T. H. & S. FAIR IS IN Bits of News About It

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The most important factor on the first day of the fair was an all day a novelty base bali game. rain. Two weeks ago we pitied Caro, last week our sympathies went out to the people at Bad Axe and the State fair, and on Tuesday our sympathies stayed right at home. We had rightfully hoped Cass City might be spared the shedding of tears and be able to Oxford Downs. They are fine. enjoy the best kind of fair weather. But such is life. However, on Wednesday things changed for the better. and the drooping spirits of the fair sow. officials and those of the exhibitors began to revive. As we go to press the weather looks promising and everybody is expected at the fair today and tomorrow. All things considered the fair averages up to the one of last year. The various departments are well represented and the Axe. Chronicle scribe, while making a round was enabled to pick up the fol- go round and such attractions fascinlowing items in regard to the doings ate both young and old and are an of the fair. The premium list will be essential part of the fair. given in full in next week's issue.

stand.

I. K. Reid has a fine Jersey bull on exhibition.

The dining hall is managed by Marvin Eastman.

L. Kennedy is showing a fine two year-old mare.

John Wheeler has six head of

horses at the fair Hiram Bearss is conducting a re-

freshment stand. Rev. R. Weaver has entered his

roadster in class 10. Kline and Skinner of Caro are yelling candies and cigars.

Lewis Haskell of Lapeer is running a candy and cigar stand.

The enlarged grand stand is greatly appreciated by the crowds.

O. S. Smith of Port Huron fools the boys with his cow bell game.

Asa Lockwood of Caro pleases the

children with his merry-go-round. Ben Smith is head push at the Out-

water candy and refreshment stand.

vears exhibit.

W. A. Calbeck, the veteran Caro who has a record of 2:34.

Kees wire rope performers were the 2 Victorias and 10 Berkshire swine.

attraction on Wednesday. W. C. Mackay of Detroit is manipulating a cigar spindle, which will be

an eye-opener to some people. The poultry tent as usual is full of well bred fowls. The quality

rather better than previous years. Anderson & Messner and Elias Mc-

The band made its first appearance on Wednesday afternoon. The boys make a fine appearance in their new

John Elliott of Kingston has a fine Jersey exhibit, one bull two cows, one yearling heifer, one calf and fourteen

Berkshire swine. John Pettinger has on exhibition one driving mare, a two-year-old

horse and four Berkshire swide. He

expects to win some prizes. attraction. It is pretty well filled up | year-old colt; Thos. Hennesey, one vegetables. The corn exhibit is not mare and foal; Richard Parr, a span as large as last year. There is a splen- of carriage horses; Andrew Muntz, did variety of apples and roots which one brood mare and colt; Jas. Pryke, are exceptionally good.

COUNCIL MEETING.

meeting was presided over by President Heller. There was present and W. I. Frost, to receive bids for councilmen J. H. Striffier, Wm. J. the erection of the tower. The fol-Campbell, F. C. Lee and G. A. Strif- lowing special police were appointed fler. The clerk read the minutes of for the fair grounds: W. I. Frost, N. the previous meeting and the same Gable and John Zinnecker. For the were adopted. The usual batch of village: C. D. Striffler, John Wooley, bills were audited and ordered paid.

Commissioner Straube's monthly report showed the following receipts: Light service \$230.71 Light supplies Two tanks of water One car of coal 95.38 J. S. McArthur 1.75Lamps C. C. house

Total \$331.35 Chief Benkelman submitted plans

The Lion Coffee Co., is represented by Geo. D. Liles of Toledo.

H. H. Leyard of Pontiac is stunting

O. E. Thomas of Caro is coining

money with his snake show. Abraham Boulton has entered five

Alexander Marshall is showing 16

fine Shropshires. They are winners. Wm. Little is showing two sows About 10 o'clock the sun broke forth with pigs, two boars and one young

> J. L. Hitchcock & Sons are represented by a fine line of hardware and

One of the first of the fast horses to arrive here on Monday was Temple Hope, owned by Chas. Noble of Bad

It goes without saying that a merry-

Ephriam Knight is one of the fore J. J. Carpenter of Caro runs a candy most breeders of sheep. He has 25 Lincoln sheep also four Poland China swine and six horses on exhibition.

> F. L. Terry has a fine lot of swine at the fair. At the State fair he captured the following prizes: One 2nd on aged boar, one 1st on yearling boar, one 2nd on aged sow, one 2nd on herd.

> with a fine lot of Jerseys, four bulls, four cows and three calves. They took two first and one second premiums at the State fair and sold three bull calves. They are well pleased with their showing.

The booths occupied by McArthur & Turner, A. H. Ale & Co., Mrs. G. W. Goff, H. T. Elliott and the Carsonville Robe Tannery Co., make a pretty appearance. Everything is artistically arranged and is duly appreciated by the sightseers.

Mrs. E. G. Fancher, Mrs. D. J. Landon and A, A. P. McDowell are the well known florists in this community. All have excellent flower and plant exhibits. Mrs. Fancher's display of foliage plants and several The fancy work corner in Floral varieties of begonias, chrysanthehall compares favorable with last mums and cut flowers show up to good advantage.

Murphy Bros. are well known breedhorseman, is on hand with Jennie W. ers of stock and always move in the winning class. Their exhibit com-The Rexoes, fancy skaters, and the prises 24 Oxford Downs, 2 Leicesters, They took first premiums on the Victoria and Berkshire classes at the State fair and in order to keep to the front they purchased two fine Berkshires, one boar and a sow.

> Chas. Karr's experience at the state fair was anything but pleasant. He expected to receive several first premcows and three bulls. He sold one bull at the Pontiac fair for \$800. He has one three year old heifer that astically "He is alright." weighs 1800 pounds which stood first in the Michigan class of 18 cows. P. R. Rakill from Peeswater, Ont., is taking care of the herd.

The following farmers have entered horses in the various classes: Frank Nast, a brood mare and colt; George Moden, a 3-year-old general purpose horse; W. F. Hays, one 4-year-old gelding; Frank Dillman, one span of agricultural geldings; Geo. Ackerman The agricultural hall is a center of heads of Clydesdales; Ira Reid, a oneone brood mare and colt.

for a hose tower and a committee of Last Monday evening the council three were appointed, consisting of Chief Benkelman, Warren Schenck W. I. Frost, Mr. Geitgey and Angus McGillyray

The Electrician was authorized to purchase 200 feet of double jacket hose and 100 feet of linen unlined .20 hose. The council adjourned.

To rent a house located about half way between the school house and the station. G. G. BEEBE, Station Agent.



SENATOR R. A. ALGER

ALGER NOW SENATOR

Saigeon & Son are well represented Gov. Bliss Appointed Him Saturday, and General Has Accepted.

D. M. Ferry Had Announced His Withdrawal in Favor of General Alger.

The Acceptance.

The Appointment.

Saginaw, Michigan, Sept. 27, 1902. Gen. Russell A. Alger,

Detroit, Michigan: I hereby tender you the appointment of United States sen- 🖇 ator from Michigan to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late senator, Hon. James

A. T. BLISS, Governor. (Signed).

Detroit, Sept. 29, 1902.

Gov. A. T. Bliss,

Saginaw, Michigan: I duly received your telegram

of 27th inst. tendering me the appointment of United States senator to succeed the late Senator McMillan. With a deep sense of responsibility and the honor, I accept the appointment with many thanks.

R. A. ALGER.

Gen. R. A. Alger succeeds the late James McMillan as United States senator from Michigan, the appointment having been tendered by Gov. Bliss last enterprising citizens of the place have Saturday night. The honor came as a complete surprise to Gen. Alger at taken steps to incorporate the village. account of the inclement weather midnight in the form of a telephone message from the governor, who told him that he had telegraphed the tender of the appointment.

to make other than to express his deep appreciation, and say that he would the right direction and will be the as large as usual, but what it lacked The implement department is rep- jums but only got thirds. He has a probably accept. He formally acknowledged the tender of the high office and means of bringing about necessary im- in quantity it made up in quality, as resented by Striffler & McDermott, fine lot of Durhams at the fair, five accepted the appointment last Monday. When the news was made known in provements and enable its citizens to a number of pure-bred animals were Cass City everybody was happy. One man on the street said, "What's the matter with Alger?" and several men standing near by answered enthusi-

Mr. Alger is today the foremost citizen of this state. His comrades of the G. A. R. are shouting his praises. His military record is of the very best. He helped raise a cavalry company at the outbreak of the war, became captain of a splendid troop of cavalry, and everywhere and all the time, showed the highest courage, dash and zeal, so that in the course of years of hard fighting and constant service, he rose to the rank of colonel and brevet majorgeneral. He has made a splendid record in civil life. He has been among the foremost in building up the great state of Michigan, and no man stands higher in the esteem of the people of the state. He has been governor of the state, and his administration was very successful. He was Secretary of War under McKinley, until forced out by the senseless and baseless clamors of the of Elkton makes a big show with 13 yellows, to which McKinley unwisely yielded.

His appointment is a God-send and his friends all over the country rejoice over the victory. Gov. Bliss' action in the matter is creditable and is meetwith all kinds of fruits, grains and yearling, two roadsters, one brood ing with the approval of the people of Michigan.

THE BEAN CROP RUINED.

The farmers in this vicinity feel decidedly blue this week on account of the continued wet weather which has nearly ruined the bean crop. At best the crop would have been below the average this year but the rain of have been abandened entirely or be- to them in their new venture. come so foul with weeds that the yield will be light. The probable yield of A large new line of skirts at Mrs. the bean crop, as compared with an G. W. Goff's.

average is, in the southern counties 66 in the central counties 66, in the northern counties 78 and in the State

A NEW STOCK FIRM.

last and this week have spoiled the have been closely connected with Cass crop to such an extent that it is hard- City's business interests for several ly worth harvesting. It is estimated years, have formed a partnership for "soiled-winged butterflies," he was ceive a \$60 buggy after having sold that the loss in this vicinity alone the purpose of buying and selling pursued by rufflans and in a dark four coupons for \$3.75 each to other will amount to \$50,000. The Michi-stock. They completed their arrangegan crop report for September, which ments this week by purchasing the avoiding unpleasant company, was buggy in like matter and for a like was issued a week ago is as follows: Frank Pitcher place, 60 acres which shot at several times, the bullets sum. The defendants in this case "The bean crop this year will, in most lies adjoining the depet grounds." cases, be far below the average. On This farm will be utilized for stock County Herald referring to the af- court said that thay were legally light soil, where the rain did not do purposes for which it is well adapted. fair says: "It is supposed that some bound to pay the note. The decision so much damage and where it was The Fairweathers are hustlers and possible to cultivate, the yield will be having had previous experience in his address, hired the thugs to shoot with interest. fair: but on low, flat land many fields stock buying, it will be of great value

Tri=County Happenings

Newsy Items Concerning the People of Huron, Sanilac and Tuscola Counties

Caro Dam A Failure—

The Ox Bow dam which was recenty built by Chas. Montague, sprung a leak last week. The structure was moved about eight feet from the center, and it is feared the entire dam will have to be rebuilt.

s Consolidated-

ter in Huron county's political fight Sanilac Cenre. has been brought to a close.

was entered by burglars last Sunday week and it was decided to secure the night and they made away with the right-of-way for an electric road from doctor's watch and about five dollars Sebewaing to Harbor Beach by way in money. The following morning of Bad Axe. A committee consisting the doctor found his trousers and vest of W. O. Smith, Fred Kroll and Wm. in the yard where the thief had left F. Schmitt was appointed and enough

The Courier is Booming-

organ of Tuscola county, but in spite of this, it is expanding and is feeling the effects of these good Republican times. Last week a large newspaper Burglars Got Littleand book press and a new Dexter folder was added to its already fine office equippment.

Stores To Close Early-

Caro's merchants have taken steps o bring about early closing of their stores. About sixty business men and their clerks assembled at the Hotel Montague last week and appointed a committee to draft a constitution and it is expected that the closing movement will soon be a reality and after 7:30 local time no business house in Caro will be open for business during the winter.

Temperance Hotel a Failure—

Lexington News to say: "This is the Monday for the Pt. Huron district: usual fate of temperance hotels and District elder, M. Devoist, Owosso; temperance newspapers. A few years Memphis and Richmond, S. H. Porterago big delegations from this state field; Marine City mission, F L. Benattended a temperance convention in nett, supply; Kimball, B. H. Bartlett, Chicago. Did they patronize the supply; Yale and Ball, D. D. Marston; temperance hotels of that city? Not Sanilac Centre, M. E. Howard; Harmuch! Not any! They crowded the bor Beach and Deleware, Bion Voorhotels that sold liquor, especially the Palmer House, that realized every Ubly and Meade, A. Tice; Wilmot and

Pigeon to Incorporate—

Winsor, Huron county, is one of the Hoyt; supernumerary, I. J. Mudge. hustling towns in the Thumb. The Rain Spoiled The Fair-An application will be made to the which prevailed during the entire Board of Supervisors at their coming week. The Democrat says: "The The honor came so unexpectedly to Gen. Alger that he had little comment session Oct. 15th. This is a step in exhibit of swine and sheep was not regulate the saloon business which is shown. The live stock department being conducted on a "wide open" contained a greater number of horses policy.

