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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich., Regular meeting called to order by President pro tem J. A. Caldwell.

Rolcall with all trustees present except Hall. Minutes of previous meeting were

read and approved. Bills and accounts were read and referred to committee on claims and

accounts as follows, viz: Cass City Grain Co., bal of

George Dodge, labor..... W. N. Straube, expense acct to 11-11-08, inc.....

W. N. Straube, salary to 12-1-08..... Elias Killins, salary to 12-1-08 Jno. Dickinson, " " 12-4-08 A. A. Brian, hauling coal..... W. F. Hayes, salary to 12-1-08 George McDonald, draying... Frank Ward, team labor.....

S. Y. Kenyon, John Scriber, Ed Geitgey, labor..... Wm. C. Dickinson, draying... L. I. Wood & Co., inv of 11-23 08..... George Stock, special police

October 31-08..... Richmond, Backus Co., inv of 12-4 08 Julius Andre Co., inv of 11-16, 11-18 and 11-18-08...... Double Service P. Co., inv of 11-28-08..... What Cheer Coal M. Co., inv

of 11-13, 11-14, 11-17, 11-20 and 11-27..... 325 17 P.O. & N. R. R. Co., freight on coal..... 108 40 Frank C. Teal Co., inv of 11-28-08......23 82 W. G. Nagel Electric Co., inv

of 12-4 08..... J. T. Wing & Co., inv of 11-25-Q8.... National Carbon Co., inv of 11-28-08.... Garden City Chan. Co., inv of 11-23-08...... 26 75

Total..... 856 76 Moved by Hallack supported by Striffler that several accounts be allowed and orders be drawn on treasurer for same. Motion carried, be accepted and placed on file. Mo-Moved by Striffler supported by tion carried. Benkelman that council adjonrn. Motion carried. M. C. Wickware, Clerk.

Regular meeting called to order by

President Hays. Roll call. All trustees present except Hall.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approveds

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08..... Handy Bros. Mining Co., inv of 12-8 08..... Frank C. Teal Co., inv of 12-1, and 12-7-08..... acct to 12-24 08, inc...... \$ 32 85 What Cheer Coal M. Co., inv of 12-4, 10-14, and 16-08..... 286 12

P. O. & N. R. R. Co., freight Morgan & Wright Co., inv of 12-8 08...... 199 92 George McDonald, freight and drayage..... 5 66 45 20 M. C. Wickware, 10 months' salary Anketell Lumber and Coal Co. bal of acct to 12-21-08.....

B. F. Benkelman, inv of 12-21-08, supplies..... A. A. Brian, hauling coal and Edna Matzen, salary 5 weeks to 12-17-08..... J. D. Tuckey, snowplowing... " 1-2 cd cedar wood

1 night as special police, October 31..... Committee reported favorable on all bills as read. Moved by Caldwell supported by Hallack that the bills be allowed as o. k'd, and orders drawn on treasurer for the several amounts.

Motion carried. Report of Supt. Straube was read for month ending Dec. 21, 1908. Re

capitulation of same as follows: Light service, Light supplies 161 34 Water service 23 25 Mill power, Oct. acct 99 72 Sidewalk tax 27 - 63E. H. Pinney, 1-4 cost of drain 5 25 Cash, sundries 8 05

661.57 Receipt for amount, \$661.57 from First Time in 57 Years for Caro Fair Treasurer Schenck was attached to said report.

Moved by Benkelman supported by for month ending December 21, '08,

Moved by Striffler supported by Nettleton that the clerk be and is cash paid for premiums amounting to hereby instructed to draw order for \$669.50. An old premium order for \$2.75 to pay taxes on gravel pit and upwards of \$50; a bill for more than Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich., dumping ground. Motion carried.

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INSTALLATION

Monday Evening.

in Charge of Installation Services.

The member of Hazel Hive, No. 199, L. O. T. M. M., gave a public installation of officers, followed by a banquet at their hall on Monday evening. The members each brought a guest, not a member of the order, making a total of about 80 in attendance.

The ceremonies of installation were presided over by Mrs. Sarah O'Brien of Lexington, a member of the Great Hive executive committee. She was assisted by Mrs. C. L. Robinson as Great Mistress-at-Arms, Mrs. G. A. Striffler as Great Chaplain, Mrs. L. Bailey as Great Sentinel, Mrs. C. E. McCue, Mrs. G. W. Goff, Mrs. S. Champion, Mrs. W. T. Schenck and Mrs. E. Carolan as Color Bearers, Mrs. Thos. Cross, Mrs. G. A. Striffler and Mrs. E. J. Usher as Banner Bearers, and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals as organist. The work was nicely exemplified, the drill of the banner and color bearers being particularly effective.

The following were the officers intalled for the ensuing year:

Commander-Mrs. H. Young, Past Commander -- Miss Margaret

Lieutenant Commander-Miss Etta Wickware.

Record Keeper-Miss Carrie Robin-Finance Keeper-Mrs. M. L. Gulick

Chaplain-Mrs. E. Brotherton. Mistress-at-Arms-Mrs. J. F. Hen

Sergeant-Mrs. Wm. Schwader. Picket-Mrs. J. D. Crosby.

After the installation ceremony the happy gathering was entertained by a speech by Mrs. O'Brien which was appreciated by all present. A banguet preciated by all present. A banquet was served by the "Yellow side" of the lodge membership assisted by the 'Red side," their help being duly appreciated by the first mentioned. The tables, four in number, were each prepared for 12 guests, and were prettily decorated with assorted carnations and ferns, the menu being as follows:

Olives Sandwiches Potato Salad Fruit Salad Coffee

Ice Cream Assorted Cakes The guests were loathe to depart

or their homes and tarried until a late hour, visiting and getting better acquainted with Mrs. O'Brien, this Met at the Home of James Allen on being her first visit to the hive. She made a very favorable impression and her knowledge of the work and laws of the work which she imparted to the Cass City Fair grve another surprise history of Hazel hive.

REBEKAHS INSTALL OFFICERS.

District Deputy President, Miss Sophia Matzen, installed the officers of Venus Rebekah Lodge last Friday evening as follows: Past Noble Grand-Mrs. Frank

Noble Grand-Miss Carrie Robinson. Vice Grand-Miss Edna Matzen.

Secretary-Miss Etta Wickware. Financial Secretary-Mrs. J. E. Seed. Treasurer-Mrs. J. D. Crosby. Warden-Mrs. M. DeLong.

Conductor-Mrs. J. F. Hendrick. Chaplain-Mrs. John Ball. Inside Guardian-Mrs. E. J. Usher. Outside Guardian-Mrs. Charles

Right Scene Supporter-Mrs. H. P. Lee.

Left Scene Supporter-Miss Lottie Usher.

R. S. N. G.-Mrs. E. B. Landon. L. S. N. G.-Mrs. Wm. Schwarder. R. S. V. G.-Mrs. E. K. Wickware. L. S. V. G.-Mrs. Hugh Seed. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served and a very enjoy-

FREE FROM DEBT

able social time spent by all.

Association.

For the first time in 27 years, the Caldwell that report of Supt. Straube | Caro Farmers' Fair association is free from debt. The reports of 1908 read at the annual meeting gave the total receipts at \$3,084.11 and the total expenditures were \$2,296.24 i ncluding \$100 advanced by ex-secretary Beck-Ordinance committee reported on ton at a previous fair served to reduce milk, when you can have it delivered

President George Van Winkle was re-elected as were B. H. Smith, secre-AND BANQUET tary, and F. B. Ransford, treasurer. Directors for three years, John Miller, Watrousville; John Knight, Caro: Lady Maccabees Entertained on Joseph Foster, Fairgrove. Vice Pres- Frank Sykes Had an Unexpected idents: C. L. Wright, Caro; D. M. Drake, Fremont; Fred Worth, jr., Mrs. Sarah J. O'Brien of Lexington Denmark; Albert Hunter, Dayton; J. H. Pattison, Almer; J. J. England, Almer; Cyrus Hall, Elmwood; Noble Bliss, Columbia; W. F. Dowling, Fairgrove; John McCreedy, Fairgrove; John M. Cole, Juniata; Eli Martin. Gilford; D. Somerville, Akron; G. F. Parsell, Almer; John Curry, Wells; James Wilson, Ellington.

GAS POISONS WHOLE FAMILY

on Full Blast.

Danger Realized by Miss Mary Green Who Warned Members of Family.

Miss Mary Greer, a sister of Mrs. Leroy Hallack and for several years a resident of Cass City where she is still well known, played a prominent part in the rescue of the Pattschull family at Mason City, Iowa, from what might have proven a tragic ending of their lives. The story told in the Mason City Times-Herald reads as fol-

With the oven burner of the gas stove turned on full blast and unlighted, enough gas escaped in the kitchen of the Theodore Pattschull all of the household were in the kitchen awaiting the evening meal. Several times an odd odor in the air was noticed and it was suggested that it might be caused by gas escaped. All of the outer burners of the stove were burning and no one thought o

asphyxiated without realizing the fact. With every breath of the irrespirable gas the process of asphyxiation progressed and all might soon have been unconscious but for Miss Greer, a nurse who is caring for Mrs. Patt-

Miss Greer was in another room with her charge, and going into the kitchen, at once realized the fact that gas almost filled the room and that all the family was in danger. She at once sent them into the open air and called for a physician. All were decidedly sick from the effects of the gas, but in no case will serious results

FAIR MEN AND LADIES

Saturday.

The officers and directors of the

hive members will be lasting. The party Saturday and on this occasion evening's pleasures were among the Jas. Allen, who has been associated greatest so far for this winter in the with the society for many years, was the "victim." They spent the entire day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen and there was but one dissappointment. P. A. Koepfgen, who promised at the last gathering at the home of E. Knight to sing his original song, "The Rainy Fair and the Long-faced Officials," at the next party, flatly refused, even after the ladies implored one given comes from ex-Treasurer McDermott, who says Mr. K. expected an encore, and having but this one se- ter occurred at the electric theatre by refusing to sing.

tributed several numbers.

The following guests were present: E. A. McGeorge, T. W. Stitt. H. L. Pinney, Frank Dillman, P. A. Koepf-Turner.

Special Sale of Feed.

Split peas, \$1.25 per 100 pounds; barley, \$1.35 per 100. Cheapest feed you can buy. Cass City Grain Co. 12-18-

See Mrs. G. W. Goff for Coats. Closing them out at cost.

Saws filed -15 and 20 cents. C. O. Lenzner.

For cedar fence posts see G. A. 1-15-

Why go in storm and sleet after to your door by O. Y. Schneider?

OUT WITH REVOLVER

Visitor.

Intoxicated Man Accosted Two Ladies on the Street Monday Evening.

Frank Sykes had an unexpected visitor Monday evening. He came about eleven o'clock and so quietly that Frank was not aware of the stranger's presence until he glanced up from a book he was reading and saw him Masonic hall-No. 143. come from the kitchen into the dining room. Mr. Sykes greeted the stranger at once, asking him what he wanted. Receiving no reply, he Oven Burner of Gas Stove Turned stepped into the bedroom, grabbed his revolver from the dresser, returned to the dining room and insisted that the man make a hasty departure, which he did. The stranger wore rubbers and a gray suit and weighed about 190 pounds. He entered the house through the kitchen door which Mr. Sykes had neglected to lock ear. her in the evening.

A strange man, who was intoxicated accosted Mrs. S. Champion and Miss Mary Zinnecker when they were returning home from the Lady Maccabee banquet Monday evening. The ladies stopped on reaching the corner

of Third and Ale streets and were discussing the evening's pleasures when the stranger suddenly appeared within a short distance from them. He home at 720 South Cedar Ave, last night to poison every member of the family. It was about six o'clock and in a half a block, to rid themselves of refused to wander on and the ladies the nuisance. Shortly afterward, Mrs. Champion opened the door of her home and the man stood just outside. It was only when she called to a man in the neighboring house, Mr. Champion being away from home. that the stranger left. The description of the man given by the ladies does not tally with that of Mr. Sykes' unwelcome visitor of the same even-

THUMB NOTES.

The round-up institute of Lapeer county farmers at North Branch Jan. 25 and 26 was well attended. Mr. Bartlett of Pontiac and Mrs. Critz of Lansing were the speakers from out-

The North Branch Gazette says that a subscriber who had been taking that paper for several years without paying a cent for it, wrote in the other day saying he couldn't afford to take it any longer. He is evidently dent, Belle McDermott; secretary, going to economize by cutting out an Auna Pettit; treasurer, Irene Renshexpense he never had.

One of the very busy places in Bad Axe these days is the Clarke & Mc mittee, Lela Gemmill, Beatrice Caren Co.'s wholesale grocery office and ware house. About ten car loads of goods have been received and put in place and 30 more cars are on the over the United States.

Special meeting of the Business Men's association was held Tuesday evening. The committee on union Sunday school excursion reported and it was decided to hold the annual exhim to favor them with the selection. cursion to Tashmoo Park and Detroit gas lamps and generator, tires almost A good reason for this was not advanc- on Tuesday, Aug. 3rd, 1909. It was new. Can be taken right out and put ed by the basso profundo, and the only moved and supported to have a banquet on Feb. 24th.—Imlay City Times. A fire of a rather startling charac-

lection in his repertoire, he saved last Saturday night at about 10 himself from an embarassing position o'clock, while the concluding show was in progress, and might have Music during the afternoon was fur- proved much more serious but for the in the next few days. Parties wishnished by Allen's String Band in fact that the operating booth at the ing tile for negt spring will do well to which Jas. Allen and I. K. Reid with rear of the building wherein the blaze see us and get these tile off from cars violins and Roy Allen at the organ originated was entirely separated at reduced prices. brought out sweet melodies. Frank from the audience room. The igni-Dillman's talking machine also con- tion was caused by the picture film coming in contact with an open oil stove used for heating. Manager B. E. Knight and daughter, and the fol- | F. Cobb, who was operating the malowing gentlemen and their wives: chine, had his hands quite severely burned in his efforts to prevent the McDermott, W. J. Campbell, Edward spread of the flames. The booth was quickly capsized and the blaze extingen, I. K. Reid, Jas. Maharg, Byron guished before the fire engine arrived Bingham, J. W. Bingham and D A. at the scene. The patrons of the show were in no way endangered and dispersed from the room without thd least confusion. The fire was in no at the Cass City Roller Mills. way attributable to defects or lack of protection so far as the working apparatus was concerned and would not office. 7-10have occurred had proper precaution been taken in providing heat for the operating booth. The destruction of the films, valued at about \$125 was practically all the loss sustained further than putting the amusement place out of commission for a short time.—North Branch Gazette.

Fresh milch cows for sale. One largt red cow, high grade Shorthorn. Two high grade Jerseys. D. E. Tur- Cass City Roller Mills. We grind ner, Sec. 34. Elmwood.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Ed Schwader is ill. Mrs. P. S. McGregory is on the sick

Carl Lee, who has been very ill, is mproving slowly.

George Parker of Deford was a caller here Wednesday.

George Hopcroft spent the frist of the week in Detroit.

Jacob Hemton of Kingston was a caller in town Sunday. A city phone has been placed in the

E. W. Keating was in Detroit the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Shaw of Pigeon was the guest

of Miss Nellie Bigelow Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Hewson of Hagersville is the guest of her uncle, P. Mark.

Mrs. O. K. Janes entertained at a Potluck supper Monday evening.

Luke Welsh of Owendale called on friends and relatives here Friday.

Clement Tyo was the guest of his brother, David, at Owendale Monday. Angus and Cassie McPhail of Argyle called on friends here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Chicago are visiting at the home of J. D. Brooker.

dinner. Miss Gertrude Schooly left for North Branch Saturday after spending the past week with friends here.

Mrs. Mat Gullick entertained the

Owl Club Thursday at a one o'clock

Miss Leila Hopcroft left for Port Huron Saturday after spending a few weeks at her parental home.

Mrs. W. D. Schooly returned to her nome in Saginaw Thursday, after spending some time with friends here. Miss Violet Eno returned to her home here Friday after spending several months teaching music at Caron,

Miss Pearl Doerr has resigned her position as dining room girl at the Doerr hotel and returned to her home at Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young spent the past week with relatives in Detroit. Mrs. Young returned home Thursday and Mr. Young has gone to visit relatives at Leed, England.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp's Sunday School class met at her home and organized. elected officers and chose the name, "Sunshine Class." The members will meet once a month and aim to accomplish much good as a class. The officers and members of committees are: President, Helene Janes, vice presiler; flower committee, Belle Parker and Dora Palmateer; social com-

Notice to Maccabees.

