of the republican congressional cam-

of the senate and house to be held in

chosen were selected by the state delegations in congress. A resolution

was passed by the caucus empowering

the next chairman of the committee

to fill the vacancies. The states left

Year of 1872.

Years and Built the First

Elevator Here.

of years conducted a thriving grain

business until his failing health com-

pelled him to retire from active life.

ODD FELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY.

which will this year take the form of

a free lunch from five to six o'clock.

The business meeting will be held at

Cass City lodge from one to three; ex-

In the evening there will be games

and a social time at the Odd Fellow

Preparations are being made for a

large attendance from Cass City and

probably special arrangements will be

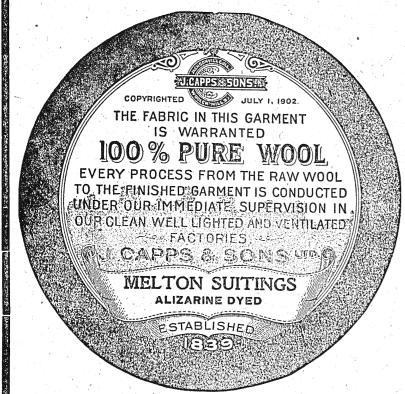
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MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD.

hall.—Tuscola County Advertiser.

men in the village.

Mr. Riker, will officiate.



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on the sleeve of the next suit you buy, and you will then be sure of a Fine Fitter, a Good Looker, and a Long Wearer. There are more points of excellence about

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Delivery Will deliver any thing you buy from us in the city.

Western Corn Have just received a car load of western corn which is for sale in

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Are the Best Equipped Mills in the Thumb.

-Our Brands Are-

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White Lily always leads. Try it and you will buy no other.

Mill Feed of all Kinds always on hand.

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We want to impress upon your mind return same to H. P. Lee. 3-25-1 the fact that your Job Printing will be ready when promised at the

THREE TICKETS

Township Election Promises to Be Interesting.

A. A. MCKENZIE AS SUPERVISOR the hall of the house. The members CHILDREN'S MEETING A SUCCESS

On the Republican Ticket, Democratic Caucus Today and Prohibition on Monday.

Township election in Elkland promises to be as interesting as in former years, there being a promise of three Mississippi, Nevada, North Carolina, tickets in the field. The republican noon and the prohibitionists have a at 2:00 p. m.

According to the call issued last week, a Republican caucus was held at the town hall Wednesday afternoon. It was well attended and much interest was manifested in the selection Came to Tuscola County in the of the candidates. The ticket is lead by A. A. McKenzie, who is well and favorably known and has an excellent record as supervisor of the township. Without a doubt, this ticket will be elected by a good majority. The following officers were nomi

Supervisor-A. A. McKenzie.

Clerk-H. F. Lenzner. Treasurer- B. Benkelman School Inspector-Geo. Hall. Highway Commissioner-John Mar-

Justice of Peace Geo. Predmore. Member of the Board of Review-J. I. Striffler.

Constables-John Ensley, Chas. D. Striffler, Henry Ball and John Wooley. Jas. Perkins was elected as a member of the township committee and the following gentlemen were chosen as delegates to the county convention: J. D. Brooker, Dr. D. P. Deming, Jas. Perkins, O. K. Janes, Dr. Wm. Morris, W. McKenzie, F. C. Lee. Geo. Hall, and G. A. Striffler.

J. H. Striffler presided as chairman of the caucus and A. D. Gillies was chosen secretary. The chair appointed Jas. Perkins and S. G. Benkelman

WERE INDORSED BY MONTAGUE.

The Detroit Evening News of Tueslay contained the following interestng item concerning Chas. Montague,

he bankrupt capitalist: "When the Henry A. Newland Co., of Detroit was organized at the annuboard of directors elected, it was discovered that the stock subscriptions the order, and this year the meeting Now that Ann's age has been thodirectors and officers of the company, Tuesday, April 26. nounting to \$11,250 each, had never been fully paid, and that instead the company had their notes for the amounts, indorsed by Charles Montague, the bankrupt Caro capitalist. Hyde testified before the referee that no mention was ever made to the directors of these notes, but that if they had taken the trouble to examine the books the items would have been found. The total amount now due, after deducting the payments made by Hyde and Seymour, is about \$17,000, and the trustees of the Henry A. Newland Co. ask that it be made a valid claim against the bankrupt estate of Charles Montague, to share in the assets in the hands of the Union Trust Co., Montague's trustee. Montague admits the indorsement of the notes, which he says was for the purpose of enabling Hyde and Seynour to pay their stock subscriptions, but did not list them among his liabilities for the reason that he regards them as outlawed."

other business that of engaging teach-HAD A TIME OF HIS OWN. Paul Haas, aged 19, received an initation to a party at the house of Jacob Fink, in the country near Mayrille: He announced that he wouldn't have time to attend, as he was going to have a time of his own. He evidently meant what he said, as it is From the present outlook several charged that after he had imbibed reely he regained to the Fink resience while the festivities were at their height, and commenced firing at the house with a shotgun at short range. The fifth shot went through the side of the building and some of even improve the present standard of glim is doused Saturday nights will where Landlord Kile, Frank Kile and the bullets struck Elsie Bowerman near the left temple and I. E. Huyerheim in the forehead. The screams enables the board to hire the best of day.—North Branch Gazette. of the woman evidently frightened talent in keeping with our growing Haas, as he left. George Stalker, educational interests. randfather of Miss Bowerman, enered a complaint against Haas, and e was brought before Justice Clark or examination which was continued intil the 24th. While the wounds of Miss Bowerman and Mr. Huyerheim are painful, they are not serious, and they will be around again in a few days, Haas has always borne a good reputation save for the drink habit.

PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR RESIGNS. Rev. S. P. Jackson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has tendered his resignation on account of ill-health. On Monday he will go to Vermont Jackson and his estimable wife to their new field of duty.

LOST-Headboard of bedstead within five miles west of town. Finder moss.—Ex.

FORDNEY IS IT. Washington, March 21—Representative Fordney of Saginaw was select-IS MANIFESTED ed as one of the 34 of the 48 members

paign committee which will conduct the campaign for the election of re- At the Union Revival Meetings at publican members of the fifty-ninth the M. E. Church. congress at a caucus of the members

Rev. H. Sayles of Chicago in Charge. Men's Meeting Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon.

unrepresented on this committee are Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Flor-A series of union revival meetings ida. Illinois, Indiana, Louisiana, have been in progress at the M. E. church this week, conducted by Rev. South Carolina, Texas, Vermont and H. Sayles of Chicago. The opening caucus has already been held while Arizona territory. About 75 members meeting was held last Sunday evening the democrats will hold one this after- of the senate and house attended the and the church was filled to overcaucus, which was presided over by flowing. Mr. Sayles uses a stereopticall for one Monday. Both of these Representative Hepburn of Iowa. con during the song service which is caucuses will be held at the town hall The selection of members took less conducted for half an hour each evening. The pictures are very good and are highly appreciated by all who GEORGE S. RIKER DEAD attend. His methods of conducting revivals are systematic and his manner earnest.

> On Tuesday afternoon a service for children was held in which the stereopticon played a prominent part. There were over 250 children present Was a Resident of Cass City for Many besides the older people. Another children's meeting will be held today. Services have been held each evening this week and large crowds have been George S. Riker, an old and respect- in attendance. Great interest is being ed citizen of this village passed away manifested and it is believed that Wednesday morning after a four Cass City is in the midst of one of the weeks' illness. He was born in York greatest revivals ever known in this State eighty years ago February 17, vicinity.

> where he spent his younger days. A large chorus choir composed of Fifty-three years ago he was united people from all the churches in town in marriage at Clarkston to Miss furnishes plenty of good, enthusiastic Amanda Perry of Grand Blanc. He singing, and Mr. Sayles' sermons are came to Tuscola in 1872 and has re- worth coming a long distance to hear. sided in this county ever since, hav- He will address the Evangelical ing been a resident of Cass City for Sunday school next Sunday morning twenty years. He built the first ele- and in the afternoon a men's meeting vator in Cass City and for a number will be held in the M. E. church.

MERE MENTION.

He also followed the occupation of a Another railroad wreck occurred miller and was one of the best known near Mayville Wednesday night when train No. 50 ran into the regular Besides his widow he leaves two children, John S. and Miss Alice, both freight on the curve, wrecking and of this place. He was a faithful mem- setting fire to two cars, but no one is ber of the Baptist church of this reported injured.

place. The funeral services will be A St. Clair man has invented a conducted this (Friday) afternoon at sugar beet puller which it is claimed the family residence on Garfield ave- will pull three acres a day, thus saving spring, is now here. Someone may nue and Rev. Currie, an old friend of the farmer \$7 per acre. A stock com- ask why spring is dangerous. The pany has been organized to manufacture the machine.

Yale has a lot of fast young people. Each year the Odd Fellow Lodges During fire drill in the schools there of this section of the state, under the the other day it took just ninety secorganized title of the "Thumb An- onds for the scholars to pack up their nual meeting on the anniversary of after the alarm was sounded.

is to be held in Caro, the date being roughly discussed an exchange springs tive feminine specimen of humanity, this one: "A young woman goes up The occasions are always made mem- stairs at 7:45 to dress for the evening. orable by the large attendance, by She is 19 years old and weighs 102 the interest in the degree work; and pounds. State the wait of the man the banquet which closes the occasion

Charles Perry, a wagonmaker, aged 79 years, died at Vassar Saturday after an illness of nearly five years. the court house at one o'clock, ex- He had been confined to the house for emplification of Rebekah degree by three years with a complication of diseases and old age. He was born in emplification of initiatory degree by Oswego, N. Y., and came to Tuscola One of the exercises handed in read county 33 years ago. He leaves no

> making the Michigan towns taking was good she was very good and when subscriptions for a home paper and she was naughty she was horrid. with every subscription it is under- Who, when listening to a child reset of dishes. She assesses every vict-agine that it could be expressed in im one dollar and three days after- such elaborate terms? ward the aforesaid victim receives a receipt for the dollar signed "U. R. Dunagain. '

The school board held a special ses-D. E. Hubbell, editor of the Marsion last Tuesday evening. Among lette Leader, has had a constant round Spencer S. Hunt tendered him a banof trouble since another Hubbell fam- quet last evening at Gordon's Tavern, ers for the coming year occupied the ily moved to town. The other Hub- previous to his departure for Dundee, attention of the board. Prof. Sin- bell gets all the prize pumpkins, cord- Oregon, his parental home. clair has been retained with an in- wood and bushels that were meant for creased salary for another year. The the editor, while the latter down trodthe school board has expressed its ap-should go to the other Hubbell. The preciation in a substantial manner, editor threatens a change.

ing. The schools are in a prosperous into effect the first of the week and ed to toasts. condition and the members of the hereafter hair and whiskers not pre- After satisfying the inner man, the 2 Spring tooth harrows board are determined to keep up or sented for amputation before the company retired to the hotel parlors 2 Spike tooth harrows the schools. The finances of the dis- have to continue to grow until the Louis Usher entertained by singing trict are in excellent condition which active operations of another secular several popular songs.

The large frame barn of A. J. Cook, a mile east of Valley Centre, was Frost, T. Quinn, C. W. McKenzie, H. burned to the ground last Friday Frutchey, L. W. Usher, H. P. Lee, F. night. The fire brcke out about 10 C. Lee, S. J. McKenzie, C. C. Collins, It is almost the season for shade tree o'clock but was not discovered by the P. A. Schenck, W. C. Saigeon, A. and shrubbery planting and there is family till the whole structure was Tindale and T. Hill. nothing which adds so much to the wrapped in flames. It was at first beauty of property as rows of hand-thought that the house which stands some shade trees. It costs money to but a short distance from the barn, build good roads, but the planting of was also doomed, as the wind being trees and shrubbery along the road- from the north, fanned the cinders side costs only the effort on the part and flames toward the house. Neighof the landowner. A row of maples bors seeing the fire hurried to the or elms, or any of a half a dozen other rescue, and by heroic efforts saved the

reliable forest trees can be trans- other buildings.—Brown City Banner. planted from the wood lot in the fall The Tuscola County Courier tells or spring and give only a small bit of the following story of one of her attention to become valuable and at-citizens: "It is said that a certain and take up a different occupation in tractive. Tree planting along the Caro gentleman went to Detroit on hopes that it may benefit him. His country roads is the easiest method of Wednesday of last week and on the resignation is quite a surprise to his rural adornment, and also the cheap-train scraped the acquaintance of an congregation. He will occupy the est. It is something to be encouraged. attractive lady. The said gentleman pulpit next Sunday. The best wishes The farmer who plants the trees will meant no harm, but the woman stuck for a successful future go with Mr. leave landmarks which will serve to to him and managed to keep him comrecall his memory long after the stone pany as they walked up Jefferson erected to his memory in the ceme- avenue. At a certain point she mantery will have been grown over with aged to make a few slight of hand passes and the Caroite found himself shy of a wallet containing sixty dol-H. L. Sage repairs footwear at lars. The woman fled but was pur-Cheap horse and a quantity of reasonable rates. Shop in little red sued and finally dropped the pocket-

COUNSEL TO THE BARDS.