At Low Ebb .-

The Reese Review bemoans the religious condition of that town as fol- county are a progressive lot and are lows: "The Protestant religion in raising only the best stock. The ex-Reese seems to be at a low ebb just at hibit of vegetables, canned goods and present. The Baptist church has fruits was very good. In the departbeen closed for over a year. Now the ments of ladies' handiwork there was Detroit M. E. conference has put the Reese and Watrousville churches namental articles. under one pastor. This arrangement will of course give this part of the work services but half of the time. It is needless to say that this does not please the majority of the church." Possibly the people of Reese have become gospel hardened and are in need

Travels a Rocky Road-

him. There are a number of lowlived cusses in this town who can be hired to commit any crime from Ale & Co., all parties owing me will blackmail to murder for a few dol- please settle by October 15, 1902.

Thumb Fair Dates—

Sanilac Centre, Oct. 7-10. Capac fair Oct. 7-10 North Branch, Oct. 8-10 Elkton, Oct. 7-9

Farmers' Institutes—

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Sanilac County The Huron County Republican Farmers' Institute society it was dewhich was started about three years cided to hold, the coming winter, one ago has been consolidated with the day meetings of the Farmers' Insti-Huron County Tribune, published by tute at Croswell, Snover and Minden John Maywood. Thus another chap- City, and the two days' wind-up at

Sebewaing Wants an Electric Road-

The Sebewaing papers state that a The home of Dr. Coxe of Mayville | meeting of business men was held last money has already been raised to meet all expenses. The committee The Caro Courier is the Democratic guarantee that they will do all in their power to rush matters, and it is hoped that before long cars will be running on the proposed road.

About 3 o'clock Tuesday morning burglars entered the residence of John Wright at Vassar. The first intimation Wright had was when the light flashed in his face and he saw a man standing by the bed who in a gruff voice demanded his money. Wright told him he had none and the burglar, who was masked, threatened to shoot Wright if he moved and then ransacked the drawers. He obtained a few pennies and left, carrying away with him Wright's pants, which were found this morning about twenty rods from Wright's house.

Free Methodist Appointments-

At the East Free Methodist confer-The only temperance hotel in Sanilence held at Elsie, Michigan, the follac Centre has failed. This leads the lowing appointments were made on hees; Snover and Argyle, E. B. Call year from its bar a profit of \$100,000.' Evergreen, I. M. McMillan; East Vassar, J. D. Bullock; Mayville, Charles Pigeon, situated in the township of Caswell; Saginaw mission, W. H.

The Bad Axe fair was a failure on and cattle than is usually exhibited and the large number of thoroughbred horses, cows and bulls exhibited demonstrates that the farmers of Huron a beautiful display of useful and or-

Endless Chain Buggy Scheme-

The Sanilac Co. Republican says: Attorney H. O. Babcock has just taken to the supreme court upon records and briefs, the case of the Bank of F. W. Hubbard, at Bad Axe, against Paul Freiburger and Jacob Meredith, of Argyle. This is a case of peculiar interest in-as-much as it Rev. Sam Bettes, the pugilistic involves the validity of considerable preacher, who is well known through- business that has been done in Saniout the Thumb country, has troubles lac, Huron and Tuscola counties in all of his own wherever he goes. Re- the past two years on the endless H. B. and W. A. Fairweather, who cently at Clarksville, W. Va., at the chain plan. In this instance it was a conclusion of a street speech in which note for \$15, given by Freiburger and he scored the officials, gamblers and Meredith, for which they were to realley, which he sought as a means of parties, each of whom would receive a whistling past his ears. The Harrison | didn't receive the buggy but the lower of the people whom he hit so hard in of the Supreme Court will be awaited

Please Settle Up.

As I have sold my business to A. H.

H. B. FAIRWEATHER.

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Earthly Music but an Earnest Of the Music of Heaven

By Right Rev. C. N. MATZ, Bishop of Denver



HERE IS NOTHING GIVEN TO US TO EN-JOY IN THIS WORLD THAT IS AS BEAU-TIFUL AS MUSIC. It is an echo of paradise, and if our music is so entrancing, so powerful in its effect on the human mind, what must be the music of

heaven? If the music of earth in this land of exile, where, like the children of Israel sitting by the rivers of Babylon, our harps are mute with sorrow and the accents of joy are but too often drowned in the flood of despair; IF EVEN HERE IN THIS VALLEY OF TEARS THE MUSIC OF OUR EXILE CAN CONJURE OUR TEARS AND CAST US INTO ECSTASIES OF DELIGHT, WHAT MUST THE MUSIC OF HEAVEN BE?

The Dominant Forces of England and America

By Dr. MICHAEL ERNEST SADLER, Foremost British Educator



WENTY years and more of education on modern lines seem to the traveler from Europe to have given to the United States a strong type of keen witted, hardworking, self controlled young men and a very influential and public spirited multitude of college women. We in England thankfully recognize the same

types in our own midst, but the numbers and the influence of these younger men and women seem to me to be relatively greater here than with us. HERE, IT SEEMS TO ME, THE YOUNG MAN IS HAVING HIS INNINGS. With us the older men-hale, respected, but just a little cautious—are still at the wickets, adding to their long score.

TALENTED WOMEN AND MARRIAGE

By GRACE NOBLE, Author



CULTIVATED talent demands a man's respect, although he may be averse to showing it. IF THE WORKER HAS THE FAITH OF THE ONE WHOM SHE LOVES, SHE FEELS A MEN-TAL STIMULATION THAT MAKES ALL LA-BORS A PRIDE AND A DELIGHT.

WHEN AMBITIOUS YOUNG WOMEN MARRY, THEY SHOULD CHOOSE MEN WHO ARE IN SYMPATHY WITH THEIR TALENTS AND WHO WILL HELP INSTEAD OF RETARD THEM IN THEIR ARTISTIC PROGRESS.

Even if women do not reach the pinnacle of fame in the continuation of their work, they are safely prepared should necessity demand its practical use.

Not Quite the Same.

Slight mistakes in speaking a foreign language or in understanding it when some one else speaks it are commonly nothing more than amusing, but a member of the Alpine club mentions an instance of a more serious nature. He was climbing one of the Alps with a guide, who persisted in talking bad English instead of indifferent French.

"My guide," he says, "had just crossed a snow bridge over a wide crevasse and turned to await me on the farther side. I asked him if it was weak. He answered, 'No strong.'

"Naturally I attempted to walk across it instead of crawling. I had almost reached the other side when the bridge gave way, and after a delirious scramble to save myself I subsided helplessly into the crevasse.

"However, I did not go far, and when

neck and up my arms and in all my pockets, I discovered that my friend had meant 'Not strong.' I strongly entoined him to reserve his English henceforth for use in the valleys."-Exchange

Book Plates.

The affixing of the book plate completes in a certain manner difficult to describe, which most book lovers must readily recall, the subtle joy of book possession. And inasmuch as once pasted in the label becomes an integral part of a cherished volume, it is in all but rare cases meant to be in itself a thing of definite beauty. Here is one of the many interests offered by a book plate to the collector.

A defective memory and a guilty conscience are not synonymous, but I had crawled out, with snow down my closely attached.—St. Louis Star.

Lesson I, Fourth Quarter, International Series, Oct. 5.

Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1902, by American Press Association.] 1, 2. The Lord spake unto Joshua, the son of Nun, Moses' minister.

This is to me the heart of these two verses and of the whole lesson and of the whole Bible-the Lord hath spoken. Note the thrilling words in Isa. i, 2, "Hear, O heavens, and give ear, O earth, for the Lord hath spoken," and compare Deut. xxxii, 1; Ps. l, 1; Heb. i, 1, 2. In Isa. lxvi, 2, we learn that the man whom the Lord regards with favor is the man with a poor and contrite spirit, who trembles at His word, not those who with the boldness of the devil dispute and criticise and minimize His word. Reiterating the assurance that He had given the land to Israel, He bids Joshua as their leader to arise and cross over Jordan. God is their leader, Joshua His servant. 3, 4. Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon that have I given

unto you, as I said unto Moses. And again He defines the boundary as in Gen. xv, 18. The purposes of God are, like Himself, eternal. His counsel stands, and He does all His pleasure (Eph. iii, 11; Ps. xxxiii, 11; Isa. xlvi, 10). He who from all eternity saw just what He would do and when He would do it desires men and women who will let Him work in them both to will and to do, having no plans, ambitions or aims, but just to be good clay in the loving and all wise potter's hands, believing His every word or, in the language of this passage, taking possession of all that He savs is yours.

5. As I was with Moses so I will be with thee. I will not fail thee nor forsake thee. Joshua had seen as Moses' minister some of the Lord's dealings with him and he would doubtless feel that this gracious assurance covered all he could possibly need or desire. Unto all Israel and to Joshua Moses had given very similar words of encouragement (Deut. xxxi, 6-8), but now God Himself speaks to His servant Joshua as He had previously spoken to him by Moses, and the words are the same as we shall see in these following verses. Some say, "Oh, if I could only hear God speak to me!" not believing that in His word He is as truly speaking to them as if they heard an audible voice from heaven.

6, 7. Only be thou strong and very cour-

See this command repeated in each of these verses, with the assurance that what God had sworn to do He would accomplish through Joshua. So there was nothing for Joshua to do but to believe and go obediently forward. He had no strength, but God who sent him had all strength, and Joshua had learned or was learning to say, "In the Lord have I righteousness and strength," and that it was his privilege to "be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might" (Isa. xlv, 24; Eph. vi. 10). There is much comfort in the assurance of Ps. xxix, 11, "The Lord will give strength unto His people, the Lord will bless His people with peace,'

8. This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth, but thou shalt meditate therein day and night.

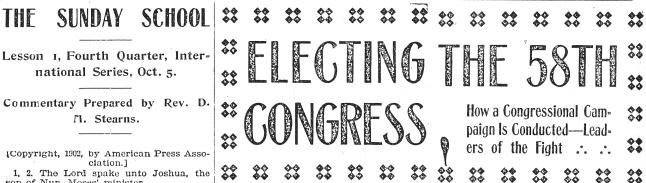
The first two psalms which form a preface to the whole book of Psalms. or, rather, to the five books of Psalms, begin with "Blessed is the man" and end with "Blessed are all they that put their trust in Him." The life of the godly man as set forth in the First Psalm was fully manifest in the man of Nazareth, the Lord Jesus Christ, and was never fully manifest in any other. Yet every redeemed person should manifest that same life as fully as possible. The life of Jesus should be seen in us (II Cor. iv, 10, 11). This can only be as we let His word dwell in us richly and meditate on it continually and are able to say, "Oh, how love I Thy law, it is my meditation all the day" (Ps. exix, 97). He has said that if we love Him we will keep His word (John xiv, 23), and the only place to

keep it is in our hearts. 9. Have not I commanded thee? strong and of a good courage. Be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed, for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

The assurance that God sends us and that He is with us covers everything. It is the greatest that mortals can have. It was God's encourage ment to Moses, and now to Joshua, and later to Gideon and to Jeremiah (Ex. iii, 10, 12; Judg. vi, 14, 16; Jer. i, 7, 8). It was also the great encouragement of Jesus Himself when here in His humiliation (John viii, 29), and before He returned to heaven He assured His followers that He had all power in heaven and on earth and that He would be with them all the days (Matt. xxviii, 18-20). If we believe His words, we shall neither be afraid nor dismayed nor discouraged.

10, 11. Within three days ye shall pass over this Jordan to go in to possess the land which the Lord your God giveth you

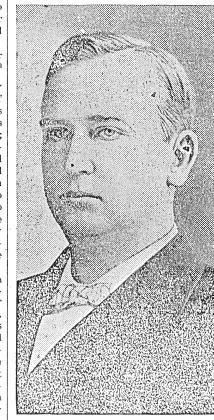
Thus Joshua commanded the officers of the people, for he believed God. The land was theirs as a free gift from God, but they had to enter into it and appropriate it. Jordan was before them to be crossed, and the walled cities and the giants were still there, but there are no difficulties to God or to those who, like Joshua and Caleb, see God only. In our own case as believers in Jesus Christ, redeemed by His blood, it is our privilege to appropriate His promises and by faith in Him live lives of victory over self and sin to His glory. May the encouraging words of our lesson come home to each of us in the power of the Spirit.



VEXT in importance to a presidentinl campaign is the fight just beginning between the two great political parties for control of the house of representatives in the United States congress. Every two years the contest is waged, on presidential year and once in be tween, which is known in common

This being the "off year" and the first election under the new apportionment of congressional districts, by

parlance as the "off year."



JAMES M. GRIGGS [Chairman Democratic congressional com mittee.1

which twenty-nine representatives are added to congress, makes the present battle for supremacy of more than usual interest.

