E. Freeman of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Freeman. Miss Addie Murdock of Minden City has been the guest of Miss Sophia

Matzen several days this week. Miss Margaret Zinnecker returned home Monday evening after spending a week with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Chas. Cooley and children of Lupton were called here last week owing to the death of a relative.

Mrs. C. E. McCue and Miss Mabel Robinson have returned home from a visit with friends at Middleville.

Miss Esther Fields has returned to her home in Granville, Ohio, after a visit with Miss Madeline Auten.

Miss Elizabeth Hunt of Mayvile is the guest of her former Alma college

70 classmate, Miss Beryl Koepfgen. Mrs. G. A. Tindale of Deford is

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Clarke. Prof. and Mrs. F. E. Sinclair and of the week. son, Claude, are visiting at the former's parental home near Brown City. Mrs. Mary Higgins of Gagetown is

making an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Hendrick. Miss Janet Miller has been engaged to teach the "Paul" school two miles south of town for the coming school

H. H. Cooley, who has been visiting Ohio, this week. at the home of his son, Chas. Cooley, at Lupton, has returned to his home

hospital at Cleveland, Ohio, is visit-other relatives. ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. K.

friends. Miss Orpha Chambers is at- the coming year. tending to the millinery store during

her absence. Auction Sale of household goods, Co., was in Cass City last Wednesday Mrs. Gaylord is a sister and Mr. Saturday p. m., July 28. J. S. McAR- and Thursday the guest of his cousin, 80 THUR.

Mrs. J. C. Corkins and children have returned home from a visit at the home of Mrs. Corkins' parents in De-

troit. J. D. Crosby and E. A. McGeorge Chas. Walker of Argyle was in town were in Caseville Tuesday. The trip

> was made with the automobile. The Evangelical Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Meiser on Thursday afternnon, Au-

gust 2. Miss Pearl Gooden, who has been spending a few weeks with relatives here, returned to her home in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Timerson and Allen Ross of Pontiac were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Ross, Sunday.

Miss Susie Vallance of Rescue and Mrs. Elizabeth Terry of Yale are the ing the implement store of J. A. Caldguests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson

> Miss Teport of Bay City has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. McIntosh and other friends in town the

Mrs. E. F. Kreiman, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilsey of Caro H. McColl, has returned to her home in Saginaw.

Mrs. Alex Johnson and Mrs. Bert. Walker of Marlette are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals.

Roy Striffler of Argyle, who has been spending some time with relatives in this vicinity, returned to his home Sunday home Sunday.

Miss Nina Karr has accepted the position as teacher in the primary department of the Wilmot school for the ensuing year. The Misses Eva Brown and Myrtle

Mead left Thursday afternoon for Orion where they will attend the Bible conference. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Losey, Mrs. C.

Losey and Mrs. Mary Powell, all of Oxford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs Dana Losey on Sunday. Asa Tinney of Flint visited at the

home of his cousin, Mrs. M. DeLong last week. He also spent a few days with relatives in Novesta. Miss Louie Louch of Clare is the

guest, of friends and relatives here.

She will also visit relatives at Wickware before returning home. Wm. F. Seed, Miss Nellie Hall, Mrs. O. K. Janes and Mrs. A. D. Gillies went to Caro last Saturday to spend

M. A. Parent received a shipment of a carload of Ohio sandstone this week which will be used in the erec-

the day with old-time friends.

tion of the new schoolhouse. Miss Clara Hazeltine, who has the guest of Miss Mary Zinnecker for Tuesday to several weeks, returned Tuesday to her home in Jamestown, N. Y.

C. F. Collins has returned to Cass City and resumed work in N. Bigelow & Sons' hardware store, after several weeks' vacation spent at Buffalo.

Next Sunday, July 28, the topic for the Epworth League meeting is, "How the church can help the world," and the leader is Miss Myrtle Orr.

Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Yerkes of Ypsilanti arrived last week for an ex-Miss Cora Parker returned home tended visit at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. J. D. Crosby. Miss Mabel Reagh has returned to her home here for several weeks' va-

cation after concluding a year's work as teacher in a school near Frederic. The interior of the Fritz block on Main street occupied by J. Cornelius is undergoing a general re-decoration

which adds much to the appearance. Rev. and Mrs. Frank Currie of Lansing were guests at the home of P. S. McGregory last week. Mr. Currie

was formerly a resident of Cass City. Clarke W. McKenzie is enjoying a vacation from his duties as cashier of

the Cass City Bank and is spending the time in Bay City and other places. Mrs. Parks and son, Bryce, of Toronto, Ont., arrived here Tuesday en-

route for Wickware to visit with the former's daughter, Mrs. Henry Bige-Mrs. O. J. Batchelder of Marinette,

spending a few days at the home of Huron were guests at the home of picnic. their brother, Chas. Wilsey, the first Miss Inez Harris, who has been a

Mayville to spend a few weeks at her evening. parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wigfield, who have been guests at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. A. A. Jones, returned to their home in Bellaire,

Mrs. S. W. Striffler, and daughter, Miss Grace, of Argyle spent a few F. A. Reid, an employe in the state mer's sister, Mrs. C. O. Lenzner, and

Miss Eliza Sommerville, a member of the class of 1900 of the Cass City Mrs. M. J. McGillvray has gone to high school, has been engaged to teach Detroit to spend several days with the "Tanner" school near Ubly for Ernest Lance of Fowler were guests

> Albert Stevens of Grand Rapids, 7-27-1* Mrs. Geo. W. Reed.

Closing Out Shoe Sale Now On

We are closing out our shoe stock and will discontinue that part of our business. We will sell shoes very cheap as long as they last. This means everything in new as well as in old stock, comprising Ladies' Heavy and Light Shoes, Children's Dress and School Shoes, Men's and Boys' Heavy and Fine Shoes. Every pair must go.

This is not a scheme to get rid of old stock only, but ALL. While the shoe sale is on, we will also make some very attractive prices on Dry Goods.

Prints

Blues Black and white Reds

> Grays Fancies

Ginghams

Small check apron, regular 7 and 8c, now Dress Ginghams, regular 15c, IOC Corded Ginghams, regular

Ioc, now

Corsets

Regular	\$1.00	value now	-	8oc
A 66 T	.75	66 66	=	55C
6.6	.50		=	35c
66	.25	66	-	20C

Ladies' Wrappers

Regular \$1.25 value now = 1.00

Dress Goods

All summer weights

Regular \$1 goods in dark now 80c 75° 55C 50C 40C 20C

Mercerized Linings for underskirts, in fancy and plain, AT COST.

Ladies' Purses and Bags

Regular	\$1.50	now	98c
66	1.00	4.6	75c
66	.85	6.6	65c
6.6	.50	4.6	38c
6.6	.25	, 6 6	20C

Screens

In fancy colors, about 20 left, regular price 89c, now 59c.

Hosiery

The celebrated Black Brand. 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Every pair a bargain.

Butter, Eggs and Cash=nothing else goes.

8c

Miss Hattie Wood came home Wednesday from Evanston, Ill., where she is employed, and will spend several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wood, west of town.

Mr. and Mis. F. Perrin, 'Thos. Perrin, Albert and Nina Goff and Miss Anna Stickler, all of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Spurgeon, north of town, last Sunday.

Miss Harriet D. Tanner, formerly an employe of the Enterprise at Cass City, has accepted a similar position in the Enterprise office at her new home in Caron, Sask., N. W. T.

Rev. Ephraim Sedweek of Calumet will preach in the M. E. church at Beauley next Sunday, July 29; morning service at 10:00 o'clock, evening at 7:30. Everyone cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby went to Caseville on Thursday in their auto and took with them as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooker and Mrs. Wis., and Mrs. H. J. Breeze of Port A. C. Bader, to attend the Masonic

Rev. C. B. Steele of Port Huron, presiding elder of the M. E. church, was in town on Monday to attend the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Tennant quarterly conference which was held for a couple of weeks, has gone to in the M. E. church parlors Monday

Miss Ruth Robinson was five years old on Tuesday, July 24, and in the afternoon entertained a company of her little friends. They left a number of nice gifts as mementos of the

Mrs. Ernest Clement went to Elkton last week to spend a 1ew days. days last week at the home of the for- Next Monday she will leave for Staple, Minnesota, where Mr. Clement is employed, and where they will make their future home.

Mrs. R. Gaylord and two daughters, Edith and Hattie, of Mancelona, and at the home of S. Durst and O. C. Russ over Sunday. Miss Edith Gaytravelling salesman for Corl, Knott lord will remain for a two weeks' visit. Lance a brother of Mr. Durst and Mrs.

Bargains in Groceries To begin Saturday, July 21 and continue for 10 days.

5 lbs. Granulated Sugar25c 8 bars Queen Anne Soap...... 25c 8 bars Jaxon Soap.......25c 3 packages Raisins......25c 1 lb. pkg. Corn Starch...... 5c 4 cans Birthday Corn......25c 4 cans Ohio's Best Corn......25c 50c Tea40c 40c Tea......30c

J. Cornelius, Fritz Block, Cass City.

Highest market price paid for butter and eggs.