Since mind's light shot across the Aegean isles
And made plain Tempe a paradise of smiles;
'Mong any people or in any clime
Have bards found rusty engines a fitting
theme for rhyme?
For months we stood on expectation's shore
For your harp's charge, but the fitful breezes
bore
The same sharp music from your careless
bands
As if you saw no more the stars, the sun-

bands
As if you saw no more the stars, the sunset vales and pleasant lands.
Can trembling beam or rusty worn-out joint Groan louder still when pierced by satire's point?
If satire rules you, follow trodden ways—Shoot not at basswood, but at those we praise! To "Scott" alone, would I impute this blame: Your sober muse but puts your light to shame.
Cease groveling then, hold to your pointed jest—Man's barbs retained shall mark where his Man's barbs retained shall mark where his bones rest
Through future ages. Follow your proper

Lest that white statue you have reared shall
fall ere life is spent.
Ah for the gift to guide the biased eye
From rolling junk to the distant purple sky!
To see the leafless branch and dream tis May
And smell the perfume of the hawthorn
spray.
If this were mine, O, life work well begun!
I'd throw my quill and close my eyes and
dream of duty done.
"GARLOCK." High School.

"GARLOCK," High School.

School Motes

Henry Lacroix has re-entered school. Joe Clements-visited the high school

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Miss Ora McKim acts as pianist this week.

Harry Nolan is a new pupil in the first grade.

Examinations are the principal factors this week. Everyone is looking forward to a

good time next week. Russell Austin and Ethel Buchanan have entered the Kindergarten this

Pearl Landon, Lucile Schenck and Herb Karr visited the high school

There was no school in the grammar room this week owing to the illness of Miss Malam Vida McConnel, Allen Ross, Ethel

Karr and Charles Klump visited the high school Tuesday. Several in the arithmetic class are rejoicing over their marks this week.

Did they get one hundred? There was no school in Miss Beardsley's room Monday on account of a strong east wind keeping the tem-

perature at sixty degrees. The most dangerous of the seasons, reason is because the trees are leafing (leaving,) the grass is shooting, the flowers have pistils and the bulrushes

An exercise given to the rhetoric class was to translate in simple Saxon the following classical selection: "At a recent period in the annals of the human family there existed a diminuwhose most conspicious personal decoration was a capillary spiral appen scended perpendicularly upon her alabaster brow. At intervals when she was amiable inclined she produced upon her beholders the impression of being excessively agreeable, but when she abandoned herself to an unregenerate spirit, she exhibited such symptoms of depravity that her deportthus: "There was a little girl and she had a little curl hanging straight A clever woman swindler has been down upon her forehead; when she

The following menu was served: the board at their next regular meet- concerned. The new regulation went H. Frutchey and N. P. Frost respond-

A quiet wedding occurred Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fox of Wisner, when their daughter, Maude, was united in marriage to Guy Sansborn. Rev. S. Windrem of the M. P. church performed stables. the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, after which a sumptuous wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Sansborn are well known in this vicinity and their many friends wish them ever happiness.

ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ELKLAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA STATE OF MICHIGAN. Notice is hereby given that the next

ensuing annual township meeting o said township, will be held at the town hall within said township or bean straw for sale. WM. McCal- front next to Tyo's barber shop. 12-5-tf book after extracting twenty dollars Monday, the fourth day of April A. D. 1904, at which meeting the following officers are to be chosen, viz: One supervisor, one township clerk, one township treasurer, ane highway com-

BETTER LOOK AROUND MISTER

and see what you can find at other yards! It isn't every dealer who will give that advice to his customers but that's the way we've made our friends and increased our business over 300 per cent in the last two years.

When a man acts at all dubious we give him this advice. They always come back They don't find an "A-No.-1" stock like

our at other places. Our lumber stacks are

high—but our prices are not stacked up. Just one trial is all we ask. We know that will be enough to keep you as our cus-

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which are now ready to be shown at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store. The largest stock to select from and the most artistic designs that it has ever been my privilege to show.

SOME SPECIAL BARGAINS IN REMNANTS left in last year's stock.

WINDOW SHADES, ALL SIZES ready made or made to order. Shade Fixtures, Lace Cur-

tain Poles, Chains, etc. Room Moulding-a large assortment. Our prices are right. Eggs taken same as cash. We invite you to see our line.

T. H. FRITZ

Auction Sale

stood that the subscriber is to get a citing the latter selection could im- The undersigned will sell at public auction at the Heffelbower place, 3-4 mile south of Main St., Cass City, on

Wednesday, March 30

at 1:00 p. m., the following property:

Cow due April 1 Farrow cow giving milk Cow with calf by side Cow due soon 3 Year old colt Work horse Champion mower Champion hay rake American wheel cultivator Disc harrow

4 One horse cultivators 2 Wide tired wagons Narrow tired wagon, nearly new Top buggy, good condition 2 Sets single harness Set of double harness Pair bob sleighs Combined hay and stock rack Disc seed drill 3 Tons timothy hay Hay fork and rope Corn in ear And numerous other articles.

2 Syracuse plows

TERMS:

All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount 8 months? time on good approved endorsed notes at 6 per cent. interest.

J. W. HELLER, Proprietor.

J. H. STRIFFLER, Auctioneer.

REGISTRATION NOTICE. missioner, one school inspector, one justice of the peace, one member of TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP the board of review, and four con-

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and will remain open until 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day of election. By order of the board of election inspectors of said township.

Dated this twenty-first day March, A. D. 1904. JAS. PERKINS,

Clerk of Said Township. WANTED-Man to work on farm for the season. Good wages. F. J NASH, Sec. 20, Elkland. 3-18-2*

Mrs. E. Harp has opened bakery and restaurant in the DeWitt building. She sells homemade bread. 3-11-3t

buildings.

Good 80 acre farm to rent. Good A. A. MCKENZIE.

OF ELKLAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF MICHIGAN. Notice is hereby given that a meet-

ing of the board of registration of the township above named, will be held at the town hall within said township, on Saturday, April 2, A. D. 1904, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose; and that said board of registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this twenty-first day of March A. D. 1904. By order of the township board of

JAS PERKINS, Clerk of Said Township.

CHRONICLE OFFICE | STAll those wanting pianos tuned, leave word with F. LENZNER. 3-25-1* LAW.

PLANT A TREE THIS YEAR.

SHOE REPAIRING.

I am now ready to take contracts

for beans for 1904 delivery. DAVID

1-22-13t.

@All-round butcher wanted at once, JNO. SCHWADERER. 3-18-tf

from it. She was later arrested."

S. S. HUNT BANQUET.

Several of the gentlemen friends of

Oysters, New York counts, pink and professor has done excellent work den person must be content with tele- white cake, lady fingers, Manhattan during the present school year and phone messages and unpaid bills that sherbet, chocolate and mandarian, oranges, sliced ham, pickled tongue, chicken salad, rolls and stuffed olives, Champion binder Local tonsorialists have agreed upon assorted cakes and wine, bon bons. vacancies will soon occur among the an ironclad rule which puts an end to Mr. Hill acted as toastmaster for the grade teachers which will be filled by Sunday barbering so far as they are evening. C. W. McKenzie, F. C. Lee,

The following gentlemen were present: D. A. Striffler, N. P.

A QUIET WEDDING.

Advertising rates made known on appli-Entered as second class matter in the

postoffice at Cass City, Michigan.

KLUMP-LENZNER CO., Publishers. Republican Congressional Convention. Republican Congressional Convention.

A Republican Convention of the Eighth Congressional District is hereby called to meet at the City Hall, in the city of Saginaw, on Tuesday, April 19, 1904, at lo'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress and for the election of a Congressional Committee and to transact such other business: as may properly come before the convention

ousiness as may properly come before the convention.

A Republican convention of the above district is also called for the same date and place at 20 clock p.m. to choose two delegates and two alternates to represent said district in the National Republican Convention to be held in Chicago, Ill., on June 21, 1994.

The counties comprising said Eighth District shall be entitled to the following representation in each of said conventions:

Olinton county, 14 delegates; Saginaw county, 34 delegates; Shiawasse county, 18 delegates, Tuscola county, 15 delegates.

By order of District Congressional Committee.

RALPH LOVELAND, Chairman W. D. KILPATRICK, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

TO THE REPUBLICAN ELECTORS OF TUSCOLA COUNTY:

A Republican County Convention for the County of Tuscola, is hereby called to meet at the Court House, in Caro, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1904, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing fifteen delegates to attend the State Convention to be held May 19th, at Grand Rapids; fifteen delegates to attend the Congressional Convention for the 8th Congressional District at Saginaw April 19th; fifteen delegates to attend the 21st Senatorial District Convention and the election of a county committee. Every township will be entitled to one delegate for every 50 of the total vote cast for Governor at the last presidential election, and one additional for every fraction of 50 votes not less than 25.

votes not less than 25.

The several townships on this basis, are entitled to delegates as follows: Indianfields



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Kingston...
Koylton...
Millington
Novesta..
Tuscola.
Vassar
Watertown.
Wells... Total ...

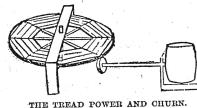
N. M. Richardson, H. S. Wickware, W. J. Ingersoll, David Buhl, Republican County Committee Dated, Caro, Mich., March 15, 1904,



A LIGHT TREAD POWER.

For Churning, Turning the Grind-

stone and Similar Work. A light tread power for churning, turning the grindstone and similar work, illustrated by American Agriculturist, is made by mounting a disk wheel nearly horizontally, the axle being inclined so one portion will be higher than the other. The dog, sheep or calf used for motive power is tied at one side, headed toward the higher part. As the animal walks, the wheel turns because of the animal's weight, and communicates motion to the pul-



ley or small friction wheel beneath. There are no belts, no cogs. The weight of the animal bears the part of the large inclined wheel upon the smaller wheel beneath and causes it to revolve.

A discarded wagon wheel might be used as the framework of the large wheel, nailing boards on the upper surface for the animal to walk on, or a frame is easily made, and if somewhat larger than a wagon wheel-say six feet or seven feet in diameter-the circle will be larger and the animal will find the walking more direct. The under wheel may be six or eight inches in diameter. The power is increased by giving the large wheel more pitch, and diminished by setting it more nearly level.

SHREDDED CORN FODDER.

An Independent Cattle Plant Run With What Many Farmers Waste.

What an up to date Illinois cattleman and farmer thinks of the waste of corn fodder is shown by the address of Mr. A. P. Grout before the Nebraska state board of agriculture. He recounted the stupendous waste in the corn crop that goes on from year to year on the farms of the corn growing states. He explained that under existing conditions and the prevailing idea that the corn farmer cannot afford on his high priced land to raise his own feeders the corn grower, who is as a rule also a feeder, buys his feeders of whatever kind he can get-good, bad or indifferent-from some other section of the country where land is cheaper. This, to Mr. Grout's mind, is radically wrong, as it does not permit the corn grower and feeder to say what kind of stock he will feed. He says: "I believe the farmer should run an independent plant from start to finish, and when he has raised the corn or other food and desires to market it through his stock that he will have the stock of the type and quality to consume it; that his best judgment tells him will net him the most money. The farmer who raises the most corn must, of course, produce the greatest amount of that foodstuff now so prodigiously and profligately inch frame material can be so placed

How Mr. Grout Does It. "I grow annually about 300 acres of corn in Illinois. For the past two seasons the yield has been between eighty and ninety bushels per acre and the yield of fodder over three tons per acre. I have every acre, every stalk, cut up and run through the shredder. I have 1,500 pounds; muriate of potash (50 per

wasted.

doing this work, and I am prepared to demonstrate that the fodder does not cost to exceed \$1 a ton after deducting the cost of gathering and cribbing the corn in the ordinary way. Now, then, I have a ton of fodder that has cost me \$1 and is worth at the least calculation about half as much as timothy hay, which in my section of Illinois is \$8. My fodder then is worth \$4 a ton. By the investment of \$1 I have secured a

value of \$4. "Now, by a proper combination of this fodder with other kinds of food, such as clover, cowpeas or alfalfa or grain, I can double its value and make it the equal of timothy hay and even better and more valuable ton for ton. I have a first class stock food that will keep in good condition lots of cows and their calves. I can raise all the feeders for which the farm will raise the corn to feed for the market, and they will not cost me so much as it would to go upon the market and buy them, and besides I am the master of the situation as to the type and quality of the stock I

"Misfit" Horses Not Wanted. Professor Kennedy of Iowa pronounces the draft horse the best one for the farmer to raise-a horse weighing 1,600 pounds or over, in ordinary working condition. But the greatest need in horse breeding, according to this authority, is some definite plan. Every farmer should attempt to produce horses of some definite type, such as the market demands, and this can only be done by deciding on the breed or type one desires to breed and then resolutely sticking to it. A horse that

such.

will class neither as a light horse, coacl

horse nor draft horse is a "misfit," and

the market is constantly flooded with

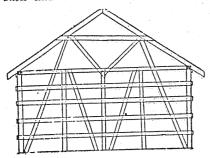
For Good Ronds. Officers elected at the American Roadmakers' convention at Hartford, Conn., were: President, James H. Mac-Donald, New Haven, Conn.; treasurer William P Dudson New York: secretary, W. L. Dickinson, Springfield Mass. These officers were empowered to appoint a vice president from each state of the Union.