Officers of Cass City Tent will be way from factories and jobbers all installed next Friday evening, February 5, and every member is requested to attend. Lunch will be served. G. E. Perkins, R. K.

For Sale-Cadillac Runabout,

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We have five cars Jackson vitrified Drain Tile, 3 and 4 inch. Will arrive

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Directory.

Daniel P. Deming, M. D.

Late graduate of Long Island College, New York. Physician in charge of Pleasant Home Hospital. Office hours from 10:00 to 12:00 a.m. and 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. All calls in the country will be answered either day or night. Phones at hospital and residence on Seeger Street.

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I. A. FRITZ, RESIDENT DENTIST. Office over E. Ryan's drug store. We solicit your patronage when in need of dental work.

Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. O. G. meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in Oddfellow Hall. Visiting companions always welcome. C. S. BIXBY, C. G. F. J. NASH Jr., Sec-Treas.

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He says:

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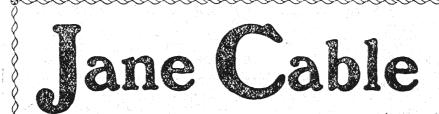
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CHAPTER XXIX.



TR. CLEGG was not long in convincing Graydon that his proposition to him was sincere and not the outgrowth of sentiment. A dozen men in

the office greeted Graydon with a warmth that had an uplifting effect. He went away with a heart lighter than he had once imagined it could ever be again. In two weeks he was to be in absolute control of the New York branch. He assured the firm that his physical condition was such that he could go to work at once if necessary.

As he hastened to the Annex misgivings again entered into his soul. The newspapers had heralded his return and had hinted broadly at romantic developments in connection with Miss Cable, "who is at the Annex with Mr. and Mrs. Cable." There were brief references to the causes which sent both of them to the Philippines, and that was all.

Without hesitation he came to the point by asking if she knew what had befallen his father. Jane had heard the news the night before. He thereupon put the whole situation before her just as it had been suggested in Droom's ironical remark. It was not until after the question had been passed upon by Mr. and Mrs. Cable that she reluctantly consented to visit Graydon's father solely for the purpose of gleaning what information she could regarding her parentage.

They left the next day with Elias Droom, depressed, nervous, dreading the hour ahead of them. Neither was in the mood to respond to the eager, excited remarks of the old clerk. The short railroad trip was one never to be forgotten; impressions were left in their lives that could not be effaced.

James Bansemer, shorn and striped, was not expecting visitors. He was surprised and angry when he was told that visitors were waiting to see him. For four weeks he had labored clumsily and sourly in the shoe factory of the great prison, a hauler and carrier. His tall figure was bent with unusual toil. his hands were sore and his heart was full of the canker of rebellion. Already in that short time his face had taken on the look of the convict. All the viciousness in his nature had gone to his face and settled there. He had the sullen, dogged, patient look of the man who has a number, but no name.

The once dignified, aggressive walk had degenerated into a slouch. He shuffled as he came to the bars where he was to meet his first visitors. He was not pleased, but he was curious. Down in his heart he found a hope that his attorney had come with good face to face with his son that he realhe felt the full force of shame, ignominy, loathing for himself.

not Graydon called out to him-called | through." out in a voice full of pain and misery. The convict's face was ashen and his dismay. His heart dropped like a chunk A look of utter despair came into his hard eyes as he slowly advanced to the

"My God, Graydon, why did you come? Why did you come here?" he Those who have had experience with this Jane and Elias Droom. His eyes droper lip from trembling nor the burning fellows in here. Don't shudder. It's tears from his eyes. His humiliation was complete.

A malevolent grin was on Droom's face. His staring blue eyes looked with a great joy upon the shamed, beaten man in the stripes. The one thing that he had longed for and cherished had come to pass. He had lived to see

even in his own eyes. "Father, I can't believe it. I can't tell you how it hurts me. I would willingly take your place if it were possible. Forgive me for deserting you," Graydon was saying incoherently when his father lifted his face suddenly, a fierce, good!" laughed Bansemer. horrified look of understanding in the eyes that flashed upon Elias Droom. Even as he clasped his son's hand in the bitterness of small joy his lips curled into a snarl of fury. Droom's eyes shifted instantly, his uneasy gaze

directing itself, as usual, above the head of its victim.

"You did this, curse you!" came from too, to gloat, to rejoice, to see how I look before my son in prison stripes!" He went on violently for a long stretch, ending with a sob of rage. "I suppose you are satisfied," he said hoarsely to

prise and distress. Droom's gaze did not swerve nor his expression change. "Father, didn't you expect me to come?" asked Graydon. "Don't you want to see me?"

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"Not here. Why should I have tried to keep you from returning to this country? God knows how I hoped and prayed that you'd not see me here. Elias Droom knew it. That's why he brought you here. Don't lie to me, Droom. I know it!"

"What could you expect?" mumbled Droom. "Down in your heart you wanted to see him. I've done you a kindness."

"For which I'll repay you some day," cried the prisoner, a steady look in his eyes. "Now go away, all of you! I'm through with you. You've seen me. The girl is satisfied. Go"-

"Nonsense, father," cried Graydon, visibly distressed by his father's anguish. "Elias said that you wanted to see us. Jane did not come out of curiosity. She is here to ask justice of you. She's not seeking vengeance."

"I'll talk to you alone," said the prisoner shortly. "Send her away. I've nothing to say to her or Droom." Jane turned and walked swiftly away, followed by Droom, who rubbed his long fingers together and tried to look sympathetic. The interview that ensued between father and son was never to be forgotten by either. Graydon heard his father's bitter story in awed silence; heard him curse deeply and vindictively; heard all this and marveled at the new and heretofore unexposed side of his nature.

There was something pathetic in the haggard face and the expressions of impotent rage. His heart softened when his father bared his shame to him and cried out against the fate which had brought them together on this day.

"It doesn't matter, father," said Graydon hoarsely. "I deserted you,



You did this, curse you!" came from the convict's livid lips.

news. It was not until he was almost done to bring you here, I'm glad I've come to see you. I don't blame Elias. ized who it was, not until then that For awhile I'm afraid I rather held out against coming. Now I am glad for my own sake. I won't desert you He started back with an involuntary now, I am going to work for a paroath and would have slunk away had don if your appeal does not go

"Don't-I won't have it!" exclaimed the other. "I'm going to stay it out. jaw hung loose with the paralysis of It will give me time to forget, so that I can be a better man. If they let me of ice; his feet were as leaden weights. out now I'd do something I'd always regret. I want to serve my time and start all over again. Don't worry about me. I won't hamper you. I'll go away-abroad, as Harbert suggested. His advice was good, after muttered. Then he caught sight of all. Understand, Graydon, I do not want parole or pardon. You must not to be punished the same as these other

> true. I'm no better than they." "I hate to think of you in this awful place," began Graydon.

"Don't think of me." "But I've seen you here, father!"

cried the son. "A pretty spectacle for a son," laughed the father bitterly. "Why did you James Bansemer utterly destroyed bring that girl here? That was cruel-

Graydon tried to convince him that Jane had not come to gloat, but to ask a favor of him.

"A favor, eh? She expects me to tell all I know about her, eh? That's

"Father, she has done you no wrong. Why are you so bitter against her? It's not right. It's not like you."

Bansemer looked steadily at him for a full minute.

"Is she going to marry you, Graydon?"

"She refuses absolutely." "Then she's better than I thought. Perhaps I'm wrong in hating her as I the convict's livid lips. "And this girl do. It's because she took you away too! Good God, you knew I would from me. Give me time, Graydon. rather have died than to meet Graydon | Some day I may tell you all I know. as I am now. You knew it, and you Don't urge me now. I can't do it now. brought him here. I hope you will rot I don't want to see her again. Don't for this, Elias Droom. She comes here, think I'm a fool about it, boy, and don't speak of it again. Give me time." "She is the gentlest woman in the

> "You love her?" "Better than my life."

world."

"Graydon, I-I hope she will change Graydon and Jane looked on in sur- her mind and become your wife."

You do? I don't understand." "That's why I'd rather she never

could know who her parents are. The shadow is invisible now. It wouldn't help matters for her if it were visible. She's better off by not knowing. Has Droom intimated that he knows?"

"He says he does not," "He lies, but at the same time he won't tell her. It's not in him to do it.

He has served me ill today. He has always hated me, but he was always true to me. He did me a vile trick when he changed the cartridges in my revolver. I discharged him for that. I told him to appear against me if he would. He was free to do so; but, curse him, he would not give me the satisfaction of knowing that he was a traitor. He knew I'd go over the road anyhow. He's been waiting for this day to come. He has finally given me the unhappiest hour in my life."

plans were for the future. In a strained, uncertain way the two talked of the suggestion that night. the young man's prospects and the advantages they promised.

"Go ahead, Graydon, and don't let gray man in stripes. the shadow of your father haunt you. Don't forget me, boy, because I love you better than all the world. These into a year, and longer. It was a long are strange words for a man who has but a profitable year for Graydon Banfallen as I have fallen, but they are semer. He had been enriched not only true. Listen to this: You will be a rich in wealth, but in the hope of ultimate man some day. I have a fortune to happiness. Not that Jane encouraged give you, my boy. They can't take my him. Far from it. She was more obdumoney from me, you know. It's all to rate than ever with an ocean between be yours, every cent of it. You see"-

now," said Graydon hastily, a shadow thinner, and his eyes were of a deeper, of repugnance in his eyes. Bansemer | more wistful gray. They were full of studied his face for a moment, and a deep red mounted to his brow.

"You mean, Graydon," he stammered, there in the west. "that you—you do not want my money? "Why should we talk about it now?"

"Because it suggests my death?" "No. no. father. I"-It's enough. You feel that my money confidence of new associates and re-

I love you. I don't love your money." these days. "Or the way I earned it. Some day,

always give in return." At the expiration of the time allotted bars for life.

to the visitor Graydon took his de-

"No!" almost shouted James Banse-

sane request. I am your son"-

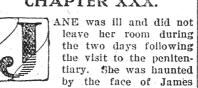
can't bear to look at you through these change in Droom himself. bars? Go! Please go! Goodby! Don't! It's only a few years." He turned away abruptly, his shoul-

sick at heart. in an outer office. The former looked Well, by Jove, my boy, I've got a dininto his eyes searchingly, tenderly.

she took his hand in hers. All the way back to Chicago Elias Droom sat and watched them from under lowered brows, wondering why it man of me, oughtn't it? What are was that he felt so much lonelier than you laughing at?" he ever had felt before-wondering, too, in a vague sort of way why he have dreamed that you'd go in for

was not able to exult, after all,





Bansemer, the convict. It was beyond her powers of imagination to recall him as the well groomed, distinguished man she once had known. Graydon was deeply distressed over the pain and humiliation he had subjected her to through Droom's unfortunate efforts.

The fact that she could not or would not see him for two days burt him more than he could express, even to himself. The day before he left for New York, however, she saw him in their parlor. She was pale and quiet. Neither mentioned the visit to the

prison. There was nothing to say. "You will be in New York next week?" he asked as he arose to leave. His spirit was sore. She again had told him that he must not hope. With a hysterical attempt to lead him on to other topics she repeated her conversations with Teresa Valesquez, urging him, with a hopeless attempt at bravado, to seek out the Spanish girl and marry her. He laughed lifelessly at the jest.

"We will leave Chicago on Monday. Father will have his business affairs arranged by that time. I would not let him resign the presidency. It would seem as if I were taking it away with him. We expect to be in Europe for six or eight months; then I am coming back to New York, where I was born, Graydon, to work."

He went away with the feeling in his heart that he was not to see her again. A single atom of determination lingered in his soul, however, and he tried to build upon it for the future. Rigby's wedding invitation had come to him that morning, almost as a mockery. He tore it to pieces, with a scowl of recollection.

Droom's effects were on the way to New York. He hung back, humbly waiting for Graydon to suggest that they should travel east on the same After a few moments he quieted train. His grim, friendless old heart down and asked Graydon what his gave a bound of pure joy, the first he had known, when the young man made

Together they traveled eastward and homeward, leaving behind them the

Jane's six months in Europe grew them. But his atom of determination "Father-I-let us not talk about it had grown to a purpose. His face was longing for the girl across the sea and of pity and yearning for the man back

He had toiled hard and well. He had won. The shadow of '99 was still over him, but the year and a new ambition had lessened its blackness. Friends were legion in the great metropolis. "You need not say it. I understand. He won his way into the hearts and was not honestly made. Well, we newed fellowship with the old. Invitawon't discuss it. I'll not offer it to tions came thickly upon him, but he resolutely turned his back upon most "It won't make any difference, dad. If them. He was not socially hungry in

Once a week he wrote to his father, my boy, you'll learn that very few but there never was a reply. He did make money by dealing squarely with not expect one, for James Bansemer, in their fellow men. It's not the cus-asking him to write, had vowed that tom. My methods were a little broad- his son should never hear from him er than common, that's all. I now again until he could speak as a free notify you that I intend to leave all I man and a chastened one. True to his have to sweet charity. I earned most promise, Graydon instituted no moveof my ill gotten wealth in New York ment to secure a pardon. He did, by a and Chicago, and I'm going to give it strong personal appeal, persuade Denis back to these cities. Charity will take Harbert to drop further prosecution. anything that is offered, but it doesn't There were enough indictments against his father to have kept him behind the

Elias Droom had rooms in Eighth avenue, not a great distance from "Graydon, ask her to think kindly of Herald square. He was quite proud of his new quarters. They had many "I'll come down again, father, be- of the unpleasant features of the old ones in Wells street, but they were less garish in their affront to an aesmer. "I won't have it! For my sake, thetic eye. The incongruous pictures Graydon, don't ever come here again, were there, and the oddly assorted Don't shame me more than you have books, but the new geraniums had a today. I'll never forget this hour, chance for life in the broader win-Stay away and you'll be doing me the dows; the cook stove was in the rear, greatest kindness in the world. Prom- and there was a venerable Chinaman in charge of it; the bedroom was kept "I can't promise that, dad. It isn't so neat and clean that Droom quite feared to upset it with his person. "My God, boy, don't you see that I But, most strange of all, was the

"I've retired from active work," he Write to me, but don't come here again, informed Graydon one day when that young man stared in astonishment at him. "What's the use, my boy, in der drawn upward as if in pain, and Elias Droom dressing like a dog of a Graydon left the place, weakened and workingman when he is a gentleman of leisure and affluence? It surprises Jane and Droom were awaiting him you to see me in an evening suit, eh? ner jacket, a Prince Albert and a silk "I'm so sorry, Graydon," she said as hat. There are four new suits of clothes hanging up in that closet," he said, adding, with a sarcastic laugh: "That ought to make a perfect gentle-

"I can't help it, Elias. Who would

good clothes!" "I used to dream about it long ago. swore if I ever got back to New York I'd dress as New Yorkers dresseven if I was a hundred years old. I've got a servant too. What d'ye think of that? He can't understand a word I say, nor can I understand him. That's why he stays on with me. He doesn't know when I'm discharging him, and I don't know when he's threatening to leave. What do you think of my rooms?"

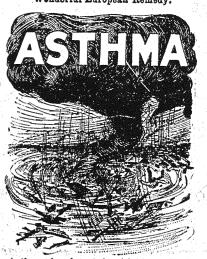
It was Graydon's first visit to the place, weeks after their return to New York. He had not felt friendly to Droom since the day at the prison, but now he was forgetting his resentment in the determination to wrest from him the names of Jane's father leave her room during and mother. He was confident, that the two days following the old man knew.

"Better than Wells street, eh? Well. you see, I was in trade then. Different now. I'm getting to be quite a fop. Do you notice that I say 'By Jove' occasionally?" He gave his raucous laugh of derision. "Dined at Sherry's the other night, old chap," he went on with raw mimicry. "They thought I was a Christian and let me in. I used

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Order of Hearing

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tus-At a session of the Probate Court for said \$2000. county, held at the probate office in the Village of Caro on the 5th day of Jaruary in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

Present. D. Healy Clark, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Lee,

In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Lee, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, daly werified, of Nolton Bigelow, executor, praying that a day be fixed for examining and allowing his final administration account and for assigning the residue thereof to the persons entitled thereto.

It is ordered that Monday, the first day of February. 1999, at 16 o'clock in the forenoon at the probate office be assigned for hearing said petition.

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

D, HEALY CLARK, Crobbate Seal), 1-8-4. Judge of Probate.

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Simple Recipe for Home-Made Rheumatism and Kidney Cure.