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At the Old Reliable Stand

J. A. RENSHLER

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. A. C. Bader of Cincinnati, O. is the guest of Mrs. Eleanor Bader and Mrs. J. D. Brooker. She will remain here for a week and then go with Mr. Brooker and family to Oak Bluff to spend a few days.

Jos. Frutchey has commenced the erection of a new residence on the south side of Main street above West street, which he expects to have ready for occupancy this fall. The foundation is already completed.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid society will serve supper in the Gillies building next Wednesday afternoon, August 1. There will be a business meeting of the society at 4:30 and all the members are requested to be in attend-

Miss Nellie Hall, of Canyon City, Colorado, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, left on Monday for Port Huron and other points to visit friends before returning home. Miss Hall taught school in Cass City several years ago.

Miss Clara Howell, who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Leila Lee, returned to her home in Caro Mrs. Hersey Young, who spent the day with friends there.

Anna, the little daughter of Mr. danger that might result.

remaining here a few days to visit next year. his daughters, Mrs. P. A. Koepfgen and Mrs. Jane McBurney.

Last Wednesday evening occurred the election of officers of the schoolother members of the board are J. D. Brooker and P. S. McGregory.

Hugh McColl left Monday for Saginaw to spend a few days at the home of his daughter and from that city will go to Superior, Wisconsin, to make an extended visit with another daughter, who resides there.

Mrs. J. W. Higgins and daughter Miss Matie, accompanied by little Donald Monroe of Rochester, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick. They intend to visit relatives in Unionville before returning home.

Wednesday afternoon and evening ING COMPANY. and drew large crowds. Those who attended were well pleased with the performances and the management is to be congratulated on the clean and up-to-date features of their exhibi- for collecting same.

Mrs. R. Fancher and Eli Fancher of Imlay City and Miss Rose Fancher of Mrs. Rice and daughter, Lena, who will visit there and at Detroit for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Chas. Smales and daughter, Isabel, who have been visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Isabei Miller, turn to the Chronicle Office. have returned to their home in Toronto, Ont. They were accompanied suit. home by the Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Miller, who will remain there for a visit with relatives.

Invitations have been received in Cass City for the marriage of Miss Laura Kinne Seeley of Caro, daughter of J. G. Seeley, and Sabin Hooper, assistant cashier of the Commercial Savings Bank of Caro. The event will take place at the home of the repairing at C. L. Spencer's. 6-13parents of the bride on Wednesday, August first.

has been seriously ill with an abscess of the tongue and a few days ago his fect digestion, and consequently poor father received word to go to him. health results; hence the paramount On reaching Chicago he received a importance of sound teeth. Clean teeth message stating that his son was bet- brushed from side to side. If this is ter and he returned home. Herbert done the points of the gums will be inhas recovered rapidly and at present jured and the teeth loosened. The upis in Saco, Montana.

I Have Decided

to remain in Cass City for some time and will continue

Bicycle Repairing

in the basement of the Hotel Mc-Lellan.

During the heavy storm which passed over this section of country last Sunday afternoon the family of L. DeLong, who reside two miles south and one mile east of town, narrowly escaped being struck by lightning. The members of the family were sitting on the porch when a bolt of lightning struck about a foot from the corner of the house, tearing up the ground. All were badly frightened for a time.

Next Tuesday is to be a banner day for the Lady Maccabees in Cass City, the occasson being their annual basket picnic to be held in Mrs. E. Orr's grove. Every Lady Maccabee is expected to be there in the afternoon laden with a basket containing enough lunch for herself and one other person whom she may choose to invite. At six o'clock supper will be served and a jolly time is looked for.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brotherton have returned to Cass City and have decided to make their future home in residence at the corner of West street | Lizzie Farson of Caseville. and Garfield avenue, formerly owned by the Anketell Lumber company and which was recently remodeled, making it one of the prettiest residences Sunday. She was accompanied by in town. The news that Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee and Mr. and Brotherton are to again reside here will be received with much pleasure.

A company of "Cootes' Regulars," twenty-five in number, took in the exand Mrs. Wm. Hallack, was bitten by cursion to Caseville Sunday. We are a dog with which she was playing one | not "next" to the workings and mysday last week. Her injuries were not teries of this secret society, but unserious, although preventative meas- derstand the members meet around ures have been taken to lessen the the stove at Cootes' store every week, rain or shine, for a gabfest on the fore-Alex Morton, who was called here most topics of the season, and to ento attend the funeral of his grand- joy a friendly smoke, and they went daughter, Mrs. A. Goodall, returned on the excursion so they would have to his home in Bellgrave, Ont., after something to talk about during the

The officials of the fair association have commenced preparations for the annual fair which will be held Oct. 2, 3, 4 and 5, and they are determined to board when W. J. Campbell was make it as good, and if possible, chosen as director, L. I. Wood, treas- better than those held in former urer; O. K. Janes, moderator; the years. The president and secretary are already looking for special attractions. The dining hall has been leased to David Gray, who satisfied his patrons so well last year, and a party from Flint has secured the merry-go-round privileges. The premium list for the fair is now in the hands of the printer and will be issued in a few weeks. Keep your eye open for future announcements regarding

Notice.

the fair and aim to attend it.

7-13-

Persons wishing employment in the Caro sugar factory, during the coming campaign, should enter their applica-Sun Bros.' Show exhibited here tion now. Peninsular Sugar Refin-7-20-6

> Tax Notice. All taxes not paid before Aug. 7 will be subject to an extra percentage

> > CHAS. L. ROBINSON, Village Treasurer.

Strayed or Stolen-From the Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and premises of Dana Losey, one mile east, Mrs. P. S. Rice. On their return to one-half north and one-half mile east Imlay City they were accompanied by of town, a black and white Beagle uppy, about nine months old. Any information regarding it may be left at the Chronicle office.

t LOST-A gold signet pin. Re-

Try Ruhl, the tailor, for a spring

Dressmaking, hand or machine sewing; plain or fancy. Goods carefully handled and prices reasonable; New York patterns. At Mrs. CLAPP's, corner Sherman and Third streets. 7-6 WNice line of spring samples to select from. Ruhl, the tailor. 3 Fine watch, clock and jewelry

Caring For the Teeth. Without good teeth there cannot be Herbert Karr of Hinsdale, Montana, thorough mastication. Without thorough mastication there cannot be perdo not decay. The teeth should not be per teeth should be brushed from the top downward (from the gums to the ends of the teeth), the lower teeth from the bottom unward, also from the gums to the extremity of the teeth. It is essential to wash the teeth at night and wise to wash them also in the morning. Rinse the mouth after each meal.

Swiss Enterprise.

There is a weekly journal published at Zurich, Switzerland, called the Engaged Couples' Advertiser, which has agents at work all over Switzerland ascertaining the name of every girl who is engaged to be married and that of her prospective husband. These names are printed in the paper, with the addresses of the sweethearts and a description of their social position. Soon after the announcement of her engagement a girl finds herself almost in a position to start a shop, so numerous are the samples she receives from firms anxious to sell their goods to her.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

Foley's Honey and Tar of Canboro spent Sunday heals lungs and stops the cough.

Correspondence

BEAULEY.

Mrs. W. Harder of Bad Axe is vis-

iting relatives here. Rev. Sedweek of Calumet will preach in Beauley next Sunday mornng and evening.

Miss Gertrude Bond is spending her vacation at her home after a very successful school year in Pt. Huron.

Geo. Young will go to his new home in Washington in two weeks. We wish him success and regret his de-

parture. Last Sunday evening's Epworth League service was well attended in spite of rain. Miss V. McIntosh did well as leader.

Many from here wish to congratulate S. O Sharrard of Grant township our midst. They have purchased the who was recently married to Miss

> Chas. Everet, living north of here, has purchased a grain separator of Striffler & McDermott and will thresh in this vicinity this season. He has already several contracts.



Wm. Auslander of Shabbona was a caller here Sunday.

Ruth Lenzner of Detroit is visiting Ruth Striffler this week.

Mrs. S. W. Striffler and daughter, Grace, spent part of last week in Cass

Misses Stella Darr and Cassie Mc-Phail are visiting in Cass City this week. Earl Herdell and Katheryn Langen-

burg attended Sun Bros.' show at Sandusky Saturday. Elmer Paige, Russel Yake and Ed-

ward Laing of Deckerville were callers in town Tuesday. Mrs. R. Graybill of Rose City, a former resident of Argyle, is the guest

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will serve ice cream Saturday evening she has been for some time. on Jon McPhail's lawn.

of Mrs. S. W. Striffler.

his grandparents near Cass City, returned to his home here Sunday.

Mayme McLachlin is spending the remainder of the summer with relatives and friends in Croswell, Lexington and Speaker.

We are glad to hear that Lucy Walker and John McKeachin were among the successful number, who passed teachers' examination.