Forestry Projects In the Northwest. estry and the Weyerhauser Timber com- son whom God would give him should pany have entered into an agreement by | be called John and that he would herwhich the former undertakes to prepare ald the Messiah in the spirit and power working plans for the conservative of Elijah (Luke i, 17). management of about 1,300,000 acres of the company's timber lands in Wash- tation of Jesus (Matt. iii, 13; iv, 11). ington. By the agreement the Weyer- Golden Text, Matt. iii, 17, "And, lo, a hauser company agrees to defray the voice from heaven, saying, This is my living and traveling expenses of agents | beloved Son, in whom I am well pleasof the bureau engaged in the work. ed." Consider the same words as those The Northern Pacific Railway company of the Golden Text in Matt. xvii, 5, has also requested that the bureau of with the addition "Hear ye Him" and forestry prepare working plans for its see how impossible it is to please God Washington and Idaho. The timber His first words in Lesson I put His Northern Pacific companies are the this lesson and concerning all temptaof land for which the bureau of for- and overcome as Jesus did. estry has ever been asked to prepare working pans.



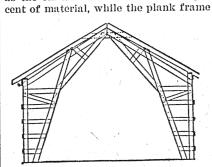
THE PLANK FRAME BARN.

Old Style and Saves Material. The plank frame barn is rapidly coming into favor, and those who have are ye my disciples." Not His first, but than he liked, but he wasn't able to built such barns speak very highly of His second or third, call to these men. suppress it. Somehow he didn't enjoy Mem. The cuts from Rural New York- as we saw when studying the lesson, being made to feel that he was not er show the construction, the upper one being the end bent of a plank frame barn and the lower one an interior



END BENT OF PLANK FRAME BARN. bent. The interior bent is so arranged that no timbers or braces will interfere with the working of the hay carriers, Some of the plank frame barns already built appear to be models of cheapness and durability. An authority on farm matters gives the following description

of the plank frame barn: The plank frame has now been modified and improved that it serves well for the largest farm building. All the frame timbers are sawed two inches thick and of variable widths as de sired. Instead of uniting the timbers by means of mortise and tenon, they are fastened with wire spikes. The new method secures as strong a frame as the old and saves from 30 to 40 per



INTERIOR BENT OF PLANK FRAME BARN. is more easily and cheaply erected than is the large timbered frame. The two as to direction and position, and it will secure the maximum of strength with the minimum of lumber.

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cent), 250 pounds; or kainit (121/2 per cent), 1,000 pounds; total, 2,750 pounds; to be applied broadcast a week or two before planting.

Brief Mention. In wheat seed selection at the Tennessee experiment station large grains from medium heads gave the best average yield-32.68 bushels per acre. Large grains from large heads stood second. Medium sized heads are most likely to give satisfactory results.

In a general way all the pineapple soils of Florida, according to a report of the experiment station, belong to the same type, a type which is marked by the absence of any appreciable amount of very fine sand, silt and clay. The capacity of these soils for holding water is not great.

The hand separator is revolutionizing the dairy business. Potash checks rust in the cotton plant. In Alabama experiments 200 pounds of kainit was better against

rust than 100 pounds per acre. "Now that the price of cotton more live stock crops or more truck," remarks Farm and Ranch.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XIII, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-NATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 27.

Text of the Lesson, a Comprehensive Quarterly Review - Golden Text, Matt. iv. 23-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1904, by American Press Association. LESSON I.—The boyhood of Jesus (Luke ii, 40-52). Golden Text, Luke ii, 52, "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man." The heart of this lesson is, to my mind, His first and only recorded utterance until He entered upon His public ministry-"I must be about my Father's business.'

LESSON II.—The preaching of John the Baptist (Matt.iii, 1-12). Golden Text, Matt. iii, 2, "Repent ye, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." It had been foretold that the Messiah would have a herald, even Elijah the prophet, who would prepare His way before Washington, D. C.-The bureau of for- him. Gabriel told Zacharias that his

LESSON III.—The baptism and tempenormous timber land holdings in unless we give heed to His Son. With lands of the Weyerhauser and the second recorded words of verse 15 of most extensive privately owned tracts tion take comfort from I Cor. x, 13,

LESSON IV.-Jesus rejected at Nazareth (Luke iv, 16-30). Golden Text John i, 11, "He came unto His own, and His own received Him not." Declaring Himself to be the one of whom the though he was well knit and substan-Spirit by Isaiah spake, they would not Him that they would fain have killed Him. With a word He could have kill- additional inches of height that he ed them all, but the day of vengeance was not yet. He came to save, not to destroy.

(Luke v, 1-11). Golden Text, John viii, he is rather than how he looks." 31, "If ye continue in my word, then fully. Our bodies are vessels, and if they were nothing but friends. fully yielded to Him He will not fail

Lesson VI.—A Sabbath in Capernaum (Mark i, 21-34). Golden Text, Luke iv. 40, "He laid His hands on every one of them and healed them." Anointed with the Holy Ghost and with power, going about doing good, covers all His daily life (Acts x, 38); teaching, healing, comforting, always full of compassion, never considering Himself; in the synagogues, in private houses or by the wayside revealing God to

God manifest in Him that He might win men to God. LESSON VII.-Jesus forgives sins 10, "The Son of Man hath power on earth to forgive sins." The man carried by his friends and let down through the roof into the presence of Christ as He preached to a crowded house certainly needed healing for his body, but our Lord saw that he needed

more the forgiveness of his sins, and this He attended to first. LESSON VIII .- Jesus and the Sabbath (Matt. xii, 1-13). Golden Text, Matt. xil, 12, "It is lawful to do well on the Sabbath day." These self righteous, religious people were making a god of the Sabbath day instead of worshiping the living and true God on that day. and our Lord by His healing on that day would teach them that to know the Lord of the Sabbath, who was in their midst, was better than all their

self righteous doings (Jer. ix, 23, 24). LESSON IX.-Hearers and doers of the word (Matt. vii, 21-29). Golden Text, Jas. i, 22, "Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only." A lot of so called religion is mere talk and an offense to God and man. It is true that there is no salvation by works revealed in Scripture, but only salvation by the precious blood of Christ as God's free

gift to the penitent sinner. LESSON X.-Jesus calms the storm (Mark iv, 35-41). Golden Text, Ps. cvii, 29. "He maketh the storm a calm. so that the waves thereof are still." Fear and alarm should have no place in the heart of a child of God, for the perfect love of God casts out all fear (I John iv, 18). But, like the disciples in the boat, we are abt to see with the nat-

it that ye have no faith?" tist (Matt. xiv, 1-12). Golden Text. with a grace that made Barbara half Rev. ii, 10, "Be thou faithful unto believe that beauty was the only thing death, and I will give thee a crown of after all. When other girls lifted their world, for the whole world lieth in the was an action scarce worthy of notice, wicked one (Ps. lxxiii, 12; I John v. 19). but when Amy's arms went up with a The righteous are called to walk with languid grace and her rather large but Him who has chosen them and to suf- beautifully molded hands, with their fer with Him and not to think it long, tapering fingers, drew forth a strange (John xy, 18-20; I Pet. iv, 12 glittering pin and removed her hat, 13: Phil. i, 29). Seeing Jesus only, in Barbara felt vaguely that she was wit-His hand for His pleasure, and saying, nessing a rite-that she was seeing a "Even so, Father." this is the believer's poem.

LESSON XII.-Jesus feeds the five lonship the glamour was always bethousand (Matt. xiv, 13-23). Golden dimmed. The eyes were feasted, to be Text, John vi, 35, "Jesus said unto sure, but the mind and heart were them, I am the Bread of Life." Full of starved. One wearied of her roselike, compassion, seeing the multitudes as fluttering color and the amiable but sheep having no shepherd, feeding unmeaning smile and even of the very them as to their bodies and speaking perfect rows of teeth that the smile to them of the kingdom of God, this exposed. was His way and should be ours, for He is still saying, "Give ye them to for a month," Barbara had told Baird eat." We may seem to have no re- Dunham in preparation; "a girl that I sources, no power to do anything, but particularly want you to meet. She's a He who used and multiplied the lad's raving beauty and as sweet as she can loaves and fishes still lives.

Deauty and The Man

By Keith Gordon

...Copyright, 1903, by T. C. McClure.. In the long talks that those two excellent friends-Baird Dunham and Barbara Somers—had from time to time about life, the world and the men and women therein he had more than once confided to her that never could

he fall in love with a woman who was

not a beauty. "I can't exactly explain how I feel about it," he said one day as they sat together in an art gallery, where his worshiping eyes returned ever and again to a pictured face of rare beauty that looked down upon them from the warm red walls. "It isn't that I think slumping, let us remind you to put in they are the most fascinating. Wit and beauty are not too fond of each other's company. Besides, the most attractive woman I've ever known was ugly-so ugly that at first she made you gasp. After that—well, she was your criterion of charm. When you left her things became stale and lifeless. All the color and sympathy went from the scene. You simply hungered

for her." He paused and turned toward his companion with a waiting, expectant look, as if he wanted to be sure that she understood, and she answered the unspoken question of his glance with a slow smile that did not betray, by so much as a flicker, the warm, reproachful, woman wrath in her heart.

She had heard practically the same thing from him before, but today for the first time her patience gave way utterly. Apparently all sense of her womanhood had been sunk in their comradeship. Instead of rejoicing in this state of affairs, a feeling of injury, outrage, suddenly flared up in her heart. Did he think that because her fea

tures were irregular and her complexion dull she was a girl who did not need to be reckoned with? Did he suppose she was the less a woman because she was plain? Had he no idea of the sting in the remarks he was forever making about feminine beauty?

These were the questions she asked herself hotly, but her voice-that low, vibrant voice that thrilled one with its rich difference from other voicesbetrayed in its full evenness no trace of the resentment that surged within

"You are right," she agreed, with impersonal candor. "All women should be beautiful"—there was a slight pause, a hesitation just marked enough to give force to the conclusion of her sentence-"just as all men should be big and strong! Dunham glanced at her quickly. For

one startled moment he half thought-But, no; Barbara was too good a fellow to give a man a fleck on the raw like that. It was a mere coincidence. Dunham was but five feet six, and, tial, with a clean bred look that was in accept Him, but were so enraged at itself a recommendation, he was a trifle sensitive on the score of the six

felt should have been his. "A man's appearance isn't of much consequence," he observed, somewhat LESSON V.—Jesus calls four disciples stiflly. "His field is action. It is what

There was more heat in his tone and each time a call to follow more at all like her ideal man, even thoug

"Perhaps you are right," was the to fill them. It is ours to trust and | mild reply, and the conversation drifted to other and safer subjects. But there was a speculative look in Barbara's eyes for the rest of the after noon, which would have told a careful observer that she was turning some plan over in her mind.

Her usual hour of rest before dinner she spent lying at full length on the divan in her room, with her hands clasped under her head and her eyes fixed on the open fire, thinking. So Baird could never love any on

sinful men; the words and works of but a beauty! She carefully refrained from asking herself why this should pique her particularly, since her plain ness had never interfered with their (Mark ii, 1-12). Golden Text, Mark ii. friendship, and he spent far more time with her than with any of the pretty girls of their set. Still-

"Well, I don't care," she said aloud as, glancing at the clock, she arose and began to roll up the masses of her dark hair, sticking the great shell pins in here and there with reckless indif-"I'm tired of hearing him ference. talk that way. He deserves to be punished. Beauty may be the greatest thing, but it isn't greater than all other

things put together. "A few weeks of Amy will be good for him," she soliloquized as she went on with her dressing. Then, when she was ready for dinner, she sat down at her desk and wrote a letter to a former schoolmate-the beauty of her classurging her to make her a long promised

visit, In the course of a week or two the invitation had been accepted, and Miss Averill arrived. That she was a beauty was a fact as self evident as that the sky is blue (when it is so). It was a fact that admitted of no difference of

gested mingled gold and copper. The curves of her gracious figure swirled luring that even the most sluggish beholder was kindled into admiration.

"She's a beauty, all right," Barbara decided as "he kissed her in greeting and conducted her to her room, and though she kept up her part of their

animated talk about old times and old ural eyes only and merit His "How is friends, her eyes feasted themselves upon Amy's loveliness. The latter's LESSON XI.—Death of John the Bap- most ordinary movement was endowed The ungodly prosper in this hands and removed their hatpins it

But after a few days of her compan-"I am going to have a friend with me

If she had spoken all of her thoughts perhaps she might have added, "So | Port Huron Man Killed on P. M. Near sweet that at the end of a month you will want to kill her or do something desperate and outrageous." But, with a commendable self restraint, she banished this unruly idea to the dark chamber of unspoken thoughts.