The Fifty-seventh congress contains 357 representatives, while the Fiftyeighth congress, the members of which will be elected next November, but will not take their seats until December, 1903, will have 386.

As in a presidential campaign, the general management of the congressional canvass for each party is vested in a national committee. This committee, under the direction of its chairman as executive head, maps out the general plan of campaign and the lines on which the contest is to be made and assists the various candidates with literature, speakers, etc. It is easy to see that the chairmen of

the committees of the two big parties are busy men this fall. On their keenness and foresight may depend the control of the next national house of representatives. The opposing forces are led by Congressman James M. Griggs of Georgia for the Democrats and Congressman Joseph W. Babcock of Wis consin for the Republicans. The present contest is the first in

which Mr. Griggs has taken part as chairman of the Democratic congresslonal committee, while Mr. Babcock is a veteran in the business, having been chairman of the Republican congres sional committee since 1894. While the work of the respective

committees is directed mainly to car rying the "close" districts, none is neglected, and requests for literature and other campaign aids are also supplied to state and county committees where the result is at all in doubt. From the headquarters at Washing-

ton will go forth from now until election day millions of campaign documents, and speakers by the hundred will be assigned to various parts of the country.

James Matthew Griggs, representa tive in congress from the Second Geor gia district and chairman of the Dem ocratic congressional campaign committee, who has just made his bow as a national character, is a large framed, blue eyed and quiet mannered son of the south. He has no political worries at home, his district being safe by a large majority.

Judge Griggs is a native Georgian and is forty-one years old. When he was twenty-two, he was admitted to the bar of his state as a lawyer. Two years later he was elected prosecuting attorney of the Pataula fudicial circuit. Next came his appointment as judge of the same circuit and two reelections without opposition. He was elected without opposition. He was elected to the Fifty-fifth, Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh congresses. The last time there were only twenty-four votes against him in his whole district. He has been renominated, and if he does as well for the Democratic nominees to congress as he will for himself in his own district a landslide will be the re-

Joseph Weeks Babcock, who represents the Third Wisconsin district in congress and is chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee, is one of the most prominent Republicans in the national legislature and a member of the ways and means committee. He is an indefatigable worker and has labored hard for the success of his party. He has had a

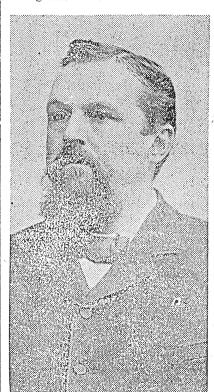
long and successful experience as a

campaign manager. Mr. Babcock comes of sturdy Yankee stock. He is a native of Vermont, where he first opened his eyes fifty-two years ago. As a boy he went to Iowa with his parents. In 1881 he removed to Necedah, Wis., where he has since made his home. His political career began as a Wisconsin legislator. In 1892 he was sent to congress and has since been re-elected to each succeeding congress. Mr. Babcock is a lumberman and has a thorough understanding of commerce and trade in general and politics in particular.

By the apportionment of congressional districts under the census of 1900 each district is supposed to contain approximately 194,182 persons. While that is the ratio for the Union, it is, in point of fact, not necessarily the ratio for any state, since, by the illogical method now in vogue by which the country is divided so that no state shall lose any of its representation from one decade to the next, each state has a ratio of its own. The number named is the largest which would give a state like Maine three districts and the majority fraction, and upon this basis the rest of the country has been divided. Within the states the population by districts is left to the legislature's sense of fairness, with results that often are not gratifying. Several districts in the new apportionment contain more than 300,000 people, and these are usually in localities which are rapidly growing. The new apportionment also striking-

ly presents the wide diversity in density of population and the resulting social conditions in the different parts of the country. There are districts in lower New York so small that one could pace their boundaries in two hours and districts in the west so large that it would take twelve hours to cross them by the fastest express train and as many days to visit their chief posts by any available conveyance. The state of Montana, for example, is a single district, and yet it contains more than double the area of the New England states, with their thirty repre-

Besides the congressional campaign, there is considerable interest in the coming battle of the ballots in several



JOSEPH W. BABCOCK [Chairman Republican congressional committee.]

state elections. Perhaps the contest in Ohio attracts the most interest because of the personality of Tom Johnson, mayor of Cleveland, the new leader of the Democracy in the Buckeye State.

Although no governor is to be elected in Ohio this year, Mr. Johnson has started out to make a warm campaign for the state ticket. He has provided himself with a circus tent which will seat 3,500 people and has a gang of circus canvasmen, laborers and cooks to accompany the outfit in regular circus style. His caravan moves from place to place, and meetings are held almost nightly. The itinerary includes most of the big towns in the state.

Johnson's candidate for congress in Cleveland is Edmund G. Vail, a blacksmith employed by the American Shipbuilding company and well known among the laboring classes in the state because of his prominent connection with the Knights of Labor and other union organizations both as a speaker and organizer. He has had very little schooling and is entirely self educated, but has been an omnivorous reader, a close student of economic problems and has written a great deal upon the labor question. Several years ago he was the head of a commission sent to Europe by the daily press of Cleveland to investigate the conditions and wages of the working classes in England and elsewhere, and his report won him a considerable reputation.

The contest between the rival chairmen of the national committees will be watched with interest. Whether victory will perch on the banners of Griggs, the novice, or Babcock, the veteran, cannot be foretold and will remain a mystery until the ballots are counted on the night of Nov. 4.

A FAMSION LETTER

Wearing Them.

WHITE GOWNS ARE THE CRAZE.

A Dressy Driving Coat and a Beautiful Costume of Gray Veilings. New Fancy Collars and Ties.

High belts are still popular, but experience teaches that they must be made with care if they are to be worn with the straight front corset. The prettiest belts are made high at the back. The material is cut on the cross and is mounted on the bodice. The belt slopes gradually toward the front. Often the belt does not meet in front by a couple of inches, the intervening space being hidden by a tie of lace or a portion of the vest. For wearing with shirt waists a useful belt is made of crosscut glace or soft satin matching the color of the skirt. It is folded and stitched to a bone about four inches long at the back, and thence on either side the material slopes away



PONGEE DRIVING COAT.

to a point. The belt may be tied in a knot and the ends pinned up to the blouse, or it may be fixed with a

The shaped belt is far more becoming to the figure than the ordinary straight kind. The object of employing crosscut material rather than ribbons is that the former when pulled tight fits so much closer to the figure.

The three-quarter driving cloak shown is of pongee, with a double caped collar and rounded revers of red silk outlined with ecru applique. The cuffs are of the crimson silk, also outlined with the applique.

White Is All the Go.

The fondness for white this season extends even to tennis and outing suits. The white mohair ones are extremely smart and are accompanied by white shoes and white straw or taffeta hats. White storm serge is a favorite material with vachtswomen and trims up well with gold or silver braid and marine buttons. Anchors embroidered on the cuffs or collars add a bit to the jauntiness.

Touches of black velvet to set off a hat or gown are becoming almost indispensable. A bow tied loosely and



OF WHITE LINEN.

set on the side of a hat of the palest blue or pink, with the ends hanging slightly over the brim, is extremely effective. Another pretty and novel idea is to wear one of these velvet knots at the nape of the neck on the slightly low neck dresses used for day

A smart costume of white glace linen which is shown in the picture is made with an Eton jacket and a plain skirt trimmed with bands of pale blue linen. This is worn with a white muslin and insertion blouse and an outing hat of white linen stitched and trimmed with a bow and band of blue ribbon.

The Bolero Seems Permanent. Filet lace is much used for summer High Belts and the Method of gowns. It is frequently trimmed with bands of pongee or silk. The foundation of this lace is a square meshed lace on which a pattern is worked in darned fashion. It has rather the effect of an old sampler. Gold or silver tinsel on black or brown is exquisite with a touch of color.

The bolero, like the blouse, has apparently come to stay. Chiffon and mousseline are appliqued with heavy textures or bits of silk, and the bolero in this fashion is fitted loosely and is



fastened with bows of colored velvet set on in the front.

So far there is little change in the fashion of skirts, but short ones are in the minority and are rarely seen except for athletic sports.

A costume of gray veiling is shown in the cut. Both waist and skirt are laid in wide bias tucks. The skirt has three tucked ruffles. The waist is collarless and is trimmed with a yoke and undersleeves of white chiffon. Bands of white silk applique also aid in trimming the waist and skirt.

Fancy Collars and Ties. Bertha collars of embroidered batiste appear on very many of the new gowns. Another fashionable mode for linen dresses shows a short, oddly shaped bolero with stole ends of lace and edged around the sides with narrow bands of stitched linen. The bolero is worn over a tucked blouse of embroidered batiste.

Pretty little silk mull fichus are edged with flower passementerie.



OF OLD ROSE LINEN.

Thin white wash goods and net make equally effective fichus. A flower bordered fichu is as dainty a piece of apparel as one could wish for.

In the wash ties and neckbands fashion still clings to the pique stocks of white, with narrow colored ties. The knot seems to be superseding the bow, and many of the new stocks have the ties simply crossed over and fastened with a fancy pin.

Many collars are made of insertion and featherstitching. They fasten in the back and taper down into points in

The picture shows a gown of old rose linen. The blouse waist has a tucked collar cut in points and edged with square lace applique. The skirt is also tucked and has a wide gored JUDIC CHOLLET.

Thomas B. Reed on Pame. Here is a definition of fame given by ex-Speaker Reed at the Bowdoin college commencement dinner: "Fame is largely a matter of accident. Being in the right place at the right time and doing the right thing, or, better still, making people think you are doing the right thing, is about all there is to fame." This definition gains much in effectiveness when "fame" is pronounced with the ex-speaker's well

Quite Likely. Tarantula Jim-What killed Stinga-

Alkali Ike-Acute pistolitis. I reckon that's what the doctors called it-Judge.

known drawi.

Such a sultry afternoon! Jack and Joan lay together in the hammock on the back porch, but, alas, they were back to back, and an ugly scowl in the eyes of each showed the reason! The wins had quarreled over the new St. Nicholas, which now lay between them. Each had refused to leave to the other the possession of the hammock and the new magazine; so there they were, both as cross and uncomfortable as hey could be.

Bill ran out and pushed and pulled at the hammock, begging his "sisser twinnies" to let him in, but the twins would not speak to the little fellow. So Bill stood there in perplexity, his round eyes filling with tears and his mouth opened for a long wail.

At the sound of his mournful voice Faith rushed from the kitchen and strove to comfort the little chap.

"Jacqueline! Joanna! I'm ashamed of you, acting in such a ridiculous way. You know how busy I am getting ready for tonight, and why couldn't you take care of baby better?" Then she carried Bill into the house

and came back, hot and flushed. "Girls, get right out of that hammock this minute and go into the

louse and amuse baby. When Faith spoke in that firm tone. the twins knew they must obey, so they rose up, a cross looking pair enough, with hair tossed and tumbled and eyes sulky and red.

They looked at each other, and the sight was too much for either. They



"I'M GLAD IT'S OVER, AREN'T YOU?" were used to falling in and out of quarrels easily, and the ache of disagreement had lasted long enough. Both burst out laughing, and Jack gave Joan a bear hug, which Joan returned, whispering, "I'm glad it's over,

Faith had gone back to her baking, knowing that the girls would do as she had told them, and now a merry struggle took the place of the real quarrel, while each twin insisted that she would "mind" Bill.

At last Jack, who was a little the stronger, forced Joan into the hammock, laughing all the while. "Now, Twinnie, you just stay where

you're put, and I'll take care of that baby," said she, and was off in a flash. Joan lay there idly swinging, think-

ing what a dear Twinnie she had after all, when a whistle from the hedge made her sit up very straight. "All right, Howard; come up here," she called.

Howard tramped across the lawn. dragging a string of fish behind him. "Hello, Twin," he said. "Which one are you anyway? Let's see if I can guess. Hum-now, Jack's hair is a little straighter than Joan's, I know that, and Joan's eyes sometimes are more blue than Jack's, so I guess, ma'am, you're Jack!"

"Wrong again! My, what a bad guess! Jack's busy nursing the kid. What's that?"-with a kick toward the

"Brook trout, mum. Caught 'em this morning. What'll you give for 'em?" "Pooh! I don't want your trout. Why didn't you come and ask us to go with

you?" Joan was huffy. "Couldn't. Ned Webster went with me and you know he hates-I mean, doesn't care to have girls around."

"Humph! 'Sif we were sissles!" Joan turned her back and would have no more to do with him. So Howard picked up his catch and went into the house to present the fish to Faith. When he sauntered out again, Jack also was in the hammock, for baby had soon gone to sleep under her

"Hello, Jack, shake! Glad to see you've been useful for once," said Howard gravely, using Joan's arm for a pump handle.

The twins giggled, and then Howard saw he had mistaken them again.

"Villains!" he cried. Then they rushed upon him. All three struggled In a heap on the porch, ending in rolling down the steps upon the grass. When they arose, Joan's dress was torn across the front.