TOWN-LINE.

Mrs. C. Kelley of Kingston is visiting her uncle, Geo. O'Rourke.

Miss Lena Nye is visiting at the home of Wm. Bentley at Deford.

Mrs. Alva Palmateer is visiting Mrs.

White at Lamott for a few days. Frank O'Rourke is home from Ar-

mada where he has been employed. Miss Mary Osborn of Marlette has been engaged to teach the school here

for the coming year. Mrs. Walter Schell and Miss Vera Schell of Cass City were visitors at

Jesse Cooper's one day last week. The Misses Anna and Josie Retherford of Pontiac visited friends here

Sunday. They were accompanied home by their mother. The Leek W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at the Leek school house Thursday afternoon, August 2, at 2:30 o'clock. The members are es-

business of importance is to be trans-

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Mr. Robert O. Burke, Elnora, N. 7. "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night, and I was bloated all up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had given up hope of living when a friend recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50 cent bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone as well as all other symptoms of Bright's disease." All druggists in

KARR'S CORNERS.

Chas. Evans lost a valuable horse one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. LaForge and son Kenneth spent Sunday at P. O'Brien's. Mrs. Dan Leach and daughters spent Sunday as the guests of Greenleaf relatives.

Mrs. John Atchinson and children visited Mr. Atchinson near Capac ver Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Tuttle and children of Saginaw were calling on friends in this vicinity last week.

John Thomas and Miss L. Parker of Canboro spent Sunday with Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robinson and children of Cass City were the guests f Mr. and Mrs. E. Butler Sunday.

Mrs. Melinda Tanner, Mrs. David dray and children were the guests of Bay Port relatives part of the week.

Seeley and Elmer Butler and Dick Karr and Gertrude McDonald, Ida Beach and Lizzie Butler were the guests of Caro friends over Sunday.

NOVESTA.

Mrs. Jas. Rule is improving. Mrs. Robt. Horner is quite ill. Mrs. John Horner is in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rodgers visited

near Argyle Sunday.

Miss Martha Atwell spent Sunday it her parental home.

A. A. McKenzie looked over the beet crop in this neighborhood Mon-

Huckleberry and raspberry patches offer resistless charms to the ladies of this vicinity.

The L. A. S. served ice cream at Novesta Saturday evening, the only drawback being that some of the "wee small boys," forgot which was their own lady love and made the other fellow sour.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

EVERGREEN.

Darcy Bond visited in this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McInnes drove co Bad Axe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Colwell visited in this vicinity Sunday. Maggie Davidson has returned from Mt. Pleasant and is now at Shabbona

Cumber visited at T. Gekeler's Sun-Several young people from Hay Creek attended church at Mizpah Sun-

Jacob Hiller and two sisters from

day evening. Ethel Brackenbury returned home from Cass City Monday evening where

J. Willerton will preach in the Mc-Roy Striffler, who has been visiting Hugh M. E. church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. Stephenson will fill Mr. Willerton's appointments.

CARO.

James Carpenter is in Detroit on

Miss Iva Holmes is visiting relatives in Vassar.

Fred Montague of Gagetown was in town last week.

Thos. Everett of Kingston was in town calling on friends the first of the Wm. Harp of Mayville visited

friends here the latter part of last week. Thos. Jackson of Elmwood was a

Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier of

Gagetown visited at the home of Arthur Karr last week.

SAND FLY.

M. Grace is very poorly at this writing.

Miss Lydia McInnes is at Bad Axe, having undergone another operation. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Novesta spent Sunday at the home of L. Travis.

son returned to their home in Pontiac diseases. At every funeral the bottling Monday after a week's visit with Mrs. of mourners' tears is one of the chief Ashley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ashley and little

Rev. Iles will preach his farewell sermon at the Hay Creek F. M. are presented to the priest, who pecially requested to be present as church, Sunday evening, July 29, before leaving for the conference at Bay

NOVESTA.

Mrs. Avery of Pontiac visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Justin on Sunday.

Elder Randall and family arrived here last week. He preached his first sermon last Sunday. A. Livingston and daughter, Janie,

visited friends and relatives in this vicinity the first of the week. Mrs. Robert Little and childsen are

visiting the former's parents and other friends here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lotz and daughter, and Mrs. Chas. Ashby and two sons of Battle Creek visited at the home of D. Livingston Monday and Tuesday.

Doctors Said He Would Not Live. . Peter Fry, Woodruf, Pa., writes, "Af-

ter doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still getting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month as there was no cure for me. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me by a friend and I immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entirely well. All druggists in Cass City.

JOY OF HOUSE BOATING.

Complete Freedom In Nature's Ro-

mantic Retreats. He who would live the simple nomadic life in complete freedom and independence in the very heart of nature's most romantic retreats must live in a house boat. I mean, of course, a roomy craft that possesses its own motive power, that will go wherever the will of its owner directs, that will be small enough and sufficiently light of draft to explore the secret passages, the inmost lagoons of the watery wilderness, where nature most royally entertains her guests.

What an idle, lazy, luxurious, romantic life this is, to be sure! It is impossible to enthuse too strongly on the merits of such an unfettered existence. A camping launch big enough to accommodate one's family and a man of all work, a combination of guide, cook and pilot, is the ideal craft and crew for the majority. It provides a comfortable habitation, a tight roof and a dry bed in all weathers and carries all the supplies needed for an extended journey in the wilds.

There are those who prefer the joys of tramping through woods and over mountains, carrying their tents, canoes and supplies on their backs, but their labors are very much greater than those who are luxuriously carried about in their floating camp. Its very restfulness is the sedative required by the man of strenuous life. Reclining in deck chair or hammock, he sails among the most beautiful vistas of shimmering water and woodland scenery, changing his surroundings every hour if need be.-Outdoors.

THE CAMEL.

He Has a Dangerous Temper, and His Bite Is Vicious.

The camel is a dangerous animal to ride-a much more dangerous animal than the horse-for the reason that, with his serpentine neck, he can reach round when annoyed and bite his rider.

Camels are not at all the patient, quiet, kindly creatures they are painted. They have nasty tempers. A caravan crossing the desert is always noisy. The loud and angry snarls of the camels make the waste places resound. A camel's bite is a serious matter.

The strong teeth lock in the wound and a circular motion is given to the jaw, around and then back, before the teeth are withdrawn again. The wound is a horrible one. There are few camel drivers without camel scars.

Dr. Nachtigal, the celebrated African explorer, once said to a youth who expressed a sentimental desire to cross the Sahara on camel back:

"Young man, I'll tell you how you can get a partial idea of what riding a camel in an African desert is like. Take an office stool, screw it up as high as possible and put it along with a savage dog into a wagon without any springs. Then seat yourself on the stool and have it driven over uneven and rocky ground during the hottest parts of July and August, being careful not to eat or drink more than once every two days and letting the dog bite you every four hours. This will give you a faint idea of the exquisite poetry of camel riding in the Sahara."-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The King's Page of Honor.

The post of page of honor to the sovereign does not carry with it as it used to do, the right to a commission in the guards without examination of any kind, but it is still a coveted office, business transactor in town last Sat- with privileges attached to it which are much appreciated by the sprigs of noble houses who are lucky enough to receive the appointment. It is not, for example, an unpleasant experience for a fourth form boy at Eton or Harrow to be summoned up to London on a "whole school day" for a court at Buckingham palace or other state pageant while his schoolfellows are toiling at their books. Such summonses are, of course, of the nature of royal commands, which must be obeyed .-London Modern Society.

Persian Tears.

The Persians still believe that human tears are a remedy for certain chronic features of the ceremonies. Each of the mourners is presented with a sponge with which to mop off his face and eyes, and after the burial they squeezes the tears into bottles, which he keeps. This custom is one of the oldest known in the east and has probably been practiced by the Persians for thousands of years. Mention is made of it in the Old Testament.

Beautiful Pearls.

The pearls found on the gulf coast of Lower California are said to exhibit a greater variety of colors than those of any other part of the world, and the business of pearl fishing there is growing. The chief colors are black, gray, red, bluish green and yellowish. The red pearls rank among the most valuable. They possess a fine luster, and many of them are large and of the most perfect shape. They are, however, found only occasionally.

The Real Test.

Even the man who says he doesn't care a rap what other people think esitates about carrying a pair of his vife's shoes to the cobbler to have them tapped without doing them up inside a piece of wrapping paper.-Somerville Journal.

Alike.

Husband-What has become of those indestructible toys you got last week? Wife-They are out on the scrap heap, along with the indestructible kitchen utensils.-Life.

Obstinacy is the mask under which weakness hides its lack of firmness.-Panin.

BIRDS OF ILL NATURE.

The Cruelty of Swans as Displayed

Toward Other Fowls. The graceful swan is one of the most ungracious in its ways. Not only (in the breeding season) does a male bird resent the intrusion of a strange gentleman, but it will spend the day in driving off from its domain any unlucky geese which might be plainly assumed to have no designs upon its domestic arrangements and have, indeed, no desire beyond that for a comfortable wash and swim. It will also pursue even the most innocent of newborn ducklings while they unwittingly rejoice in an early taste of their common element.