In the weeks that followed she effaced herself, pushing Amy into Dunham's society in every possible way, but doing it so gradually and skillfully that he scarcely realized how little he was seeing of his friend and comrade. If she saw less of him, however, she saw more of Jack Lester, whose companionship was a grateful balm, because he was not forever talking about beauty, however much he may have admired it. At first Baird haunted the house like

a spirit, while his plans for Miss Averill's entertainment fairly tumbled over each other in their eagerness. These plans, of course, always included Barbara, but with a masterly skill she withdrew from them more and more until almost before Baird realized what had happened he noticed that he and Miss Averill were usually alone. With Miss Averill's exquisite profile beside him, however, he was not in a mood to complain. Then, about the middle of the fourth

week, his soaring spirit suddenly touched earth. He was guilty of a brutal, heretical thought. Right in the middle of a long afternoon that they were to spend together he was seized by a great weariness. For the life of him he could think of nothing to say. He was bored! He stared at the beautiful Miss Av-

erill with a sort of stupefied wonder. It seemed incredible that the society of seemed an age since he had had a good, Sunday. bracing talk with Barbara. Now that he thought of it, Barbara must be seeing a good deal of that Lester chap. Vaguely, as if he had happened upon about with strips of carpet and secthem in a dream, he recalled having tions of paper. The door had been met them together several times lately. me at all!" pouted Miss Averill. "I've and laid down upon the bed to sink spoken to you twice, and you haven't into insensibility and death. even heard me. It isn't nice of you."

and insisting upon hearing the remark he had inadvertently missed. "I asked if you don't think the Waldorf is lovely? I think it's just sweet." And he cast about in his mind for some excuse by which the hours that stretched before them might be short-

"Eh-what?" exclaimed Dunham, try-

in his childhood, when he had surreptitiously bought and eaten six charlotte russes. Miss Averill confided to Barbara that night that she didn't like Mr. Dunham so well as she thought she did. "He's so dull! Don't you think so?"

ened. He felt precisely as he had once

she demanded. "There have been times when he seemed so," Barbara confessed airily. Then she wondered if Baird's ears were aflame. Three days later the radiant Miss Averill's visit came to an end. Soon afterward Dunham dropped the child cared for at the hospital. in to see Barbara, quite in his old man-"Ah, this is good!" he said gloating-

ly as he sank into the depths of his favorite chair. "There's so much talk to make up," he went on in genial enjoyment, "that I scarcely know where to begin." Barbara turned her head to one side

and surveyed him with half closed "We might begin with feminine beauty," she suggested helpfully. "There's

so much to be said about it." A pause followed in which several new ideas entered Dunham's mind. Then he demanded, not without a conscious sense of guilt: "Just what do you mean?"

He leaned forward and studied her face, and though she flushed under his keen scrutiny her eyes looked back at him-proud, unwavering and a bit defiant. "I certainly admire beauty," he be

gan softly. "But I take back what I have said about falling in love with one. You see, little girl, I'm so used to you that the beauties bore me." "Really," she scoffed, "for a worshiper of the fair!"

But a pair of strong arms were about her and a rueful voice pleaded: "Scold me some other time, dearest."

UNIVERSAL LOG RULE. New Formula Designed to Mete Out Even Handed Justice.

Burlington, Vt.-It is said that there are over twoscore of so called "log rules," more or less used in various regions, for determining in advance of the sawing the actual number of board feet in a log. Concerning this vital matter Dr. A. L. Daniels, professor of mathematics in the University of Vermont, thinks that the farmer and in certain cases the log buyer have fared hardly in their attempts to solve the question, "How many board feet in a log?" and he has worked out a formu la that appears to be in some ways a distinct advance over its predecessors It is at any rate worthy the attention

of anybody who deals in logs.

In bulletin 102 of the state experiment station Dr. Daniels states that in taking up the study of the measurement of logs it soon became evident to him that not one of the rules in a list of forty or more in use in this country Her skin was like a La France rose, and Canada was based on an adequate her eyes deeply blue and her hair sug- knowledge of mathematics and that not one of them afforded reasonable or equitable results. Some rules are unand flowed in lines so graceful, so all just to the buyer on small logs and unjust to the seller on large logs, while others run the contrary way. He endeavored to find the true mathematical rule, one that should mete out even handed justice to both parties, and he believes he has found it. Dr. Daniels makes his argument for what he has named "the universal log rule" and gives explanations of interest as to the mathematical reasoning on which he founds it. According to the bulletin, the universal rule can be easily express ed in language for all practical purposes. It reads, "Take five-eighths of during the past week: Portable Comthe diameter in inches, subtract two and multiply by the diameter." The error is only about one part in 200.

> Why Not Finish the Good Work? Why pasteurize the milk or cream and then wash the butter with dirty, germ laden water? The Iowa experiment station took some ripened cream, divided it into two equal lots, churned other lot under the same conditions and washed the butter with the same ter had been pasteurized and cooled. Three experiments were made in the same way, and the results all showed that the butter washed in the pasteurized water kept normal very much longer than the same butter washed in the unpasteurized water. Here is pretty good evidence on an important Carpet & Housecleaning Co., Detroit,

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Port Huron, Mich., March 22.-Word has been received here of the death of Edward McKenzie, a Pere Mar-

morning. McKenzie was on a southbound freight, and because of the crowded the train was being left on the siding at Winchester. In the shunting process the caboose became separated from bunting together.

He was standing on the platform when the crash came. The platform was smashed and the man caught and then dropped to the track, where the wheels passed over him. He was taken to Monroe at once and Dr. L. C. Knapp amputated both legs, but the patient nacle. The only charge that can be dedied soon after. Word was sent to his vised at present is that of disturbing parents here and the remains will be religious meetings, the extreme penbrought here for burial.

LIFE A FAILURE.

Young Actor Committed Suicide In Detroit. Detroit, Mich., March 21.-Despond-

ent from illness and because several of his plays had not been accepted, and without a cent in the world, Robert Leeland, actor and playwright, was found dead in bed at a rooming house, of Chippewa Falls, Wis., a new com-15 Columbia street east. Gas flowing pany with a capitalization of \$700,000, freely from an opened jet showed how and in which Kalamazoo capital is death had ensued. It is thought that largely interested. The machinery so exquisite a creature could be so un- the man died Thursday night, though will be removed at once to the Chipcommonly like muggy weather. It the remains were not discovered until

Great deliberation had been exercised by the suicide. The window had been tightly shut and locked, battened locked and the key broken off short. "I don't believe you are thinking of Then the man had turned on the gas

Leeland, it seems, in his youth took a medical course at Ann Arbor, his ing to call his roving thoughts together | parents residing in Salt Lake. Before the course was concluded the young man was called home to inherit a legacy of \$22,000. This he went through with in eleven months, according to "Yes," assented he recklessly. "That his story told to Haggerty. His father expresses it sweetly. It's just sweet." | and he were estranged from that period, some nine years ago.

Free Treatment at U. of M. Ann Arbor, Mich., March 22.-Any child of Michigan birth that is born deformed is entitled to free treatment at the hospital in connection with the medical department of the University of Michigan, provided the doctor present at the child's birth will certify that he was so present, that the child was born deformed, and that in his judgment it can be helped by treatment; and further provided that the mayor of the city, the president of the wards found concealed in the woman's village, or the supervisor of the township in which the child lives will order

Another One For Battle Creek. Battle Creek, Mich., March 21 .-Battle Creek's Business Men's association is feeling good these days over the decision of the American Cereal Co. of Chicago to locate a large factory in this city. The company, which manufactures several of the best known breakfast foods on the market. has leased the buildings at Merrill Park, occupied by the Korn Krisn Co. years. The main business offices will and the head was severed from the with privilege of buying after two remain in Chicago

Ran Knife Into His Eve. Flint, Mich., March 21.—Devillo Horning of Montrose has met with an accid at that resulted in the loss of one of his eyes, and it is feared the sight of the other eye may be permanently impaired. Horning, who is Rapids, was remanded for trial for a a young lad 12 years of age, is news criminal assault upon Gertrude Brink. agent in that village and was at the 26 years old, an adopted daughter of train awaiting the arrival of his pahis sister, and is in jail in default of pers. When they were thrown from the car he inserted the blade of a knife under the string to sever it. The cord was stronger than he anticipated and took a special effort, the result of which was the point of the knife

Can't Grow Beets There. Kalamazoo, Mich., March 21.-The Kalamazoo beet sugar factory has just been sold to the Chippewa Sugar Co. of Chippewa Falls, Wis., a new com pany with a capitalization of \$700,000. and in which Kalamazoo capital is largely interested. The machinery will be removed at once to the Chippewa Falls plant. The reason given for the sale is inability to grow beets in this part of the country.

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Was 107 Years Old. Marshall, Mich., March 21.-Joshua Cahow is dead at the county poorhouse, aged 107 years. He has been a county charge for many years. He claimed to be about 116 years old, but

past fix his age at 107. Cut to Pieces by Train. Cadillac, Mich., March 21.-H. T. Foster was run over here by a train and the head was severed from the Springs (Miss.) region in the south. body and the legs and one arm smashed. Foster was 45 years old. loads of 1,000 half bushel crates each He was enroute to Kalkaska on busi- went out from Union county last

To Open April 1. Grand Haven, Mich., March 22.-Superintendent Morton of the twelfth ife-saving district, consisting of all Lake Michigan and Green bay stations, will be opened for the season April 1.

Michigan Corporations.

Lansing, Mich., March 21.-The following corporations filed articles of as sociation with the secretary of state mode & Chair Co., Saginaw. \$5,000; Thorne Electric Co., Bay City, \$2,500;

James Roach Co., Detroit, \$50,000; G. F. Sanborn Co., Ashland, Wis., and tionery Co., Kalamazoo, \$50,000; City 000: Escanaba & Township Creamery one of the lots and washed the butter ford & Goldsmith Co., Chicago and with ordinary well water, churned the Paw Paw, \$40,000; Walsh Manufacturing Co., Pittsburg, Pa., and Frederic, \$100,000; Cascade Electric Co., Grand well water, but not until after the wa- Rapids, \$15,000; Monroe Hardware Co., \$20,000; International Coal Co. Detroit, \$15,000; Stellatoid Co. of Michigan, Grand Rapids, \$10,000; Rathfon, Scent & Co., Port Huron, Searchlight Manufacturing \$25,000; Co., Chicago and Benton Harbor, \$100, 000: Eagle Steam & Compressed Air

\$14,000; Prescott Co., Detroit, \$14,000;

Realty Improvement Co., Lansing,

\$10,000; Norton Fruit Growers' association of Muskegon county, Norton township, \$5,000.

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> Injunction Necessary Against Nelson. Battle Creek, Mich., March 21.—It is probable that an injunction will be the only way of keeping Nelson and his initial control of the land of followers out of the Adventist taberalty for which is but \$50 fine or thirty days in jail. The jail means nothing to Nelson, who seems to thrive on jail sentences. If given another there is no doubt that he would return when his time was out.

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Struck by Mail Car Crane. Port Huron, Mich., March 21.-James Nichols, a fireman on a Pero Marquette freight engine, stuck his head out of the cab window as his train was standing on a siding at Wadhams to let the passenger train pass and was struck by the extended crane of the mail car. Nichols was brought here in a critical condition. He sustained three broken ribs and it is feared is internally injured.

Waltz Arrives at Marquette. Marquette, Mich., March 21.-Emil Waltz, the convicted murderer of Alphonse Wilmes at Detroit, was safely landed behind the bars at Marquette prison. He was placed in solitary confinement, where he will remain thirty days pending his assignment to work in the shops,

Watches In Her Muff. Adrian, Mich., March 21 .- Mrs. Emma Decker was arrested here on a charge of shoplifting. She visited Kirk's jewelry store, where she asked to look at some watches. The salesman missed four, which were aftermuff.

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smashed. Foster was 45 years old. He was enroute to Kalkaska on busi-Serious Charge Against Him. Jackson, Mich., March 21.-Franklin Tayer, a 70-year-old citizen of Grand \$500 bail.

Farmer Killed Himself.

Henderson, Mich., March 21.-Frank Shay, a farmer living two and a half miles west of this village committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. Shay was about 45 years old and suffered for many years with chronic stomach trouble.

Down Elevator Shaft. Ypsilanti, Mich., March 21.-Henry

P. LeFurge, a well-known hardware man of Ypsilanti, fell down an elevafor shaft in his store and was perhaps 'atally injured.

GREAT TOMATO TERRITORY, One of the Flourishing Industries of

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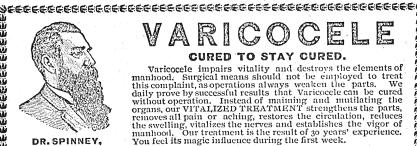
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ass. At a session of the probate court for said county, held at the probate office in the vilage of Caro on the 19th day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and four. Present, John M, Smith, Judge of Probate, In the matter of the estate of Daniel Walsh, deceased. Michael II. Quick, the expenter of said estate represents to the court

Walsh, decensed. Michael II. Quick, the executor of said estate, represents to the court that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor and asks that a day may be fixed for examining and allowing said final account and for assigning the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto. It is ordered that Wednesday, the 30th day of March next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the probate court be assigned for examining and allowing said account and for assigning the residue. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Tri-County Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (Probate seal.)

John M. Smith,

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Judge of Probate.

THE CIRCUIT COURT for the County

Tuscola, in Chancery.