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism, take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at barn in the near future. bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half onnce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These barmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged- this week. up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poiscnous extended visit with friends in Bay waste matter and uric acid, which City, Standish and other places. causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and torturous disease, guests of Mrs. George Hillman last but dangerous to life, this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home, who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescription regularly, a dose or two daily, or even a few times a week, would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheu-

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> nw q of ne q sec 21 Millington \$3400. Jas Joy to Wm T Coverdale and wf pt ne q of ne q sec 16 Millington \$1. Wm T Coverdale and wf to Jas Joy pt ne q of ne q sec 16 Millington \$1.

> Mary E Newton et al to Geo D Clark pt se q of se q sec 7 Vassar \$350. Elijah H Pinney and wf to Harriet H Spencer se q of se q sec 16 Novesta

> Albert E Wice and wf to Edward A Rohlfs and wf ne q of sw q and e h of se q of sw q sec 2 Fairgrove \$2400.

Chas Goniwicha and wf to Robt Wood e h of lots 3 and 6 in blk 6 May-

Eldena Algoe to Albert Peter lot 14 Kingston \$450.

J C Purdy and wf to John H Kelly pt ne q of ne q sec 1 Unionville \$378. Delbert H Shorter to Wm Edson Shorter pt sw q of sw q sec 35 Wells

Ann Eliza Dorman to Robt L Cope nw q of sw q sec 10 Ellington \$1000. Flora Ellithorp Bussell to Ira Ellihorp lots 9 and 10 blk 3 Reese \$1000. Benj Harrison to Clay B Harrison lots 8, 9 and 10 blk 1 Tuscola \$150. Albert Peter to Geo F Duncan se q

Wm H Hammond and wf to Levi A Maynard pt sw q sec 35 Kingston

of sw q sec 11 Kingston \$400.

Chas Waite and wf to John Hamilton ne q of ne h sec 7 Fairgrove \$1800. Hannah Hanson et al to Thos Town sends hof nw q sec 3 Novesta \$2600.

Anzi Nelson to Lucy Ann Nelson lots 26, 27 blk 12 Vassar \$190. DJ Evans jr et al to Geo A Palmer

sw q of nw q sec 85 Vassar \$1225. Arthur Gerou to Edward Bishop spent Sunday at the home of her paand wf ptsh of sw h of sw h sec 17 rents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Depew.

Ellington \$400. Evelin Kennett to Kate M Merrian whof swq sec 13 Dayton \$100.

Alonzo J. Davis and wf to Chas J Becker and wf Fairgrove \$825.

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Tuscola \$2500 Christina M Schlichter et al to Chas Fremont \$100.

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iw q of ne q sec 30 Gilford \$900. Volney Parsell and wf to Fred Parsell pt sw q sec 9 Almer \$400.

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GREENLEAF.

George Hillman is reported seriously

Miss Effie McLellan is reported on the sick list.

A. Hempton is preparing to build a

Loren and Ruth Hewitt were buslness callers in Bad Axe Saturday. Hector Patterson returned to his

home in Sarnia the first of the week. Dr. and Mrs. Stocking returned to their home in Detroit the first of the

Mrs. Susan Keenoy of Detroit is visiting relatives and friends here

James Robertson left Monday for an

John McClarty of Yale and Mrs. John Willerton of Novesta were the

Dr. G. M. Livingston, who was called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. A. Livingston, returned to his home in Manistique Saturday.

It Does the Business.

Mr. E E Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen Arnica Salve. "It does the business: I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c. at L. I Wood

WILMOT.

Bad colds are numerous Lovely weather for this time of

year. Wm. Penfold spent Sunday at his home here.

E. N. Hartt is contracting for pick-

Elder Beedon, assisted by Rev.

Moore, is still holding revival services. Dr. Graves and wife and daughter, from near Carsonville, are visiting

A carload of coal to be used where DJ Evans and wf to Henry White they are dredging north and east of here, arrived last week.

Several of our neighbor men who went to the woods for the winter are expected home on account of the break up.

Mrs. Emma Jeffery of Pontiac has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Schell, and other relatives here, returned to her home Monday.

There is no case on record of a cough. cold or la grippe developing into pneu-monia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obsti-nate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. L. I. Wood & Co.

CARO.

Guy Forbes was in Flint and Lapeer Friday and Saturday on business.

The King's Daughters met with And Miss Lilah Kelly Saturday afternoon. Miss Ida McNeil of Colling is spendng this week with Mrs. Jeanette Ar-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dyer are visiting Mrs. Dyer's parents in Elmwood this

Miss Minnie Truesdell and Sherman Elliott visited friends in Cass City.on. Tuesday.

Miss Mae Stiner and E. O. Spaulding went to Cleveland Monday to buy spring goods.

The Twentieth Century club meets with Mrs Clare Purdy Monday evening of this week. Miss Maggie Stout of Silverwood

spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Depew. The ventilating system has been re-

modeled in the white schoolhouse and is much improved. Miss Mary Depew of Pleasant Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jinks returned to Marlette Tuesday, having visited a

week with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Taylor. Mrs. Ray Collier of Ohio, formerly known as Miss Clara Moreland, is visiting at the home of Miss Lilah Kel-

Capt. B. F. Knowlton, who has been Tuesday for Detroit on his way to to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

F. J. Rutherford of Juniata is visit-Schlichter e h of w h of ne q sec 27 ing his friend, Ray Stoddard, at the nome of County Treasurer and Mrs. Stoddard. Miss Ina Palmer, who has been vis-

ting several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Beekton, thas returned to ber home in Yale. Roice Harrington and Miss Rhoda

H. Woodman were united in marriage Wednesday at the Presbyterian manse by Rev. R. D. Kearns. Mrs. Ellis Kinyon returned to her

nome in Flint Wednesday after spending a month at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Ida Marsaw. Misses Lura and Ida Beach and

Mildred Fessler attended a dancing party given at the Gleaner hall at Herbert Frutchey, 33 Gagetown Thuisday evening. Miss Elizabeth Petre was married | Matthew H. Humphrey, 43

ceremony a wedding supper was served Guy Marlen Worden, 20 at the home of the bride's father, Bessie Bellamy, 2 S. J. Edmunds, David Secor, N. B.

Atwood and S. J. Daugherty were guests at a fox hunt and rabbit supper given by Mike Shay at Mayville Monday evening.

Harry Ryan, who is a fireman employed by the Michigan Central R. R.

hetween Jackson and Michigan City.

between Jackson and Michigan City, had the misfortune to injure his foot. Being unable to work, Mr. Ryan is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ryan.

BEAULEY.

A little party at F. P. Thompson's on Monday eve.

Many of our farmers are plowing this week altho tis Jan.

Floyd, McComb has hired to work for Luther Carrol the coming summer. Some are in attendance at the far-

mers Institute in Bad Axe this week.

When You Take Cold

One way is to pay no attention to it; at least not until it develops into pneumonia, or bronchitis, or pleurisy. Another way is to ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. If he says, "The best thing for colds," then take it. Do as he says, anyway.

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Donald John Thompson of the Sask. Northwest sends word home that they have a baby girl.

The L A. S of Beauley will give a supper on Washington's birthday; see

Don't forget the maple sugar social at Beauley on Friday eve; everything is planned to give you a good time. The scholars of Duncan McDonald's

Sunday School class met at his home on Wednesday eve to help him celebrate his birthday. A valentine social in the Herron

schoov house is being planned. A

bazaar and program in connection;

proceeds to improve the school furnish-

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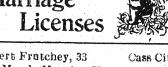
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Probate Court.

Estate of Byron Dusenbury, late of Kingston, deceased, heirs determined. Estate of Minnie Smitten, late of Kingston, deceased, final account rendered and decree entered assigning residue to heirs at law.

Estate of Chas E. Hanson, late of Cass City, deceased, final account rendered and residue assigned to heirs

Marriage



Elsie Maude Murphy, 27 ively cures chronic constipation and to John Shafer Monday. After the Mrs. Millie M. Snover, 34 Millington Vassar Jacob Schaffer, 26 Indiantields

Elizabeth Petre, 18 Every Woman Will Be Interested

A TRIPLE SURPRISE.

It Came With a Pleasant Orting In a

New Auto Car. A well known author, who for some years has been an enthusiastic admirer of the automobile, had an amusing experience, which she describes in the Bohemian. A new model always attracted her attention, she declares, and when she came out of the New York hotel where she was staying and saw a fine new car standing unoccupied by the curb she stopped to admire it:

While I examined it and gazed with envy a friend, also interested in autos, came down the steps and approached the machine.

"Isn't it stunning!" he said.

I agreed enthusiastically and added that the machine was tantalizing me, as I did so long to take a spin, that my chauffeur was ill and that I was afraid to run my car through the city. "Why, I will take you," be said. "I haven't anything to do this afternoon. Where shall we go?"

We got in, and I suggested Coney. To make a long story short, the delightful ride gave us an appetite. We stopped for dinner and then went out to Sea Gate to call upon friends. As we were crossing the bridge on our way home at about 11 o'clock my friend inquired, "At what garage do you keep your machine?"

At the question a terrible possibility dawned upon me, and with the remembrance of a certain unfamiliarity that he had displayed at the first in regard to the running of the car the situation became instantly clear. He had thought that the machine was mine, and I had been equally secure in the belief that it was his. In other words, we had calmly gone off with some one else's property.

You may imagine our feelings. We felt confident that we would be ar-

AWAY IN THE LEAD FOR 1909

De Laval Cream Separators

The year that is past was one of unusual interest and importance in a Cream Separator way. Twelve months ago we announced to cow owners the introduction of a complete new line of DE LAVAL farm and dairy sizes of machines, marking another great move forward in the development of the Cream Separator. The enthusiastic welcome given these improved machines by buyers everywhere exceeded even our great expectations and nearly carried us off our feet. Orders came so thick and fast that stock was soon exhausted and the DE LAVAL factory was forced to run day and night from March to July and continued with increased force on exhausted and the DELAVAL factory was forced to run day and night from March to July and continued with increased force on full time throughout the entire year. Notwithstanding the universal business depression DE LAVAL sales for 1908 were over 50 per cent, greater than in 1907. The new machines simply swept the field of all separator honors and made the year a notable one in separator history. Practical experience in the actual sale and use of 100 000 of the new machines has but served to suggest still greatof 100,000 of the new machines has but served to suggest still greater retinement of perfection and to enable us to offer in the DE LAVAL for 1909 a machine that those who know say IS MILES AND YEARS IN THE LEAD OF EVERYTHING ELSE IN A SEPARATOR WAY. If you have not seen and used an IMPROV-ED DE LAVAL you really cannot know what a Cream Separator is today. It's surely in your own interest to do so before thinking of buying any other.

We carry a full line of the diffferent sizes in stock and we have some extra good bargains in 2nd hand machines. ____

Striffler & McDermott Cass City, Michigan.

For Sale at Deford

200 M LATH at \$1.50 per W

Other kinds of Lumber and Shingles at low prices. Come and look over our stock.

Deford Grain and Lumber Co.

rested on our way uptewn. We rolled up to the hotel inwardly qualsing. After much inquiry and explaining we found the indignant owner. Fortunately he knew me slightly and had a well developed sense of humor, in spite of a rather forbidding expression as we first faced him with our unfortunate story. I think he believed

His parting remark, however, was rather puzzling, although he said it with evident cordiality: "Whenever you'd like to use the machine again just let me know."

A SURPRISED CAT.

Gautier's Pet and Its Experience Wit a Parrot.

Of all cat stories the best is one told by Theophile Gautier, the French novelist. He kept many cats, the favorite being "Madame Theophile," and she was his constant companion by day and night. One day a friend, who was going away a short time, brought Gautier a parrot, to be taken care of during his absence. The bird, finding itself in a strange place, climbed up to the top of its perch in a rather frightened manner. Madame Theophile had never seen a parrot before and regarded the creature with manifest surprise.

After a period spent in profound meditation, summoning up all the no tions of natural history she had picked up in the yard, the garden and on the roof, she plainly came to the conclusion that the newcomer was a green chicken. This result attained, the next proceeding of Madame Theophile was to lay herself flat on the floor, like a panther, watching her prey. The pacrot did not like this at all; it ruffled its feathers and rattled its chain uneasily. Then Madame Theophile came creeping nearer, ber nose quivering, her eyes half closed, while slight thrills of pleasure ran along her backbone at the idea of the meal she was about to make. Another moment

and she sprang upon the perch. The parrot instantly straightened up and said in a deep bass voice, "Have you breakfasted, Jacko?"

This utterance so terrified the cat that she sprang backward. All her ornithological ideas were overthrown. "And on what?" continued the parrot gravely. "On sirloin?"

The cat cast a glance at her master as if to say: "This is not a bird. It is a gentleman. It talks?" And then she promptly hid herself under the bed, and from that refuge she could not be induced to stir during the whole day.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on rial, money will be refunded at L. I Wood & Co., drug store. 25.

Scott's **Emulsion**

of Cod Liver Oil is the means of life and enjoyment of life to thousands: men, women and children.

When appetite fails, it restores

it. When food is a burden, it

lifts the burden. When you lose flesh, it brings

the plumpness of health.

When work is hard and duty is heavy, it makes life bright.

It is the thin edge of the wedge; the thick end is food. But what is the use of food when you hate it and can't digest it? Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver

Oil is the food that makes you forget your stomach.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World."

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

CUMBER.

Mrs. May Laycock spent a few days in Chicago, A. C. Graham has rented his store

George Schiestel is slowly recovering from typhoid fever. Miss M. Norman is working for A.

C. Graham in his store at Cumber.

for a hardware store.

sick at present.

Looks like spring, but you just wait until March and you will change your The young people gave a play last

Monday evening. A large crowd was Joseph Schiestel, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schiestel, is very

\$55A Horse blankets at G. W.

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight weeks unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Feley's Kidney Remedy. L. I.

THINGS DONE AT THE CAPITAL

THE IMPORTANT MATTERS THAT THE LEGISLATURE HAS TO ACT ON.

THE USUAL BIG JUNKET

There Are Many Things That Are Lined Up That Will Be of Great Interest to the People and Should Be Well Considered.

(Special Correspondence.) Lansing, Mich., January 25, 1909. The past week has witnessed con siderable activity in the State Legislature. A goodly number of bills have gone into the hopper and the fate of some of them is already determined so far as the committee recommendations are concerned. So far the senate is in the lead in the recommendations of bills and has a monopoly in the measures aimed at primary reform. The house has them beaten two to one in liquor bills, but it is said the house bill which proposed to indemnify saloonkeepers put out of business by local option was intended only as a football. It is likely that the real measure on which the big fight will come will be introduced later, as both sides are cautiously feeling of each other's strength. It is believed the out come will be to allow each city or township to determine for itself whether it wants local option or not.

The Junket Itinerary,

Preparations have been practically completed for the usual big junket to the upper peninsula. It is announced about 70 will go notwithstanding it is settled that they will get only their actual expenses. It is also stated that quite a party of ladies will make the trip, but it is doubtful if this prediction materializes. Two Pullman cars will be ready for the party at Grand Rapids the evening of January 30th and the first stop will be at Newberry, where the insane asylum will be inspected. They will then proceed to Marquette and the copper country returning home by the way of Chicago. Two days in advance of this, the committee on fisheries will leave with the fish commission and fish cars for a tour of all the hatcheries of the state. The third junket will consist of the house and senate committees or the investigation of the water ways of the state and will leave Detroit January 29. The sergeant-at-arms of the house, secretary of the senate, a stenographer, one local and two government hydrographic engineers from Washington will accompany this party, which will hold official hearings at the Soo. Escanaba and Menominee. They will connect with the main junket at Marquette and be with them during a portion of their trip.

Institutions Want Larger Sums. The spirit of economy was apparent in the discussion by members of the committees on various state institu-tions as to the amount of the appropriations they have asked. They could not see why the warden of the Jackson penitentiary needed a \$300 carriage and a \$500 team. The warden of the Marquette prison also asks for an expensive carriage but does not say how he expects it to be drawn nor for what purpose he expects to use it. The Ionia prison wants a \$10,000 aerial railroad that does not seem to be esrailroad that does not seem to be esson for deer in the state for a period sential to the success of the institution of 10 years, the other, which does not tion. They all want something and seek to disturb the present law as to some of them want a great deal. The season, allows the killing of one deer Lapeer Home for the Feeble Minded to each hunter and that must be a asking for over \$350,000 and Adrian Industrial School for Girls ever, that there will be changes in the wants about \$200,000, and so it goes through the whole list. It is safe to say that the amount asked for will be cut in two before the committee on ways and means allows the requests to go from their hands.

Interests Farmers.

