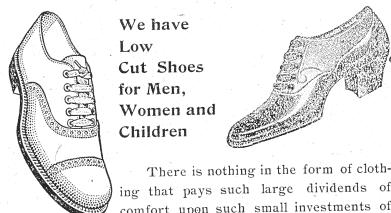
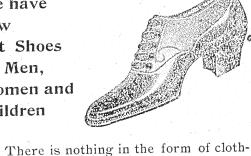
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deed, it is often under the humblest

garb that true manhood and woman-

hood is found. A noble nature does

not hide itself behind a false show of

pride and pretense. Daily we find

people who, Spartan-like, blind them-

selves with the thought that a suc-

cessful theft is a great achievement

and an unsuccessful one a just cause

for scorn and reproach. Others live

in ignorance of the wrongs they are

daily committing; and still others

ignore the laws of right because they

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character stronger.

Commencement week of 1904 will and "Organized Labor Trusts," by always be remembered as one of the Roy McKenzie were both well rehappiest events that have come to ceived. The address to the class was our high school during recent years. given by A. Gaylord Slocum, of Kala-The weather was ideal and a large mazoo College, who spoke of "The Denumber attended the various exer- mands of the Twentieth Century," in

Last Sunday evening the baccaaureate address to the Class of 1904 was delivered at the M. E. church by Ethel Martin. The trio by Guy and Rev. M. W. Gifford, pastor of the Pearl Landon and Ernest Perkins was church. The singing for the occasion was furnished by gentlemen and was closed with a selection by the orcheshighly appreciated by the vast audi-tra. The program for commencement ence which filled the church. Rev. this year surpassed anything of its kind Gifford chose as his text, Phil. 3: 13-14, ever given here, and much praise is Forgetting those things which are due Prof. F. E. Sinclair for the interpehind and reaching forth unto those est and enthusiasm he has displayed things which are before, I press to in making the event so enjoyable. the mark for the prize." The subject of the discourse was "Retrospect and Prospect, or The Law of the New Sheridan this evening and Progress." He spoke of the "power the occasion will be enlivened by of the soul to reproduce in memory | plenty of good music and witty toasts. and self-consciousness the things of the past, and that it is easier to recall pleasant things of the past than augurated in our behalf whereby unpleasant things. The soul in its schools have been made possible; normal state lives more in prospect parents have carefully and zealously than retrospect, and as the retrospect guarded our material wants; and of dark things is opposed to present teachers, with much sincerity of purand future happiness it is wise and pose, have guided our intellectual desirable to forget much of the past- being, thereby making it possible for A vigorous aspiration is essential to us to appear before you tonight as the the highest future attainments, and Cass City High School Class of 1904. the prize of a holy ambition is the The long looked for event, Class Day, possession of the object sought, or is waving its magic wand over us. conscious progress towards it." He We hail its advent, and to you we exthen spoke of the practical applicational tend our greeting, a hearty greeting tion of the subject, and how the we give you. Yes, it is true our nummaking or unmaking of a man hinges bers are few, nine girls and one boy. on the observance of the law of prog- We have been bravely and heroically ress. He also said that each gradua- bending every energy, making use of tion should be a commencement to every opportunity to reach this point

something higher.

On Wednesday evening the opera house was filled with interested said: "This is your duty, to act well spectators to listen to the Class Day the part that is given to you; but to program. Shortly after eight o'clock select the part belongs to another.' the class which is composed of nine young ladies and one young gentleman well or successfully? He only is sucmade their appearance and took their places on the stage. They are Nancy ward his ideals (ideals continually DeLong, Ethel Martin, Mamie Brook- loftier as his nature expands) pursues er, Ethel M. Ford, Violet Eno, Minta his course until he leaves behind him Wallace, Lois Cleaver, Cecil McKim, all obstacles, and gains finally the Edna Matzen and Roy McKenzie. truer, holier life. If we persevere The stage was prettily arranged and against adverse circumstances we canthe graduates in their dainty costumes not be called unsuccessful and even made a pleasing picture. One of the though we may fail, each failure features of the program was the good music furnished by the Cass City High School Orchestra which was organized by Frank Lenzner about four weeks ago. It is composed of the following pupils of the school: Joseph and Ward Benkelman, Daniel Ahr and Fred Maier and the Misses Clara Lenzner and Lydia Klump. They furnished the first number which was followed by prayer by Rev. L. V. Soldan of the Evangelical church. Misses Ethel McGregory and Ora McKim each played piano solos and the salutatory was given by Miss Edna Matzen which we print in full below.