HARRY PAUL, Defendant

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Harry Paul, Defendant In this cause, it appearing that the defendant, Harry Paul, is a resident of this state, but his whereabouts are unknown, therefore on motion of J. D. Brooker, solicitor for complainant; it is ordered that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before three months from the date of this order and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in The Tri-County Chronicle, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession. JOHN WALKER

Correspondence

NOVESTA. Wedding bells will soon be ringing. The sick are reported better at this

Miss Violet Sargent is visiting relaives in Canada. Howard Francis was a caller in Cass

City last Monday, John Wentworth is visiting his son, Clayton, in Detroit.

Mrs. R. Allen was the guest of Mrs M. Snover one day last week.

Mr. Howey had the misfortune to ose one of his cows last week. Dr. Truesdell of Shabbona was

caller in our burg last Saturday. Mrs. A. Hilliker was the the guest of Mrs. Handley one day last week. . Misses Hellen Ashby end Mae Henderson left for Armada last Wednes-

Messrs. Henderson and Russell and Miss Hettie Stowels were the guests of the Misses Helen and Hattie Ashby

day where they expect to remain for Friday.

FEARFUL ODDS AGAINST HIM Bedridden, alone and destitute. such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by the name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gav him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies. 'I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for liver and kid ney troubles and all forms of stomach and bowel complaints. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed by L. I. Wood & Co. drug-

AKRON.

Mrs. Pemberton is visiting at Rev. Davy's.

Isaac Hurst is moving to his farm east of town.

Mrs. D. McArthur and Mrs. Chas. Mrs. D. McArthur and Mrs. Chas. | nally and acts directly on the blood | her home here over Sunday. | Albertson | were in Bay City last | and mucous surfaces of the system. | Esther Trainor is home to

A number of persons from here atended the teachers' examination at Caro last week

Rev. Todd of Fairgrove will preach in the Presbyterian church Saturday afternoon and evening.

UNIONVILLE.

oo late for last week. Sam Daugherty of Caro was a busi ess caller in town Tuesday.

The infant child of Ernest Luther and wife died and was buried Wednes-

The Willing Workers were entertained by Mrs. Herman Fettinger

Mrs. Rose Curry and children of Fairgrove are visiting friends in town Mrs. Geo. White of Bay Port is vis-

ting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Emeline White. Geo. Haggitt has sold his black-

smith shop to his brother Abe. Concolds, croup, quinsy and costs only 50c. a bottle, smith shop to I "I have used Dr. Colwell's Magic Egyptian Oil sideration \$500. my work as locomotive engineer, I have found it very valuable by putting a few drops in water D. G. Buhl and daughter, Olive, at tended the funeral of the former's

brother at Elkton Thursday. Lawyer Pengra of Sebewaing was in Oil costs only 50 cents per bottle. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Triedlander-Mossner lawsuit. Friedlander-Mossner lawsuit.

Alson Roworth, who has been serv ing a six months' sentence at Caro for l violating the liquor law, returned nome last week.

James T. Russell was brought before Justice Geenfield Wednesday on complaint of August Sanow for assault Blood is essentially the fluid of life. It permeates every portion of the body to the remotest tips of the members. Any poisonous or diseased and battery. Plead guilty. Fine and

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ELM WOOD.

Cal Hendrick was sick last week. A. T. Hiser was on the sick list las

sick last week. Our first spring day was not so fine

T. D. Leach's little child was quite

is it might have been. D. Webster and wife visited at R. Webster's over Sunday.

Claud Webster is now employed in cole's saw mill northwest of here,

Mr. Leach and family, of Dakota, left this place for their home on Sat The dance that was held at Robert

Spavin's was well attended and a good time was reported. Frank Hendrick wintered over 200

chickens and one day last week he

had the good luck to get one egg.

BOY'S WILD RIDE FOR LIFE. With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles to get Dr. King's New Discovery or consumption, coughs and cold, W H. Brown of Leesville, Ind., endured leath's agonies from asthma; but this onderful medicine gave instant reief and soon cured him. He writes: I now sleep soundly every night.' Like marvelous cures of consumption oneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottles

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John Jones, of Saginaw, who was visiting his sister, Mrs. II. A. Williams, was taken suddenly ill on Sat urday and died at an early hour Mon- goods. day morning. Obituary will appear next week.

The following is the ticket placed on nomination at the township caucus held at the Quick schoolhouse on Satirday, March 19th: Supervisor-Robert Brown.

Clerk-William Kelley.

Treasurer-Dugald Livingstone. Highway Com'r.-John W. Mudge. Succession.

Dated February II, 1904.

Watson Beagn, Circuit Judge.

J. D. Brooker, Solicitor for Complainant,
Business address, Cass Gity, Mich. 2-19-7 McCallum. Justice of Peace (full term)—George

Justice of Peace (to fill vacancy)-Mrs. Geo. Collins and Roswell Raymond were initiated into the secrets Louis L. Wheeler. Member of Board of Review-How

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Colburn

and relatives in Bay City last week.

F. G. Cook purchased the finest

team of horses in the vicinity from

SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Grace Fox visited school or

Four new scholars entered school

We are reading "Uncle Tom's Cab

Rowland Dimond stood up longest

H. P. Bush, commissioner of schools

was a pleasant caller at school last

Miss Tanner's school of Tuttleville

visited our school Friday and a pleas-

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ARGYLE.

Mrs. Harlan Patterson is very ill at

W. D. Striffler visited his father,

Cassie McPhail visited friends at

spent the fore part of the week with

Ethel Brooks and Grace Striffer are

Mr. and Will Yakes and Mr. and

Mrs. Hardy Patterson of Deckerville

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Walker and

Mrs. Smith of Saginaw attended the

funeral of Mrs. Marvin Walker on

On account of the funeral of Mrs.

Marvin Walker, the Aid society which

was to have been held at Mrs. J. Mer-

Rev. G. Tyler, who hass been de-

Sunday morning to an appreciative

home in Croswell Saturday, March 19.

The remains were brought to the

home of her sister, Mrs. John Willer-

funeral services were held on Wednes-

day at Shabbona. Mrs. Walker leaves

a husband and two children, the

youngest being only six weeks old.

Her death was a severe shock to her

relatives, as they did not know the

severity of her illness. May God bless

and comfort the bereaved husband

and relatives, is the wish of their

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SHABBONA.

Emery Meredith has returned from

Mrs. Burt Welch returned to Yale

Ira Philpot will work for Dan Wait

Andrew Hyatt and wife have re

Mrs. Teuksbury and Stephen Mudge

May Fitch has gone to her home t

J. D. Allin of Sanilac Centre called

A taffy pull was given at Herb

Anna Lorence visited at Henry Mc

A load from here attended the dance

Chas. Striffler of Cass City was a

Dan Wait has rented his father's

omestead for the coming five years.

Osborn Ferguson and Arthur Mc-

John McAsh, has about, finished his

Arthur Book is now in the em-

ployment of Hugh Woolman on the

Ethel Meredith has returned from

Caro where she has been employed

during the winter.

ployment in a saw mill.

clearing up sale to make room for new

business caller in town last Thursday.

at W. Fullmer's last Friday night.

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many friends here.

Argyle.

Elkton.

friends here.

last Thursday.

the coming season.

turned to St. Clair.

are on the sick list.

spend her spring vacation.

on friends here last week.

Bigham's on Friday evening.

Laren's a few days last week.

Sundayed with their parents here.

employed at Mrs. McGillyray's milli-

relatives in town.

nery shop at Cass City.

edith's was postponed,

congregation.

who is ill, at Cass City Sunday.

Deckerville a few days last week.

NOTARY PUBLIC

cember, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,

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ant time was enjoyed by all.

n the spelling down Friday night.

ard Retherford.

Monday, a son.

Mr. Ruppert's Sunday.

Arthur Neal last week.

last week.

in" for exercises.

School Inspector-John Paul. Constables-S. Sherk, W. Paul, Col in Ferguson, George McArthur. ly been organized there. WISNER. "Mite boxes" are all the go now-a- of the butter factory having run all

of the A. O. O. G. on Monday evening. Jas. Pangman took a load to Snover Sunday to attend the Latter Day Saint Sunday school which has recent-

The patrons of the Creamery Co. are very much elated over the success winter and received an average price per pound of twenty-four cents which they find far out shines the dairy price less the work.

F. G. Cook and family visited at Mrs. Marvin Walker, a former resident of this place, died at her home went, so that whenever he did think of Mrs. J. Keyser visited with friends in Croswell on Saturday last. The Mr. and Mrs. A. Huntington made remains were brought here for burial cided picture in his mind-a picture on Tuesday and the sermon preached a business trip to Bay City last week. in the M. E. church, Rev. D. W. A sleighload of young people at-Leonard officiating. tended the dance at Bay Park Monday

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WEST GREENLEAF.

Mrs. A. Mark is on the sick list. Stanley Jones is ill at this writing. Stewart Ballagh has purchased a fine cow of Mr. Hewston.

Morgan Bogart of Saginaw is visiting friends in this vicinity. Fred Wright and John Ballagh called on friends near Gagetown Sun-

Fred Wright now sports a fine cut-J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State afore- won't go yet.

Miss Grace Warren of Cass City for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's and Mrs. Ben Hurr.

> NOKO. Mr. Carbeson is on the sick list this Eliza Heronemus was a visitor at

Esther Trainor is home again after spending most of the winter at school Toledo, O. in Sanilac Centre.

> Frank Chard is about to leave our midst and expects to locate somewhere east of Marlette.

Howard Foster has quite a force of men going these days cutting wood and delivering it along the Cass river ready for the dredge which is but a short distance from here at present.

KINGSTON.

Mrs. Alfred Moyer has the measles. Mrs. D. B. McNaughton has been Josie Haebler is entertaining the quite ill, but is better at this writing. Mrs. W. Meredith of Shabbona

Tom King is still very ill with Nettie and James Millikin are sick

with the measles. F. B. L. A. met with Mrs. Lorenzo Moyer on Wednesday.

Wanda Randall came home from Detroit last Thursday. Miss Dietz left Tuesday morning to visit friends in Rose City.

The millinery stores are showing a Mr. Challis is out of town and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis visited with friends at Yale over Sunday. John Grey's are talking of moving tained at his home on account of sick- to Pontiac as he is employed in the

Veit is working at the depot.

ness, preached in the M. E. church on round house there. Mrs. S. Matthews has received word from Canada of her father's death. Mrs. Marvin Walker, who was well | She was unable to attend the funeral

and favorably known here, died at her as her children have the measles. Mr. Sanford's have shipped their household goods to Coleman and expect to leave for there this week. ton, two miles west of town. The They will be greatly missed here.

Eighteen young people were present and joined the German club Friday evening. More members are expected at the next meeting Friday evening.

WILMOT.

Republican caucus Friday. Prohibition caucus Saturday.

W. B. Westerby was in Kingston Monday on business. Wm. Cohan is home from Alpena

visiting his parents. Wm. McCartney, of Burnside, is in

town visiting his father. There will be two caucuses this

week to nominate township officers.

Summers brothers left this week for Saginaw, where they will be em-Wm. Spiers of Gaylord is visiting Mr. Snyder, from east/of town, has

> the schoolhouse, Mr. and Mrs. McArthur from up north are moving back to Wilmot their former home.

> moved into the Sheppard house near

Mrs. Legg, from near Kingston, is nursing her daughter, Mrs. Ed Hartt, who has the rheumatism.

Marsh Lockwood is home from the north woods. He expects to move to Wahjamega when the reads get

There was a Prohibition Alliance meeting in the M. E. church Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance and some new names added to the membership.

three years.—Denver Field and Farm.

is necessary in the home where Thedford's Black-Draught is kept. Families living in the Keeping Beet Pulp. There are various methods for the preservation of beet pulp. In some parts of Utah where rock salt is plentiful large pits are dug in the ground. and quantities of salt are thrown into Queen visited friends in Clifford Sun- the pulp when it is being put into this pit, and this makes a splendid silo. When the pulp is exposed to the weather the top layer dries out and the pulp farther down forms a thick, pasty layer five or six inches deep. This layer extrol the health. No longer Melissa's heart will hang cludes the air and keeps the pulp fresh on the weeping willow for Edd is and sweet. Pulp has been kept in piles THEDFORD'S on the ground from the 1st of January until late in June. It was preserved in an unfermented or only slightly formented condition until the early part of June, when warm weather came on. When it is desirable to keep pulp no

AND A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM

By Louise Hubert Guyol

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Allyn Hardin was a man who, Yough but thirty-seven, had traveled ill he was well wearied with the world. Without family or ties, no one rared when he came nor where he settling down it was with a very deof a home that was home in the fullest sense of the word, where there reigned a wife whose life would be bound up in that home: where there rounged little children who would welcome him with smiles and with drooping faces

see him go. And it was this feeling, but

dully realized, that made him look

apon Miss Ellison with something of

loubt, albeit much of admiration.