"Jimmy, what shall we do now?" she said.

Jack's fertile brain worked quickly. "It's a good thing we aren't dressed for tonight," she said. "Mamma's coming home then. You know she's

been visiting at grandma's, Howard. Let's go down to the barn and get some of those old grain sacks and each put one on; then we'll parade upstairs and if Faith sees us it won't matter. Then we'll change our dresses-see? And we'll mend this one some time when nobody's looking."

Howard thought that was a fine plan. "But why not go right around the house and in at the front door?" he said. "That's much easier."

"But that wouldn't be any fun," said Jack. The argument was unanswerable, and so the three trooped off to the barn. There they petted the horses and tumbled on the hay and got very dirty, indeed, and it ended with Jack's ripping the sleeve of her

"Now we'll have to have those sacks," she said. So they were routed out, the bottom and sides ripped open with Howard's knife, and each girl vrapped one around her.

With great display they paraded up to the porch. Howard doubled up with amusement at the queer spectacle they made. "Don't we look like the Rummans in their toggers?" asked Jack triumphantly, and Howard had to lie In the ground and choke his laughter, for the twins would have been insulted to think that they did not resembled the "togaed Romans."

"Why-why-who's that coming in at the front gate? I do believe it's mamma!" cried the two. Sure enough t was, several hours before she was expected too! With shricks of delight the twins gathered up their "toggers" and rushed to meet the tall, sweet faced woman who was advancing to the house.

What matter if the sacks were in the way and Jack tripped and Joan fell over the clumsy things! The twins cast themselves, "toggers" and all, into the arms of their mother. And she-well, she was used to their plays and was not alarmed, and even when the sacks fell off, showing the ripped sleeve and torn skirt, she did not scold; she was too happy to see her twinnies again.

They led her around to the kitchen, Joan carrying her jacket and umbrella and Jack lugging her suit case and both chattering all the while.

Faith came to the door, blessing her stars that the cake was done, and her flushed cheeks grew rosier and her bright eyes brighter as she welcomed mamma home.

"And Howard, mamma-here's Howard Winship. You know, his father's bought New House," clamored the twins. They had forgotten Howard till that minute, and now as they turned to introduce their new friend -he was gone.

"Never mind, I'll see him soon," said Mrs. Arnold; but the twinnies could not understand why their Howard had run away.-Brooklyn Eagle,

Her Father's Profession. Jean was four years old when she began to go to kindergarten. The first day she had a beautiful time, and when she got home at night she announced proudly that "tomorrow teacher wants us to tell our whole names, our whole ages and what our fathers

Mother proceeded to instruct her little daughter on these points, and before long Jean could rattle off quite

"My name is Jean Anderson Abbott. I am four years and three months old, and my father is a produce and com-She said it over to herself all the

way to school, but when she was really standing before the teacher somehow it did not seem so easy. The teacher asked each little girl in turn. and they answered glibly, but as it came to Jean's turn a great fear came over her. She could not remember what her father's business was.

Finally the teacher asked Marjorie, who stood just beside Jean. Marjorie answered rapidly enough: "My name is Marjorie Rolfe Bid-

well. I am five years and one month old, and my father is professor of history in Harvard." Her answer gave Jean an inspira-

tion. If Marjorie's father was a professor, of course her father was a professor, too, and he had eggs and butter in his store. She knew that, so when the teacher asked her the question she replied promptly:

"My name is Jean Anderson Abbott. I am four years and three months old, and my father is a professor of butter and eggs!"

Saving Up. I'm savin' up. Ma bought a bank
With a sojer on it that turns a crank
Fer ev'ry penny I drop in,
An' nen he doesn't move again
'Tell another cent comes clickety click! An' nen the sojer does his trick

I got it day 'fore vesterday. But jest already I've put away A bran' new nickel an' seven cents, Mother says I'm doin' immense An' purty soon that I kin buy A shirt like pa's an' a regular tie.

But pa says: "Don't be gittin' gay. You're goin' to be a man some day, An' now you'd better save your tin, So's nen you kin buy a house to live in, With a barn an' a hoss an' a kerridge,

An' a cow what'll give good milk fer you."

An' Uncle Bill don't believe in banks; He says they wuz only made fer cranks; Besides, they wuz bustin' every day, An' half the time they wouldn't pay. "An' ez fer me," he says, "my sock Is bank enough fer Billy Rock!"

Late that night ma sez: "Now, Josh, Don't listen to Uncle Billy's bosh! He'll loaf all day an' set an' chat; He never got married nor nothin' like that;
He ain't a model fer you." But still

I got the nickel from Uncle Bill.

I'm savin' up, but how I'd thank My ma fer a gun instead of that bank! A bank's all right fer a man, I guess, Cause he's got folks to feed an' dress But a gun that'll shoot an' make some

noise, Ah, that's the gift to give to boys! -Maurice Brown Kirby in New York Herald.

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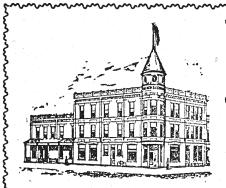
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CONGRESSIONAL TICKET. For Congress, eighth district-Joseph W. Fordney, of Saginaw.

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It is a foregone conclusion that Congressman Fordney will be re-elected by the largest majority ever given a congressional candidate from this district. Mr. Fordney's firm stand in behalf of the beet sugar industry has won for him the heartiest gratitude from the farmers of the eighth district and they, Republicans and Democrats alike, will show their appreciation for the work he has done in their behalf, by returning him to Congress where he will continue the good workalready begun. The beet sugar interest is of vast importance to the Michigan farmers. M. Fordney estimates that the beets cuitivated in Michigan would occupy a strip 105 miles long and a mile wide.

In his speech in Congress last spring Congressman Washington Gardner said: "From 1898 to 1901 the beet sugar factories in Michigan increased from 4,200 to 66,400. While Michigan has been classed among the wheat producing states, in 1901 the amount received by farmers for sugar beets was almost 50 per cent of the amount received for wheat in 1899. In Michigan alone there are 24 other factories now projected, involving an investment of \$13,000,000 with capacity of a daily output of 13,200 tons of refined sugar.'

The abcess on President Roosevelt's leg which caused an operation, necess itating the abandonment of his trip and which has laid the President up in bed for a while, had been forming, it seems, for some time, but was not even known to his friends until it had assumed serious proportions. It was said at the beginning of the journey that the President would deliver five set speeches on national questions. He was especially desirous of making By the Great Specialist in Treathis tariff speech. The last few days of the trip developed additional reasons which determined the President to make this speech. Reports had continued to come to his train that the situation in Iowa was more serious than was generally believed. He wanted it understood, as his speech shows, that he considered common sense treatment of the Iowa situation better than fine politics. So he made the speech at Logansport, Indiana, although in the greatest pain, and stood the while upon a leg which would have put most men in bed several days before.

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The Saginaw Newstries to be funny when it says: "There will be considerable curiosity out over the state to know whether Governor Bliss had on his nightshirt when he sent that telegram at midnight tendering General Alger the appointment of United States Senator." The News Editor has mistaken his calling. He should engage with a third rate Vaudeville show where his talents for cracking huge jokes would be duly appreciated.

The Saginaw Evening News is advocating the candidacy of Wellington R. Burt of Saginaw for the democratic gubernatorial honors, but according to the Detroit Free Press, which is now booming L. T. Durand of Saginaw, Mr. Burt would never do, because he uses such horrid grammar. The Free Press wants a man who can spell, write and speak correctly.

Because Gov. Bliss and the state officials have given Michigan an unostentatious, business-like administration, Democratic papers delight in declaring that nothing has been done. It is noticeable, however, that none of them point out wherein public business has been neglected. On the contrary, it has received prompt and efficient attention.

And finally the Sebewaing Review nails Aaron T. Bliss with other republican nominations to its mast head. Its never too late to get into line, especially just before election.

Correspondence

ELMWOOD.

L. Huffman was on the sick list this

Frank Hendrick was in Cass City

and Gagetown on Monday. We have been having pretty wet

weather for the past week. W. A. Lockwood and family returned from a week's visit at Bay

City and Auburn on Monday. Mrs. Dr. King of Caro and a young lady from Seattle, Washington, were visiting Mrs. Ora Ostrander one day last week.

BEAULEY.

Miss Emma Parr is on the sick list. The new pastor, Rev. Beedon, has not arrived as yet.

Wellington McDonald is enjoying vacation at home.

Mrs. Becker and family of Detroit are the guests of Mrs. Killins.

E. Reeder and daughter, Edith, nave returned from a visit in Manistee Co.

Rev. and Mrs. Sedweek, of Cheboygan are guests at the home of Mr. McDermott. Rev. Sedweek occupied day. the pulpit here Sunday afternoon and evening.

Four rooms and a cellar to rent. Enquire of T. H. AHR.

CUMBER.

Mr. Lapeer had two sheep killed by dogs last week.

One of S. Robinson's children is sick with scarlet fever.

Mr. Baker has a field of buckwheat grown quite badly in the shock.

Mrs. Johnson is entertaining friends from Woodstock, Ont. this week.

Grandma Ewing is seriously ill with but slight hopes of her recovery. Rev. Tyler, the new pastor on the Ubly circuit was in Cumber on Sun-

The bean crop in this vicinity is nearly ruined by the wet weather of the past week.

Rev. Birtch preached the funeral sermon of Miss Bertha Pettinger last Sunday to a large congregation.

Josiah Pratt started his hay press on Monday. He expects to bail all winter and he is hustling too.

Mrs. Johnson met with a painful accident last week by falling down stairs. Luckily no bones were broken.

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St., Elkhart, Ind.

KINGSTON. Mr. Hildie is quite ill.

Miss Della Ryckman is very ill.

Mrs. Sanford is on the sick list. I. S. Berman is out of town on busi-

ness this week. Miss Lucy Meidlein returned home

from Flint Saturday last. S. S. Rally day was observed at the Baptist church last Sunday.

Miss Florence Hall and Elmer Clothier of Clifford visited at Wm. Ross' Sunday.

The Free Masons of Marlette visited the lodge here Monday evening and refreshments were served.

The members of the G. A. R. and their ladies very pleasantly surprised Rev. and Mrs. Waller last Tuesday

and took dinner. The E. L. held a bubble social at the home of Harvey VanWagoner Tuesday evening. A very pleasant time was enjoyed although the night

was very dark and rainy. Baptist Sunday School reception at the parsonage Monday evening this week. Ice cream and cake were the refreshments and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by a large company.

SOUTH ELLINGTON.

Harvey Balch returned last week from St. Louis.

R. Ackley had a bee Friday to help finish his barn. Geo. McDerman and wife spent Sun-

day at Geo. Bell's. Mrs. Hannah Wickware is visiting

in Pontiac this week. Rev. Cope of Weston is visiting friends in this vicinity.

J. S. French and family visited at Wm. Fisher's on Sunday.

A large number from this part at tended the State fair last week. H. S. Wickware and wife of Cass

City spent Sunday at S. Elliott's. A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Metcalf last Thurs-

School opened in District No. 6 Monday with Emma Burg of Cass City as teacher.

Rev. Huff and daughters gave an entertainment last Monday night at the Keilitz school house and was highly appreciated.

WILMOT.

We are having our rainy season

Dennis Maulle and J. W. Calkins are building new houses.

Fred Clark went to Cass City Tues

day to remain during the fair. A. E. Nelson is again employed at I. S. Berman's store at Kingston.

W. M. Moulton went to Vassar Monday after his household goods. Floyd Pierce who is ill with typhoid fever is not so well at this writing.

Miss Maggie Moshier commences school at the Block schoolhouse Mon-

Work progresses slowly at the new school building on account of the wet weather.

have been here for the went to Silverwood.

Mrs. Geo. Allen is very sick. Her daughter, Miss Lettle, who is taking afternoon. treatment at the Saginaw Institute is doing nicely.

ARGYLE.

Were you at the C. C. fair?

Argyle now boasts of a meat market pposite the postoffice.

Master Allan McLachlan is seriousy ill at this writing. Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. McLach-

lan Sunday, a daughter.

S. W. Striffler and F. Dare's houses are receiving a coat of paint. Mrs. J. Meredith returned Sunday

from visiting friends in Pontiac and Lawyers Babcock and Gates of Sanilac Centre transacted business in

town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Herdell and son Earl were among the sight-seers at Pontiac

fair last week. Mr. Goheen and wife of Deckerville

were the guests of their neice, Mrs. Chas. McCarty, one day last week. The Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Stevenson last

of the day. Rev. Tyler will preach at the M. E.

church next Sunday evening. The services will be held every Sunday morning and evening alternately.

AKRON.

Mrs. Dr. Orr is on the sick list.

Peter Beck was in Saginaw Friday. G. Dutcher has sold his house and

L. Barth was in Bay City last Fri Eugene Hess was in Saginaw last

D. McArthur was in Unionville last

C. J. Becker was in Detroit last Nellie Simmons is ill with appendicitis.

It is very wet weather at this writing. Joel Luce has returned from Inter-

lochen.