One of the bills in which farmers will be interested was introduced on Wednesday and gives to owners of threshing machines a lien on grain threshed for the farmer. The bill does not stand much chance of getting out of the committee. The State Drainage Association, which met in Lansing during the week have recommended a number of changes in the law and have asked for a conference with the drainage committees of the house and senate, and the revised measure will probably make its appearance soon. Farmers will also be pleased to know that Senator Bates has introduced a bill providing a penalty for adulterat ing paris green or any other powder or liquid used to destroy insects. The hill also provides for a state seed in spector who will look to it that Michi gan is not made a dumping ground for seeds not true to name. The rural members of the house are somewhat puzzled to understand a bill intro duced by Senator Kingman, of Kalamazoo, which amends the present road laws which allow the highways to be used for traction engines up to six day. tons so that 121/2 ton engines can be

Sale of Pubic Lands. In the senate the committees on state land and reforestation have been consolidated, with Senator Foster, of Gladwin, as chairman of the new committee. This committee has no part in the action of the house committee on forestry in the passage of its bill to temporarily suspend the sale of all state swamp and homestead land, but it is said they will favor the proposition when the bill reaches the senate It was introduced by Representative Morrice ostensibly in the interest of the water way investigation, but it has leaked out that the forestry committees intend to hold the land permanently for their use. As this would leave the land office with almost nothing to do and of little importance, the commis-sioner is preparing to make an active fight against the bill.

The Primary Bill.

Senator Dickinson, father of the primary bill which was passed by the house at the session two years ago,

the senate at the present session, appeared before the meeting of the Michigan Republican Editors' association in Lansing to explain the provisions of his new bill and some of the editors objected to it because it did not go They expressed themfar enough. selves in favor of a measure which would include every officer elected by the people from governor down to coroner. A rising vote was taken on the subject and seven of those present voted in favor of limiting the primary to governor, lieutenant-governor, congressmen and members of the legislature. All the others voted for a mandatory primary to include everybody A majority of the members of the association also took exceptions to the date provided for taking the advisory vote on United States senators. The Dickinson bill provides that it shall be taken in August, but the editors wanted it taken in November, instead.

The Veto Power. Attorney General Bird has found another weak spot in the new constitution, based on an inquiry made by the senate committee on finance and appropriations, which may be of considerable importance before the session of the legislature is over. The constitution gives the governor the power to veto specific items in appropriation bills, and the attorney general was asked whether this bound the legislature to itemize all appropriation bills. In answer the attorney general says: 'While not expressly impressing upon the legislature the duties of separat-ing items in appropriation bills, that course is contemplated by the provision so framed as to permit the governor to exercise his constitutional prerogative. I think that all appropriations susceptible of division into distinct items should be so divided.

"If the legislature does not see fit to so change the appropriation bills I do not know that there is any remedy.

This means that the legislature can really do as it sees fit.

Regulation of Power Rates.

One probable provision of the law for regulating water power companies, which the joint legislative committee will propose and which will be bitterly fought by the hydro-electric interests, is the putting into the hands of a commission the regulation of rates, etc. It will be the contention of the water power people that such a commission will, to all intents and purposes, be a public utility commission and that the new constitution, by inference at least, has declared against any such commission. Delegate Sharpe, of the Soo, endeavored to insert a provision for a public utility commission in the constitution, but was turned down. The constitution mentions the railroad commission only and provides for its creation. Therefore, argue the water power men, the constitution declared against any public utility commission.

The Salary Bill.

The members of both houses were greatly interested in the salary bill which was finally agreed to by both representatives and senators. The new constitution fixes their salary at \$800 for the session, but does not say how it should be paid. The new bill provides, that they may draw their pay every 10 days at \$5 a day. If the secsion should not last long enough to eat up the \$300 at this rate they will draw the balance in a lump before they go home. It is believed this arrangement will have a tendency to make the lawmakers get down to bush

A couple of new game laws made their appearance during the week. One provides for an absolutely closed seaseek to disturb the present law as to with norns. t is certain, how open season for several kinds of small

Local Items

High school play to-night.

Only two days more of January. Keep your eye on the store news.

Notice the label of your Chronicle.

N. Karr of Kingston was a caller here Tuesday.

Henry Wettlaufer is in Saginaw on business this week.

Mrs. Robert Day spent a couple of days with Mrs. O E Niles.

Miss Leila Hopcroft spent a few days last week at Gagetown.

John Sandham of Argyle was a bus iness caller in town this week.

Miss Merle Gale of Deford spent Sunday at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Niles spent Tuesday with their son, Everett Niles.

Grover Ross of Kingston was the guest of Miss Bertha Zinnecker Sun-

O Hulbert is the new barber at Fred Hemerick's barber shop at Gage-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wettlaufer spent Sunday with Conboro relatives and friends.

The Five Hundred Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Emily Orr is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. George Mc-Crea, at Owendale.

Plowing in January is rather unall sides of Cass City doing that work.

Those who attended the dancing be found in the ad in this issue. O. party at Gagetown, Thursday evening Y. Schneider of the Cass City Dairy from here were Mr. and Mrs. M. Sher- Farm is making arrangements to care dian, Mr. and Mr. G. Hopcroft, Mor- for Mr. Hall's customers when the ley Wickware, Marc Wickware, Etta latter discontinues his milk route and Schenck, Hattie Burns, Pearl Doerr, plans extensive improvements in his Bertha Zinnecker, and the Misses plant which will enable him to give and introducer of a primary bill in Kate and Jennie Miller.

Frank Bliss was called to Gagetown Monday on account of the serious illness of his sister Mrs. Kehoe.

The lad es' aid of the Evangelical church will meet with Mrs. Wm. Akerman next Thursday afternoon.

Miss Tillie Murray has resigned her position at the Doerr hotel and returned to her home at Wickware. John Stoddard of Flint was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. B. F., Gem-

mill, the latter part of last week. Edgar E. and Edna E. Gemmil have been on the sick list for the past

two weeks, but are now improving. Miss Emma Lenzner returned Monday evening from a short visit with

relatives at Detroit and Ann Arbor Mrs. Thos. Henderson and children of Detroit were the guests of friends and relatives here the first of the

Mrs. Sarah O'Brian of Lexington installed officers for L.O.T. M.M. Monday evening. She left Tuesday Mrs. J. F. Seeley at Caro last Week.

for St. Clair. The Misses Lucy Fritz and Lucretia Campbell spent a few days last week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Wellemeyer at Vassar.

Mrs. L. Hoffarth and two children of Marlette are visiting at the home of Mrs Hoffarth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chambers.

Mrs. Henry WeJtlaufer spent the latter part of the week as the guest of her son, Dr. E. J. Wettlaufer, at Sebewaing.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will serve dinner at the church dining room next Wednesday, Feb. 3. The price is 15 cents. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hitt of Spo-

kane, Wash., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A A. Brian. Mr. Brian is an uncle of Mr. Hitt. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waterman and.

son, James, returned to Peck Thursday after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. M. Matzen.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Yoder and daughter, Genevieve, of Middlebury, Inddiana, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Yoder's mother Mrs. S. Brown.

At the Church of Christ, south of Cass City, there will be service at 1:00 p.m , at which Pastor H. W. Clough will preach. Also Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church will serve an oyster supper at the home of Henry Wettlaufer on Friday evening, Feb. 5. The price will be 25 cents.

Miss Vsola Martin came home Monday from Leavenworth, where she has been employed. She will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, indefinitely. Progress and Last

Alex Stobo and daughters of Teeswater, Ont., are visiting at the home of Jas. J. Spence, and other friends in this vicinity. Mr. Stobo is a brotherin-law of Mr. Spence.

Mrs. J. E. Winter, who has been so seriously ill, is slightly improved. Her sister, Mrs. A. J. DeVries, of Grand Rapids and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Mokma, of Holland are at her home.

A republican caucus for Elkland township will be held at the town hall ling. on Friday evening, Feb. 5. Delegates will be elected to attend the county convention which will be held on Feb.

Mrs. G. W. Seed entertained 20 lady friends at a six o'clock tea Saturday evening. In a contest in which the prize fell to the one writing the most words containing the letter "t" with- died at his home in Armada, Mich., on in a given time, a pretty tea pot was Tuesday. Mr. Frest was the senior won by Mrs. I. A. Fritz.

Robinson.

Andrew Walmsley was thrown from his buggy Tuesday morning by a spirited horse while turning the corner at the cemetery. He struck on his head and shoulders and was found unconscious by the roaeside shortly after by Dr. A. N. Treadgold. He was taken to his home at once. While he is much bruised and very sore, no serious results are anticipated and his friends trust that he may recover sgeedily.

The L. O. T. M. M. (and their husbands whether Maccabees or not) are invited to meet with the K. O. T. M. M. (and their wives whether Maccabees or not) on Friday evening, Feb.5. The entertainment committee appoined are working hard to make this an enjoyable evening. Let everyone put forth a special effort to be present and come expecting to have a good

John Hall has decided to discontinue the dairy business and will have an auction sale on Saturday, Feb. 6, at In the tree located six miles from usual in Michigan, but in the past his farm one-half mile south of town. week many have witnessed farmers on J. H. Striffler is the auctioneer and a complete list of the stock, etc., may the best of service to his patrons.

Miss Lena Rice is ill.

few days in Detroit:

Miss Etta Mark is on the sick list. Wm. Dickinson was in Pontiac Wednesday.

E. A. McGeorge is in Detroit this week on business.

Mrs. E. A. McGeorge is spending a

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Ross on Monday a daughter. H. S. Gamble of Sebewaing is visit-

ing relatives in town. Mrs. T. L. Tibbals entertained

friends at tea Tuesday. Mrs. Banks of Bay City is the guest

of her brother, Philip Mark. Miss Jennie Gardner, who has been

on the sick list, is improving. Mrs. C. E. Bliss of Caro is visiting

at the home of H. E. Hanson. Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Schneider on Friday, Jan. 22, a daughter.

Mrs. I. B. Auten was the guest of S. Champion was a business caller in

North Branch Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Todd of Pontiac is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Philip Mark. Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock was in Saginaw the first of the week on business.

Burt Sisson of Imaly City was a business caller here the first of the Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell of

Kalamazoo are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harris of Detroit are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Max-

G. A. Striffler was in Pontiac and Detroit on business Wednesday and

Miss Margaret McKellar of Gagetown is the guest of her sister, Mrs.

Ed Schwader. The Normal Class will meet at the home of Rev. J. A. Schweitzer Satur-

day evening. Misses Pearl, Stella and Lizzie Doerr attended a dancing party at Pigeon

Friday evening. Mlss Olive Brown returned to home here Friday after spending several months at Caron, Sask ..

Joseph Frutchey left Wednesday morning to attend a grain dealers' convention at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Curtis are the prounds parents of a baby girl. The young lady arrived Sunday. Miss Florence McPhail of Detroit

spent a few days with friends and relatives here and at Wickware. Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan returned

to Detroit Saturday after spending the past week with friends here 13 Roy Hill returned to his parental home here Monday after spending some time with friends at Lansing and

Miss Lucinda Parr has returned to her home here after spending the past three years at Edmonton and other places in Canada.

Mrs. A. A. Ricker returned to her home at Owendale Saturday after spening the past two week at her parental home here.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hower died Wednesday mornat the residence today.

Miss Matie Higgins and nephew, Donald Monroe, of Rochester left Tuesday for Unionville after spending

some time with relatives here. After a lingering illness of two years duration, in which the last year left him very helpless, W. I. Frost member of Frost & Hebblewhite, a Mrs. G. A. Striffler entertained 28 well known business firm of Cass City gentlemen and ladies at a Five Hun- several years ago. About four years dred party last Thursday evening. ago, he moved from Cass City to Sand-First prizes went to W. H. Ruhl and usky where he entered the confection-Mrs. E. Ryan while consolation prizes ery business, and while there suffered fell to Mrs. J. B. Cootes and C. L. a paralytic stroke. Disposing of his business at that time, he and his wife moved to Armada, their former home. Beside his companion, he is survived by three sons-Homer and Chas., who are now in the West and Newman, who came home from Washington last summer to assist in earing for his father. Mr. Frost was a member of Tyle Lodge, F. & A. M., at this place and that society has sent a beautiful floral piece representing a Masonic emblem to Armada. The funeral was held at the latter place Thursday afternoon.

> Racking la grippe coughs that may develope into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley Honey and Tar. I'he sore aud inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous con-bition is quickly averted. L. I. Wood &

I have For Sale about Forty Acres of Hardwood

Cass City and four miles from Gagetown. I want customers for this and will meet those wishing to buy at the old William Muntz farm in Grant township, Huron county, Sec. 32 and will be on premises after January 11, 1909, with the exception of Saturday of each week.

ISAAC HROHN.

Miss Ida Hunt of Bad Axe is assisting at Ruhl's tailor shop.

Mrs. Martin Dew, formerly a resident of this place, died at her home in Elkton Tuesday morning. She is survived by three sons—Roderick of Elkton, John of Chicago and Thomas of Pontiac. The funeral service will be held at Elkton Friday and the remains will be brought to Cass City that afternoon for interment in Elkland cemetery beside those of Mr. Dew.

The new sewer on Church street proved edequate to care for the water which fell during the heavy rains and that caused by the melting ice last, week and it was carried off in a short time. The spring floods which have a source of annoyance to citizens for many years will be unknown hereafter, thanks to the foresight of the village trustees.

The Jeweler's

The jewelry store is the best place in the world to get suggestions for wedding or birthday presents. The stock is so varied and the prices are so varied that every kind of taste and every kind of pocket book is sure to be suited.

We have many inexpensive, but dainty little novelties here which will make excellent This is a jewelry store where you can get just what you are looking for.

J. F. HENDRICH.

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"WHAT DOYOUEAT?"

"BREAD."

"Do you have GOOD bread?" "Yes, sir, the best there is." "What flour do you use?"

WHITE LILY FLOUR

The man answering these questions is lucky and gets the proper elements in his bread to promote health and vigor and furnish a mainstay for his energies. If you are not a user of WHITE LILY FLOUR try a sack and tell your neighbor

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COAL! COAL!

Soft and Hard Coal on hand. Plenty of it

If you are going to build in the spring, come and get our prices on the following:

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Moulding, Casing, Finish Windows. Doors, Porch Work, Glass, Cement, Plaster, Hair, Roofing, Building Paper.



Let us figure with you on that bill you need in

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Carload of American Fence

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Let us show you our line. It comprises severel styles and the appearance of any of them is a credit to the manufacturer, while the quality is unexcelled at the prices quoted.

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Dry Goods, Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Shoes, Rubbers, Ladies' Waists and Skirts, Graniteware, Tinware, Hardware, Stationery and Toilet Supplies.

RUSS @ DURST

Cement Block, Cass City.

J. H. STRIFFLER, Auctioneer.

Having decided to discontinue the dairy business, I will sell the following live stock at myfarm, 1/2 mile south of Cass City, on

Saturday, Feb. 6, '09

AT ONE O'CLOCK.

Aug. 1

Jersey cow 7 yrs. old, due } Nov. 21, new milch

Jersey cow 4 yrs. old, due June 1

Jersey cow 4 yrs. old new }

2 Jersey Cows 5 yrs. old, new milch

Jersey Cow 3 yrs. old, due

June 1

Cow 4 yrs. old, due June 1

Cow 5 yrs. old, new milch Miss Alva Phillip a visit with rel Melvin and Yale.

White cow 6 yrs. old, due | Jersey cow 7 yrs. old, due Feb. 1

Durham cow 9 yrs. old, new milch

Durham cow 6 yrs. old, new milch

Brindle cow 8 yrs. old, due

Aug. 7 Jersey cow 12 yrs. old, due

Feb. 1

Jersey Bull calf

Other Articles to numerous too mention.

TERMS:

All sums of \$5.00 and under cash, over that amount 9 months' time will be given on good endorsed notes bearing 7 per cent interest.

Ed. Pinney, CLERK.

Jno. Hall,

PROPRIETOR.

CANBORO. Henry Mellendorf, jr., was in Elk-

Miss Maggie Burleigh is spending

some sime at her parental home here. Wm. W. Parker and son, William, Monday.

Miss Dorothy Mellendorf of Gagetown visited her parental home here Saturday and Sunday.

A. Libkuman, Mrs. B. Libkuman

Mrs. George Markel and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Detroit arrived Saturday to spend some time with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mellendorf and were business transactors in Cass City daughter, Marion, and son, Stanley, of Gagetown spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with relatives in this vi-

daughter, M. V., and son, S. B., and of Mrs. John Towle, where a bounti-

NOVESTA CENTER. Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown visited in South Novesta on Sunday.