Life was joyous to Alice Ellison Her blood ran high, and nothing had crossed her path that tended to make her feel aught but the joy of living. It was natural, therefore, that she should laugh and dance and sing. Sometimes, though, it palled on her, and she would sit within the silence of aer room, wondering why she could aot "fall in love, really and truly and leeply." And always at this wonder the picture of Allyn Hardin rose before her and her heart grew tender. And then something would crop up, like the weeds in the parable, choking out these tiny seeds of love. And that something was pitifully like the vision that had but just caused her a momentary gladness. But the clear blue eyes were so cold. the fine mouth to firmly set with determination, the chin so

"Ah. no. he would never be tender, nor sweet, nor-nor"-For she, too, had her picture of what a home should be, and while she scarcely dared dwell on it, as he could do, it was there, in the clouds above her head-a home in which there was woman whose life's one aim was to keep the tired lines from her husband's face, the worrying cares from his heart, to maintain forever the smiles on those little upturned faces at her knee. But the husband must be one with a heart warm enough to take and profit by the sympathy she held out to

So, thinking much but understanding little of each other, they went their separate ways until one morning early, when a train drew out from the depot, Alice seated in the chair car, Allyn swinging on to the step of the last

him in such good abundance, a man

who could understand the hearts of

those little children in the arms of that

He was off on his vacation, and in the curlings of the smoke he saw not the face of Alice Ellison, but cool, green nooks by running streams. He heard the crunch of the dried leaves beneath his feet and felt the tugging of the trout upon his line.

He had bid Alice goodby two evenings before, expecting to leave the city then, and he recalled her look of good, frank friendship as she had put ber hand in his. "What a pity there is not more to her," he mused. "She is so attractive, but she lacks weight." The train was coming to a stop, and

Allyn rose and went out on the platform. They were slowing into a picturesque little town with green trees in ght of the depot and big, sprawly southern homes, white and green in the Was that Alice?

Yes, there on the lower step of the coach ahead of him she stood, with an Impatience barely hidden by her quiet manner, waiting for the train to stop. She was smiling, oh, so brightly, and the train had scarcely come to a standstill before she had sprung down and was running across the platform to

Allyn Hardin could not believe his own eyes.

A little girl with brown legs flashing bare above low socks and face left bare by the bonnet that hung about her neck, reflecting the brightness he had seen on Alice's, came rushing down the platform too. With a shrick of joy she threw herself into Alice's open arms. The whistle blew again. Alice was moving off with a young man and wo-

man who had joined her. "Miss Ellison! How do you do?"

Alice turned about quickly. "Oh," she gasped, "I thought you were in Wisconsin!" She moved toward the train, not losing hold of the little hand that lay in hers. "I could not get off. Wish I had

known you were aboard"-the train was moving. "Goodby, goodby." "Bon voyage," called Alice. Then. bending toward the child, "Wave byby to Mr. Hardin,"

A sunburned little hand clawed the pir, and Alice, raising her head, looked up at Allyn. They both laughed. On the rest of that northbound trip all that Allyn saw was a little country railroad station with its usual motley

"I don't think we could keep house without Thedford's Black-Draught. We have used it in the family for over two years with the best of results. I have not had a doctor in the house for that length of time. It is a doctor in itself and always ready to make a person well

relieves stomach pains, frees the constipated bowels and invigor-ates the torpid liver and weakened kidneys

always ready to make a person well and happy."—JAMES HALL, Jack-sonville, Ill. ____

Because this great medicine

No Doctor

country, miles from any physician, have been kept in health for years with this medicine as their only doctor. Thedford's Black-Draught cures biliousness, dyspepsia, colds, chills and fever, bad blood, headaches, diarrhœa, constipation, colic and almost every other ailment because the stomach, bowels liver and kidneys so nearly con-

longer in the season than this it is just as well to pile it on the ground. If it is to be kept through the summer almost Ed Guy and family have moved to any form of silo is efficient, and in deep Kingston where he has secured em- | piles it has been known to keep two or

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The two weeks' visit to her brother came to an end, and the train was fast | connection is not direct it could often drawing Alice Ellison away from the be had through a second line, already sweet peace of the country into the existing. rush and whirl of that old life in the city. Leaning back in her chair, dreamily looking out of the window, she came to the conclusion that she

setting. Standing forth from it all

were the same two figures, the Madon-

clinging blue, the other in ruffled white

was tired of herself. She sighed and rose wearily. Swaying with the motion of the car, she made her way toward the Pullmans.

It was October; perhaps she might find some of her friends returning to the city. Pausing a moment on the threshold of the sleener, she looked

down the red plush aisle. A few feet in front of her a man was seated, with his back turned toward her. He had light hair, "just like Mr. Hardin's," and standing on the seat beside him was a little child. The car lurched, and the little fellow swaved. only to be caught by a strong arm that threw him downward. Then the man's head darted down, and Alice smiled at

the screams of childish laughter. She watched them for a moment: then the child, peering over the man's shoulder, called out: "Pretty lady! Pretty lady!" And she, feeling too weary to more than smile at the little fellow, turned to go back to her uninteresting book. The train was crossing the long

bridge over Lake Pontchartrain, and Alice paused in the vestibule between the Pullman and the chair car. Standing at the window she looked out upon the vastness of the moonlit lake and sky and felt very tired and small and useless. She was not blue, nor was she morbid, but somehow her heart rebelled at going back to that old life in the city-so empty, so shallow, so-"Alice! Miss Ellison"-

"Why-why-where did you come from?" Her voice trembled, but she did anot care.

She held out both hands to Allyn Hardin, and as his own closed over hers a sudden picture flashed before her. She heard again those peals of childish laughter, saw again a man's head bend swiftly down, like a great boy's, beneath the tug of baby hands: saw a face, habitually cold, alight with something divinely warm as it had looked at her across the sunny head of little Alice from the narrow doorway of a fast receding train. Her heart gave a bound that frightened her, and, drawing her hands away. she turned and looked again upon the

"I was called home unexpectedly on business," Allyn was explaining, when he noted that she was not listening. He stepped nearer to her side. "Miss Ellison," he began. Then he

saw how the moonlight was caught and shimmered in the tears that lay on her cheek and which she could not help any more than she could have told the reason why they fell. "What's the matter, Alice?"

There was a long pause, and when she answered her voice was like a tired child's. "Nothing; only I'm so tired." She had turned and involuntarily

stretched forth her hands again, but

Allyn's hands slipped past hers, and he folded her in his arms. "Oh, Alice," he murmured-"Alice, you don't know how I love you." She raised her wet face to his, and as he bent low over her the weight slipped from her heart and the old life that had

so tired her became a thing of the past. College Men In Strange Places. A dozen hurried street car men, with ten minutes in which to eat, got the lunch man somewhat rattled. No. 2269 thrust his carroty face over the counter

and yelled for an egg sandwich. "You're too slow, son," he said. "Be swift. Be a New Yorker." "Don't hurry me," said the other. "or I'll go back to Philadelphia." When all had been served and had

stamped out to the street, the lunch man remarked to a silent observer. "Did you notice the red fellow that tollied me? He's a scholar, a bright chap. Studied at Oxford, England." "I think, then, he might do better

than cry 'Fares, please!' and pull a bell "You'd think so," said the other. "And the same applies to me. Look at this." He produced the year book of a southern college and pointed to his name on the roll of graduates. "You will hardly believe it, but I'm a gradu- | 2

Signs of Old Age.

of the leg follows from similar causes.

ly portion of their lives. With drinking

men the change is often produced by

the quantity of saccharin which they

consume with their drinks, and with

those who do not drink it follows from

other physiological changes. With wo-

men the dimness of the eye does not

come so soon as it does in men."

feated in the state legislature. .

Popular In the Central States.

ter by the sender, would authorize the

postmaster at the office of any rural

route at which it is received to open

the letter, ascertain its contents and

telephone them to the person to whom

the letter is addressed. This would

effect a saving of time in the reception

of the message, which is nearly always

Lesirable and often of great importance,

especially on an up to date farm, which

is nowadays a business center, run on

ness facilities.

like the business I'm in now. Force of circumstances, you know."-New York

"Do you know the surest indication of old age?" said a physician the other Shortness of Breath day. "The surest indications in man," Is One of the Comhe continued, "are a moist eye, a dry palm and a shrinking of the calf of the monest Signs of leg. All the indications are due to

some action of the nerves consequent upon advancing years. In the matter of the eye the fifth section is interfered ians say, heart disease can be cured. with, and it is this that causes a flow of water. The dryness of the palms is caused by an interference with the functions of the body, also due to the action of the nerves, and the shrinkage tory of medicine, by being so uniformly "In old age, too, you notice some men successful in curing those diseases. become more corpulent than in the ear-

> The very best thing you can do, is to take Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. It will go to the foundation of the trouble, and make a permanent cure by strengthening and renewing the nerves

strengthening and renewing the nerves.

"I know that Dr. Miles' New Heart
Cure is a great remedy. For a number
of years I suffered from shortness of
breath, smothering spells, and pains in
my left side. For months at a time I
would be unable to lie on my left side,
and if I lay flat on my back would nearly
smother. A friend advised using Dr.
Miles' New Heart Cure, which I did
with good results. I began to improve
at once, and after taking several bottles
of the Heart Cure the pains in my side
and other symptoms vanished. I am
now entirely well. All those dreadful
smothering spells; are a thing of the
past."—F. P. DRAKE, Middletown, O.

If the first bottle does not help you, If the first bottle does not help you, the druggist will refund your money. FREE Write to us for Free Trial Package of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, the New Scientific Remedy for Pain. Also Symptom Blank. Our Specialist will diagnose your case, tell you what is wrong, and how to right it, Free. DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., LABORATORIES, ELKHART, IND.

WHEN IN CHICAGO Stop at the New Northern Baths & Hotel Combined

New Northern Baths & Hotel

rectly by telephone with any patron of na and the child-one in gown of softly the mail route. In these cases only the issue of the appropriate stamp would seem necessary to inaugurate the proposed special service. Where

rural free delivery, and the postmas

ter in his office could communicate di-

The increase of rural telephone companies, many of them organized and operated by the farmers themselves, has brought the service to comparatively inexpensive rates. Farmers of Illinois and Indiana are showing especial concern as to the course of the postal authorities and in some towns have lately got together to consider their own interests in the matter.

Indiscriminate killing of birds is as much a violation of law in Texas as the taking of human life. The one is n misdemeanor, the other a felony, The present game law was passed in response to an earnest appeal of the Texas boll weevil convention and other representative bodies of farmers and business men, the object being to protect crops. At this season of the year it would be well to bear in mind sec-

"It shall be unlawful for any person in the state of Texas to take or needlessly destroy the nest or the eggs of any wild bird or have such nest or eggs in his or her possession except as permitted by this act." This year let the farmers of Texas inquire into how the game law has been enforced, concludes Farm and Ranch.

While admitting that macaroni wheat

is well adapted to the Kansas climate,

some of the millers claim that the flour

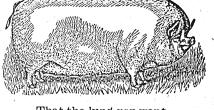
made from it is harder and darker in color than from the present wheat, that

A Bargain. "Did you hear what Whimpton's little boy said when they showed him the

without machinery specially adapted

"No. What was it?" "He said: 'There! Mamma's been gettin' barga<mark>ins again!" "</mark>

The Best Meats



That the kind you want. We keep all kinds—

fresh, Salted and Smoked Our location is easily found—across rom the postoffice. Give us a trial.

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Protect them

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They are "the windows of the soul," and should always be bright and healthy. If there is anything wrong with them,

We have the Scientific Instruments for determining and correcting any and all defects of

You are invited to call and examine our methods.

J. F. Hendrick

My Breath.

Heart Disease. Notwithstanding what many physic-Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure has permanently restored to health many thousands who had found no relief in the medicines (allopathic or homoeopathic) of regular practicing physicians. It has proved itself unique in the his-

Nearly always, one of the first signs of trouble is shortness of breath. Whether it comes as a result of walking or running up stairs, or of other exercises. if the heart is unable to meet this extra demand upon its pumping powers-there is something wrong with it.

Robin Redbreast is still safe in New Jersey, the measure to take him off the list of protected birds having been de TELEPHONE MAIL SERVICE. Wire Connection With the Postofice A measure suggested for extending the usefulness of the rural mail routes of the various states is that of connecting farm homes by telephone with the postoffices out of which rural free delivery is operated. The idea is that a special stamp should be issued by the government which, if attached to a let-

It appears that rural telephone lines have grown enormously in number and extent the past three to five years throughout Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Michigan and the central west states. In some instances a telephone route is nearly identical with that of

business principles and requiring busi-8 floors. Fine new rooms. Meals a-la-Carte at all hours.

BATHS OF ALL KUNDS.

Turkish, Russian, Shower, Plunge, etc. The finest swimming pool in the world. Turkish Bath and Lodging, \$1.00. Most inexpensive first class hotel in Chicago. Right in the heart of the city. Booklet on application.

The Killing of Birds.

tion 3, as follows:

Millers and Macaroni Wheat.

the wheat could only be used in limited quantities if grown and that it cannot be handled in the mills of the state

twins?"

Our first shipment of spring models from L. Adler, Bros. & Co. is ready. It is full of snappy effects—see them.

We invite the mothers to see our showing of

Boys' and Children's



Mrs. Jane Hopkins' Make

Clothing. We are sole agents for both

above makes.

The Home of Good Values

Mednesday,

I will be ready. with my

# Spring

and the opening will continue the balance of the week. Come early before the Easter rush. All the

Latest Creations in Ibeadgear

will be ready for inspec-

Mrs. C. M. Seelev

## FOR SALE

HORSE, 12 years old, weight about 1,000 lbs.