Miss Violet Eno's essay "The Power of Music" was much enjoyed by all and Miss Cecil McKim displayed her ability as class poet in a good selection. The class history was related by the Misses Nancy DeLong and Minta Wallace and the peculiarities and whims of each member of the class was portrayed in amusing style. The prophecy was, given by Miss Lois Cleaver, who painted brilliant futures for each one in word-pictures. The class will was read by Miss Mamie Brooker and occasioned much merriment at the expense of the several members of the class. Solos were sung by the Misses Vida Patterson and Lydia Klump which were well received.

The commencement exercises were also held at the opera house Thursday evening at which there was a arge attendance. The Misses Ethel McGregory and Lena Fairweather played piano solos, and Miss Clara Lenzner sang "Anchored," a pretty solo. The orations, "The Man of the Eighteenth Century, by Ethel Ford

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that several cases of smallpox were Gagetown. discovered in the high school buildthe institution and demand their offschool entirely. The physicians, of our journey through life. fices were crowded with children for a pleasant manner. His speech was A supply was telegraphed for at once helpful to all who had the pleasure of and on their arrival there will be a hearing him. The valedictory which general rush for doctors.

## June Weddings

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day evening when John Hill and Miss in extending congratulations. Blanch Hansler were united in marriage by Rev. M. W. Gifford, pastor of the church. At seven o'clock the wedding march which was played by Miss Cecil Fritz announced the arrival of the bridal party. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Lottie Bradley, and the groom was supported by his brother, Roy Hill. After the ceremony the guests, numbering about forty, went to the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Hill on Church street where a reception was given. After congratulations were received and a dainty luncheon was served, the newly married couple left on the evening train for a short wedding tour. Those

guests present from out of town were: The parents of children who attend Arthur Whitney, Pinnebog; Leon school at Caro were thrown into a Castle, Pontiae; Mr. and Mrs. M. frenzy Monday morning by the report Parent, Bad Axe; Mrs. W. Bender,

Mr. and Mrs. Hill are two of Cass ing. Parents at once began to call at City's most highly esteemed young people and the Chronicle joins in spring. It was finally decided to close wishing them a pleasant and prosper-

Wm. Schwaderer and Mrs. Eliza vaccination, but in all the town there Hatton were married Friday evening wasn't a vaccine point to be found. at the home of the bride on Houghton street by Rev. J. W. Fenn. The best wishes of the community for a pleasant journey through life go with this estimable couple. They will reside in the Schwaderer residence on south

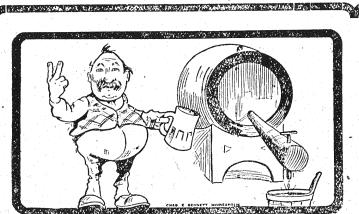
Married, at the home of the bride in Port Stanley, Ont., Wednesday, June 15, 1904, Miss Steila Aldritt and Fred Palmer of Yale. Mr. Palmer A pretty June wedding was solem- was a resident of Cass City a few years nized in the M. E. church Wednes- ago and made many friends who join

> Miss Wilhemina McIntyre, who for merly resided in Cass City, but recently of Kalamazoo, was married about two weeks ago to M. Ernest Manigold, of Marquette.

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## Tri-County Chronicle.

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- · MIONIGAN.

The typhoid microbes are pretty wideawake, but they are very easily taken in.

However, Mr. and Mrs. Mosquito are still laughing in their sleeves at the eminent scientists.

After a man takes more than \$5,000 they quit calling it stealing and refer to it as embezzlement.

An observer says that the earnings of married women are decreasing. How about their expenditures?

The mental anguish of a dry man in a wet district is exceeded only by that of a wet man in a dry district.