Mrs. N. Brown and children and more. Mrs. S. A. Gowen and children rerelatives and friends here for several

On Wednesday, February 3rd, the Greenbank Ladies' Aid society of the Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mellendorf and M. E. church will meet at the home

On Tuesday afternoon while work ng in the timber at the farm of D. Glazier, a log rolled on John Holcomb, dislocating his shoulder and bruising him quite badly. A physician was called and reduced the fracture and Mr. Holcomb is resting as comfort able other business. Following is a biy as possible. His friends hope for list of the jurors drawn for the term: speedy recovery.

WEST GRANT Telephone men are busy. Mrs. A. A. Ricker returned home

aturday from Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Thompson were

usiness callers in Cass City Mon. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Thompson spent unday with relatives on the center

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Parker of Rescue were callers in this vicinity last

Brookfield Ladies Aid will meet ith Mrs. Geo. McCrea for dinner

Dave Ashmore has moved on his place which he purchased lately from

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Karr of Gagetown are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace of Elk-

and spent Sunday at the home of George McCrea. Revivals are still continuing at

Brookfield church. Rev. Traver of Jbly is assisting. John Williamson and family left

Monday for Ann Arbor where they ill make there home. Miss Eleanor Williamson entertained seventeen of her little friends at a birthday party Saturday.

SHABBONA.

Fine weather for the 25th. Hay buyers are around again.

Mrs. J. W. Spencer sold a span of orses one day last week.

Several parties are looking for horses, ope they find what they want.

George E. Kitchen bought a colt of Chas. Meridith one day last week. The Baptist society of Austin held heir church opening the 26th &27th.

Herbert Carney of Croswell and Geo. Carney of Sandusky visited with their sister Mrs.J. P. Granger lait week. Mr. and Mrs. George Kitchen visited it his wife's home two miles north and one-half mile east of Cumber last

Saturday and Sunday. Rene McConnell of Royston is again in this in this part of the country visiting; he expects to purchase a farm around here somewhere.

TOWN LINE

Reginald Courliss was the guest of Miss Anna Crawford at Novesta Sun-

Mrs. Jesse Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey spent Wednesday in

Dan Ashley has purchased the Daugherty farm and expects to move thereon in the spring.

Material is being drawn to replace Eve St. Clair (his wife) the building that burned on the Lan- Harry don farm. It is said to be a cement George

The Leek W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Jesse Cooper Thurs- Grace day afternoon, February 4th, at two o'clock. All interested are invited to

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond of Caro. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hickie of of Kingston spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hickie.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. James Ryckman returned home from Burnside Tuesday.

Ryckman were in Cess City Saturday.

Miss Jennie Cullens of Melvin visit-

Miss Alva Phillips left Thursday for a visit with relatives at Marlette,

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Striffler of Cass City spent Friday with the former's sister, Mrs. O. W. Nique.

W. F. Ehlers returned Tuesday from Detroit with a new Maxwell automobile. He made the run over the icy roads in six hours.

DEFORD.

Chares King bought a heifer of Charles Osterle last week.

Mrs. Lura Colwell expects to go to work for Mrs. Al. Knight soon. Bert Seeking moved into Mrs. Paulne Bailey's house at Ellington Cor-

ners last week. Rushlo brothers passed by here last

Friday with three cows they had got south of here and wanting to buy

Friday of last week a stork flew turned to Millersburg after visiting over droping a young beet weeder weighing 11 pounds at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osterle who demanded board, clothes and good care until the age of twenty one in exchange for his hard labor in weeding beets. As they have four girls older, A. Libkuman, Mrs. B. Libkuman and son, R. W., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mellendorf, near Elkton Sunday.

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JANUARY JURORS.

Circuit court in Huron county con- Presbyterian Church at Lapeer Burns vened for the adjourned January term Wednesday. There are about 25 chancery cases on the docket and consider-John F. McIntyre, Sheridan

Jacob Geiger, Winsor Richard Drury, Bad Axe Frank Peruski, Bingham Chas. Berndt, Bloomfield David O'Connell, Brookfield John Middleton, Chandler James E. Oak, Dwight Wm. Kurzer, Fair Haven Caleb Richardson, Gore James Andrews, Grant George Ruth, jr., Hume Robert Bruce, Huron Joseph Musselman, Lake John Cross, Lincoln Matthias Notter, McKinley John Divine, Meade Edward Hoffman, Oliver Vincent Polk, Paris Julius Frehrman, Rubicon

Henry Emling, Sherman

Daniel S. Braden, Verona

David Breathour, Sigel

FEBRUARY JURORS.

The following jurors have been summoned for the February term of the circuit court in Tuscola county:

Akron-James Osborne Arbela-George Lovett Almer-Thomas White Columbia-M. Armbruster Denmark-Alfred Burton Dayton-William Mead Elmwood-Wm. Burse; Jas. Walton. Ellington-George Hudson Elkland-W. Mark. Fairgrove-Wm. Foster Fremont-Lloyd Cartright Gilford-William Reif Indianfields—Chester Cross Juniata-George Schien Koylton-Ered Herrick Kingston-John Retherford Millington-Wm. McKenzie Novesta-Louis Retherford Tuscola-George Franklin Vassar--John Clark Wisner-D. Thompson

Watertown-George F. Husted

WARMED FOR "DRYS"

Last Thursday.

The Presbyterian church at Lapeer caught fire shortly before 12 o'c'ock Thursday and was completely destroyed. The blaze originated in the prayer room where a fire had been built in a stove in preparation for a local option meeting which was to have been held that afternoon, and the frame structure was enveloped in flames before the volunteer fire department could set to work. The building contained one of the finest pipe organs in this section. The loss is estimated at \$10,000 and is partly covered by insurance of \$2,500.

CHEAPER SCHOOL BOOKS.

State Senator Wm. H. Aitkin, of Croswell, declares that the present prices on school books are prohibitive for the children of poor parents and has intrduced and succeded in passing a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of three to investigate the matter and recommend legislation which will provide cheaper school books. Senator Aitkin has introduced another bill in the senate providing for the alteration of the boundaries of certain school districts in Sanilac county.

P., O. & N. AGAIN.

The P., O. & N. R. R. will again be offered for sale in Abril this being the fourth attempt to place it on the market in less than two years. It has been stated though not officially, that the Detroit United railway is a prospective buyer.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Unclaimed letters for the week ending January 23: Miss Alton

B. Brodsky Mrs. J. C. Smith

In deciding where to get your milk supply just remember that O. Y. Schneider still operates the Cass City Dairy Farm, who would be pleased to leave the milk at your door.

High School Entertainment.

The English Literature Class will give an entertainment for the public in the Opera House Jan. 29. Nine Junior girls members of the Rainbow Kimona Club will present the comic burlesque of Shakespeare's star character. Robert Mantell won't be in it. A dozen boys and girls will give On Twelfth Night introducing a carnival of "ye olden time." The patrons of the school have always been very enthusiastic in supporting our best efforts, consequently we feel encouraged to make this the best ever. Good clean mirth, humor, fancy drills, songs and tableaux are interspersed. You know all the characters, and it will do you and them good to give them a full house.

PROGRAM.

High School Orchestra __

ON TWELFTH NIGHT. DRAMATIS PERSONAE. Adam St. Clair_____R. D. Keating

---- Mabel Cleland Harry Striffler Audley Kinniard Glenn Benkelman Ora Higgins Young people—Chums of Adam and

Jessie Spence Winnie McTavish

Act I-Scene-(A room in the house of the St. Clairs)-"Such a state of Wilmot, and John and Orpha Hickie affairs." "Powerful smaht gal dat. If she war a little bit cullud"—"Horrid Act II-Both Girls and Boys plan deceptions. Tableaus-A pair of Cul-

old thing. Tableaux Domestic Paradise. Music_ H. S. Orchestra Act III—Carnival Adam Mrs. Robert Irwin of Wickware was Guy_____Knight a guest at the home of A. Lorentzen Others. ed friends in town Wednesday and Nina Lady Macbeth Act IV—Twelfth Night Tales

PART II.

H. S. Orchestra____ "Rainbow Kimona Club."

Dramatis Personae: Nellie VanTassel, president of the Society_____Gladys Perry Ruth Ashton, vice president______Jessie Spence Alice Marion, treasurer_____Ida Johnson Isabel Sutro, secretary_____Hazel Livingston Beatrice Courtney, poet______Jessie McCallum Olive Mercer, president B. B. team_____Sibyl Wells Winifred Turner____Student Rose Jackson, Miss H's. little colored maid......Alta McArthur Synopsis of Incidents.

Act I-The meeting of the Rainbow Kimona Society. Opening the birthday box. Discussing the new Junior. The vote unfavorable. Circumstantial evidence. The discovery of Rose. The finding of Julia Armstead's pin. The court martial. The ghost. The unexpected appearance of Edith, The class yell.

Act II-One week later. Preparing stage properties. Wanted-an Othello. The decision. The retirement of Olive. The play from Shakespeare. Hamlet's advice to Romeo. Advertise-"Oh, its dust, dust, dust, from morn 'til night." Henry VIII's understudy. The ghost appears. The recognition. The apology. The class yell.

....The.... Conspirators

By VIRGINIA BLAIR.

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"Of course I can understand my wife's position in the case," the judge said. "She wants her only daughter to marry a man with money, and you haven't any. So this is my plan: I'll settle a good round sum on you, and you can say it came from a rich relative. Then my wife will be satisfied. You can marry Roxane and live happy ever after."

"Oh"-Oliver's face was bright with hope-"you are very good, sir!"

"But you mustn't tell Roxane where you got the money," the judge pursued. "She couldn't keep it from her

"But I ought not to deceive my fu-

The judge banged a heavy fist on his desk. "Don't be foolish." he said sternly. "It's the only way."

"But"- Then before Oliver could proceed with his objection a clear voice asked, "May I come in?" "Roxane!" exclaimed the two men.

She stood hesitating on the threshold, a slender little thing, with her fair hair puffed out under a plumed hat.

"Mother is waiting in the motor," she said breathlessly. "We are on our way to the charity bazaar, and I want some money."

The judge kissed her. "Now it's Oliver's turn," he teased.

"Oh, father," she reproached him, with a sob, "you know Oliver and I have had to break our engagement because mother won't hear of it!" And she hid her face on the judge's shoul-

The judge glanced at Oliver. "Tell her," he commanded, and the boy began a balting tale.

As he proceeded Roxane interrupted. "You mean that some one has left you a fortune?"

Oliver nodded. "Where did be live?"

"I'm not sure," the boy stammered. "I wouldn't inquire too closely into it, Roxane," the judge advised hurriedly. "The less said about that rela-

tive of Oliver's the bettor." With her face shining, the girl went swiftly to her lover. "Oh, Oliver, Oliyer," she said, "how happy I am!"

For a moment he hesitated; then he gathered her into his arms. "It's worth everything to know that you are mine, Roxane," he said huskfly.

The rustle of silk skirts in the hall brought him out of his rhapsody.

"It's your mother," warned the judge, and when the rather stout lady in mauve entered she found two solemn young people on each side of the judge's desk. That Roxane's plumed hat was slightly over one ear and that a golden hair strayed across Oliver's coat collar were details which escaped

"I thought Roxane was never coming down," she panted.

"I found Oliver here," Roxane explained, "and, oh, mother, a rich rela-

tive has left him a fortune." "A fortune-Oliver!" scoffed the stout lady. "Why, he hasn't a rich relative in the world.'

"The fact remains, my dear," the Judge asserted blandly, "that he has hunt up lost heirs," the lady pursued.

cousin. "What cousin?" was the demand.

"You needn't tell me, James." "Tut, tut." the judge cautioned. "Don't accuse the boy of lying."

"I'm not accusing anybody," Mrs. Vandiver stated. "I merely asked you

what cousin, James." The judge mopped his forehead. The

sudden arrival of the ladies of his household had not given him time to perfect details.

"I'm not sure of the name, Abble." he stammered. "Perhaps Oliver can satisfy you."

But Oliver weakened. "I think Mrs. Vandiver is right," he said unsteadily. "Until I can offer satisfactory proof of my good fortune it will be well for me to give up Roxane."

"Oliver!" The wail was from his betrothed, but he went on, "There may be some mistake." "Of course," said Mrs. Vandiver,

with aggravating sureness. "Come on, Roxane." And she dragged her unwilling captive from the room. Left alone, the conspirators stared at

"Now you've done it," said the judge disgustedly. "Why couldn't you bluff "Not with Roxane's trusting eyes on

me," said Roxane's lover, "Well, if you knew Roxane's mother as well as I do," the judge growled.

"you would know that it's the only hope." After a depressing silence Oliver ventured, "Perhaps if you approached

her differently you might get better results." The judge smiled. "How do you

mean?" Oliver blushed. "Oh, well, I've some times thought, sir, that if you appealed lo your wife's sense of romance"

"Abbie's sense of romance!" judge ejaculated. "You must have some memories that would make her feel tenderly toward vou-toward us"-

"It has been so long," the judge murmured and found himself suddenly curious as to when he had ceased to think of Abbie as the princess in his fairy tale. When had he ceased to write sonnets to her ringlets, odes to per evebrows?

"You see, I'm afraid we're beyond

romance," he murmured. "She wouldn't understand." "It seems to me," said the wise young Daniel, "that a woman is never too old to resist an appeal to her

The judge pondered. "I asked her to marry me on Oct. 15 twenty-two years ago." "There," Oliver exclaimed, "and to-

day is the 14th, and tomorrow is an

anniversary. Oh, you've got to take

advantage of that, judge." "I took her to ride in my buggy," the judge rambled on sheepishly. "There was a big round moon"-

He stopped suddenly. "But of course we've grown sensible since then," he said wistfully.

"Well, you just ask her to go tomorrow." Oliver recommended, and then the judge gave in. The next evening he presented him-

elf at the dinner table armed with a long paper box. "For you, my dear," he said to his wife as she came in with Roxane.

heavy eyed and pensive. The box, being opened, showed rosy carnations.

"The nearest thing I could get to plnks," the judge explained. "Why pinks?" his wife demanded.

"Abbie," he reproached, "have you forgotten that twenty-two years ago you wore pinks"-Mrs. Vandiver's expansive features

expressed a blank surprise. "What bappened twenty-two years ago?" 'I know," Roxane interrupted. There's the picture on father's desk-

you have on a blue dress and a bunch of pinks-you said you looked that way when he asked you to marry him." The blush that stole up toward Mrs.

Vandiver's gray curls gave her a curious look of youth. "Why, James," she faltered, "did you really remember?"

"Yes," said the judge, feeling that had he never forgotten life would have held deeper meanings.

Mrs. Vandiver came around and kissed her husband, "Thank you, dear," she said, with a gentleness that made Roxane stare. After that it was not hard to pro-

pose a ride by moonlight, and Mrs. Vandiver, consenting, came down in a blue gown that became her elderly plumpness almost as well as that other blue gown had set off her girlish figure.

The judge's electric runabout replaced the buggy of long ago, and as they went quickly through the city and out into the country roads that astute gentleman refrained from any mention of Oliver and Roxane. All his talk was of things of the past.

"How happy we were, Abble," he said at last, and his wife responded wistfully, "Very happy, James."

A golden moon hung above the dark line of the hills. The air was sweet with the spiciness of the pines. The judge was thrilled with bygone emetions, and his arm was comfortably about his wife's waist.

Then in the rapture of the restoration to her place of romance of the Abbie of long ago he forgot Oliverforgot Roxane.

He was brought back with a shock when Mrs. Vandiver said as they turned toward home: "I've been thinking of Roxane. If she really loves Oliver I don't know but I sught"-

"Of course you ought," said the judge promptly. "Give them your blessing, and let them be as happy as we are.

"I am afraid that Oliver has been fooled by some of those firms who "Of course Oliver was sincere, but I don't think much of the fortune story."

"No," mendaciously, "it didn't seem probable."

"You can settle something on them after they are married," said Mrs. Vandiver. "We haven't any one to leave it to but Roxane-and-and it would be nice to have them engaged on the same day that we were. Jim-

Jimmie! The magic of the youthful appellation made the judge feel like a colt.

"Let's get them married and you and I will go off and have another honeymoon," he proposed jubilantly. 'We will have the time of our lives.' The ripple that came from his wife's lips was a silver echo of the golden

laughter of other days. "We will," she said and lifted ber face to him in the moonlight, "and now let's go right home and tell the children, Jimmie."

Whistler's Grocery Bill.