COW, 9 years old

**HARNESS** 

LIGHT WAGON SINGLE WAGON HARNESS

T. H. Ahr

## Farms

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## \$1,300.00

ber and good pasture:

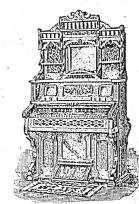
## \$400.00

Will buy a forty acre farm 41 miles from Cass City. Small house and other improvements.

We also have several other bargains in farm and village

## Exchange Bank

EDW, PINNEY



## Lenzner's Furniture Store.

Special representative in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established bus- mar department was taken suddenly iness house of solid financial standing. ill Sunday afternoon and has been un-Salary \$21 weekly, with expenses, ad- able to resume her duties this week. furnished when necessary; position Keopfgen returned to their homes gold. permanent. Address Blew Bros. & from Alma last Friday to spend the



With a fresh supply of Staple and Fancy Groceries. Time

Garden Seeds is near by. Buy your seeds where you are sure of getting them fresh. We have just received a complete new line of all

> BEST AND MOST RELIABLE GROWERS OF SEEDS.

Seeds in Bulk

Seeds in packages, seeds by the bushel, seeds by the pound,

## seeds by the ounce, seed any way you want them.

still continues. Money saved by buying your Canned Goods

Our Sale on Canned Goods

at our store.

CASS CITY MARKETS:

Wheat, No. 1 white .

Cloverseed.....

Sheep live weight, per b ..

Lambs....

Dressed Hogs..............

Economy per bb

Feed per cwt

Bran per cwt.

Live hogs, per cwt......

Wheat, No. 2 red ..

White oats No. 3

Rye, No. 2..

Cass City, Mich., Mar. 25, 1904.

Detroit, March 24, 1904.

Commission men reported a fairly

were a trifle higher local dealers were

holding prices a little stiffer. The

supply of dressed calves was consider-

tigures prevailing. Butter, poultry,

position and there was a good trade in

Apples—Fancy, \$3 00 to \$3 25 per bbl; other varieties, \$1 25 to \$1 50, accord-

Butter-Creameries, extras, 23 at 24;

ed dairy, 14@15c; good to choice, 12

@13c; bakers' grades, 9(@10c; process

Cheese-New full cream, 12c per lb

Cranberries-Fancy, \$2.50@2 75 per

Fresh Vegetables—Fancy toma-toes, per 6-basket crate, \$4.50; hot-

house cucumbers, \$1.75@2.00 per doz

doz; pieplant, 55@60c; radishes, 35c.

(@6 50; heavy, \$5.25 at 5.50 per cwt.

Dressed calves-Fancy, 7@8c per

Dressed hogs-Choice light, \$6.25

loose hay, No. 1 timothy, \$13@14;

Honey-No. 1 white, 12@14c; light

2@13c; turkeys, 17@18c; ducks, 13@

Popcorn-Old in ears 1½@2c per lb.

Tallow-No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 4c per lb.

BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 23.

stock commission dealers, Buffalo re

port as follows: Cattle: Receipts.

Sheep and lambs-Receipts, light, 5

cars on sale, best western lambs, \$6.15

(@\$6.25; natives, \$6 25 at \$6 25; fair to

good, \$6 00@6.10; culls and common

\$4.25 at 4.75; wethers \$5.00 at 5.25;

WILL TREAT DEFORMED CHILDREN.

treatment at the hospital in connec-

PIANO CONTEST.

The following are the conditions of

the contest for the new \$350 Brewer-

Pryor piano:

27. Tea will be served at five o'clock. evenings at 6 p. m., will receive either

Special)-Dunning & Stevens, live

and heavy, \$5.80@5.85; \$5.00@5.20; closed steady

New Bermudas, \$2.75@3 per bu.

extracted, 7c per lb.

4c; geese, 11@12c lb.

medium

bu; cauli-flower

fresh vegetables.

ing to quality.

outter, 17½@18c per lb.

## Fairweather Bros.

David Ross was on the sick list part | Freeman, the stage driver, disconof the week. D. J. Landon has been ill this week

kinds of Garden Seeds direct from the

with the grippe. H. L. McDermott was in Grant on ousiness Tuesday. H. Frutchey made a business trip

to Caseville Tuesday. J. Ryan of Gagetown was in town Thursday on business.

Robt. Boughner of Argyle made a business call in town Monday. Joseph and Jerry McCarty of Ar-

gyle were callers here Tuesday. Miss Means of Alma is the guest of Miss Beryl Koepfgen this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten were the guests of Caro friends Saturday. Leo Challis of Kingston is supplying

at the P. O. & N. depot this week. Wm. Murphy went to Traverse City Tuesday where he will visit friends.

E. Ladoueceur is the new harness maker at W. A. Fallis' harness shop. A. Wickware is canvassing for chicory contracts for the Gagetown

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Pratt of Cumber John Ball has been on the sick list were the guests of friends in town Monday.

day for Buel, Sanilac county to visit

Miss Higgins of Alma is the guest of

Wednesday for C. W. Heller, of the of prosperity. F. C. Lee spent the first of the week roller mill. Mrs. W. W. Bender of Gagetown

was the guest of her parents here Wednesday. W. Saigeon and Miss Lucretia

in Gagetown. Morley Wickware of Gagetown was

Miss Bertha Wood spent Sunday day afternoon. J. C. Seeley went to West Branch Wednesday afternoon on a business Saturday where he has employment, trip to Chicago.

ness trip to Kingston Monday after-Mrs. K. M. Morris at Gagetown a few days this week. Pearl Parker went to Lansing Fri-Mrs. Yakes of Pigeon is the guest day, where he has secured employ-

Miss Elsie Klump visited her sister,

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Ernest Cooper, who has been in

has been visiting friends in town this town for some time taking treatment, Miss Elizabeth Hennesey, of Gage-Herbert Karr returned to Newberry

town spent Sunday with Miss Edith Wednesday after a short visit with his parents here. Elmer Gooden of Detroit was the

Harley Keating is the new clerk at guest of Miss May Landon Friday and . S. McArthur's store, having begun nis duties this week.

Miss Bertha Zinnecker will spend made to hold services here in the the Easter vacation with friends at future. Bay Port and Bad Axe.

The family of Gus Zapfe, southeast Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson went of town, have all been ill, but are im-

terson's mother, who is ill. Rev. McGee of Gagetown assisted in the revival services at the M. E.

church Wednesday evening. Miss Agnes Pitcher of Pontiac has Naaman Karr was in Lansing last been the guest of her sister, Mrs. week taking the examination pre-

scribed for licensed embalmers. Cass City is certainly getting Black River for some time, returned "cityfied" as Pat Gaffney is canvass-

ing the village for street numbers. Mrs. C. W. Nixon, of Wardsville, Ont., is the guest of her brothers,

John, William and Chris Schwaderer. Miss Lilah Tanner, wno is attending school here, will spend the Easter vacation with her parents at Bay Port. Howard Lauderbach assisted in Jas. during the latter's absence in Lapeer. Burt of this place.

Mrs. Richard Clarke was called to Caro on Wednesday on account of the

part of last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Treadgold.

Clare Kratsenburg of Alma arrived here last evening and will visit with Stanley Schenck the remainder

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Predmore are Joliet. Ill., and expect to locate in

and other relatives. northwest of town, entertained a upstairs Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchock were home Wednesday evening.

Miss Mattie Carless of Yale arrived here Tuesday and has again taken up her duties as head trimmer in Mrs. M. J. McGillvray's millinery store.

Misses Beardsley and Henry, teachers in the public school, leave today for their homes at Ypsilanti and Lexington to spend the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Boles and children, who have

visit with the latter's parents, Mr. April 13. A splendid program will be and Mrs. M. H. Quick, south of town. prepared for the occasion. A goodly The friends of John Schwaderer will number of the ladies was present and time.

be pleased to learn that he is making a small company of gentlemen. The vanced each Monday by check direct | Stanley H. Schenck and the Misses a good recovery after the recent op- next regular meeting will be held at from headquarters. Horse and buggy Leola and Ora Lauderbach and Beryl eration performed by Dr. A. N. Tread- Mrs. D. Croop's on Wednesday, April leading on a majority of Monday The roads between here and Caro A cordial invitation is extended to a gold watch or a diamond ring. are in such a condition that D. A. all.

tinued his trips for two days this A. F. Kishpa ugh of Saginaw is ex-

hibiting a number of pianos and organs in G. A. Stevenson's store this Choice Handpicked Peans.... week. He represents Grinnell Bros. Eggs per doz.. Music House John Gark received word Thursday

afternoon of the death of his sister-

in-law at Thomas. He left this morn-

ing to attend the funeral which will Live Veal. be held Saturday. The services at the Evangelical church will be German next Sunday morning. On account of the union service in the M. E. church there will

be no service in the evening.

O. J. Dunlap's little child, north of White Lily, per bbl ... town, was taken suddenly ill the first Laurel .. of the week and for a time his life Graham flour per bb. was despaired of, but at present the Granulated meal, per cwt..... little fellow is much improved.

Mrs. C. M. Seeley has secured the services of Miss Nellie Rupright of Middlings per cwt..... Union City as head trimmer in her Buckwheat... millinery store, that young lady having taken up her duties last week.

E. Yakes of this place has secured a position as deputy district manager of active and steady produce market yesthe A. O. O. G. The district includes terday. Receipts of egfis were unexnine counties in the western part of pectedly light, and as eastern markets Mrs. Chas. E. Patterson left Thurs- Michigan. He will commence work on April 1st.

For fifteen years D. E. Hubbell has piloted the Marlette Leader through ably ahead of the demand, and the the Misses Ora and Leola Lauderbach the ups and downs incident to a newspaper career and not without success. C. W. Hulburt made a trip to Caro Here's wishing him many years more potatoes and unions were in a steady

Clarke W. McKenzie was tendered a surprise party Wednesday evening, the occasion being his birthday. He was completely surprised but proved himself a very entertaining host and firsts, 20@22c; seconds 18@20c; select Campbell spent Tuesday with friends a splendid time is reported. Rev. Wolf of Fairgrove gave an in-

teresting address on "Missions" in the guest at his parental home Wednes- M. E. church Wednesday evening which was enjoyed by all. He is an box. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McArthur left eloquent speaker and handled his subject in a masterly way .. Dr. Treadgold has built an addition beets, to his barn for the convenience of his \$1.75@2 per doz; spinach, 75c doz.

driver. When completed it will be lettuce, 15c per 1b; celery, 65@75c per warm and cozy and contain a nice sleeping apartment, also a convenient b; fair, 6@7c per lb. place for robes and blankets. John Marshall is at Jackson and Kalamazoo this week attending meetings of the executive committee of the Eggs—Fresh receipts are selling at

Michigan State Agricultural Fair 16 c per dozen. Roard in reference to selecting a per manent location for the state fair. Rev. Ball of Gagetown, pastor of the hay: No. 1 timothy, \$11; No. 2, \$9.50; Episcopal church at that place, held services at the home of Dr. and Mrs. per ton in car lots, f. o. b, Detroit; J. H. Hays Wednesday evening. It is

probable that arrangements will be No. 2, \$12@13 per ton. The three class orators to deliver commencement orations next June at | \$2.75 per crate. to Argyle Wednesday to see Mr. Pat- the Agricultural College have been chosen this week, among whom is Arthur B. Rogers of Ellington of the

agricultural course. The appointments are for merit. The furnace in Fairweather Bros. big store went on a strike Thursday morning on account of the depth of the water in the basement, and it was necessary to substitute stoves. It is not anticipated that much damage will result although the water is

about one and a half feet deep. The following young ladies are employed in Mrs. M. J. McGillvray's yorkers \$5.75@5.80; pigs, \$5.40@5.50; millinery shop as apprentices, the first roughs, two having already served a season in all sold that establishment: Louise McDonald of Gagetown, Grace Striffler and Tennant's grocery store this week Ethel Brooks of Argyle, and Belle

Burt of this place. \$5.00 at 5.75: mixed sheep, \$4.75@
A number of our townsmen were in \$5.00; fair to good, \$4.65 at 4.85; Lapeer this week as witnesses in the culls and bucks, \$3.50 at 3.75; ewes

serious illness of her father, Mr. case of the Wm. Barrie & Co. vs. P. yearlings, \$5.50@5 75. O. & N. R. R. company. They were: ceipts, 100 head; market steady; fair ed. Herbert and Miss Ethel Karr spent G. G. Beebe, Wm. Grigware, Jas. to good, \$5.00@5.50. Tennant, A. H. Muck, J. W. Heller, Wm. Smithson, M. C. Beach, A. Geitgey, Henry Herr, Joe Grigware, Wm. Seegar, and Angus and Duncan Mc-Leod of Greenleaf.

night it was discovered that H. S. the University of Michigan, provided Wickware's residence was aftre and the doctor present at the child's read J. D. Crosby & Son's ad. on the an alarm was turned in, but it birth will certify that the child was first page. visiting friends here. They have left was extinguished before the engines born deformed, and that in his judgarrived. The fire started in a room ment it can be helped by treatment; downstairs occupied by Mrs. Alvers, and further provided that the mayor George Crawford went to Pontiac mother of Mrs. Wickware, and she of the city, the president of the villast Saturday to visit his grand- was trying to extinguish the flames lage, or the supervisor of the townparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Crawford, herself. A few minutes' delay and a ship in which the child lives will orserious fire would have resulted as Mr. der the child cared for at the hospital. Miss Beryl Koepfgen, who resides and Mrs. Wickware occupied a room were aroused and company of young friends at her with some difficulty. Not much damage was done.