People have started hauling their sugar beets.

John Thompson expects to move

back to town. G. W. Smith has his new house

nearly completed. Laura Hamlin of Saginaw is visither parents here.

Mrs. Harold Achenbach visited in Flint last week.

Robert Peck was in Unionville on business last week. There were no services in the M. E.

church last Sunday. G. W. Tolbert of Vassar was in town last Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Gill has returned from her visit in Lansing.

Mrs. Chas. Shannon is visiting her son Edward at Flint. Wm. Graham did business in Sag-

naw last Thursday. R. Heneywell of Elkton is visiting at G. P. Honeywell's.

Will Bushaw of Bellaire visited friends here last week. Mrs. Clara Cook and little daughter

were in town last week. E. D. Cook is raising the roof of his house and fixing it over.

Alice VanAllen of Quanicassee visted in Akron last week. A good many from here attended

the State fair at Pontiac. Edward Shannon of Flint was in town on business last week.

Mrs. R. D. Kirk and son Dale visit ed at Fairgrove last week. Pearl Havener is visiting Mrs

Annie Evans of Unionville. The furnace in the schoolhouse is

completed and ready for use. Mrs. M. M. Cross of Otsego Lake is visiting at P. L. Carpenter's.

John Kirk of Fairgrove visited his son, R. D. Kirk, of this place. Mrs. Everetta Lisk of Linesville, Pa. is visiting at Dr. Hammond's.

north and east of town to R. Peck. Rev. Nichols has returned from conference and will stay another year. Ima Wallace of Saginaw is visiting

D. McArthur has sold his farm

at the home of Miss Flossie Strieby. Darius Cartwright and wife of Saginaw attended the wedding last week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry were the guests of Jacob Woodman last week. Mrs. Hattie Peck of Saginaw visited riends and relatives here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Shelito of Sebewaing visited relatives here last Sun-

day. Jesse Achenbach and Miss Lottie Prime were united in marriage last

Mrs. Telesford Hamlin who has been quite sick is able to be around

The German Medicine Co., who a new brick building just north of the postoffice. The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Albertson Friday

Geo. Honeywell has started to erect

D. McArthur has bought a farm just north of town owned by E. C.

Mrs. Martin Miller, who underwent an operation some time ago, is able to be around.

A good many from here anticipate attending the Vassar and Sebewaing fairs.

Mrs. Dafoe and son, James, left for

Dunnville, Canada, for an extended visit with relatives. Rev. E. O. Wrightman gave a temperance lecture at the Presbyterian

church last Sunday evening.

Herbert Prime, wife and two children of Saginaw visited at T. Hamlin's the latter part of last week.

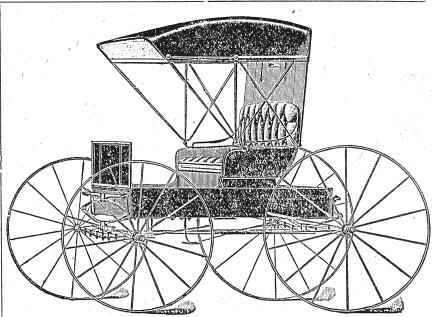
W. Patrick has bought the house and lot owned by Mr. Fuester and expects to move in the near future. Roy Havener has returned from the

northern part of the state where he has been working for some time. Rev. Buchanan has been quite sick

for sometime and is unable to fill the pulpit in the Presbyterian church. Dr. Hammond has bought a lot Wednesday. Quilting was the order from Mrs. O. R. Mallory and expects to build a new residence on it in the

> near future. All diseases start in the bowels Keep them open or you will be sick. CASCARETS act like nature. Keep liver and bowels active without asickening griping feeling. Six million people take and recommend CAS CARETS. Try a 10c box. All drug-





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Sept. 24, 25, 26

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Mrs. A. Parker. NORTH ELKLAND.

Rain, rain, rain.

Miss Ora Bird is convalescent. John Ross Sundayed with Fannie

All are calculating on attending the city fair.

The bad weather has done consider able damage to crops.

Dr. Morris and Tom Ross called at R. McDonald's Friday. Lewis Law of Wixom is visiting at

his parental home this week. Mrs. S. Linch of Port Huron is the

guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Ross. The Whitney show passed through

here enroute to Cass City Saturday. Dave Law, Wm. Helwig and Angus

McDonald attended the Pontiac fair. John McDonald made a flying trip through here enroute for Gagetown Bird attended the Bad Axe fair last Thursday.

lelivered their goods through here last Wednesday.

Leslie McDonald of Bad Axe and Kittie Ross were the guests of Marguerite McDonald Sunday.

Miss Kittie McIntosh, who has been pant six weeks, has returned to New

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October 8 and 9.

Telegraph Invitations Sent to Cities

Conference

ALL STATES

in Nineteen States, Though Invitation Is General.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 30.—The spe formed Church of Jamestown; Burncial committee of the common council side Circuit of the Methodist Protest-Detroit, Mich., Sept. 30.—The speappointed in accordance with the resolution of Alderman Beamer to devise means to get a national conference at Detroit to devise means for settling the coal strike or getting coal enough on the market to supply the people before the cold weather sets in, decided last evening to issue a general call to all the states of the Union, as well as all the principal cities to send delegates to this city to attend a conference to be held here Oct. 9.

William D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Men, suggested that the call be made broad and that the press be included. F. F. Ingham, Charles Lynch and others made brief remarks, and after the speechmaking a resolution was adopted embracing the following:

"The conditions prevailing in the socalled anthracite coal regions in West Virginia and Pennsylvania are such that the output of coal and the supply ordinarily sent to this market is very greatly diminished, if not almost totally suspended. The city of Detroit, its people and the people of neighboring cities and communities, are alike interested in securing such a supply of coal as will insure warmth and comfort during the cold days of

"In view of the fact that the impending danger is not merely local, but extends through our whole country, more especially that portion of it dominated the east and middle and great northwest, we would recommend Miss Belle McIntosh and Verner that a conference be held wan the citizens of cities and states affected, and to this end we would invite a meeting on the part of all who are affected, and Miss May Tyo and brother, David, suggest that this conference be held in believed their goods through here the city of Detroit on the morning of Oct. 10 ensuing.

"To carry out the purposes of this resolution, we would recommend that the committee of the council heretofore appointed, by authority of the common council, issue an invitation to the governors of states and the mayvisiting her parental home for the ors of cities, the detail of such invitations to be under the control and direction of said committee.'

Prepared Telegrams. After adjournment the committee SI desire to call the attention of and the mayor met in the latter's office and worked until 11 o'clock getthose who may be interested in music, ting ready the telegrams to the vari-

President Smith of the council called the meeting to order and introduced Mayor Maybury, who said he and piano. Terms made known upon was heartily in favor of any moveapplication. MISS SHARLOT BRUMM, ment that would bring coal to this

Music Teachers; student at Conserva-or, for that would have been an all tory Valparaiso Normal; Detroit Connight's work, but only to nineteen servatory; and for two years director states and their principal cities, though the committee wishes .. to be understood that the call is general. The following is a copy of the telegrams sent to the governors of the 120 acres clay loam soil, extra build-the mayors of the cities:

'Hon. A. T. Bliss, Lansing, Mich.: "Will you appoint delegation of twenty citizens selected at large from the state to attend conference at Detroit on Thursday morning, Oct. 9, ensuing, to devise ways and means for obtaining a reasonable coal supply from the anthracite district of Pennsylvania and West Virginia. The governors of all states affected have had like request for representation. Such a conference must be potent to solving the present difficulties. Answer by telegram, our expense.
"FRED W. SMITH."

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

Western Michigan Fair.—The Western Michigan fair opened at Grand Rapids Monday with the biggest list of entries in its existence. The races will be a feature, the society having hung up \$3,800 in prizes.

Wants \$5,000 For Sprained Ankle .-E. F. McGill, a business man of Bear Lake, who stepped through a defactive sidewalk early this summer and sprained his ankle, has just presented his bill for \$5,000 damages, which the council rejected. A lawsuit will fol-

Another Body Found.—The body of Herman Kaynor of Yorkville, who, with Henry Brewer and Arthur Miller, was drowned in Gull lake, near Kalamazoo, Sept. 5, was found floating. Brewer's body was recovered ten days ago, while that of Miller has not been

Little Girl Missing.—Julia, the ten-year-old daughter of Inas Kachincy of Menominee, has been missing since Sunday morning, and it is feared that she has been kidnaped or met with violence. She started to church Sunday morning and when last seen was on her way down the railroad track to-

ward church in company with a boy. Robbed a Moving Train.—Saturday evening a car on a passing Michigan Central freight train was broken into at Ann Arbor and two cases of Terhune shoes, from Brockton, Mass., shipped to Iowa, thrown out. The cases were found, but the forty-eight pairs of shoes were gone. It is believed there is an organized gang of m., Wednesday, to'll a. m. Thusday, thieves in that city.

THE WEEK'S RECORD.

Secretary of State.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 30.—During the past week the following corporations filed articles of incorporation By Detroit to Participate in a with the secretary of state: Railway Steel Spring Co., Jersey City and Detroit, \$20,000,000; Lacy Shoe Co., Caro, \$60,000; Imperial Skirt Co., Jackson, \$20,000; Hampton Stock Farm_Co. ON GREAT STRIKE QUESTION Glenwood, \$50,000; Michigan Telephone Construction Co., Aima, \$75,-000; Pine Grove Park association, Iron Mountain, \$3,000.

The following non-capitalized corporations filed articles: Societa de Beneficenza Georgio Washington, Loretto: First Presbyterian Church So Niles; Kalamazoo Master Plumbers association; Chrictian Reent Church; Christian Reformed Church of Beaverdam; Societa Ettore Perrone Di San Martino Conoveze, Calumet township.

The following corporations increased their capital stock: Alkman Bakery Co., Port Huron, from \$15,000 ao \$30,-000; Peninsular Sugar Refining Co Detroit, from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000; Imperial Wheel Co., Flint, from \$40,-000 to \$200,000; Iron Port Lumber Co., Escanaba, from \$50,000 to \$100,000; Security Warehousing Co., New York city and Manistique, from \$250,000 to

Charged With Criminal Assault. Monroe, Mich., Sept. 30.-Frank Labene, aged fifty-five, is in jail charged with attempted criminal assault on Mary Masson, aged ten years. The child had come from her home at Brest with her thirteen-year-old brother to meet their parents, who had gone to Toledo for the day. While weiting Labene engaged them in conversation, and when the oar came along the boy went out to meet it. Mary remained at the station, and it is claimed that Labene at once took her away to a place a mile from the heart of the city. Frightened by the little one's cries, it is alleged that he went away, leaving

her to walk back to town alone. Michigan Pensioners.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Michigan pensions granted Monday: Original— Edward M. Hawley, Coldwater, \$6; Lyman Hood, Birmingham (war with Spain), \$6; Charles S. Stuart, Coldwater (war with Spain), \$8; Thomas W. Payne, Detroit (war with Spain). \$6. Increased—Archibald Washburn, Elm Hall, \$10; Michael Fishell, Palo, \$12; Lewis Trombly, Petersburg, \$8. Widows-Sarah L. Smith, Ashland, \$8; Lance G. Miller, Battle Creek, \$8; Roxa Slater, St. Johns, \$12.

Run Down a Baby Cab.

St. Johns, Mich., Sept. 30.—The twoyear-old son of Joseph Hainer was badly injured by a freight train while switching yesterday afternoon. Its mother had the child in a cab and a car had been standing on the Clinton avenue crossing for about an hour. Just as she was passing in front of the car the engine struck it, driving it into the cab. The child's leg was amputated above the knee.

His Gray Hairs Saved Him.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 30.—Judge Wiest yesterday sentenced J. J. Muel-ler, alias Charles Myers, to fifteen years at Marquette for burglary. passing sentence on Dr. D. R. Sherman, a druggist, who pleaded guilty to selling liquor contrary to law, Judge Wiest announced that other druggists convicted of a like offense would be dealt with to the limit of the law, Sherman's gray hairs saving him, he

Engineer Shot in His Cab.

Iron Mountain, Mich., Sept. 30.-Joseph Kock, a fireman on the St. Paul road was instantly killed near here While in his cab, running Monday. forty miles an hour, a bullet came through the window, piercing his heart. It is supposed the shot was fired by a hunter with a long distance The body was taken to Gree Bay, Wis.

Convict Writing a Book.

Owosso, Mich., Sept. 30.—Charles H. Downer of Detroit, who was sent to Marquette prison from this circuit a few months ago for five years on a charge of bigamy, is writing a book, and has arranged with a Shiawassee county newspaper to publish it. The book is a history of his life and ex-

Child Accidentally Shot.

Plymouth, Mich., Sept. 30.-While visiting at the home of William Gates, seven miles west of this place, Rosina Smith, aged eleven years, of Northfield, was accidentally shot by the eleven-year-old son of Mr. Gates. The ball penetrated the flesh just over the eye, and the skull had to be trephined. Doctors say she cannot recover.