When an only child has passed out of the cygnet stage of life and grown to full physical if not mental maturity father and mother swans have been known to fall upon and deliberately beat it to death with wing and beak. The gratified parents swam gracefully about the mere in which they lived while the great white corpse of their son lay battered and dead upon the shore. The following year, after another had been born to them and in infancy carried upon his mother's back, they began to treat him so roughly that, not being pinioned like them, he wisely flew away, and we saw him no more. Curiously enough, geese which have experienced rudeness from swans in the lusty spring have been known to retaliate in the calmer autumn. when the fierceness of their enemy had become mitigated. I have seen a gander leap upon the back of a once arrogant swan and pound away at it in the full enjoyment of gratified revenge,-Cornhill Magazine.

THE NATIONAL FLAG.

No Possession of a Country More Loyally Loyed and Revered.

There is no possession of a country which is more deeply revered, more consistently loved or more loyally supported than its national flag. In our country is this especially true, for in that one emblem are embodied all the principles which our forefathers upheld, all the benefits of a century and a quarter of enlightened progress and all the hope and assurance of a promis-

ing future. The stripes of alternate red and white proclaim the original union of thirteen states to maintain the Declaration of Independence. Its stars, white on a field of blue, proclaim that union of states constituting our national constellation which receives a new star with every state. Thus the stars and stripes signify union and "in union there is strength.'

The very colors have a significance. White stands for purity, red for valor and blue for justice, together forming a combination which it is our inherited privilege to honor and uphold.

It is not the flag of a king or an emperor or a president. It is the flag of the people, brought into being by their will, defended when necessary by their patriotism and to which they turn for protection in time of danger. No matter into what parties our people may be divided, due to political beliefs and leanings, they all stand united under one flag. It is the emblem of under one mag. It is the unity, safety and faith.—St. Nicholas

Word Fashions.

The history of the word asparagus shows how, even in the days of dictionaries, word fashions change. In the eighteenth century, even in elegant usage, the delicacy was regularly called "sparrow grass." A dictionary of 1791 says that "sparrow grass" is now so general that "asparagus" has an air of stiffness and pedantry. "Sperage" had been the usual English form in the sixteenth century, but in the seventeenth herbalists brought back the original Greek and Latin spelling "asparagus." Pepys varies between "sparrow grass," "sparagus" and "sparague." No doubt the eighteenth century relapse was the last, and the "a" is back for good now.

Hogs and Storms.

Hogs are always more restless than usual on the approach of bad weather, and when these animals run to and fro with mouthfuls of straw, leaves or branches the indication is for very foul weather. In their native state pigs probably made their own beds, and when bad weather was coming perhaps gathered a larger supply of straw or leaves than usual to serve ag a protection against the rain.

Fireworks.

Fireworks originated in the thirteenth century, along with the evolution of powder and cannon. They were first employed by the Florentines. and later the use of fireworks became popular in Rome at the creation of the popes. The first fireworks, which resemble those which we see nowadays. were manufactured by Torre, an Italian artist, and displayed in Paris in

Consolation.

"So you are still unmarried," said the

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "And when I see the disappointments of the girls who are married I begin to believe there is, after all, something in this doctrine of the survival of the fittest."-Washington Star.

Experience.

Mother-Now, Tommy, you know what happens to little boys who are naughty. Tommy-Yes, I know. Their papas give 'em a licking, and then their mammas pet 'em and kiss 'em and give 'em nice things to eat.—New York

The Millionniress. He-Do you think you could live on

love alone? She-I'd like to try it awhile. I've never had anything but money and flattery. - Detroit Free

Written for the Chronicle.

The old man was accosted by the boy the other morning and the latter made the request that he might be permitted to attend the circus.

"So you want to go to the circus do you ?" said the old man as he eyed the boy rather steadily, in a manner which caused the scion of the family to entertain some misgivings as to the parental permission. "Well, I suppose all boys are alike and I have noticed that there is an attraction in the circus for all of them. It had an attraction for me when I was a boy, and I don't believe I am man enough yet to have thoroughly outgrown it I still go to the tented show once in a while, and I don't make the old excuse which has been used so much that it has become frayed at the edges, that I go to take the children, but I am frank enough to admit that I go because I like to, and I am very much afraid that I will never grow old enough to overcome the circus habit. Of course, under those circumstances. I cannot consistently refuse my permission for you to go.

"I suppose I ought to read you a long lecture on the iniquities of the circus, and how it has a demoralizing effect upon the young and then sternly forbid your going, and finally sneak off

Mother's Ear A WORD IN MOTHER'S EAR! WHEN NURSING AN INFANT, AND IN THE MONTHS THAT COME BEFORE THAT SCOTT'S EMULSION CUPPLIES THE EXTRA STRENGTH AND HOURIGHMENT SO NECESSARY FOR THE MEALTH OF BOTH MOTHER AND Send for free sample SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

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by myself and attend the circus, leaving you at home, endeavoring to quiet my conscience as to my duplicity | Editor Chronicle: with the argument that I, being old

grow up to be a fair kind of a citizen.

"I don't know whether it is the big tents, the music, the spotted horses, the clown, the performers, the elephants, or all combined that attracts. but I do know that the circus has an hard for him to resist. Although circuses are all very much the same, people like to attend them just as they did years ago, and applaud the performers and laugh at the gray-haired jokes of the clown as heartily as they ever did; and so, young man, you have my full and free permission to make one of the crowd of foolish people who attend the 'great show,' and I very much fear your old dad will be

one of the foolish ones himself." At this point the boy intimated that t took money to attend circuses and that he was a little large to crawl under the tent now-a-days, and it was entirely beneath his dignity to carry water for the elephant to obtain free

dmission. "Oh, yes, I had nearly forgotten hat," said the old man, as he handed the boy a dollar, "but I wish to warn yon not to be too generous with peaouts for the monkeys, don't make yourself sick drinking red lemonade and, above all, don't feed the elephant any tobacco, as it sometimes has a disastrous effect upon the person doing the feeding. Elephants have more sense in regard to the use of tobacco than a good many men. Go and have ı good time "

The boy departed whistling merrily, while the old man congratulated himself on having made somebody happy.

Half the World Wonders.

how the other half lives. Those who use Bucklen's Arnica Salve never wonder if it will cure cuts, wounds, burns, sores and all skin eruptions; they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1130 E. Reyno'ds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of housekeep-Guaranteed by L.I. Wood & Co., druggists. 25c.

THINGS UNSEEN.

things, and then squeezed his waist knew more accurately what they pond by themselves. He gave them man do anything so foolish?"

"I never did," admitted Miss Cos- find fault. tique. "And I never saw a woman who went by; nor whooping it up for ager, of being dishonest. reform on election day and voting with the ward heelers and bums: nor spending a dollar for cigars for the girls and then growling because husband spent 30 cents for a pair of bargain counter shoes for the baby; nor bunching around a sloppy table in a back room and singing 'Soldier's Farewell' in maudlin tones; nor going Dr. McDonald has for many years made a study of Chronic and Lingering Diseases. His extensive practice and superior knowledge enables him supper ready; nor spitting out a big chew of fine cut before pressing her came almost immediately and in a snort time a permanent cure resulted." No other medicine compares with it as a sure and quick cure for coughs and colds. It cares after all other remedies have failed. home smelling like a combined diswages for booze when the family at

slamming the door viciously behind

'And I wasn't even started." complained Miss Costique in a sorrowful

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COMMUNICATION.

If you can beat this egg production and case hardened, the effects of the let me hear from you. I have twentyshow upon me would not be so disas- six hens and the four months just endtrous as to a younger person. I ed they have layed 187 dozen and 5 have known such things to have been eggs. They ate \$6 worth of feed done, but I am afraid such action on Now call the hens worth fifty cents my part would have a more demoral- each; then hens and feed would cost izing effect upon you, when you found \$19. The eggs at 14½ cents per dozen one occasion when reproving his son it out, than if you attended the cir- would bring \$27.17. You can see cus. If you do nothing worse than there is a profit of \$8.17 after paying attend a circus, you will probably for hens and feed. Yet some will tell you.their hens don't pay but if they don't 'tis because they haven't had proper care. Again, many people will tell you their cows don't pay and they will find all kinds of fault with the creamery and its managers when often influence upon the boy that is very the whole fault is in themselves because they do not give their cows proper care. To get the best results from cows, they should be milked at regular hours and have proper feed and water.

Again, many farmers don't weigh their milk or cream, and then if they don't get good returns, the blame is layed to the managers of the creamery when the patron doesn't really know what he should have for his returns. If he would weigh his milk or cream he would be much better satisfied. Certainly I believe the farmers as a body are a hard class of people to suit toinette, and so great was the esteem anyhow and 'tis no wonder when we think how many times they are beaten by business men or sharpers. Some of those smooth fellows will call on the farmers calling themselves the farmer's friend and praying the farm- | Magazine. er to just put his autograph to this little contract and many farmers have done so in good faith and got into trouble. Then I say 'tis no wonder the farmers are suspicious of the busyou they call it business.