## NEW ENGLAND SUPPER.

Any young lady residing in Cass City or within five miles of the village Deford M. E. Ladies Aid met at the is eligible to enter the contest. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bruce, popularity of the young ladies is to March 16. After an elaborate dinner was served by the hostess the meeting | be decided by voting, the one receivwas called to order by the president, ing the highest number of votes winning the contest and the piano. Mrs. D. H. Kyes, followed by Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. Kyes and The price of each vote is ten cents. a song service by the ladies. Minutes The value of the piano being \$350, been visiting at the home of Howard of the last meeting were read by Mrs. the winner of the contest must have Lauderbach for some time, went to J. R. Lewis. Mrs. Robert Brown was at least 2,000 votes. their home at Winnipeg Wednesday. taken in as a new member. It was No vote once registered for one Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Bryant returned voted to serve a New England supper to Detroit Tuesday after a week's at Croop's hall on Wednesday evening, ferred to another.

contestant, may be changed or trans-The contest will close Monday evening, April 18th, at 9:00 p. m., local The standing will be made up each week on Monday. The young lady

Each week the standing of the dif-

ferent contestants will be publishe in the Chronicle and Enterprise. Votes will be received at either

REV. M. J. CROWLEY.

Village Council.

COUNCIL ROOMS, Cass City, Mar. 21, '04 Regular meeting of the council call ed to order by President. The follow 5 00 ing trustees, were present-Clark, 500 Striffler, Campbell, Bigelow, and El-

> Minutes of previous regular meeting and adjourned meeting read and ap-

proved. The following bills were read and referred to committee on claims and

3 coal... Saginaw P. M., etc, Coal Co. bill of March 14 coal.... Adam Muck dravage

John Gark gatekeeper Bigelow 1 day election board W. J. Campbell days settling with treas. 1 day registration board. W. N. Straube su

' salary Feb. 13 to Mar. 13. Committee reported favorably on all bills as read. Moved by Striffler and supported by Clarke that the report of the committee be accepted and orders drawn on the treasurer for the several amounts. Carried.

President McDermott appointed mmittees as follows; Claims and accounts-W. J. Camp

bell, H. T. Elliott, N. Bigelow. General improvements-N. Bigelow. John Renshler, J. H. Strifller.

Ordinances-John Reashler, J. H. Striffler, N. Bigelow. Streets and sidewalks-J.-H. Strifler, W. J. Campbell, Richard Clarke. Printing-Richard Clarke, H. T.

Elliott, W. J. Campbell. Ways and means-J./H. Striffler, N. Bigelow, W. J. Campbell. Moved by Bigelow and supported by

Elliott the committees as appointed Dried Apples-3 to 31c; evaporated be confirmed. Carried. Moved by Bigelow and supported by Clarke that the president appoint a Hay-Detroit shippers are paying the following prices for new baled chairman to investigate the probable cost of a new smokestack at the Power clover, mixed, \$9.50; rye straw, \$7.50 House. Carried. President appoint-(a8.00; wheat and oats straw, \$6.50 ed as such committee W. N. Straube,

N. Bigelow and J. H. Striffler. President ordered reading of the bonds of the village treasurer and vil-

amber, 10@11c; dark amber, 9@10½c; lage clerk. Bonds of M. Leonard Moore, treasur-Onions-\$1.00 per bu; Bermudas er, with M. Leonard Moore as prin-Potatoes-Shippers are paying 83c, cipal and J. D. Crosby and I. B. Auten 86c per bu in sacks, f. o. b. Detroit. as sureties in the amount of \$4000 each was read. Moved by Elliott and Poultry-Live springs, 13c; hens 12c; turkeys, 15@16c; ducks 12c. geese, treasurer be approved. Carried. 0@11c. Dressed-Chickens, 14c; fowls,

Bond of Chas. G. Matzen, clerk, with H. Pinney as surety in the sum of \$500 was read. Moved by Campbell and supported by Bigelow that the bond of the clerk be approved. Carried.

Moved by Striffler and supported by Campbell that both newspapers published in the village be instructed to print the minutes of the council meetings and that each paper be paid one half the regular rate. Carried.

Moved by Campbell and supported tism, is slowly improving. by Clarke that the Cass City Foundry be instructed to not allow any more taking care of her mother, Mrs. Banks, bills or posters to be placed on sign board on their premises. Carried. On motion of Elliott supported by Campbell and Clarke council adjourn C. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

## AMONG THE ADVERTISERS.

"Garden Seeds" is the timely topic of Fairweather Bros.' announcement Any child of Michigan birth that is born deformed is entitled to free this week.

L. I. Wood & Co. invite you to call About twelve o'clock Wednesday tion with the medical department of and see their samples of wall paper. Look twice at the label and then T. H. Fritz tells how to make the

home sweet and cheerful in his announcement this week. "The Model" tells of merchandise of merit in their ad. on the last page.

The local millinery stores have announcements in this issue. Their Easter openings commence on the same day, Wednesday, March 30. J. W. Heller will have an auction sale at the Hefflebower farm south of town next Wednesday at 1:00 p. m.

FOR SALE-A Jersey cow. En-JOHN HUNTER. 3-4-tf Four mis. north Cass City.

A list of the articles is printed in this

### Correspondence

HAY CREEK. Fern Loney is able to be out again.

better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burt spent Sunday at Wm. Loney's. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price of Holbrook called at Wm. Loney's Sunday.

Ida Marshall returned Monday from three weeks' visit in Bay City and Mrs. Dan McNaughton, who has been sick for several weeks, is some

Curtain Poles Window Shades

Season is at hand.

Although our new stock is not all in, we feel sure that we can please you whether you want to spend little or much. You can't see our stock from the street, but we respectfully invite you

## COME IN AND EXAMINE OUR SAMPLES

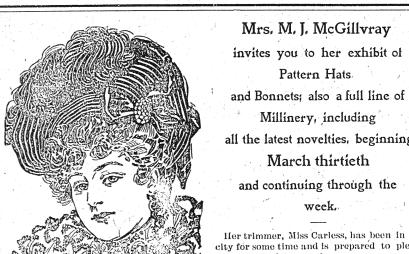
before deciding on your decorations. We have

### BOOKS OF SPECIAL DESIGNS

also, and court comparison with any and all, for quality and

## I. II. WOOD & Co.'s

Drug Store.



Mrs. M. J. McGillvray invites you to her exhibit of

Pattern Hats and Bonnets; also a full line of

Millinery, including all the latest novelties, beginning March thirtieth

and continuing through the

Her trimmer, Miss Carless, has been in the

Preparing to build a new or remodel the old store.

In the face of the 25 per cent. raise in cotton goods with the wholesale trade, we commence on Monday, Feb. 22, 1904 to close out our entire stock of dry goods at old prices and

## Greatly Reduced Prices

This is done to get goods out of the way for above repairs. Entire Shoe Stock will go on sale at same time at

## 80 CENTS ON THE \$

This means just what it says. Groceries at same old

LAING & JANES

## EASTER Millinery Openina Wednesday, Mar. 30

supported by Clarke the bond of the and continuing the remainder of the week. My goods are up-to-Chas. G. Matzen as principal and E. date. Each lady will be presented with a

Handsome Souvenir.

## Mrs. M. L. Moore

Mrs. Wm. Loney, who has been suffering from an attack of rheuma

returned to her home in Bay City CROSS ROADS.

The spring birds are with us.

Mrs. Scram is on the sick list. The snow is going in laughing rivu-The caucus of Novesta on Saturday

was very quiet. H. M. Quick was in Caro on business last Friday. Frank Brant of Detroit is visiting

t Clyde Quick's. John Paul, who has been ill, better at this writing. Mrs. Delong is not very much im-

proved at this writing. Henry Paul is able to be out again after his long illness. The minister and wife were callers at Mr. McIntyre's Wednesday.

Miss Kate Ferguson has returned home from Pontiac for the summer. The meetings and the Sunday school at the brick, church are well attended. Mr. Randall is expected to return from the north, where he has been employed this winter.

If any of the ladies wish their dresscutting and fitting done prompt and to fit, call on or send your measures to

A surprise party was given S. Rob nson and family last Friday night. A party of young people surprised Mrs. Butterfield, who has been Ed Clark at his home Friday night.

The M. E. L. A. S. will meet with

Mrs. C. A. Crittenden is on the sick

Mrs. Wm. Myers Thursday, March 24.

list. Dr. Bates of Kingston is attending her. Miss Mattie Raymond gave a party for the young people of the neighbor-

hood Thursday evening. The L. O. T. M. M. will give an Easter supper at the home of S. A. Tongs, April 1. A grab bag will be one of the many attractions. All are welcome. Bill 25c a couple.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Meddaugh gathered at their home last Tuesday night for a surprise party. The evening was pleasantly passed with games and music after which rereshments were served.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tus-

STATE OF MICHGAN, County of Tuscolass.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of
the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola,
made on the 9th day of February A. D. 1904,
four months from that date were allowed for
creditors to present their claims against the
estate of John Etherinton late of said county,
deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to
said Probate court, at the Probate Office, in
the Village of Caro, for examination and allowance, on or before the 9th day of June A.
D. 1904, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Monday, the 9th day
of June A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tus

EAST DAYTON.

H. Johnson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Bertha Sivers is still very sick.
Benton Brumley is suffering from an attack of neuralgia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Tongs visited friends at Deford Sunday.

The Bethel L. A. S. will meet at the parsonage Thursday, March 31.

An entertainment was given at the stone church last Monday night.

Leo Crittenden is spending the week in Caro with his brother, Lewis.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, Sc. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro on the 21st day of March In the year one thousand nine hur dred and four. Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William J. Walters, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of J. D. Brooker, attorney for James Walters, son of said deceased, praying this Court to adjudicate and determine who are or were at the time of his death the lawful heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which he died selzed. It is ordered that Monday, April the 18th next is 10 o'clock in the foreneon at the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro on the 21st day of March In the year one thousand nine hur dred and four. Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William J. Walters, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of J. D. Brooker, attorney for James Walters, son of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which he died selzed. It is ordered that Monday, April the 18th next is 10 o'clock in the foreneon at the Probate Court be assigned for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Tri-County Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Co., Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 3-18-6 Easter vacation.

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the past week.

ounty line, is ill.

town, is on the sick list.

Kingston last Saturday.

own on business Monday.

with friends at Marlette.

ed business in town Saturday.

own were in town on Saturday.

inaw Wednesday to visit friends.

with Mrs. D. H. Kyes at Deford.

Chris. Striffler, who resides on the

Mrs. Henry Helwig, northeast

John Hill made a business trip

Mrs. Pat Dixon of Gagetown was in

Orval Harris of Kingston transact-

W. E. Merritt and daughter of Gage

Mrs. E. A. McGeorge went to Sag-

Mrs. M. J. McGillvray made a busi-

Miss Nellie McCool of Hay Creek

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Noble of Deford

Mrs. Jesse Withey was taken sud-

denly ill the first of the week, but is

Thos. J. Parker, who has been at

Miss Vera Ross entertained a com-

pany of her young friends at her home

Mrs. E. McLean, who has been vis-

iting in Port Huron, returned to her

Walter Saigeon of St. Louis, Mo.,

Mis. Geo. Bates and Mrs. A. San-

Miss Lillian Goff of this place has

Miss Myrtle Orr returned to her

home from Ypsilanti/last Friday to

Miss Cecil Fritz, who is teaching in

Bad Axe, will return to her home here

Lawrence Clements returned last

week from Grand Rapids, where he

Mrs. David Jeffery and daughter,

Myndwell, of Kingston were the

guests of friends in town last Fri-

Mrs. J. H. Harris and daughter of

Caro have been the guests of the for-

mer's sister, Mrs. G. A. Stevenson,

given a surprise party at their home

Mrs. A. G. Bowers, who was the

W. D. Striffler and two sons, Roy

The many friends of Mrs. A. Cran-

dell in this vicinity will be pleased, to

learn that she arrived safely at Strath-

Miss Malam, teacher in the gram-

guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Turner

last week, returned to her home in

and Daniel, of Argyle were the guests

of the former's father, Chris. Strif-

fler, on the county line Sunday.

burn. Ont., and is feeling better.

last Friday at which there was a gen-

this week.

eral good time.

Battle Creek Friday.

has been employed on the railroad.

today to spend the Easter vacation.

secured a position at Harbor Beach in

ford of Kingston were in town Mon-

arrived here last Friday and is visit-

John Ball

here Monday.

ast Friday evening.

home here Tuesday.

ing friends this week.

day on a business trip.

a millinery establishment.

spend the Easter vacation.

spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A.

March 30

Millinery

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OPEN BUGGY and BUGGY

Enquire of

Will purchase an eighty acre farm with good house 21 miles from Shabbona. Forty acres improved and remainder in tim-

CHAS. MATZEN