Whistler's financial affairs were the mingled joy and terror of his friends, and the Pennells, in their "Life of Whistler," give a most amusing glimpse into this side of his life. On one occasion he had actually run up a bill of £600 with a Chelsea green grocer, who at last called to insist upon payment. Whistler came out strong on that occasion: "How-what-why-why, of course,

you have sent these things-most excellent things-and they have been eaten, you know, by most excellen: people. Think what a splendid advertisement! And sometimes, you know, the salads are not quite up to the mark-the fruit, you know, not quite fresh. And if you go into these unseemly discussions about the billwell, you know, I shall have to go into discussions about all this, and think how it would hurt your reputation with all these extraordinary people. I think the best thing is not to refer to the past-I'll let it go. And in the future we'll have a weekly accountwiser, you know!"

The greengrocer left without his money, but received in payment two rocturnes, one the blue upright Valparaiso.

CARMICHAEL'S CRIME RECALLED

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR THE SLAYER AND THE VICTIM IN ADAIR.

BREWERS OPEN UP FIGHT

Glances Over Interesting Happenings in Michigan on Which Are Worthy Brief Mention.

Using as his text the words: "Judge not that ye be not judged," Rev. W. W. Gadd, pastor of the Richmond church, held memorial services for Rev. John H. Carmichael, who killed Gid Browning and for the murdered man, in the little Methodist church at Adair, Rev. Mr. Gadd made but little reference to the tragedy of the Columbus church, but drew a man tle of charity over both the mad preacher and his simple-minded vic-Rev. Carmichael, he declared was not responsible for his acts, while Gid Browning was one of those unfortunates whom the world must treat with tolerance and compassion. His remarks were constantly interrupted by outbursts of grief from Browning's relatives, who ccupied the front seats during the services. The Carmichael family were not present, as they moved to their new home in Wyandotte a few days

The Beer Makers' Fight. The Michigan State Brewers' asso-

ciation is laying plans for taking be fore the supreme court the constitutionality of the local option law. Sev eral of the best known constitutional lawyers in the state are now going into the question and the basis of action will probably be a suit now pending in the circuit court in Calhoun county. In this action, the liqnor men began mandamus proceedings Saturday to compel the board of su pervisors to reconvene and listen to a netition of the liquor men to throw out the petition asking for the submission of the liquor question. The liquor men charge that fraud was used by the anti-saloon people in their But they do not expect a favorable decision and will use the band and her former husband died and survivors up to 1,661. adverse decision as the ground on which to carry up the case to the high-

Aldrich Drew Four Years.

Charles E. Aldrich, former Jackson city recorder and secretary of the Excelsior Building & Loan association, pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzing \$13,000 of the association's the circuit court. Judge Parkinson immediately sentenced him to four years in the Jackson prison As the offense to which Aldrich pleaded guilty was committed before the indeterminate sentence law was passed, Judge Parkinson was obliged to give the prisener a fixed sentence. Aldrich was formerly one of the hest known figures in Jackson. Near ly four years ago he disappeared with Chloe Barns, a salesgirl in a local Nothing was heard of their whereabouts until last July, when Sheriff Rean located the pair living in Birmingham, Ala., where Aldrich was

live with her brother in Cleveland. A Pewer Juggle.

employed as a railroad clerk. He was

arrested and brought back to this

city, while the Burns girl went to

W. R. Coates, of Grand Rapids, and hydraulic emgineer, charges that water power companies have overcapitalized by rating the possible horse-power to be developed much higher than it will really show.

In his communication to the investigating committee of the house, Mr Coates says:

"One syndicate of the hydro-electric promoters has taken probably \$2,000, 600 out of the people, during the ten years of operation, from the sale of fictitious stock and bonds. They have a power site which will afford 1.000 real horse-power which will justify a capitalization of \$100,000. These parties rate this at 5,000 horse-power, and capitalize at \$500,000 and issue stock and bonds accordingly. It will cost perhaps \$100,000 to develop this property, but the promoters will swipe the whole thing.'

Scattering Smallpox.

John Cunnane, taken from the Clarendon hotel with a well developed case of smallpox, has no doubt exseveral hundred persons in Grand Rapids to the disease, and health officers are busy running down all the exposed individuals that can be found and quarantining them.

Cunnane admits that he was broken out Thursday, but did not know what was the trouble, and visited vaudettes, cigar stores and rode on street cars. All the vaudettes which he visited have been fumigated, and employes vaccinated. The Clarendon was quarantined, and those who submitted to vaccination allowed to go, others being kept in the hotel 15 days.

John Brushart is in jail because he hasn't sufficient money to pay the revenue tax for the period he sold liquor at the Calhoun fair last summer without a license. He was first fined for violation of the state law and spent 15 days in jail. His friends came to his rescue and paid \$35, preventing him from being taken back to jail for another term. Then the federal officers stepped in.

Officers are still unable to find any clue to the identity of the incendiary who burned the summer home of Frank W. Brace, of Detroit, at Pine Lake. Footsteps were traced to and from the cottage and down to the Orchard lake road. The loss is estimated at \$1,500, partially insured.

Members of the Michigan Millers' association disagree with the ruling of the federal authorities that bleached flour is injurious to health. The mil lers Wednesday adopted a resolution asking the state pure food department to make an investigation as to wheth er the processes used in their mills are injurious.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

The German government is to erect a salt block exactly like the one in

Saginaw naval reserves are to have new cutter and the men will be uniformed in white.

A vicious horse, while being fed by Johnnie Heater, of Dowagiac, bit the lad in the face, tearing off the greater part of his lower lip.

The Seventh Day Advents stock holders who recently were read out of the Battle Creek sanitarium will build Big Liners Collide and the Use of the similar institution at Berrien Springs.

Roy Mack, who was arrested in Chi cago charged with having stolen \$400 worth of diamonds, was brought to line, cut down in the fog by the Italian Muskegon with diamonds of about that steamer Florida, early Saturday mornvalue on his person. Roy Garrison, ill in bed with pneu-

monia, was rescued from his burning home by his brother Orla and a neighbor, Emerson Worden, who carried within 150 miles. They sped up and him through a window. Kalil Warr, a Syrian farmer, is un-

der arrest charged with running a "moonshine" whisky still. Many cases of intoxication at Ada have been traced to this houce, it is alleged. Horace Buchle, a Lakefield ownship

Buchle. A reckless Saginaw sparrow shooter message after message, had told the warned the 9-year-old son of Wm. F. tale of what had happened in the fog, with the result that he put out the lad's eye.

mazoo billiard parlor, fell four stories down an elevator shaft Sunday night. uninjured.

sentenced by Judge Desvoignes Saturday to from two to five years in Jackson, with a recommendation of two years and six months. Mildred Lawrason, 6, was obliged to

be saved. She was shot in the eye by that his rifle was loaded. Mrs. John Norris, of Oxford, who was Mrs. Andrew Fox, of Pontiac, is doubly bereaved. Her present hus which brought the total number of

were buried at the same kour Wednesday-Norris in Oxford and Fox at Hol-A mad dog is terrorizing the farmers in the vicinity of Portage Prairie The dog ram from one farm to an other biting the live stock that it encountered. A number of animals that

were bitten have been killed but the

deg has not yet been found. The hrothers and sisters of Miss Marcelle Parker, formerly of Niles, are will be a total loss, seeking a share in the \$400,000 estate which she left in her will to her nurse and guardian. They are trying to prove she was mentally unsound at the time of the drafting of the instra-

ment. Paul G. Sukey, a W. of M. sophomore who had lived in Messina in the heart six days.

After waiting six years to file an answer and cross-bill, George M. Smith, of Whitehall, has put in the long-delayed reply to his wife's divorce suit, wherein she alleged desertion. Gladstone Dowie, the kissed son" of the late lamented 'Lige," represents Smith.

George Moon, aged 47, a hermit, was found kelpless in an and nearly frozen in his filthy hovel in Mason, dying soon after he had been removed to the jail for medical treatment. His mother and sister live in Mason. His father, Robert Moon, a civil war veteran, died some time ago

John Sherman, an employe of the Grand Trunk railway, who weighs 110 pounds, and Mrs. Etta Wright,

morning paper wast he method of getting a crowd adopted by Rev. H D. Williams, pastor of the church. He says that it attracts people to church and that he sees no reason do other institutions.

The report sent out from Port Hi ron to the effect that Port Huron's society young women were infatuated with Harold Jeffrys, a negro singer in a local nickleodeon, caused the Ethio pian to lose his place and be ordered out of the city. A delegation of well known business men and citizens call ed on Chief of Police Marx and complained of the stories in circulation which they said were started to ad vertise the theater. As a result the chief ordered the negro to leave town at once.

William Gregory, boarded in the family of William Doezema in Grand Rap ids when the children had scarled fever. When John Mitchell fumigated the family at the time they were quarantined he left packages of powders for the household. They were intend ed for the bath, but Gregory misunderstood and swallowed his. He wa nearly killed and will sue the city for \$25,000.

Michigan has 649 developed water powers, affording 203,631 horsepower The state has 26 powers greater than 1,000 horsepower each, and in amount and then to a Catholic church. of waterpower developed is the eighth state in the union.

A CALAMITY WAS PREVENTED

THE REPUBLIC'S PASSENGERS AND CREW WERE SAVED BY WIRELESS.

WONDERFUL SEA STORY

Wireless Telegraph Prevents Loss of Hundreds of Lives.

The Republic, of the White Star ing 65 mies from the nearest land, flashed out wireless telegrams for help while she was sinking that brought to down the seaboard and over the ocean and saved the lives of her passengers and crew. Helpless and alone in the dense fog, except for the crippled Italian, with the sea pounding into her crushed side, the Republic managed to tell her story so briskly and clearly Horace Buchle, a Lakefield ownship farmer, has sued Charles McCreery for \$2,000 damages alleged to have result world knew that all was well with her ed from the spread of a blaze on the people; that they had been transferred farm of the latter to the premises of to the ship which rammed her. midnight the wireless, flinging out

Buetow that he was about to shoot and capped the most wonderful story and then let go with his Flobert rifle, that has come from the sea in many years with the news that the weather had cleared, and the passengers of both the Repubic and Florida were Riva Perry, a negro porter in a Kalabeing transferred to the Baltic one of the ocean giants which went to the He landed squarely on his head and rescue. Twenty boats were used for beyond a few cuts and bruises, was the purpose of transferring passengers. Ten passengers were being taken in each boat. About 1,200 people in all Frank M., alias Joseph B. Wilson, had been transferred. The forward of Decatur, convicted of bigamy, was compartment of the Florida was in compartment of the Florida was in bad shape. The transfer was com-pleted by 1:30 p. m. Four passengers are reported to have been killed in the collision.

Carrying 1,361 passengers of the submit to an operation that cost her wrecked Republic and the damaged one eye Tuesday. The other one may Italian line steamer Florida, which rammed the Republic Saturday, the Jesse Rainbow, 15, who didn't know Baltic steamed up to her pier in New York Monday noon.

She also had on board members of the crew of the Republic, 300 persons.

The Florida, with her bow smashed in and deserted by all save her officers and crew, reached Ambrose channel lightship at noon, proceeding to New York under her own steam. When the Republic went down Sun-

day night she carried the bodies of Mrs. Eugene Lynch, of Boston, and W. J. Mooney of Langdon, N. D., with her. The six dend and two injured are apparently the sum total of cas ualties but the Republic, having sunk,

Pausing for a moment in its legisla tive activities, the house of represen-tatives today listened to an eulogy of John R. Binns, the Marconi operator aboard the Republic, who remained at his post until the ship went down, following her collision Saturday with engineer from Minneapolis, received the Florida. Mr. Boutell (III.) was word Monday that his grandmether, given unanimous consent to address the house "on a matter of public inof the earthquake district, was re terest." After referring to the col-leased from the ruins of her home af lision, Mr. Boutell amid loud applause ter she had been imprisoned there for said that throughout the whole criti cal period "there was one silent actor in the tragedy whose name should be immortalized." He said:

house when, almost without warning,

The camp of the Asenfelder Freight gang was completely wiped out. Forty horses were carried into the canon and buried.

Caught in the steep mountain trails why churches should not advertise as by a bizzard are eight six-horse teams, and the Camp Bird buillion stage, carrying \$6,000 in gold and many passengers. It is feared they may have been in the path of the slide and great anxiety is felt for their safety.

Miners Drowned

Ten white men and 150 natives were drowned in the Witwatersrand gold mine in the Transvaal, which became flooded by the bursting of Knights dam. Heavy rains caused the dam to give way. The water from the dam also flood-

ed the lower sections of the town of Elburg. A number of houses were swept away and 13 persons drowned.

The Chicago Disaster,

A conference of relatives of the men killed in the burning of the temporary crib in the lake Wednesday was held in South Chicago to determine what Leavitt. The petition was immediatereligious services should be held for the dead. A suggestion was made that a theater be obtained at which clergy men of all denominations might speak Another plan suggested is that the bodies be taken first to a Protestant The number of dead is still estimat-

ed at between 60 and 100.

THE MAINE.

The Ralsing of the Wreck Will De-

strov a Fallacious Belief. Provisional Gov. Magoon, of Cuba, brings to the attention of the secre ary of war the wreck of the United States battleship Maine in Havana harbor, and recommends that the government take immediate steps to accomplish its removal without further

delay. He says: The sunken battleship is a serious nenace to the shipping of the harbor, as it occupies a portion of the best anchorage. The obstruction has in-creased annually during the past 10 ears by causing a shoal.

"Even more important than this obtruction to navigation is the fact hat this wreck, although it contains the bodies of 63 American seamen, or what is left of them, is apparently abandoned and forgotten by the gov

ernment and people of the United States. "Thousands of Americans and other thousands of other nationalities annually enter the harbor of Havana. and probably not one omits to express egret and censure for the deploraolc enectacle.

"It has become a national reproach and an international scandal. neglect is attributed by many, especially the large Spanish contingent in Cuba, to the fear that its removal will disclose the fallacy of the popular belief that the Maine was destroyed by a torpedo or mine instead of an interior explosion."

To Dig the Saginaw River,

A joint effort for the improvement of the Saginaw river is being made by Congressmen Loud and Fordney. They have each introduced a bill appropriating \$800,000 to provide a 20oot channel from Saginaw bay to Saginaw. This bill will not pass at this session of congress, and it was not expected to. But it has served to open the eyes of the members of the committee on rivers and harbors, which was the purpose in introducing

Messrs. Fordney and Loud have undertaken this project for the primary purpose of affording an outlet for the coal of the Saginaw valley coal field. They say there are 75,000,000 tons of this coal already in sight, and more

is being developed every day. What they want at this session of congress is a small appropriation for survey, and their only hope of getiting this was in making a strong show-ing of the business situation in the Saginaw valley.

The Jap Army.

Viscount Terauchi, Japan's secreary of war, in the diet said that his department was endeavoring to decrease expenditures. Teranchi laughingly added:
"We are doing this business be-

eause it is desirable to disabuse the mind of the world of the idea that Japan is persisting in warlike preparations." A strong protest against anti-Japanese legislation has been sent to the heads of the senate and house and members of both houses by the San

Francisco business men, who recently

returned from an extended visit to

Japan at the invitation of various

Japanese commercial organizations. Hundreds of people are said to have been killed or injured in a landslide following an earthquake in Morocco.

THE MARKETS.

in the tragedy whose name should be immortalized." He said:

"Binus has given the world a splendid illustration of the heroism that dwells in many who are doing the quiet, unnoticed tasks of life. Is it not an inspiration for all of us to feel that there are heroes for every emergency, and that in human life no danger is so great that some 'Jack' Binus is not ready to face it?"

The Terrible Avalanche.

Four men were killed and more than a score had narrow escapes from death when an avalanche of snow 50 feet high swept over the Camp Bird mine at Ouray, Colorado, Friday. The four men were talking in the cook house when, almost without warning.

Detroit.— Cattle — Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$2 505 50; steers and heifers, \$2 506 50; steers and heifers, \$2 506 50; steers and heifers, \$2 506 40; is steers and heifers, \$2 506 41; choice fat cows. \$3 75; good fat cows. \$3 55 common.cows. \$2 75 60 41; choice fat cows. \$3 75; good lat cows. \$3 75; good lat

In pounds, and Mrs. Etta Wright, who tips the scales at 200, were married on the stage of a local theater Saturday night. They were given \$25 by the theatrical company, and one of the largest crowds the theater has ever seen attended.

Ferdinand Pinney Earle, of "affinity" fame, is stopping at the Battle Creek sanitarium seeking rest from the mental and physical ills attendant upon the divorce proceedings recently instituted by his "soul mate." He made every possible effort to conceal his identity and when discovered an nounced that he would leave Battle Creek at once.