They put me in mind of the Wall street brokers who are said to go around all day with their hands in their pockets trying to cheat each other and they call it business. For A Marine Butcher That Kills For the my part I can say that I am fairly well satisfied from the usage I get from the creamery, I weigh my milk and when pay day comes I find the into a school of minnows and eat and weighmaster has given me a few more pounds of milk than I gave myself. into his capacious insides, then go off I get a pound of butter from about 27 by himself, throw up what he had pounds of milk and my cows are not eaten and begin over again, after which very good. I mean they do not give he would keep on killing the poor invery rich milk, my test being less than four. I have two ordinary cows, two bass will attack minute water life heifers and one farrow cow-five in which flourishes on water plants and all-and when all expenses are paid I get away with every one in sight, usually get \$16 for 26 days' milk. Of adopting the same method as their eld-The cynical old bachelor and the course, I may not be getting just ers. To illustrate the extent of the pert young maiden had been having a whrt belongs to me, but when tis cannibalism of the black bass here is better than we can do at home, and it the experience of a superintendent of "Did you ever see a man who paint- certainly saves the housewife a heap ed his cheeks, twisted his hair up into of hard work, I don't think we aught impossible shapes, perched on his to find quite so much fault, and I do head a hat made of feathers and think if the patrons of the creamery inch long and placed them in a fry up like a wasp? Did you ever see a aught to have in lieu of guessing at it food six times a day, and, according to that they would not be so ready to

hanging over a bar until midnight the factory two or three times and 1st of July, and on Oct. 1, when getting 'rested' after a hard day's have asked Mr. Chase and his assist they were taken out, there were only work; nor tilting her hat back on her ant some questions and have always 11,000, and the record showed that less head and wiping her mouth on a dirty found them very corteous and willing than 200 died from sickness. It is reatowel hung on the end of a bar; nor to answer, and I am far from accusing standing on the corner ogling the men those gentlemen, including the man-

Yours truly, S. B. Brown.

County Assessor Waylaid.

J. W. Coulter of Leslie, S. D., assessor of Stanley county, relates the following: and on account of the great merit and "I waylaid by a complication of throat popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar "I waylaid by a complication or throat and lung troubles, bronchitis, asthma and a terrible cough, which had affected me for years, when I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. Relief came almost immediately and in a short time a permanent cure resulted." No take modicing compares with it as a sure other medicine compares with it as a sure ren and delicate persons. All druggists Every bottle guaranteed at L. I. Wood. & Co.'s drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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GUIMARD, THE SPIDER.

The Great Dancer of the Great Days of the Ballet.

The elder Vestris, who flourished in the middle of the eighteenth century, called himself the "god of dancing" and declared in all sincerity and without rebuke that his century had produced but three supreme men-himself, Frederick the Great and Voltaire. On Augustus for refusing to dance before the king of Sweden at the request of the king of France he said that he would not tolerate any misunderstanding between the houses of Vestris and Bourbon, which had lived hitherto upon the most friendly terms.

Madeleine Guimard made her debut when she was thirteen years of age and for nearly thirty years kept all Paris worshiping at her feet. This was a success of art and not of beauty. for Guimard was so aggressively thin that she was known as "the spider." She discovered the great painter David. who helped Fragonard to adorn her house with frescoes. Indeed, Fragonard, for whose paintings today fabulous sums have been paid, lost his commission because he dared to fall in love with his patron. Guimard had a theater in her own house, and her entertainments there were deemed extravagant in an age of luxury. Paris could not spare her to London until she was past her fortieth year. She was a sort of boudoir adviser to Marie Anin which she was held that one of the most distinguished sculptors of the day molded her foot, and when her arm was broken in a stage accident a mass for her speedy recovery was cele brated at Notre Dame - Macmillan's

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THE BLACK BASS.

Pleasure of Slaughter.

The bass is like a roaring lion going about seeking whom he may devour. I have seen a good sized specimen get stuff until he could not get any more nocent minnows, apparently for the mere pleasure of killing. Very young one of the fish hatcheries in Pennsyl vania:

"The superintendent made an actual count of 20,000 young bass about an his statement, each fish ate on an average three times its own weight of the I might say that I have called at They were placed in a pond on the prepared food every twenty-four hours. sonable to suppose, therefore, that in addition to the food given them by the superintendent there were about 9,000 bass devoured by their stronger and more fortunate companions."-W. E. Meehan in Field and Stream.

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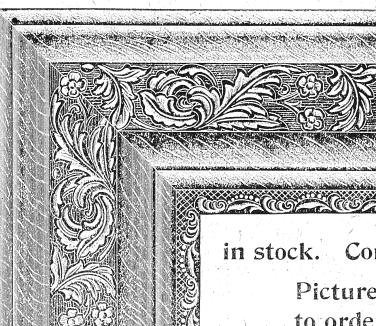
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KINGSTON. J. B. Curtis is in very poor health. Miss Kleinsmidth returned here last

Friday. Wesley Baker of Clifford was a caller

in town Friday. Mr. Stopher visited his daughter at

Clifford Monday. Mrs. Wm. Curtis of Pontiac visited friends here Sunday.

Phil Reddon of Fairgrove is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. John Roy and sons returned home from Deford Tuesday.

J. Hartsell is harvesting his wheat crop near Bad Axe this week.

Arthur and Ruth Wilkinson went

to Pontiac Tuesday evening.

Dr. Jesse King left last Thursday

for his home in La Junta, Col. Miss Margaret Constable returned

to her home in Detroit Eriday.

Miss Ina Sherk of Ann Arbor was the guest of Jesse Curtis last week! Will Dusenbury, Percy Legg and N.

Tapson spent Sunday at Shay's Lake. Orva Moyer returned home Monday from visiting friends at Imlay City.

Mistresses Corley, Hopps and Hord made a trip to Clifford Friday evening. Mrs. Harlan King is entertaining her mother and brother from Union-

Mr. and Mrs. Karr and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weldon visited at J. Cargill's

Mrs. Alvin Widger of Grayling is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Annin.

Miss Winnifred Johnson of Pontiac is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Milo

Mrs. Corbeille and daughter of Detroit are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kunze'.

Mrs. Best was called to Kings Mills Friday by the serious illness of her niece, Lena Best.

Miss Madge Stewart left Friday morning to visit friends at Mt. Pleasant and Laingsburg. Rev. Wallace and Dr. Bates made a

trip to Orion Thursday in the former's auto, returning, Friday. Miss Margaret Hartsell drove to

Bad Axe Sunday and was accompanied home by her sister, Martha.

The Epworth League held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Everett Tuesday evening. H. P. Randall transacted business

in Detroit last week and visited friends at Wayne and Big Beaver.

Miss Gertie Curtis of Snover visited friends here Saturday and Floyd Hopps and Jesse Curtis and Miss Ina Sherk accompanied her home Sunday.

Mrs. I. S. Berman and sons and J. Beckman went in company with friends who have been visiting them to Bay City Monday.

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Mr. Robert O. Burke, Elnora, N. 7.: writes: "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night, and I was bloated all up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had it or not. given up hope of living when a friend ecommended Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50 cent bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone as well as all other symptoms of Bright's disease." All druggists in

HAY CREEK.

Miss Ursel Vader of Cass City is visiting Miss Carrie Brown at present.

Mrs. N. W. Bradley of Laing called

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pringle and family. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nicol are en-

tertaining their daughter, Sylvia, and husband at present.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bullis, who has been very poorly the past week is improving nicely.

Geo. Bartle of Wickware took charge of the services in the F. M. church sick list. Sunday morning and Ed Willerton of Argyle in the evening.

Mrs. John Riddle and family, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis, for the past six weeks, returned to their home in Ontario Monday morning.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. Hall is visiting in Saginaw. Joe Brown raised his barn last Sat-

Mrs. Dan Leslie is numbered with the sick.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Waite are the

happy parents of a son. Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Truesdell are

spending the week at Lake Orion.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Auslander are spending this week at their old home

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Waite of Sandusky visited their children here last

Mrs. O. W. Nique entertained a party of young lady friends from Cass City last Friday.

Rev. John Willerton will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday morning; Epworth League in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Meredith, Mrs. A. E.

Phillips and A. McGregory attended the funeral of Mr. Hawksworth at Cumber last Thursday. Mrs. Fisher, living northeast of Shabbona, had a serious fall Saturday

evening. Dr. Truesdell was summoned who found several ribs fractured. While painting a barn for O. Athins.

the scaffolding fell with Lee Raymond and James Groombridge. They were hurried to Dr. Truesdell's office where they were attended to: Lee has a dislocated ankle and James a broken arm. In view of the fact that they fell eighteen feet the doctor considers that they came off quite lucky.

CUMBER.