Freight Wreck at Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept. 30.—The Chicago flyer on the G. R. & I., bound both ways, and the local passenger southbound, were held up here two hours last night by a freight wreck in the city. A car jumped the track, throwing two others sideways, also causing considerable damage. Nobody was injured.

Boy Drowned at Bay City.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 30.—Willie Page, aged ten years, was sailing on the bay Sunday, and in turning his boat around the boom struck him on the head, knocking him overboard. He never rose to the surface. His parents live on Bangor street, West Bay

Mrs. Dr. Smith Held For Murder. Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 30.-Dr.

Jennie Smith will have to answer to a charge of double murder, the coroner's jury having brought in a verdict attributing the death of Gertrude Van Orman to peritonitis, caused by an operation at the hands of the doctor.

King Alds Cyclone Sufferers.

Rome, Sept. 80.—King Victor Emmanuel has sent \$10,000 for the relief of the families of the victims of the recent storms in Sicily.

Corporations Filing Articles With the MURDER OR

EAST TAWAS WOMAN FOUND

BAD MATRIMONIAL TANGLE CON-NECTED WITH HER LIFE.

SHE ACCUSES HER SECOND HUS-BAND OF THE DEED.

East Tawas, Mich., Sept. 29.-With the life-blood gushing from a wound in her throat. Mrs. Ernest Scholtz was found about noon Sunday lying on the floor of her home. There was a razor beside her, but nothing to indicate whether her ghastly condition was the result of attempted murder or suicide. At 8 o'clock last night the woman was still alive.

A strange matrimonial tangle is back of the affair, and the woman's husband is now in jail. Her former husband, Allard, is alleged to have deserted her some twelve years ago, leaving her to support a young child. She obtained a divorce from Allard, it being reported he had again married and was residing at Houghton. She went to Sault Ste. Marie and married Scholtz, returning here last

Afterward, it is said, Allard at tempted to estrange their son from Mrs. Scholtz, telling him she was not lawfully married and that Scholtz had a wife in an insane asylum. It is true the latter had previously married his cousin, but this marriage was nullified on the ground that this cousin had a husband living in Germany at the time of her marriage to Scholtz. Scholtz has lived here twenty years and has always borne a good reputation.

Allard arrived here last week and drove Scholtz from the house. Last night he was still in possession and refused a reporter access to the stricken woman. There is a difference of Scholtz was taken into the presence the longer back, but this has been disoff his wife the latter indicated him couraged. to be the one who committed the deed Scholtz denies this and claims he can prove that at the time it is supposed have occurred he was at East Tawas consulting as to what steps he could take to keep Allard away from his wife. It is believed the latter will

Scandal at Flint.

Flint, Mich., Sept. 29.-Miss Ida Gila leading store here and was respectshe had given birth to a child there, and she confirmed the story by bringing suit by capias for \$3,000 damages against Max Pierson, brother of ex-Senator Pierson of this district, setsave them from disgrace.

Drank Horse Linament.

terribly agony.

Methodist Conference Closed. General Superintendent George

Will Ask For New Courthouse. Corunna, Mich., Sept. 29.-Shiawasse county needs a new courthouse very badly, and at the coming session of the board of supervisors a resolution will be introduced authorizing an election at the time of the regular election to vote on the matter of issuing bonds. The sum will be from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

MICHIGAN BRIEFS.

Bean Crop Rotting.-The frequent rains of the past week and the scarcity of farm help to harvest the bean crop in Livingston county will mean the loss of many thousand acres by rot-

Knights of Columbus.-Sunday afternoon a local council of the Knights of Columbus was organized at Niles, fifty candidates being initiated. Three hundred knights from other cities were present. A banquet was given in the evening.

Thieves at Work at Lansing.-Numberless thefts in Lansing and vicinity have been reported to the police within the last few days. One of the most notable cases is that of Louis Reman, a Pole, who had saved up \$85 and was about to send it to his wife in Poland

a special meeting of the common couning separate grades.

WITH HER THROAT CUT.

spring.

lett has until recently been a clerk in ed by all who knew her. Recently her health has been poor and she went to Eaton Rapids. A few days ago the community was startled to hear that ting up that he betrayed her under promise of marriage and now has deserted her and her babe and refuses to

Holly, Mich., Sept. 29.—William J. Innes, aged forty-two years, residing at 402 Fremont street, Bay City, died in a box car here Sunday from the effects of drinking a veterinary's leg Butter.

Wash. It was composed of alcohol,

Book live weight was prepared for use on a race horse of which Innes had charge enroute from the state fair at Pontiac to Bay He was intoxicated and drank several quarts of the dope and died in

Owosso, Mich., Sept. 29.—The annual meeting of the east Michigan conference of Free Methodists, held at Elsie, closed Saturday night at 6 o'clock. Three hundred elders have been present since Tuesday morning. Coleman of New York presided. Rev. W. B. Winship of Chicago, general sec-Granulated meal, per cwt..... church, was also present. The appointments were read in the evening.

to pay her fare to America. Grade Separation .- Monday night at

cil, Mayor Copeland of Ann Arbor will bring the grade separation matter to a focus. William Boland of the new electric line is ready with his \$10,000, and the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor & Jackson line is expected to come forward with its share toward install-

HUNTING SEASON AT HAND.

As the hunting season draws near lovers of the chase should become familiar with the laws for the protection of game and birds.

The squirrel season opens Oct. 15 and closes Nov. 13. At all other times of the year it is unlawful to hunt any fox squirrel, black or gray.

Antwerp or homing pigeons and mourning doves shall not be killed at any time. Prairie chickens, pheasants, wild turkeys and wild pigeons shall not be killed until 1910. Quails, partridges, spruce hens and woodcocks shall only be killed during the months of October and November. Wild ducks, wild geese and other wild water fowls shall not be killed except during the months of October and November. The only birds it is lawful to kill are blackbirds, English sparrows and

The deer season is from the 8th to the 13th of November, but no person shall kill more than three deer in any one year, and until 1906 no deer shall be killed on the island of Bois Blanc, or in the counties of Lapeer, Huron, Monroe, Sanilac, Tuscola, Macomb, Allegan, Ottawa and St. Clair. A. hunter's license to kill deer must be procured from the county clerk by any person before going upon a deer hunting expedition. The fee for the license is 75 cents, and the applicant must file an affidavit stating among other things his age, the color of his hair and eyes and the fact of whether he can or cannot write his own name.

The Orpingtons.

Orpingtons have gained headway very fast in this country, and it is of importance for all to note that shanks other than pinkish white or flesh color disqualify. Standard weights all along the line are one pound heavier than the Plymouth Rocks. Beak must be white or horn color, not yellow, as in Buff Plymouth Rocks. The present English Orpington that wins the prizes is of a heavy, plump Cochin type, notwithstanding the fact that a long back is called for. Mr. Lewis Wright tells opinion as to her plight. She had us that the large, plump body and the threatened to take her own life, but short shank are the most modern type Sheriff Johnson stated that when of the Orpington. Formerly it had

Strayed

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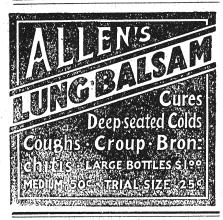
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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham were in Saginaw last week. The foundation is being laid for G.

Aoneywell's house. Mrs. Chas. Albertson, and son, Al-

bert spent a part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freeman are reoicing over the arrival of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Somerville attended conference at Saginaw last week. Mr. Kelnbeck, of Fairgrove, is moving the buildings lately purchased by

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Wm. Dodge is on the sick list this

Sarah Sargent will teach a school

near Vassar this year. Miss Blanch Fox spent Sunday at

her home near Shabbona. No school this week on account of

epairing the school house. Mrs. Brown, of Fargo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Roberts.

Fred Campfield's sister, Lulu, and friend from Avoco are visiting at the home of Chas. Campfield this

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The Democrats nominated their county ticket and hustling is now in

of the finest two-room country school to the water in trough whenever they houses in the Thumb.

C. Harbottle, who has been in the employ of C. Haist for many years, took a vacation recently. He return- out plenty of water. ed from his trip to Canada a few days

Quarterly meeting services will be held in the Evaugelical church Sunday. Presiding Elder Hettler will deliver a number of sermons. Don't fail to hear them.

Wednesday, Oct. 1 will be children's day at the Sebewaing fair. Let every pupil be present and take part in the exercises to be held immediately after means of mechanical appliances was dinner. Bring your song books.

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To begin with, it must be remembered that most mutton breeds can be raised profitably for their flesh alone. Of course the wool should be taken into consideration, as it is also a valuable product from the flock. Get as much of it as practicable. It should also be of as good quality as possible. In considering the fat sheep, which of course is the ultimate end of all mutton breeds, it should be the object of the breeder to select animals which produce as large quantities of the high priced cuts as possible.

In judging mutton sheep the object is to determine which animals will produce the largest amount of valuable meat. Always begin at the head and work backward. First examine the mouth to determine the age of the animal. An old sheep with poor teeth will not fatten well, nor will the produce be of high quality when it is obtained. Examine the head, remembering that the feeder, the butcher, the consumer and the wool manufacturer must be considered. The feeder wants the animal which will make the most economical gains; the butcher wants the animal which will dress the greatest amount of high priced cuts.

The feeder wants a head wide between the eyes and comparatively short. The chest should be wide and Determine this by holding the hands flat above and below and on either side. The buyer will soon be able to judge of the capacity of sheep for assimilating feed. The shoulder blade should be sloping and the point of the shoulder well covered. Examine the back very carefully. It should be straight, with no sagging whatever. The backbone should be attached to the hips smoothly, and the ribs should be well sprung. Always grasp the leg of the sheep just above the knee and see that the animal is well fleshed down. Much depth and thickness in the twist are very desirable. The chest should be wide, indicating lung capac-

In examining the fleece, open it on the shoulder and flanks, then on the hind quarter. The best wool is found over the shoulder. That on the hip is not so good. Never open the fleece on the back, as there is a tendency for the mud and rain to get down and

the head, absence of hair on legs and face, fineness of bone, etc. Condition in sheep is difficult to determine, for the reason that when the sheep begins to take on fat this is stored up on the finally down over the shoulder and on the flank.

In animals for breeding purposes these points must of course be given due weight, but it must also be remembered that the breeding animal must have great vigor of constitution, capacity for transmitting characteristics and moderate coarseness of bone. A very fine bone is not desired in a breeding animal; neither must it be too coarse. A fine new wood shed adorns the In an animal to be fattened the matter of taking on flesh quickly is of more importance than constitution and character of bone.

Water For Hogs.

Very few farmers realize the imporince of giving hogs all the pure water they require at all times. In many places they are watered once or twice a day. The lots and pastures should The "Snell" district has put up one be so arranged that the hogs can get desire it. This is especially important during the hot days of early spring as well as the excessively hot weather in August. Hogs will not do well with-



About fifteen years ago the plan of stacking grass and compacting it by widely advocated in England. The English Agricultural Gazette, June 30, 1886, said editorially that the silage stack is plainly the silage factory of the future. Various devices were inonable rates. Shop under Crosby's vented for compacting the silo. There were two general ferms of building such stacks-flat topped and peak topped stacks. The Royal Agricultural Society of England awarded a prize of \$125 for a device to compact the latter style of stack. It consisted merely of a flexible galvanized iron wire rope so adjusted to a stack that the pressure of 150 pounds per square foot could be placed thereon.

The plan of stacking grass or clover while green had been tried in this country. While the product was palatable enough, the loss of material due to fermentation was altogether too great to make the process economical. I judge that the practice is no longer in vogue in England.-Professor F. F. Hunt, Ohio State University.

Shredded Corn For Horses. Tests of shredded corn fodder as feed for horses have been made at several experiment stations, and the estimate varies at from 50 to 100 per cent value compared with timothythe usual standard. At the Vermont station corn fodder gave as good results as timothy with work stock. For idle horses it proved to be rather more indigestable than timothy. In this, however, all tests agree: Corn fodder is altogether too valuable for hay to be permitted to dry up in the field, as is the custom in the south-

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The Busiest Hardware Store in the Thumb. By Ashley Towne

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CHAPTER II. THE BLACKSMITH AND THE PICTURE. N a road leading from the city of Perm toward the forest on the south there stood a rude cluster of buildings, all of them old and in a poor state of repair. This collection of huts was the home and forge of the Paulpoffs, ironwork-

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Here worked old Michael Paulpoff and his son Vladimir, and it had been to this uninviting place that Frances Gordon had come to make the chance acquaintance of the young giant.

The huts and the surroundings were rapidly growing even less inviting, for nothing was being done now to keep anything in repair.

A collection of household goods, over which old Mamma Paulpoff watched carefully, gave evidence that the family were about to remove themselves and their belongings to another place.

But still the old man and the young one were at work. The blows that Vladimir struck were tremendous. The iron under his hammer bent and flattened as the sparks shot like fireworks to the far corners of the place. There was a gay laugh on his handsome face -a face that was almost childlike in its simplicity and guilelessness.