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Detroit.—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1 08; May wheat opened without change at \$1 09%, declined to \$1 09½, advanced to \$1 10. and closed at \$1 09%; July opened at \$1 01½, lost ¼c, advanced to \$1 01% and closed at \$1 01½; September. 98c; No. 3 red, \$1 01; September. 98c; No. 3 red, \$1 05; No. 1 white, \$1 07.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 61½c bid; No. 3 vellow, 2 cars at 62½c, closing at 62½c bid; No. 4 yellow, 2 cars at 61½c. Oats—Cash No. 3 white, 53c; May,

Oats—Cash No. 3 white, 53c; May, 53½c.
Rye—Cash No. 2. 78c.
Beans—Cash and February, \$2 20;
May, \$2 25 bid.
Cloverseed—Prime spot, 100 bags at \$5 55; March, 200 bags at \$5 62½; sample, 36 bags at \$5 35, 46 at \$5 25, 27 at \$5, 14 at \$4 50; sample alsike, 12 bags at \$8. 12 at \$7 25.
Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots:
Bran, \$24; coarse middlings, \$25; fine middlings, \$26; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$25 50 per ton.
Flour—Michigan patent, best, \$6 76; ordinary patent, \$5 35; straight, \$5 16; clear, \$5 per bbl in wood.

Seeks a Divorce.

Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of William Jennings Bryan, today filed suit for divorce from William H. ly withdrawn. Leavitt is now in Paris.

The Michigan Repubican Editors' as-

sociation adopted a resolution recommending that city, county and township officers handling public funds give the manner in which said funds are disposed of greater publicity and that greater publicity be also given municipal contracts before they are let.



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to look like the devil, you know." "By the Lord Harry, Elias," cried Graydon, "you look like the devil now." 'I've got these carpet slippers on because my shoes hurt my feet," ex-"My collar plained Droom sourly. rubbed my neck, so I took it off. Otherwise I'm just as I was when I got in at Sherry's. Funny what a difference a little thing like a collar makes, isn't

' "I should say so. I never gave it a thought until now. But, Elias, I want to ask a great favor of you. You

"My boy, if your father wouldn't tell you who her parents are, don't expect me to do so. He knows; I only sus-

"You must be a mind reader," gasped Gravdon.

"It isn't hard to read your mind these days. What do you hear from her?" Graydon went back to the subject after a few moments. "I am morally certain that I know who her father and mother were, but it won't do any good to tell her. How's your father?'

After this night Graydon saw the old man often. They dined together occasionally in the small cafes on the

west side. Droom could not, for some reason known only to himself, be in-

duced to go to Sherry's again. "When Jane comes back I'll give you both a quiet little supper there after the play maybe. It'll be my treat, my

The old man worked patiently and fruitlessly over his "inventions." They came to naught, but they lightened his otherwise barren existence. There was not a day or night in which his mind was wholly free from thoughts of James Bansemer.

He counted the weeks and days until the man would be free, and his eyes narrowed with these furtive glances into the future. He felt in his heart that James Bansemer would come to him at once and that the reckoning for his single hour of triumph would be a heavy one to pay. Sometimes he would sit for hours with his eyes staring at the Napoleon above the bookcase. something like dread in their depths. Then again he would laugh with glee. pound the table with his bony hand, much to the consternation of Chang. and exclaim as if addressing a multi-

tude: "I hope I'll be dead when he gets out of there. I hope I won't live to see him free again. That would spoil everything. Let me see, I'm seventyone now. I surely can't live much longer. I want to die seeing him as I saw him that day. The last thing I think of on earth must be James Bansemer's face behind the bars. Ha, ha, ha! It was worth all the years-that one hour. It was even worth while

being his slave. I'm not afraid of him. No! That's ridiculous. Of course I'm not afraid of him. I only want to know he's lying in a cell when I die out here in the great, free world. By my soul, he'll know that a handsome face isn't always the best. He laugh-

ed at my face, curse him. His face

won her-his good looks! Well, well, well, I only hope she's where she can ee his face now!"

He would work himself into a frenzy of torment and give combined, usually collapsing at the end of his narangue. It disgusted him to think that his health was so good that he might be expected to live beyond the limit of James Bausemer's impresonment.

At the end of eighteen months Jane was coming home. She had written to Graydon from London, and the newspapers announced the sailing of the

"I am coming home to end all of this idleness," she wrote to him. "I mean to find pleasure in toil, in doing good, in lifting the burdens of those who are helpless. You will see how I can work, Graydon. You will love me more than ever when you see how I can do so much good for my fellow creatures. want you to love me more and more, because I shall love you to the

end of my life." The night before the ship was to arrive Graydon dined with the Jack Percivals. It was 1 o'clock when Graydon reached his rooms. There he found a note from Elias Droom.

"I have an especial reason." he wrote, for asking you and Miss Cable to dine with me on Monday night. We will go to Sherry's. Let me know as soon

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SAVED FROM THE GRAVE.

How a Dream Rescued Woman From a Terrible Death.

Mr. Jones was a popular young business man in the city of B. His wife was a woman of strong emotion and them there existed a rare sympathy which extended to all the faculties.

Mrs. Jones fell ill, and after a few weeks agony, during which her husband waited on her with a constancy not often seen, she died-that is, she appeared to be dead. There was no question about it in the doctors' mind. A certificate was issued and an undertaker called in. But for the fortunate circumstance that Mr. Jones was opposed to embalming there would be no story to tell unless it were of another person apparently dead who was revived for a moment under the lunge of the embalmer's knife.

Saved from that fate, Mrs. Jones was laid out in her burial robe, placed in a coffin and on the third day was buried in a cemetery some distance away.

Her husband was greatly affected, somuch that his relatives feared an attack of melancholia. His uncle, wishing to arouse his spirits and divert his attention, remained in the house the night after the funeral and was a valuable witness, as it proved, of an event so astounding as to be almost peyond belief.

For an hour or two that evening they alked chiefly about the dead and then went to bed. Mr. Jones, after tossing upon his pillow for a long time, fell into a troubled sleep. In the middle buy frocks without figuring on the of the night he heard a voice calling his name, "George, George!" The to pay." tones were not familiar to him; they did not recall the voice of his wife.

was daybreak before the voice was guests would probably be few. Mrs. heard again, and this time it could not Baxter closed her magazine. be ignored. He recognized it at last as the voice of his wife in sore distress calling upon him. She cried:

"George! Save me! Save me, George!" over. That despairing cry still rang in his ears. So real was it that, although he was awake and remembered perfectly the death, the funeral and all that happened in the preceding four days he searched the room for her who had thrice called him by name.

Finding that he was alone, he rushed into his uncle's room crying: "Get up! Get up! We must go to the cemetery! She is alive! She is calling me!" The uncle, skeptical as he was by

nature, was carried away by Jones' impetuosity. Both men threw on some hysteria, she cried: clothing, and, while one harnessed a horse to a light buggy, the other procured spades. Thus equipped, they drove to the cemetery at a gallop. The sun rose as they leaped out at the grave and began to dig.

Mrs. Jones had been buried the previous afternoon. Her husband shoveled away the earth in a frenzy of energy. It was firmly fixed in his mind that she had been buried alive and that he might yet be in time to save her. Inspired by his nephew's excitement, the uncle dug with a vigor almost as great as Jones'.

Begrimed and disheveled, they at was moving. She was trying feebly to turn over in her narrow bed. She gazed at him with eyes that saw not. She was unconscious of her situation. He passed his arms about her and lifted her out. The two men removed her from the grave, placed her in the buggy and drove home. Physicians were called in. Under close medical care she slowly recovered. Every precaution was taken to guard her from the knowledge of what had happened, and all who were in the secret pledged themselves to silence lest the shock of that revelation of her burial and resurrection might prove fatal to her, but the story leaked out later, when Mrs. Jones got about again.-Balti-



Cupid In the Blizzard.

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The Silver-Hess wedding, the absentnindedness of Mrs. Graves and the unprecedented November blizzard worked together for the good of Roland

The Silver-Hess wedding was scheduled for Denver. The absentminded Mrs. Graves and the relentless blizzard met in Chicago.

Polly Hess had recently moved to Chicago, and when her brother's flaneee wrote that the wedding would occur directly before Thanksgiving day and would she please have a ducky frock of leaf green chiffon cloth to wear as maid of honor Polly instantly decided that Chicago was a very big city and one in which a new dressmaker must be sought with discretion. Upon her musings entered Mrs. Graves, whose faculty for switching from one topic of conversation to another with lightning rapidity was as amusing to her friends as it was bewildering to new acquaintances. Said Mrs. Graves:

"Of course I can help you out. My friend, Mrs. Baxter—you never did see such clothes. By the way, didn't Mrs. Daly look like a frump at the club neeting Thursday? Now, Mrs. Baxter, my dear-did you ever hear worse folin music than we had on that program? Her address-oh, yes-672 Boueyard. Dear child, however did you train your lashes to curl like that?

An hour later Roland Baxter, lookng into the wonderful violet eyes beneath those same curling lashes, immediately decided that eyes, lashes and the owner thereof had dropped straight from heaven.

The Baxter maid was standing in he private hallway of the Baxter apartment explaining to Polly Hess that Mrs. Baxter was not yet up. Would Miss Hess call later in the lay? Mrs. Baxter expected to be home ill afternoon.

And at this instant the eldest scion of the house of Baxter added earnesty: "You'll surely find her here about 4. Do come back. She would be sorry o miss you."

Then by exerting all his will power ie managed to stand perfectly still ind watch the violet eyed angel take er departure.

Polly Hess walked through the harp November air, feeling oddly bevildered.

"It must have been the place, and her name is Baxter, but I'm afraid her prices are way beyond me. She must be dreadfully smart, and I suppose she has to go out late to theaers and things to see the styles, but she ought to be up by 10 o'clock. Maybe she has a good forewoman. Anyhow, I am coming back. Dear me, it must be lovely to be able to

At 3:50 Roland Baxter strolled into his mother's drawing room. The tea Still conceiving himself the victim of things were arranged on a convenient a dream, he again went to sleep. It able, but the afternoon lowered, and

cent the dressmaker makes you help

"Anything wrong at the office, Ro-

land?" she inquired. "No. Just thought I'd knock off. It's a hideous afternoon downtown, He sprang out of bed, trembling all and pretty, women around a tea table can make you forget the worst weath-

> His astute mother was for on e nonplused. Roland a willing sacrifice on the altar of her afternoon tea table! And then the maid announced Miss

"Oh, dear!" mourned Mrs. Baxter as she laid down her magazine. "I wonler what charity she represents."

Polly Hess paused, bewildered, in the doorway. Then, with a laugh tinged with dismay and just a little

"Oh, now I know there is something wrong. Please, please forgive me. I've made such a dreadful mistake." Mrs. Baxter stood midway between

her chair and her flushed guest. "Perhaps if you would explain"-"Yes, do let me explain. I was

looking for a dressmaker, and Mrs. "Mrs. Graves! Do not say another

word. I can say it for you. Mrs. Graves admired a new frock I was showing her yesterday. She asked me for the address of my dressmaker. You asked her about a dressmaker, last reached the coffin and wrenched and she gave you my address when off the lid. Jones shricked. His wife she thought she was giving you the dressmaker's. That's just like her."

The two women laughed in concert and then suddenly paused. Both had caught the rumble of masculine laughter and realized that Roland had risen and was standing, altogether expectant in attitude and expression.

"My son, Miss- Do tell me your name and stop for a cup of tea," murmured Mrs. Baxter, eager to relieve the girl's embarrassment. "Miss Hess? My son. Roland, light the alcohol stove and ring for some of that strawberry jam you love."

Mrs. Baxter meant only to undo the mischief wrought by her voluble and inaccurate friend, but in a few minutes she was sincerely interested in her charming if unexpected guest.

They had mutual friends in Denver, and Polly's great-grandfather and Mrs. Baxter's great-uncle had fought in the same regiment during the war of 1812. So it happened that Roland Baxter was just wondering whether the amprosia of the gods and strawberry

jam sandwiches were interchangeable erms when somewhere far off a soft hime struck five times.

With the exquisite flush which was ne of her best points Polly sprang to

"You've been so perfectly charming, Mrs. Baxter, that I've lost all track of ime, and now it must be quite dark." Mrs. Baxter was bending her head

n listening attitude. "Roland, that sounds like sleet. It must be storming."

Young Baxter hastened to the window and uttered an exclamation of

"The worst ever. You can't think of going out in it, Miss Hess." "Oh, but I must! Please telephone for a cab. Mother will be so anxious." Baxter rang up the nearest cab sta-

"What's that? You wouldn't send a horse out in this storm? Are you running an animal society or a transpor tation line?"

Brief silence, then a prolonged whistle, and the receiver was hung up with decision.

"No venturing out for you, Miss Hess," he remarked, with unconcealed satisfaction. "It's a blizzard, the sort we usually get in February, and it's been tying up the town while we've been drinking tea."

"Oh, but I must. Mother will worry. Whatever shall I do?"

Polly's cheeks were pale now, and her dimples had faded.

"Do, my dear? Why, we will telephone your mother before the wires are down," interrupted Mrs. Baxter. "I trust your grocer and butcher beat the blizzard, and if you will be my guest until the storm is over"-Impulsive Polly sprang forward and

clasped the hand of her hostess. "You are so splendid. I wish I could say what I feel"— And then, catching the light of a pair of hazel eyes watching her above the telephone book, she said "Oh!" very suddenly and turned

her face the other way. It was 11. The couple from the floor below who had come up for a game of whist had taken their departure. Mrs. Baxter was making the rounds of her apartment to be sure that all was fast against the storm, which still raged furiously. Polly and Roland stood in the round buy window looking down

the storm blocked boulevard. "What a cruel thing a big storm is!" said Polly.

"Not this storm. I think it is the finest old blizzard that ever blizzed." He tried hard to look into her eyes. If I could just tell you what this olizzard means to me"-

He had been drawing her toward him with his glance, but now she drew back and summoned all her dimples,

"Please, please, not now, not here. It is your house, you see, and I'd have o be polite." "Don't you want to be polite?" urged

Roland, Baxter significantly. "I don't know. Oh, you are not play-

ng fair. It's so soon"-"Nothing of the sort," interrupted Roland recklessly. "It happened at 10 clock this morning. I remember the chimes ringing just as I looked into

your eyes for the first time." And again Polly Hess said "Oh!" which, oddly enough, seemed to satisfy per companion, for he dropped the heavy curtains, blotting out all sight of the raging elements, and drew her back into the circle of crimson shaded. lamplight.

Cannibal Cows.

the pretty teacher, "I want you all to write a composition on the cow. You know what a cow is. You know that a cow gives us all the milk we drink. Now, write me something original about the cow as you know her, nothing commonplace." It would take several pages to print the results, but there is room for at least one composition by a girl of seven:

"A cow is a quadruped having four legs and four feet. She gives milk and sometimes has horns, but not always. The cow's baby is called a calf and sometimes bossy. When a cow talks she lows. A cow with horns can hook, but a cow without horns is helpless. A cow is a carnivorous animal when she has a chance, but she ordinarily eats grass, if there is any. A cow is a cannibal if you let her alone, for she will eat her own kind."

The horrifled teacher exclaimed: "Sallle May, where on earth did you get the idea, the ridiculous idea, that a cow is carnivorous and a cannibal? You meant to say that a cow is herbivorous or graminivorous."

"No, teacher. I read it in the Holy Bible. Don't you remember there were seven fine fat cows feeding near a brook and seven lean and hungry cows came and ate them up? See Genesis

Teacher reserved decision.—New York

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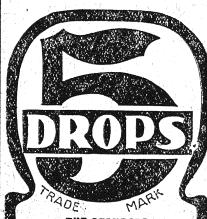
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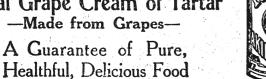
J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY,

CHICAGO, ILL



The Only Baking Powder Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

-Made from Grapes-A Guarantee of Pure,



COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Continued from first page.

ordinance relative to removal of snow from sidewalks. Attorney Corkins was present and submitted draft of Hallack. ordinance for approval. Moved by Nettleton supported by Benkelman that Ordinance Number 31, relative to the removal of snow from sidewalks be accepted and adopted. Yeas Nays-Striffler and Hallack

on cost of 668 feet of ditch on Sanilac that hereafter assessors should be street as completed, to be \$601.20 or a rate of 90 cents per foot.

After some discussion concerning tion of such matters. delinquent subscribers of light and water service, it was moved by Striffler supported by Nettleton that to be accepted and that an order be all bills and accounts sixty (60) days drawn on treasurer for the amount repast due for electric light and water commended. Motion carried. service and for all supplies for electric light and water service, including by Hallack council adjourned.