Mrs. Jos. Schlestel is very ill at this

Geo. Mulloy is working In Thompson, Nebraska.

L. D. Mills was in Pt. Huron recently on business. Quite a large acreage of hay is still

uncut in this vicinity. Agnes Bonser had the misfotune to

cut her hand very badly. Ed McMahon has been engaged to

teach the Chambers school at Pingree. Oats suffered a good deal by the heavy wind and rain Sunday, many fields being flat.

James McMahon, who has been ill for some time, is now able to walk a little with the aid of a cane.

Nettie Johnson has been engaged to teach the Wheeler school, seven miles south of here, for the coming term.

Miss Nora Burden has been re-engaged to teach the Cumber school the coming year. The officers were wise in their choice as Miss Burden gave universal satisfaction the last term.

M. Franzel, living two miles south of Freiburger, had a thumb bitten off and one wrist badly lacerated last week by a vicious horse. Drs. Corcoran and McNaughton dressed the

Mathew Hawksworth, whose death had been expected, passed away on inefficiency dismayed her. Tuesday morning of last week. The funeral was held at the home and the interment made in the cemetery two miles north of here.

As there are a few bad pieces of road the R. F. D. carrier requests the patrons to see that they are properly repaired before fall. The roads have been neglected and the postoffice department demands good roads. The carrier has a long trip to make and if the roads are impassible consequences will follow. Please take notice.

DEFORD, R. F. D. No. 3. David Adam's baby has been sick for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher were at Cass City Saturday.

weather for a few days.

Bert King has gone to Dakota to see the country and whether he likes

Millington last Friday night where he has been working for some time. "

The Chonicle should have said that August 9 would be the 49th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Amzy Clay's married life instead of the 45th as stated last week.

She Tried Five Doctors.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales of Missouri Valon old friends in this neighborhood ley, Ia, writes: "I have been afflicted Monday. with kidney trouble five years; had se-Miss Julia McCool of Sandily spent unday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. enced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and then concluded to try Foley's Kidney Curs. After taking three \$1.00 bottles I was completely cured." All druggists in Cass City.

WICKWARE.

Mrs. A. Murray is on the sick list. Mrs. Wm. Fisher has been on the

Mrs. C. S. Sackett made a trip to Cass City Friday.

Dr. Treadgold of Cass City passed

through town Friday. Mrs. J. McPhail made a business

trip to Shabbona last week. Miss Alice Bartle of Shabbona visit-

ed Mrs. Geo. Bartle Thursday.

Mrs. A. Oliver of Cass City spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs. M. Keyser.

Doctors Said He Would Not Live.

Peter Fry, Woodruf, Pa., writes, "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still get-ting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had bet-ter attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month as there was no cure for me. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me by a friend and immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entirely well. druggists in Cass City.

A DINNER **DECEPTION**

By Kate M. Cleary Copyright, 1905, by G. T. Visknishki

The telegram dropped from the hand

of Isola Ray. "Now, what do you think of that, Funny?" she asked.

Funny, a big, tortoise shell cat, signified her sympathy by putting her purring head against the amber satin slipper of her young mistress. The latter picked up the yellow slip of paper and read it over.

"Will bring Edward Carden up to dinner this evening. Carte blanche in all things, of course, but do the best you can, dear girl."

Now, Isola Ray, but lately returned from college to make home for and with a wealthy bachelor brother, was ignorant of household lore and quite Wm, Starr of Argyle is cutting hay preposterously pretty. Thus suddenly confronted by an emergency under sin-



THE DINNER IN THE COZY DINING ROOM

gularly exasperating domestic circumstances, the consciousness of her own

"Funny" (she crumbled the yellow slip into a ball and aimed it at the wastebasket), "let us consider what we had better do."

Funny, not at all averse to being cuddled in lace draped, faintly fragant arms, promptly lost herself in somno-

"If only Delia had not gone to the funeral of that grandchild that expires with periodical regularity every three weeks!" Oblivious of the indifference of her auditor, Miss Ray kept murmuring on. "And-if Ellen Jane were not in bed with a jumping toothachewe might pull through, Funny. Dear, dear! All the years I was learning Latin, why could I not have learned how to cook something except fudges? Gracious! Who's that?" Funny was We have had very nice summer promptly and peremptorily dispos-

Miss Ray hurried in response to the brisk knock at the back door. "It's never you, my dear!" cried Isola Ray. She had flung open the door and was Thos. Harvey returned home from gathering a little sweet faced, apple cheeked countrified woman into the joyful embrace of her loving young arms. "I'd be glad to see you any time. Aunt Elvira, but just now-well, just now your coming seems providential!"

Aunt Elvira returned cordially the caress of the gracious arms and lips. "Now, how does that happen, honey?" she asked.

She had entered the kitchen-all shining tiles, enamel and blue and white kitchen ware. She put her old brown, cracked, bulging bag down by the sink and with one dexterous twist had divested herself of bonnet and

"Oh, Delia-that's the cook-has gone to one of her periodical funerals. Her relatives are legion, and every few weeks one of them dies. And the other maid has toothache. And Victor telegraphed he was bringing his best friend—who has not before visited this city-up to dinner tonight. You know how my brother detests any cooking except what is done at home. Andbeyond fudges or a good salad-I don't know how to make a thing!"

"Don't you worry. Just you do what old Aunt Elviry tells you." The small woman had fished a fresh apron, a pencil and the back of an envelope out

of her bag. "You get the things I write downnever mind the spelling-sent in quick, dear. Then go and get some flowers, show me where the linen and silver are kept and put on the prettiest dress you've got to your back. Sure! Go on, now! Didn't I have you all the time your mother-bless your dear heart-was in the north? And 'tis even prettier than she was-vou are. And they called her the beauty of her

"Oh, you lovable old flatterer!" cried the girl. Then she kissed again the little red, wrinkled face and fled to the telephone.

She slipped on a discreet and enveloping cloak of dark blue silk and went All home she looked down upon the sheaf of long stemmed, dark red roses lying

against ner arm and the fanciful lines of Bessie Chandler recurred to her:

Oh, the fate of a man is past discerning! Little did Jacqueminot suppose At Austerlitz, or at Moscow's burning, His fame would rest in the heart of a

The dinner in the cozy dining room. aglow with the softly tinted lights from Etruscan electroliers, went off delightfully. Victor Ray beamed his approval. He had not imagined that this beloved young sister of his could attend so satisfactorily to things, especially with one maid ill and the other a dere lict. And Edward Carden, brown, rugged, keen of glance - a man whose name was known for scholarship and brilliance on two continents-appeared to find in his girlish hostess much grace and charm.

And Isola Ray was charmed by this stalwart friend of her brother's. He had seen so much of the world. He had seen so many much frequentedand little frequented places. Without arrogance or ostentation, he talked about his travels. She, in the softness of black lawns

and laces, her hair shining like bur-

nished gold and her sea blue eyes

sparkling, listened to the tales told as

perchance Desdemona listened-long She was recalled to herself quickly by the action of the Japanese lad who had been hired to wait on the table. He had given a slight start and was staring at the door through which he had just come. Isola turned hastily and glanced in that direction also. A little red, eager countenance was visible. Anxious to see that her carefully prepared dinner was being properly served, Mrs. Devlin was peering in at the door. But Edward Carden had

also caught sight of her. "Aunt Elvira!" he cried, and sprang to his feet. "Why-Aunt Elvira!"

Then he was across the room and had her by the shoulders and was cordially shaking her. She was laughing like a child with pleasure.

"I didn't know it was you was coming, sonsie. I never knowed it was

"I did not know you were acquainted with Mr. Carden!" cried Isola in

amazement "I minded him when he was little,

honey-same as I did you." "Tell him," laughed the girl, "that you cooked this dinner! I could no more do so than I could fly to Mars. If you had not come to my rescue"-She made an expressive little gesture

of despair. Victor's gay voice rang out. "It was a rattling good dinner, all right! Supposing we finish it?"

And when he had gone upstairs to reply to a telephone ring it was just a few lines of a familiar poem that brought the rosy tide back to a girl's delicate face.

"I rather agree with Mrs. Browning," declared Edward Carden. And he quoted softly:

"A housemaid or cook One may hire with but little to pay, But a woman's heart and a woman's life.

Are not to be won that way."

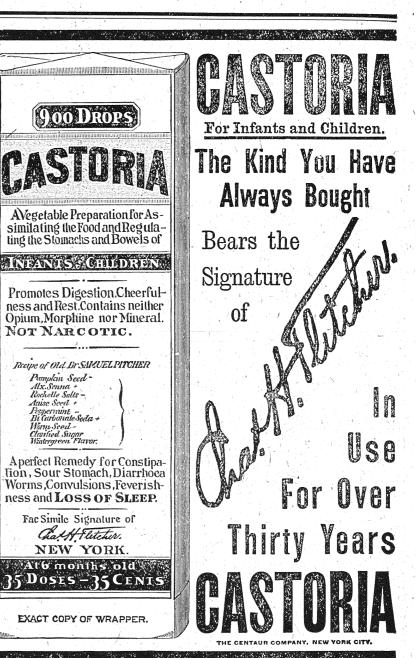
Elvira heard-through the pantry window. She wiped her kind old eyes on her apron. "God bless 'em!" she said, while Funny purred acquiescence over her saucer of milk.