"Oh, that will be a happy day, Papa Paulpoff!" the young man said gleefully, plunging his tongs into the white fire and withdrawing a bar of iron. 'What will?" asked the old man,

looking sidewise at his son, but continuing his work. "The day I can take you and the lit-

tle mother to a better home." "We have been happy here," replied

old Papa Paulpoff, looking round at the dingy interior.

"Yes, we have been happy-we shall always be happy, for we are simple and require little. But with greater comfort and more money greater happiness ought to come. It is fine to feel yourself growing to be somebody in the world-to feel yourself expand, broaden. It is study that does it, and work.

I think the knowledge gives me more pleasure than the wealth. But we also need the wealth." The old man sighed. "Yes, that is good, that knowledge.

But you will grow away from us. You will perhaps marry that American girl, and she would not like our simple

The hammer in Vladimir's hand came down with redoubled force. "What is that you say-our Vladimir talking of marrying?" asked the tremglous voice of Mrs. Paulpoff. "I came

to say that the meal is ready, and I find-what do I find?". "Oh, Papa Paulpoff is dreaming one of his dreams," said Vladimir, with a

"But is it not so, old woman?" asked ble that our Vladimir may marry that one whose name must be sacred."

handsome American girl?" "I have seen it so," answered the old woman. "It seems that no young wom-

an would take this interest if she did "Oh, nonsense!" cried Vladimir. "We are friends. She is good. I admire.

Why, I could almost worship her, but I am a peasant. She is"-There came the sound of cursing out-

side and the fall of a horse's hoofs. A shout took the old man to the door.

"Curses upon this beast!" came an angry voice as a man about thirty-five, clad in a neat riding suit, entered the room striking his high boottops with his whip. "I have just been thrown. In some mysterious manner my horse. who never stumbles, caught his foot in ed me to the ground. The horse is uninjured, but he has lost the shoe. . heard the sound of a smithy and came to you for assistance. I must reach Graslov tonight, and the delay is seri-

"It is long since we were mere horseshoers," said the old man. "The railroad"-

"But surely you can make a shoe and put it on. I must go forward, and I do not wish to lame this valuable horse." "Certainly, we will shoe the horse, put in Vladimir, whose kind heart could never refuse any request that

was reasonable and proper. "I will attend to it at once. "But the meal is waiting," said the old woman.

"The meal is but a short distance and Graslov is far," said Vladimir. "I will shoe the horse and permit the prince to proceed."

"How did you know that I was prince?" asked the stranger, looking about him with a keen eye that was

full of inquiry. "The horse is of the herd at Graslov, the seat of the Neslerovs," was the answer. "I know the herd and think I

have shod this very horse before." "Good! That is better than putting

him into the hands of a stranger," said the rider. "Is your name Paulpoff?" "It is. I am Vladimir Paulpoff. The

little father here is Michael." "Ah, I have heard of you. You have guessed correctly. I am a prince. My steward, who has charge of my estate while I am away in Siberia, has told me of the giant who is growing rich working for the railroad. It is said that you can bend an iron bar with wour hands."

Vladimir in response picked up an iron bar about four feet long and an inch thick and bent it double with no

"Are you that powerful?"

powerful."

stool while the other two began to pre



"What is it that you say—our Vladimir talking of marrying?"

pare for shoeing the horse. The fine animal was brought inside, and he, like his noble master, seemed surprised

The old woman, patient now under the rebuke of Vladimir, stood waitin "This is not much of a place for successful men," said Neslerov, looking

"Ho!" chuckled the old man. "You have come too soon. See, nothing is being done. We are about to leave this place for a spot nearer the railway."

"Business is not good, then?" "Oh, is it not?" said Vladimir. "When one has a powerful friend to send the ironwork to him, it is easy to get along. We shall have a fine shop and ten men employed in the work. Instead of this hovel my father and mother shall live in a fine house, and my father shall work no more. I shall make money for

ting married?"

of. I do not know."

"Somebody else knows," chuckled the doting Papa Paulpoff. "There is an American girl who thinks well of

"Hush!" exclaimed Vladimir impa-Papa Paulpoff. "Is it not quite possitiently. "You are speaking of some

> rov jokingly. "I can get no one to marry me.'

pleased to marry one of Russia's wealthiest princes.'

she is rich, and she sends him books." "Good! She is educating you. She must love you," said Neslerov. "Oh, as to love, that is different. Her

for marrying - it will require a fine man to make her happy. "He will make any one happy," put

tect? "They could fell a bull!" said Nesle-

Perm and play?' "Not he!" said the old man, pausing

He studies or he paints."

"Aye, indeed yes. He is a born paint-

"See, he is not so simple as he looks,"

"Very far from simple, I should say," answered Neslerov.

poff suddenly, so suddenly that she jumped in alarm. "Go get the picture. Let the prince see the face of her who

The old woman obeyed and ran out.

painted!" stammered Neslerov. "Yes, I, and the good part of it is that she knows nothing of it. I shall give it to her when she comes again to

fore you?" asked the prince. "Ha! It is never from my sight. The

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apparent effort. "Good God!" exclaimed the prince

"We acquire muscle in this work," Vladimir answered, "and I was born

A look of wonder had spread over the face of the prince. He sat upon a rude



at his surroundings.

around him.

"Ah! Then I suppose you will be get-

"That is something I have not thought

our"-

His face was flushed, and Neslerov looked at it searchingly. "You are very fortunate," said Nesle-

"You but jest. Any one would be

"But such a one!" continued the indiscreet old man. "She is beautiful,

acts are kind, and I feel grateful. But

in the old woman, with a glance of something, tore loose his shoe and hurl- pride at the young giant. "Any girl, even though she might be a princess. would get no better for a husband. Look at those arms! Can they not pro-

rov. "How do you pass the time here? Do you go to the nearest village or to

long enough in his work to add his tribute to this son they loved so well. That young man spending his time at a village! I think not, your excellency. With his books he spends his nights.

"What's that? Paints!"

"And shoeing horses?" "One gets a kopeck or two for shoeing horses. One must paint for the pleasure of it, unless one is well known. It will come in time," said Vladimir.

said Papa Paulpoff, nodding his head toward the big boy.

"Old woman!" shouted Papa Paul-

is so kind to Vladimir." "Her picture! You have her picture

see us," said Vladimir.

"But I do not understand. How could you draw a face without having it be

most peautiful face! A face that one could not forget. I drew it—I painted it-two-three and four times from memory, and always alike."

At this juncture the old woman returned with a picture in a frame. Silently she handed it to Neslerov. He sat with it in his hands, gazing down hungrily upon the features he knew so well. It showed two things-first, Where Neglect Means Sure Failure that there was, undeveloped in the young man, a talent that would make him famous if it ever got a chance; second, that he must have the picture of exterminating them when they have the girl indelibly in his mind to paint so true a picture from memory. And, knowing Frances Gordon, Neslerov knew that this man was a most dan- money in keeping hens. Lice and profitgerous rival for her hand.

the old woman exultingly. "Pshaw!" exclaimed Papa Paulpoff.

"He has done nothing else worth mentioning.'

caught a swift look of warning flashed ceptible to the ravages of vermin. from Michael's eyes to those of his whetted.

what I want." .

"But not that," replied Vladimir. "I could not sell that." "But another of the same face?"

"No, I could not sell that face." "Then let me see something elsesomething as good as this—and I will

"There is another woman's face"-

began Mamma Paulpoff. "Yes, and as beautiful a face as this, but a Russian," added Vladimir. "It mother hen will dust her chicks by was a picture. Papa Paulpoff had it. getting her own feathers filled with

"Show it to me," said Neslerov. another of the group.

to satisfy the prince. He sent the old woman for the other portrait.

hands of the prince. At the first glance | bacco and mix thoroughly. This powhis face went white to the very lips. der dusted wherever lice are will kill His hands shook. His frame trembled. them. Then remember that there are "Good heavens!" was breathed under his mustache. The words were not

heard, but the manner of the man did not escape Papa Paulpoff. "Who is this-it is a beautiful woman-but her name?" asked Neslerov, and his voice had turned suddenly hoarse in spite of the effort to control

himself. "I found a small picture one day after a party of nobles passed by," answered Papa Paulpoff.

A swift glance of suspicion shot from the eyes of Neslerov to the face of Papa Paulpoff. But the old man's face was perfectly impassive. "I will buy this. Name your price,"

said the prince. "And I will buy the other, the one you found." "Alas, it is lost!" exclaimed Papa Paulpoff. "It was in a small house we

had years ago, and it burned down." "And the picture destroyed?" "Alas, yes. It was so pretty, a noble

woman, perhaps even a princess," said to become a breeding place for the red Papa Paulpoff. "I wept like a child mites. when it was lost."

Tears came into his eyes now at the remembrance of it. "I will buy this. How much do you ask for it?" he asked of Vladimir. "On second thoughts, it is not for

sale," Vladimir answered. "I do not wonder." he said. "It is a beautiful face. We do not have them in this part of Russia. In St. Petersburg, perhaps.'

He shot a glance at Papa Paulpoff as he spoke, but the old man was bending down putting the hot shoe on the horse's hoof. The job finished, there remained

nothing but to pay the Paulpoffs and

depart. The prince did this, bade them a pleasant farewell, mounted his steed and rode away. "Explain the mystery!" cried Vladimir. "You have not lost the picture! You commanded me never to lose it!

Why the lie about the fire?"

"The picture," replied Papa Paulpoff, turning white under his thick beard, "is that of a noble lady who was a friend of my family and whom we as children worshiped as a saint. I do



"Who is this—it is a beautiful woman—but her name?" not want to lose it. That prince seemed to know who she was, and I did not want him to get the picture, so I lied. Old woman, what about that dinner?"

"It awaits," said Mamma Paulpoff. "Then come. I am famished. If one speaks to me to disturb me eating, I will use my foot."

Once at the table, Papa Paulpoff attacked the meal with the rude manners of the uneducated Russian, and the old woman sat with downcast eyes eating opportunity to enjoy.-Atchison Globe.

her own meal. Vladimir, though devoured by curios-

ity, knew the peculiarities of the old man and ate in silence.

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FIGHT THE LICE.

In the Poultry Business. The keeping of house, brooder and birds free from vermin is easier than begun breeding in earnest. When lice begin to multiply, profits lessen, and the time arrives when there is no able poultry do not coexist. Lice and "But that is not all he has done," said little chicks seldom live long together n the same brooder. One-half the death losses among

brooder chicks are due to the various varieties of lice, especially to the red Vladimir looked up in surprise and mites. Little chicks are especially sus-

The common body louse found on the wife. The warning flash was also seen | chick is the same as appears on the by Neslerov, and his curiosity was adult bird. The usual mode of transmission is for the louse to crawl from "Surely this cannot be all," he said. the brooding nen to the chick she Such a talent must have an outlet. mothers. Sitting hens are good breed-There must be something else. Come! ing places for lice, and many a little I will look at all you have and buy chick gets its first experience of lice soon after it gets out of the shell. Lice also pass from chick to chick. A few lice infested chicks added to a brooder soon furnish lice to the lot. It is also true that lice get on young chicks from hens in nearby yards. There must be some plan kept in mind to constantly control lice on the growing chicks.

Dust is the first and natural remedy for body lice. Left to herself, the found it one day and painted one dust and then calling her little ones under her. Dry road dust, finely ground tobacco, Persian insect powder-in His eyes were fixed on the face of fact any fine, dry particles-will kill Vladimir with something like fear in the lice if worked into the small them now. He glanced from one to breathing tubes of the insects. There are many good insect powders on the Papa Paulpoff showed evidences of market. You can make your own if nervousness, but Vladimir was eager you wish to do so. Take one pint air slacked lime and stir into it one ounce liquid carbolic acid. Add to this mix-She brought it and placed it in the ture three pounds finely ground toa number of eggs due to hatch in a few days, and so dust every week

until you get rid of them. Persian insect powder does the best work on quite young chicks. This must be less than a year old, as the virtue escapes with age. Have the hatching hens free from lice, brood where lice have not been introduced,

and you will seldom have trouble. Provide a real dust bath for the chicks where they can dust themselves. but do not trust too much to it if you know there are lice on your chicks.

Kerosene is death to red mites. Pour it into every crack where they crawl. Spray the inside of brooders and all buildings with the oil. Let it soak in. Then whitewash thickly the inside of all houses and brooders. An ounce of carbolic acid to every pail of whitewash will improve it for this special purpose. Keep the brooders clean and fresh. Do not allow filth to accumulate

Some of the liquid lice killers do good work and are to be used if you do not care to make your own. Most liquid lice killers are better than pure kerosene. A liquid lice killer that is good for red mites as well as to a certain extent for the common louse can be made at home if you care to take the trouble. Put into one gallon common kerosene oil one pound naphthaline and let stand | Leicesters and Cotswolds, and to add for two or three days; shake before using; apply with brush or sponge to bottom of brooder or box where the chicks pass the night. If there is a cloth fringe to the hover, apply some of the liquid to the upper edge of it, letting it work its way into the cloth. If there is any place where the red mites crawl out of sight, see that the liquid is worked into the very spot. The closer you get the killer to the mites the more sure you are of getting | more likely to be twins, but that has rid of them. If the lice stay on the chicks, you must put the chicks in a box into which the liquid lice killer has been put. A cloth wet with it and hid on the bottom will do the work, but give the chicks some air and do not go off and leave them in the box. If you are not careful, the strength of it will

kill the chicks. Remember there is a new crop yet to hatch and then be ready to apply the remedy several times if you expect to be ever free of red mites.-Dr. N. W.