M. C. Wickware, Clerk.

LINER COLUMN

Advertisements inserted under this heading at a rate of one-half cent a word for each insertion; minimum charge, 10 cents.

A 126-acre farm for sale, 114 miles west of Cass City. For particulars see J. W. Eno. Cass City, Mich. 1-29-

240 ACRES of land, 3½ miles west of Bad Axe:
extra good frame house; good outside
buildings; wire fences; 3 good wells; \$40 an
acre; all extra good land and 120 acres is fine
for sugar beets. All cleared but 20 acres;
farm never rented. Enquire of A. A. McKenzie. 1-1-

.136 ACRE farm, three miles east of Cass City for sale. Also residence, barn and lot or Garfield avenue. Enquire at W. W. Bender's more for further particulars and price. 11-20

BROOD mare 8 years old for sale; bred to Brooker horse, Enquire at Chronicle office. 1-15-7*

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Holstein bulls-one yearling, and two calves, one months old. Wallace Gilbert, Cass City.

FOUND-A pair of home-made woolen mitts at Cass City Bank. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

FOR SALE—40 acres of land five miles from Cass City; nearly all cleared. Enquire at Chronicle office. 1-29-10*

GOOD buggy for sale. But little used. James MacArthur. 1-29-3pd

GOOD heavy work horse for sale. A. A. Mc-Kenzie. HEAVY work team, weighing about 3,00°, for sale cheap or will exchange for light team. W. L. Ward.

HEAVY team for sale. Also three dogs, Collie and hepherd—one three months old, one five weeks old and one old dog. Martin Anthes.

SPAN Brood Mares for sale. One with foal by Cass City Belgian, weight about 2,400. 1-8-tf Jas. Tuckey.

SMALL BARN for sale. Room for two horses and loft for bay. Mrs. E. Sansburn, cor-ner Houghton and Sherman streets. 1-29-tf SEVEN-ROOM house on Woodland Ave. to rent. Enquire of H. L. McDermott. 12-11-

TWO new and one second hand sewing machines for sale, G. L. Hitchcock. 12-18 WANTED-A quantity of good clover hay. Enquire of O. Y. Schneider, Cass City Dairy Farm.

THREE good cows for sale G. L. Hitchcock

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Jan. 21, 1909

BUYING PRICE-Wheat No. 1, white..... Wheat, No. 2, red. Rye No. 2,.... Oats, new Ohoice HandpickedsBeans...... Peas Eggs, per doz..... Butter, per lb..... Fat cows, live weight, per lb...... Steers, live weight, per lb...... Fat Sheep, live weight, per lb..... Lambs, live weight, per lb.... Live Hogs.... Dressed Hogs..... Chickens..... Ducks..... Geese Turkey.....

Hides, green.... ROLLER MILLS. White Lily, per cwt..... Economy per cwt..... Fanchon per cwt..... Gold Rim, per cwt Graham flour per cwt. Buckwheat Flour, per cwt..... Granulated meal, per cwt..... Feed per cwt Meal per cwt..... Bran per cwt..... Middlings per cwt..... Oil Meal per cwt Cotton Seed Meal, per cwt. Salt, per bbl...... 85 Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich.

President Hays. Roll call with all trustees present except Nettleton and

rived and took their respective seats. -Benkelman, Nettleton and Cald- ported on the James MacArthur matter regarding assessment and recommended that village refund \$8.45 to Supt. Straube submitted a report Mr. McArthur and also recommended very thorough at time of making assessments thereby avoiding a repeti-

> Moved by Benkelman supported by Nettleton that report of committee

> were read and referred to committee

complete..... \$502 57

on dynamo..... 36 43 Ed Kissane, moving dynamo.. P.O. & N. R. R. Co., freight on coal ···· What Cheer Coal M. Co., inv

of 12-19, 29, 30..... 206 21 Cass City P. M. and Mrg. Co., 3 patterns sewer covers.....

12-19 and 24..... 63 24

barrels of cement. Moved by Caldwell supported by Hail that all bills and accounts be allowed as recommended by committee and that orders be drawn on treasurer

Hallack meeting adjourned.

ine in Novesta.

isits old friends in this locality. Lum is now on the world's map, if Richard Sargent. Ladies-Command-

Thirty-nine acres have been secured for attendance by the sugar beet family on the town line. It will require

Mrs. Elmer Bruce, nearly 60 being

We hear that Daniel Ashley and N. B. Daugherty are about trading farms—the ne q of ne q of sec 11 Kingston, for s h of sw q of sec 36,

We advertised last week that Chas. thought it asking too much, but after

1 40 in the White House is \$125,000, fifty sense enough in business ventures to thousand for incidentals. Now if

Minutes of previous meeting were

power house...... W. F. Hayes, salary to 1-1-09... 1-1-09.. W. N. Straube, " 1-1-09... A. A. Brian, hauling coal.....

W. G. Nagel, Elec Co., inv of

Committee reported favorable on all bills and accounts as read except bill of E. A. McGeorge which was recommended to be paid less \$14.00 for 10

for the several amounts. On motion of Striffler supported by

M. C. Wickware, Clerk.

DEFORD.

Branch.

sufficiency. The dredge is nearing the center

Wm. Patch is breaking his colt.

rom George Alward's.

Mrs. Harrison of Antrim county

she has two broken window lights. Mrs. Gowan and Mrs. Brown, daugh-

One of the most successful meetings of the season was held January 21st day. by the W. C. T. U. at the home of present. A program was rendered.

Some farmers who like to make a great splutter out of the ordinary had then tie a bull dog at the door in the horses on the plow January 23rd, shape of returns to drive custom away. then they rolled the eye over the shoulder at passers by as much as to cows from the start so as to not run

at a loss the first year, let us milk At present the cost to keep a man producers show faith in humanity and thousand salary and seventy-five give our contracts to the promoters. 90 fifty thousand more is added, the man | Deford, Mich.

Regular meeting called to order by

read and approved. Trustees Nettleton and Hallack ar-Committee on ways and means re-

The following bills and accounts

P. O. & N. R. R. Co., freight

M. Fordice, 1 day labor at 35 00 John Dickinson, "1-4-09... 35 00 Elias Killins, 87 50

E. A. McGeorge, cement acct 185 86

Mrs. Carrie Leek is visiting at West The January that was more than a

Tis a fine looker. Jesse Sole is drawing home his wood

ters of Wm. Patch, whose homes are near tho Straits, have gone back after | Minnie A. Kennedy; chaplain, Jennie 1 00 a month's visit in this locality.

lively workers or a large family.

DeGroat was pointing toward Detroit. It was a mistake. His brether-in-law went, not Charlie. Mr. DeGroat asks that the correction be made.

say, "Look at me."

John McCracken,

will have to rise earlier, do more jaw-

ng at the trusts to earn his money.

lunch basket with a cookie in it and

some of the famishing round about

were trying to get at the life sus-

Ruby Lee visited in Wilmot over

Mrs. P. Daugherty in Cass City on

G. A. Tindale was in Kingston Mon-

Arch Johnson of Cass City a caller

Mrs. E. R. Lee is spending the week

Frank Roberts left this week for

Arthur Atwell was laboring at the

Mrs. Warner Kelley and son, Archie

were the guests of Mrs. J. Hamilton

necker of Cass City called on Mrs. G.

ciety hall Tuesday after which the

Mrs. G. A. Tindale returned Mon-

lay after a few days' visit with

Mrs. George Roberts returned Wed-

nesday from East Dayton where she

has been visiting her daughter, Mrs.

The Maccabees held a public install-

ation in Society hall Tuesday night.

At the close of the program lunch was

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. E.

gram was rendered and lunch served.

Party at Ed Hartwick's Monday ev-

A. Webster is the new toarder at

A new dray line in town owned and

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parks visited at

Ransom Spencer and family went to

Rev. Beedon will hold the revival

Mrs. C. McArthur and Mrs. A. Cur-

Mrs. Wm. Howey and son, Albert,

visited at the home of Theron Spen-

Daniel Croop; chaplain, Joseph Hack;

sergeant, E. H. Spencer; mistress-at-

arms, George Walker; 2nd master of

guards, George W. Ensley; picket,

er, Pnebe Spencer; lieutenant com-

mander. Ella Spence: record keeper.

Josephine M. Spencer; finance keeper,

G. Sherk: sergeant, Alta Hack; mis-

tress at arms, Zeleigh Ross; sentinel,

Leora I. Gage; picket, Ella Gifford

An enjoyable time is reported by all.

line visited our Sabbath school Sun-

COMMUNICATION.

We understand that the builders of

the cheese factory plant wish farmers

to obligate themselves to send their

milk to the factory for the first year,

then after that time no more solicit-

ing will be necessary. At first we

That the factory may have the 400

Miss Vera Retherford of the town

cer and other relatives last week.

About sixty were present.

operated by E. R. Bruce.

the home of D. Cole Sunday.

clifford Friday to visit relatives.

meetings another week at Wilmot.

ening.

R. Kennedy's.

Saturday evening.

friends and relatives in Cass City.

Detroit where he has employment.

elevator Tuesday and Wednesday.

Sunday.

Thursday.

Thursday.

day on business.

Friday and Saturday.

with Mr. Lee in Memphis.

by the illness of his brother.

A. Tindale Wednesday.

nesday and Thursday.

new officers were installed.

n town Thursday.

GAGETOWN. John and Ham Wooley did business Professor Allen of Plainwell den Bad Axe last week.

clared that strange things would hap-pen during January. '09, and it proves Mrs. Angus Crawford did business true. The idea of Lum being blowed

n Cass City last Saturday. up for money! We heard it suggested The Maccabees installed their offi that the station agent had left his

cers last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jane Gage, who fell down the cellar steps, is able to be around. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kehoe, a son, Monday. Baby is well, but the mother is very low.

Herb Hurd's daughter, Maude, of Flint visited her father last week, who is ill with cancer.

Miss Cecil Turner is staying with her sister, Mrs. Weils, and learning the dressmaking of Mrs. Fitzstephens. Mrs. C. T. Palmerton was in Detroit Tommy Waun, who was operated on in Bad Axe hospital for appendicitis, was able to be moved home on Sunday.

John Williamson moves his family to Ann Arbor this week where his C. J. Malcolm was called to Ontario daughter, May, is attending the uni-

Mrs. Ed Leipprandt of Pigeon visited her sister, Mrs. J. L. Purdy, and attended the Eastern Star meeting

Mrs. Margaret Young, who has been visiting her son, R. Young and family for a week, returned to her home in

Mrs. W. Fallis and Miss Mary Zin- Flint last week. Mrs. Sarah Gifford, who was here to attend the Eastern Star meeting, re-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodge of Caro turned to her home in Bancroft last

visited at the home of A. Bruce Wed- Friday morning. Mrs. W. H. Kellogg, who has been the gnest of her brother and sister, for a few days, returned to her home in Sebewaing last Saturday.

The Gleaners served dinner in Society hall Tuesday after which the the Case City Roller Mills. spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. for a few days, returned to her home

the Cass City Roller Mills.

OWENDALE.

C. H. Turner has gone to Detroit. S. E. Newman at Caro on Thursday. Owendale building boom still grows

in proportion. Mrs. Elmer Scheufelt went to Detroit on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. T. Purdy of Caro is spending a few days in town. Harry Parker of Caro was here on

business Thursday. Some of our citizens were "court-

R. Bruce Thursday. A musical proing" at Bad Axe last week. Wm. Armstrong has his new barn completed, thanks to the January

> Under ordinary circumstances these long walks in the country would be deemed a hardship-how is it Stanley? Gideon and George Finkle are attending the funeral of their uncle,

> Jake Finkle, at North Branch. Small attendance at the special meetings in the M. E. church due to bad roads. Good interest is manimeetings in the M. E. church due to bad roads. Good interest is manifested.

H. E. Lee, who has been assisting is uncle, C. E. Lee, in his store for everal months, has returned to his his uncle, C. E. Lee, in his store for is were callers in Cass City Saturday. several months, has returned to his Mrs. C. Palmerton made a business home in Detroit. Mrs. Striffler of Cass City and her trip to Detroit Friday, returning on prother, Leonard Benkelman, mother Saturday evening.

W. C. T. U. met Thursday evening with our hardware merchant and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce.

Mrs. Wm. Howey and son, Albert,

tain Mercury. cer and other relatives last week.

The Sir Knight and Lady Maccabees installed their officers at a public installation Tuesday evening, January 19th. A short program was given after which light refreshments were served. The following officers were installed: Sir Knights—Commander, James W. Spencer; lieutenant commander, 'Wm. A. Parks; record keeper, Josiah R. Lewis; finance keeper, Daniel Croop; chaplain, Joseph Hack;

ELMWOOD.

No need to leave Michigan for fine weather just at present. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Hartwick on January 16th. J. Leishman and I. Waidley were in Caro on business on Thursday.

W. W. Hargraves' had a progressive pedro party one evening last week. F. J. Hendrick has had a lame wrist and unable to work much the

Mrs. Ros Webster visited her daughter. Mrs. R. Hilliker, in Ellington

part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodge of Caro visited at the home of J. M. Dodge a few days last week. James Walters and son, Wesley,

went to Bay City Wednesday to purchase a new woodsaw. Wes Webster, who has been visiting his brother here for some time, re-

considering, we say yes, we will con- turned to his home near Saginaw this sent without fear of anything but week. fair treatment, for no man or set of Floyd Stone, while handling logs men can afford to put up a building last week, had a log roll on his foot. and equip the same with the necessary He was lucky to escape with only

machinery for making cheese and slight injuries. We understand Willie Ware has purchased a barn near Caro and will move it to his farm here when the roads get good again.

If You Are a Trifle Sensitive

About the size of your shoes, it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by sprinkling Allen's Foot-Ease into them. Just the thing for Patent Deather Shoes, and for breaking in New Shoes. Sold Everywhere, 25c.



12 Dollars 12

SPECIAL SALE THIS WEEK ON

Over Coats Men's Good Fur Coats for \$12. A few Ladies' Fur Coats left

> ¶ Lot of Boy's Over Coats at 1-2 price.

that will go at a bar-

gain. Men's Kersey.

Chinchila and Mon-

tana at 1-4 off.

.. The MODEL.. CLOTHING & SHOE CO.

kemoval Sale

Of New and Second Hand Stoves and winter goods goes on sale at a sacrifice in price that will startle and surprise. This will be a rare opportunity to purchase the goods at prices unheard of heretofore....

One Second hand air tight Peninsular Heater for any kind of fuel, cost new 4 years ago \$24.00, going at \$10.98 good as new Second hand Retort Peninsular heater in first class condition cost new two years ago \$22, going at.... \$7.98

Second hand Round Oak Heater for wood or soft coal in A. No. 1 condition, cost new \$18 00, going at......\$7.98 If you were to look at the three above mentioned stoves you would not know they were second hand, not a

Only one Second hand Bement Oak heater in good condi-Only one Second hand Enterprise Oak heater in good con-

Only one Second hand Art Garland base burner, size 14 good Only one Second hand Round Oak Cook stove No. 9 in first class condition at..... \$10.98 Only one New Peninsular heater for any kind of fuel regu-

lar price \$25 going at..... \$20.00 Only one New Peninsular Heater for any kind of fuel regular price \$12 now......\$9.98 Square horse blankets 20 per cent off from regular price.

This unequaled offer of values does not allow you to hesitate. Take advantage while the stock lasts.

Stall horse blankets 10 per cent off from regular price.

EHLERS & NIQUE, ENERAL HARDWARE. SHABBONA, : MICHIGAN.

ARGYLE.

Mr. Badgero is quite ill at this writ- the week. ng.

Mary Sandham is in Detroit where she has secured a position. M. Mark of Deckerville transacted ousiness in town on Friday.

Dan McNaughton purchased a horse from Earl Herdell on Saturday. Mrs. John McPhail visited her uncle-

Don Herdell dislocated his arm while skating on the ice one day last

John Waldon near Cass City last Fri-

Mr. and Mrs. Udell of Amadon were the gueste of Mrs. A. McLachlan on Monday.

week.

ville visited relatives here the first of The L. O. T. M. M. installed their

officers last Thursday at the home of

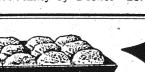
Miss Kittle Langenburg left on Monday for Lansing, where she will take a business course. Charles McCarty has purchased a

Mrs. George Morrison.

farm near Sandusky and now offers his blacksmith shop and residence for Mrs. Neil McPhail daughter Cassie attended the silver wedding of Mr.

and Mrs. John McPhail at Wickware

on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Linas Walker are visiting their son Milton. Word was received here on Monday that Mr. Wal-John Austin and family oy Decker-ker has pneumonia and is quite ill.



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