Going to Sleep.

"If you have never done so, watch yourself go to sleep," said a physician, and you will be amazed to see how tense your position is. Your knees are drawn and bended, your back is curved, the arms are held more or less tightly to the body and the fingers are The eyelids are held shut, allowed to droop over the eyes, the neck is strained and the head seems to touch the pillow only at the temples. The points of contact with the bed are really at the temples, shoulders, hips, knees and ankles. Now look at a child sleeping. Every muscle is relaxed, every joint is inert and prone on the couch; his little frame finds rest at every point. The features are undone, so to speak, the nose widens, the mouth droops, the eyelids close easily, and with every line of expression obliterated he finds utter and complete repose. The abandon makes him fall out of bed sometimes, such an inert body has he become. You may imitate him even to that degree, if necessary. Begin at your toes to relax, loosen all your joints and muscles, unbend your fingers, shake your wrists loose, take the curve and strain out of your neck, go all in pieces, in fact, and see how the day's fatigue seems to slip off from you, and the gentle mantle of rest and oblivion to infold you like a garment.'

Illustrating the Text.

In his book on India, "The Highroad of Empire," Mr. Murray enlivens a description of the carts of that country with a story of a fellow Englishman who had traveled in the east. He was a Kentish squire who was interested in giving his tenants an intelligent idea of what he had seen abroad. He had made a journey in Palestine and, being an admirable draftsman, had brought home a number of excellent sketches. One winter evening after his return the squire gave a lecture to his village and showed a number of his drawings. Among them was a cart very similar to that which I drew at Jodhpur. The squire explained to his audience that it was a type of the most primitive conveyances known and that it had existed in precisely this same form in Palestine from the earliest times-indeed, that it was probably a cart or wagon of this description that Joseph had sent down from Egypt to bring his father and his household goods from Canaan. Afterward an old farmer came up and expressed his great interest in what he had heard, adding that there was one thing above all others which had interested him, and that was the cart, "for now," he said, "I understand why Joseph said to off to buy her flowers. And coming his brethren, 'See that ye fall not out by the way.'



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Albion Recorder.

Miss Ellen Koons was given in marriage to Carlton Lee Jacobs, at the bride's home in East Cass street.

The marriage service was read by Rev. Frank Day, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this together, stirring it carefully at the White's article which speaks of the

The bride and groom were unattended except by Miriam Fritz of Cass City, a winsome little miss who carried the ring in a pink rose. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white chiffon cloth, and carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas.

The wedding supper was served by six of the bride's teacher friends from the public schools of the city, with which she has been connected for the past seven years.

The many beautiful gifts bear testimony to the high esteem in which the bridal couple are held by their large circle of friends. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs are very popular and estimable young people, and when year should prepare himself at once to are reddened as are the lids; they they left last evening for Colorado, where their honeymoon will be spent, the best wishes of a host of friends went with them. They will be at home to their many friends after September 1st, in this city, where Mr. Jacobs is engaged in the forcing-house

The guests from out of the city were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Koons, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Gregory, and ville, \$290. Miss Helen Gregory, of Stockbridge; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jacobs, of Kenosha, Wis.; Mrs. Amanda Fritz, of 1, blk 4, Colbrook, \$22.50. Lightstreet, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Glenn and Miss Mabel Bliss, of Detroit; Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Fritz and Miss Miriam Fritz, of Cass City; Mrs. Albert H. Whittaker, of Marshall; City, \$60. Grant Fritz, of Jackson; Mrs. Jennie McNeal and Misses Jennie and Etta Howell, of Lansing; Miss Flora Kempf of Chelsea; and Miss Emily Robinson, of Mason.

POTATO BLIGHT AND ROT.

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as it cannot be foretold, and as the applications to be effectual must be made before the blight has appeared, it will be worth while therefore to spray once or twice during the first half of August, and then continue the spraying, if the weather is favorable for blight and especially if it has appeared in unsprayed field.

As a rule from three to five applications will suffice, but if the weather continues wet and muggy during the months of August and September, six or seven applications will be well repaid upon late planted potatoes If one is well equipped for spraying, the expense for labor and material will not be more than eighty cents per acre to Cass City, \$1400. for each application, or from \$2.50 to \$3.00 for the season, in average years, and this might suffice so save the crop | 34, Akron, \$750. as without the spraying it might be lost entirely.

cart or wagon, to be worked by the \$1000. driver, will be fairly economical but to use a special power spraying outfit. | second add to Mayville \$1. Most of these take their power from the wheels or axle. With either kind of outfit there should be a gas-pipe at the rear long enough to cover four or five rows, and attached to the pump claimed letters in the Cass City postby means of a hose. Just over each row there should be a double Vermorel nozzle, with which a fine spray can be produced that will entirely cover the plants.

Use four pounds of blue vitrol and six pounds of lime for fifty gallons of the mixture. To prepare it take as No bonus or commission required of much blue vitrol as will be needed, the borrower. The Exchange Bank, dog from 10 to 90 days. say twenty-five pounds, and after Cass City, Mich.

placing it in a barrel that is half full of water, where it will dissolve in a few hours. Also slake as much lime Last evening witnessed one of the as will be required, so as to form a take a proportionate part of the same time.

cover the plants, and if dashing rains animal. He says: wash it off it will be well to repeat the application within a day or two,

keep off the blight. harm in poorly drained soils, and upon neavy clay more than upon sandy soils. Under the most favorable conditions it is liable to do donsiderable harm this year in sections where the disease appeared in 1905, and every potato grower whose potatoes rotted last spray this year.

L. R. TAFT, Horticulturist.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Wiliiam J. Campbell to Roderick McDonald. n h of lots 7 and 8, Seed's add to Cass City, \$1000.

Hiram Cobine and wf to Daniel P. Helmich, pt of n h of sec 7. Union-

Bedore, Jr., lot 4, blk 1 and pt of lot

Frank North to John Dennis, lt 10, blk 21, North's add to Vassar, \$190.

Katherine Livingstone to George P. bars in his endeavor to get free. Dodge, lot 3, blk 8, Pinney's add to Cass City, \$60.

iwichaeh of lot 6. blk 6, Turner's way to do so. Contrary to what is add to Mayville, \$300.

Goniwicha, lt 5, blk 6, Turner's add to will plunge into streams and make Mayville, \$60.

pt of lt 3, blk 7, Cass City, \$30.

William D. Purcell and wf to Mary dered impossible. E. Johnson, pt of blk 20, Vassar, \$1. and wf, pt of blk 20, Vassar \$1.

Gilford, \$1225.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following is the list of un-should be destroyed. office for the week ending July 21:

Mr. George Cook Frank Courtright

Mr. J. R. Gay Mr. Arthur Elmer Graham. H. S. Wickware, P. M.

\$\$10,000.00 to loan on real estate.

Here is Something for Cheese Factory Customers

to figure out or think about if they are keeping cows for the MONEY THERE IS IN IT.

On Wednesday, July 25, we weighed in 2,128 lbs. of milk from The Pasteur treatment offers now the is not only a great time-saver, but it various customers. From that we separated 253 lbs. of cream. The test on the milk after being mixed was 3.9. The test on the cream was 33. You will see by these figures that it takes 841 lbs. measure, for if the symptoms once set average milk to make 100 lbs. cream testing 33, or in other words in, or the treatment is delayed too search through the libraries of the 841 lbs. average milk is good for 33 lbs. butter fat.

Cheese factory price is 65c per cwt. net.

841 lbs. milk @ 65c......\$5.46 Creamery price—33 lbs. butter fat @ 20½ \$6.76 Less 2c lb. for making\$.66 Less 25c for hauling 100 lbs. cream .25 80 per cent. skim milk returned @ 20c cwt..... 1.34

Total net difference in favor of creamery..... 1.73 Here is your loss per cow for six months, allowing that she will milk 10 quarts twice a day. 20 qts. for 180 days, or 3,600 qts.,

or 900 gallons, or 7,200 lbs. (8 lbs. to the gal.) 7,200 divided by 841 equals 81/2 times 39c equals \$3.31

cash gain per cow. 8½ times \$1.73 equals \$14.70, the gain if taking account of skimmed milk. \$3.31 times 10 cows equals...... \$ 33.10

THINK OF IT. These are facts you cannot dispute.

CASS CITY CREAMERY CO. By O. K. Janes, Mgr.

SIGNS OF RABIES SHOWN BY DOGS.