Sanborn in Reliable Poultry Journal.

A Good Thing to Do. There is no branch of farm operations that can be permanently and profitably improved more easily and at less cost than the poultry yards. A dollar or two invested in eggs of good breeds of fowls will bring back many times the investment within a year or two. If you want to improve your poultry, you can do it quickly, cheaply

and with but little risk. Breeders have learned that it pays to send out no eggs except from good stock. A sitting or two is all that is needed for a good start. A very few dollars spent for good eggs means a nice flock of fowls in one year, when you may be in a position to sell to your neighbors at good big prices.-Exchange.

Eclipsed. Hewitt-What became of the girl that you used to say was the light of

Jewett-Another fellow came be-

tween me and the light.

There is a rich sound in closing a hack door that only a few people have

THEEP HUSBANDRY

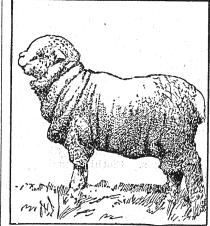
Where spring lambs are to be the chief crop it is necessary to make summer preparations for them. With the lambs born in the late fall and midwinter, it should be the aim of the grower to provide proper food for them. Good farming crops raised in the summer should keep the ewes in good condition up to the time of the breeding season, and when the lambs arrive they will also have an abundance of food. If one must go to work and buy all this food, the profits in spring lamb growing will be discounted. Clover or alfalfa hay should be raised in abundance. A great crop of either will save many a dollar later. As the lambs are to be fed cracked corn generously it is necessary that the corn crop should

be added to that of the hay crop. The ewes themselves should be fed freely and generously to make them do their best. They should have in the fall and early winter a good ration of clover hay and shelled corn and bran in the morning and corn and cowpea ensilage at noon. In the evening they should have corn fodder, some grain and some mangees or other root crop. Such a ration fed systematically will produce excellent results. The ewes will prove good mothers and bring into the world the finest spring lambs.

By good feeding it is possible in time to secure a flock of ewes which will produce many twins. The ewes which show a tendency to produce twins should be carefully selected and fed separately. By breeding carefully in this way the profits of the work be nearly doubled. But it should remembered that ewes not well cannot bring into the world twins healthy condition, nor can they re them successfully after they are bor

Consequently perfect health of ewes is the first great step toward s cess. Unless one raises his win feed in abundance he will not give sheep the amount and quality of fe that they demand for this purpo When we have to purchase food in market, we feed so economically the we are bound to deprive the anim of their rightful allowance. Provis for next season's spring lamb sho therefore be made now .- E. P. Sm in American Cultivator.

Champion Merino Ewe. The fine Merino ewe whose picts is here shown has carried off the bl



ribbon at several leading state fairs. She is the property of R. D. Williamson, Xenia, O.

Origin of the Shropshires. According to Professor Wilson the present breed of Shropshires sprung from the old Morfe common stock, and to give size they were crossed with the quality and remove the objectionable horns the Southdown was employed. The Determination of Sex.

It seems that there is a great difference of opinion in regard to the influence of the male in producing twins and also in controlling the sex, says W. Watson in Wool Markets and Sheep. Some seem to think that to use a ram that is one of a pair of twins will make the progeny of that ram not been my experience. I believe the male has nothing to do whatever with the production of twins or with controlling the sex. I once had a valuable cow that was a great milker, and I was very desirous of raising a heifer calf from her, but she persisted in producing bull calves. I bred to a different bull each time, bred her coming in heat and going out. She raised me ten calves, and all were bulls. With sheep I have used old rams, yearling rams and ram lambs, and the results one year with another have been about the same. I find I get as many twins from old rams as with ram lambs, and after keeping tab on them for five years I find the number of ewe lambs and ram lambs to be about equal.

A newspaper man who had occasion to visit the famous Scotch shepherd. Jimmy McLay, on the noted Chamcook farm, St. Andrew's, New Brunswick, says that one of the most impor tant "hands" (or should we say "feet") on the farm is Superintendent McLay's Scotch collie Henry. He is a beautiful animal and can do almost everything except talk. What Henry doesn't know about herding sheep or cows or pigs, no dog in that dominion can tell him. To see him "working" is a sight worth traveling many miles. Henry is a gilt edged breed and is the personal property of the superintendent. Though not on the pay roll, there is no "hand" about the farm that is more useful and certainly none more willing. Premiums at Denver.

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The premium list for sheep at the Denver fat stock and feeder show to be held in February, 1903, is as follows: For the best load of fat wethers, \$50, \$25, \$10; for the best load of fat lambs, not over one year old, \$50, \$25, \$10: grand championship, best five lambs from any section, \$25.

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Chroniclings....

Miss Edna Epplett is on the sick

Florence Clarke spent Sunday in Gagetown.

Miss Tillie McPhail in numbered with the sick.

Louis Law of Wixom is spending he week here. John Murphy attended the Bad Axe

Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Little are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Young were callers n Deford Sunday.

Joe Grigware of Clare is attending the fair this week.

L. Robb had a bicycle stolen from his barn last week. Stanley McKenzie was a visitor in

agetown Sunday. Mrs. C. D. Striffler visited in Flint

few days this week. Miss Gregor of Ontario is the guest of Miss Lillie Wallace.

D. McQueen of Hay Creek was a caller in town Monday.

T. H. Hunt transacted business in Detroit last Saturday.

Mrs. J. Allen of Shabbona was a caller in town Monday.

Miss Laura Wickware visited friends n Pt. Huron last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. N. Bradley of Hay

Creek were in town Monday. O. K. Janes transacted business in Owosso a few days last week.

A. W. Traver transacted business in Ionia and Detroit last week. Mrs. Losey of Oxford is the guest of her son, Dana Losey, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Traver of Caseville were callers in town last Friday.

Miss Lila Adams of Caseville is visiting at the home of Jas. Tennant. Miss Lou Edwards of Ubly is the

guest of Mrs. E. F. Marr this week. Mrs. R. L. King and Miss Florence points returned home Saturday. Watrous of Caro were in town Friday. Miss Lulu Randall of Oxford is the

guest of friends in town during the fair. W. M. Goff of Sebewaing was the guest of his brother, G. W. Goff, last in the home of Mrs. M. M. Parker.

week. Miss Emma Berg left last Saturday to take charge of her school near

Bert Smithson, who has been em-

Friday.

Miss Ross, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. McKim, left for Detroit ceeded in winning a number of prizes. Tuesday.

J. W. Fenn and family arrived here Va., who formerly resided in Cass Tuesday and will make Cass City their City, is visiting old friends here this

A. E. Lauderbach and family of Bay City are visiting relatives in town of cattle at the State Fair last week

and vicinity. Miss Madeline Auten, who has been prize. visiting at Soo St. Marie, returned

home Monday. Miss Hattie Wood returned to New-

berry Tuesday where she has a posi- Monday. tion in the asylum.

Louis Usher and Berkley Patterson west and one-half mile south of Greenat their homes here.

E. W. Thomas, who is widely known Two farms and 120 acres of wild in these parts, will have an auction Beach filled the Presbyterian pulpit his nose. Mr. Vance succeeded in

home Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Justin is very sick with yphoid fever.

Mrs. Duffield of Greenleaf was in own Tuesday. Mrs. D. McColl of Greenleaf was in

own Tuesday. Mrs. I. B. Auten is the guest of

Caro friends this week. Dr. Treadgold is nicely located up

stairs in the City block. Mayme Conaton of Bad Axe is the

guest of Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock. F. L. Mark has a car load of peaches

for sale at A. H Ale & Co.'s store. W. D. Schooley of Saginaw visited friends in town a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder are entertainng their daughter from North Branch Misses Jennie and Margaret Sweeny of Greenleaf called on friends in town

Dr. M. W. Gifford will occupy his pulpit as usual next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Mable King of Elmwood is issisting in Mrs. A. Parker's millinery shop this week. Henry M. Youmans, the Democratic

candidate for Congress took in the fair on Wednesday. Mrs. Dr. Foster of Scottville is the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. K.

Wickware, this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Traver spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. W.

W. Bender, at Gagetown. Mrs. X. A. Boomhower and daughter, Florence, of Ubly, are visiting at

the home of Mrs. A. Gillies. J. D. Schenck of Soo St. Marie arrived here Monday noon for a visit

with friends and relatives. A belt ornament was found on the street Wednesday. The sane can be had at the Chronicle office.

Wm. Hartwick, who is employed at Durand, is spending this week in town with friends and relatives.

John Morrison and Misses Kate Zinnecker and Mary Walters attended

the Bad Axe fair last Thursday. Mrs. E. F. Marr, who has been visiting in Racine, Wis., and other

Rev. and Mrs. Gifford, who have been visiting in Ontario the past two weeks, are expected home Friday.

A little child from the Detroit home arrived here Friday and was placed

Rev. S. M. Gilchriese, who was to occupy the pulpit in the M. E. church last Sunday, was unable to be here. The family of Wm. McComb, who

have been suffering from scarlet fever ployed at Millersburg, returned home are now released from the quarentine. John Marshall exhibited some stock

> at the State Fair last week and suc-Dr. E. L. Robinson of Petersburg,

> A. Saigeon exhibited several head

and received two first and one second Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemerick and Mr. and Mrs. N. Karr of Gagetown

attended the play at the opera house John Morrison, who lives one mile

of Pt. Huron are spending the week leaf postoffice announces a large auction sale for Thursday, Oct. 9th. Rev. David McAllister of Harbor Fortunately the animal had a ring in

last Sunday. His sermons were high- getting hold of this and managed to Mrs. T. Henderson and Miss Mary ly appreciated by those who had the hold the enraged brute while he in Detroit the past week, returned Allister also favored the Chronicle found that he was considerably office with a brief call.



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Rev. S. M. Gilchriese arrived Tuesday for a few days visit with friends. Juries. Miss Edna Kerr of Bad Axe is assisting in Mrs. M. J. McGillvray's

Mesdames Graham and Campbell of Dutton, Ont. are the guests of Mrs. M. J. McGillvray.

and Lucy and Bessie Dew of Green- attend to taking measures for suits, leaf were the guests of friends in town Saturday.

improving. Dr. Deming lanced the lengths which gives you a good idea abcess Tuesday. The Social Workers of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. J. S. Mc-

which all are invited to attend. Alex. Irwin of Novesta died to tvphoid fever and was buried Wednesday. Mr. Irwin was under quarentine at the time of his death and con-

held early in the morning. While working at the barn Monday evening, Robbie Orr was hurt in some way by a horse. He was found unconscious in the barn yard with his face badly bruised and his nose fractured. Dr. Livingston dressed the

structing him to arrest one of the sired. Enquire of Samuel Little. gents connected with the snake show, which is doin' things at the fair. He found, however, that the fellow who had stolen a banjo, had left for Lapeer last Sunday. According to last reports he is still at large.

A Port Huron tough by the name of Miller was arrested on Wednesday afternoon by Marshall Ramsey. The scoundrel relieved Orrin Deming of his Fair ticket at the corner of Main and Oak streets and ran up past E. McKims house where the officer caught him. The fellow acknowledged the theft and accordingly was placed behind the bars for safe keep-

Robert Vance of Deford met with a serious mishap last Sunday while salting his cattle in a pasture lot. Without any warning the bull, that was with the herd, pitched into him. bruised, so much so that a physician

had to be called to attend to his in-

We have procured the services of J. C. Hasse & Son, Merchant Tailors, of Detroit, for two days, October 8 and 9, and will have on exhibition at our store their full line of fall and winter samples of foreign and American Misses Lucy Roblin, Sarah Gillies woolens. Mr. Hasse will personally trousers, and overcoats and we will deliver the work and guarantee fit and Mrs. J. Joint of Novest who has satisfaction, you will have practically been suffering for several weeks with the same service as if you were in an abscess under the chin, is rapidly Detroit as you see the goods in 11 yard of how a suit will look when made up.

We invite you to call if you are interested in good clothes. If not call Arthur Wednesdays Oct. 8: Tea anyway and get posted on the latest will be served at the usual hour to fall and winter fashions. Don't forget the dates, October 8 and 9 at

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From my premises between the 13th and 20th of September, two 2 year old sequently the funeral was private and heifers. Description: One is dehorned, dark red, white spot in face. The other, light red with white spots. Finder will be suitably rewarded.

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