In the Breeders' Gazette of June 27 appears an article on rabies by Prof. prettiest events of the season when thick paste. When ready to spray C. A. White, professor of canine path, blue vitrol solution and the lime as erinary College. As this subject is of meetings will also be held. will give four pounds of the former special interest just now, and is ordiand six pounds of the latter. Dilute narily timely at this season of the each to twenty-five gallons and pour year we reproduce that part of Prof. symptoms of rabies in what is termed In making the application, have the a "mad dog" and also what to do nozzles adjusted so as to thoroughly with dogs or persons bitten by a rabid

> "The first perceptible indication manifested by the infected dog would especially if the weather is muggy, as not lead one to suppose that the most the leaves must be kept covered to dangerous disease known to man was in process of development in the Not only is the blight more trouble- favorite of the family. It consists some in wet seasons but it does most in a change in the natural deportment of the animal. The dog becomes uneasy, depressed, surly, moody, continually changing from place to place. A naturally morose dog suddenly develops an affectionate disposition, and vice versa. The slightest irritation will set a dog in a fit of rage, the eyes have a peculiar unnatural expression which to be realized must be seen. An abnormal appetite develops which may be looked upon as one of the most characteristic symptoms of the disease. Tender meats, so much relished before, are put aside for filth such as faeces, straw, coal, rags and the like, the bark becomes changed and is characteristic; the natural bark, which of course is well known to the Charles P. Hill and wife to Fardy owner, is changed to an indescribable howl. There is a tendency for the dog to wander from home and break away from its fastenings. The home dog seeks to get away, the chained Katherine Leix to Louisa Leix, pt | dog bites and tugs at his chain in his of e h of e h of sw q of sec 34, Cass endeavors to get away; if confined in a cage he bites and tugs at the iron

> "Once free he will roam here and there, sometimes covering miles of Oscar Y. Schneider and wf to Geo. country in his wanderings, attacking Dodge, pt of nw q of sec 35, Cass City, persons as well as animals, if they chance to cross his path, and if natur-Charlotte McIntyre to Charles Gon- ally a vicious dog he will go out of his usually supposed by uniformed per-Arthur Veitch and wf to Charles sons he is not afraid of water, but desperate efforts to gulp down the Eliza Henderson to James H. Hays, liquid. I have frequently seen them bury their noses in a dish of water in Emil W. Kunze and wf to Clara their cages in their vain attempt to Beverly, pt of lot 3, blk 7, Cass City, drink, which the paralytic condition of the muscles of deglutition ren-

> "The suffering animal becomes Mary E. Johnson to William Purcell | weaker and greatly emaciated, the coat staring, the plump form a mere William McKay and wf to William skeleton, the eyes dull and expression-E. Dingman, nw q of ne q of sec 6, less, the tongue in the dumb form of the disease protudes slightly from the James W. Heller and wf to Jane mouth which is open and has a fixed Schmidt, lts 1 and 2, blk 3, Ale's add appearance, the tongue is black and dry and resembles dry leather more Emmett A. Crandell to C. R. and G. than a normal tongue. Slowly the O. Mallory, pt of se q of sw q of sec animal becomes weaker, the hind legs waver from side to side, the voice benine.

"A dog bitten should at all times be

"The period of incubation is a vari- it has no equal. able one, depending, Pasteur says, not But the unique phase is the fact upon the quantity absorbed. It may college girls during their summer also depend on the character, situa- vacation, in this way helping to pay tion, number and severity of the their way through their next year in bites. The duration in man has been college. This is the only way the variously fixed at from 18 to 60 days book can be secured. The book is so

thoroughly dressing the wound. If plained. the wound is superficial, cauterization | Hon. J. C. Burrows, U. S. Senator with 25 per cent solution of creolin, literary world." which should be changed frequently. long, it will like other remedies fail. world."

"In Europe, where proper dog laws

000,000 people. erinarian, a graduate of a recognized of all times. veterinary college, at the owner's expense. If found healthy at the expiration of that period he may be returned to its owner, if not, destroyed.

DATES OF MICHIGAN FAIRS.

Below are the dates for the principal fairs to be held in southern Michigan for the season of 1906. In conology and surgery in the Chicago Vet-nection with nearly all these, race

> Michigan, State, Detroit, Aug. 30 to Sept. 7. West Michigan, Grand Rapids, Sept.

0 to 14.

Capac fair, Capac, Sept. 25 to 27. Calhoun county, Marshall, Sept. 11

Caro fair, Caro, Oct. 9 to 12. Charlevoix county, East Jordan,

Sept. 25 to 27. Clinton county, St. Johns, Sept. 18

Copper country, Houghton, Sept. 25

Croswell fair, Croswell, Sept. 25 to Flint River Valley, Burt, Sept. 25

Hillsdale county, Hillsdale, Oct. 1

Imlay City fair, Imlay City, Oct. 2

Ionia district fair, Ionia, Sept. 25

Lenawee county, Adrian, Sept. 24

Milford fair, Milford, Oct. 2 to 5. Monroe county, Dundee, Sept. 18 to

North Branch fair, North Branch, North Eastern Industrial, Flint

Sept. 25 to 28. Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac, Cass City, Oct. 2 to 5.

LONG ILLNESS ENDS.

Robert Hunter, who has been making a gallant struggle with consumption for the past three years, died at his home in Caro Saturday morning. He was born in Canada, June 6, 1872, and out of a family of ten children he was the first to die. He came to Michigan with his parents when six years old, settling in Sanilac county and fifteen years ago came to Tuscola. Nine years ago he married Miss Brown in Watrousville and five children have been born to them, four of whom are living. In 1904 he went to Texas hoping the change of climate would restore him to his former health and strength, but after a stay of three months he was no better and returned saying if he must die he wanted it to be among his own people and home surroundings. Since then he has steadily failed and been confined to his bed for the past eleven months. Funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Leeson and the burial was at Wahjamega.-Caro Advertiser.

Mr. Hunter was a brother of Mrs. J. McPhail of Wickware and well known in this vicinity.

Dictionary of Thoughts and College Girls.

Probably one of the most unique books of its kind in print today is a Robert Wilson to Mary Wilson, lt 1, comes hoarser and hoarser, breathing work entitled "Dictionary of blk "H," James Hitchcock's add to becomes painful, the eye congested Thoughts" by Tyron Edwards. It is For small areas a hand pump on a Cass City and pt of ne q Cass City, and distended, and all natural expres- a work containing about 18,000 quotasion is lost. Death ends his sufferings tions from ancient as well as modern John B. McIntyre to Charlotte Mc- in from three to seven days, but in writers, mostly prose, and the most for twenty acres or more it will pay Intyre, e h of lt 6, blk 6, Turner's extreme cases it may last eight or helpful reference book ever published for literary club women. Public speakers, lawyers, teachers, preachers carefully watched and if known to and upper grade and High School stuhave been bitten by a rabid dog it dents. As a help for after-dinner speakers and for all composition work

> upon any difference in the virus but that it is sold almost exclusively by to 24 months, and even longer; in the reasonable in price that anyone can purchase it, but whether you buy it "Should a person receive a bite from or not, it is an intellectual treat to a rabid dog, no time should be lost in examine the work and hear it ex-

> with nitrate of silver may be applied, from Michigan, says: "It is a gem, but should the wound be deep, creolin and I know I shall take occasion to (pure) should be worked into the refer to it very often. It should make opening, afterwards binding the parts for itself a most valuable place in the

> William Jennings Bryan says: "It only possible means to escape from brings within the reach of those who death, but it should always be borne possess it a collection of sentiments in mind that it is only a preventitive and wise sayings which but few could avail themselves of if compelled to

> Miss Ina C. Wisner, a student at are enforced the average of hydro- Hillsdale college, is soliciting subphobia cases is one in every 2,000,000 scriptions to "Dictionary of thoughts" inhabitants. In Chicago in 1902 there published by the F. B. Dickerson Co., were fourteen deaths in less than 2,- of Detroit, during her summer vaca-"Every dog in which an abnormal the present and the people will find inclination to bite has been observed; her a lady of affable address, businessespecially every dog that has bitten a like in her methods, courteous in her under the daily supervision of a vet- book of the thoughts of gifted authors

She Tried Five Doctors.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years; had se-No greater mistake can be made than at once killing a suspected animal sire to urinate. When riding I experithat has bitten a person. The plan proposed will relieve the mind of the benefit and then concluded to try Foley's person bitten and free the minds of the community from a protracted bottles I was completely cured." All druggists in Cass City.

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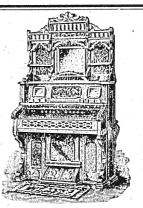
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H. L. HUNT







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human being without cause should be quarantined for a period of five weeks sentation of this valuable reference LENZNER'S FURNITURE STORE.

CUMBER.

Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown of Ubly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown.

Mr. Arthur Laing and Miss Laing were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker last Sunday.

Just now there is a great scramble Mrs. Law of Cass City, who has been visiting her mother, returned home say, "It's the early bird that gets the worm."

All the latest magazines and fashion plates for sale at Ruhl's. 3 Bicycles repaired. Sundries and supplies at C. L. Spencer's. 6-8-tf Umbrellas repaired at C. L. Spencer's.