Now that "Josh Billings" is dead, Prof. Davy Jones of Lancaster claims to be the "greatest English speller"

This talk about the uselessness of the veriform appendix is very foolish. It's exceedingly useful to the

The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough are reported to be living apart. There are only a few happy American duchesses left.

The Pennsylvania clergyman who shot at a burglar the other day and hit him has earned the thanks of the entire congregation.

Since love alone makes it worth the while to live.

Let all be now forgiven and forgive. says Alfred Austin in his latest poem, All right, Alfred, we'll forgive you.

A scientist has discovered that loafing is conducive to health and longevity. Come to think of it, who ever saw a tramp suffering from arteriosclerosis?

If a person has a legal right to snore should two persons snoring at the same time and in the same room be compelled so to snore as not to make a discord?

Even though Mr. J. P. Morgan has just paid \$13,570 for a miniature portrait of the duchess of Norfolk, by Holbein, Mrs. Morgan has no reason to be jealous.

ple to float mines, Wall street has lain, been in the business for years. And many an innocent craft has been wrecked thereby.

We suggest the following subject of world interest for the sweet girl graduate's essay: Will the Russian blouse ever be entirely superseded by the Japanese kimono?

Of course, if one of those floating mines sinks a neutral ship our pro-Jap shouters will insist that it was a mineski or a mineovitch, and that the Japs were not responsible.

A Youngstown man dropped dead from sheer excitement as the last man went out in the ninth inning the other day. So happy a death does had no redress, not fall to the lot of every fan.

King Edward recently received in private audience Capt. Mahan, U. S. N., (retired)—the man who knows pretty much everything about all kinds of ships excepting lordships.

The piano dealers were able to get together only 200 old square pianos for the bonfire at their national convention in Atlantic City. You see, we had a coal strike a year ago last winter.

That the emancipation of woman is now complete has been demonstrated in St. Louis. The leader of them all exercised her prerogative of liberty and went from the parlor into the kitchen.

Boston's Twentieth Century club has discussed mastication, and was told by one expert of a woman who chews every morsel of food 200 times. Now does this lady eat to live or does she live to eat?

Another bank teller has confessed that a large shortage in his accounts is due to speculation. And it is encouraging to note that the newspapers refer to him as a thief instead of an embezzler.

A Worcester (Mass.) man, who forged a check for \$500, said he did it in The size of the check, however, was not convincing. It seemed to indicate that he knew perfectly what he was about.

The latest fad among Yale students is going barefooted through the streets of New Haven. It is supposed to have been started by some young gentleman whose father could not be reached by telegraph.

A contemporary announces that Cuba raises nearly one-third of the world's cane. For the sake of the young republic's reputation, it should be noted that the last word in the above sentence is spelled correctly.

And the bank auditor, after he had stolen the funds of his employers, blamed the actress for his ruin, just as Adam blamed Eve. Of course, the man was not in any way at fault. "The woman tempted me and I did eat," is still the resort of some cow-

ards.

## Important News From All Parts of Michigan

Happenings of the Week Chronicled Briefly For 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Busy Readers 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Red Wins-Uncle Sam Pays.

Joyfulness unalloyed prevailed in the little village of Athens Wednesday, occasioned by an unusual contact with Uncle Sam's beneficence, Half a hundred Indians-braves, squaws and papooses-came into the possession of the largest amount of money they ever aw in a bunch, each being presented with \$250 by a special representative of the United States government.

The Athens Indians had one Moguago for their leader, and somehow is interests in the 99 sections of fertile prairie were overlooked. His descendants—a small army of them, some of whom did not know they were descendants until notified—have for years been fighting to regain what was

lue to the long-dead Moguago. Phineas Pam-to-pee is the accepted eader—a man three score and ten, and wise, dignified and stoical, Another, Sain Mandokay, acts as spokesman, and is shrewd, intelligent and astute. ernment, with the result that \$78,-329 25 is now available for distribution among the 272 descendants of the famous Moguago,

G. A. R. Officers.

The annual encampment of the Michigan G. A. R. in Battle Creek was largely attended, and a very humorous and enjoyable occasion. The business closed with the election of officers. The roster standing as follows:

Commander, George H. Hopkins, Detroit; senior vice-commander, John J. Cornwell, Battle Creek; junior vice-commander, D. J. Willison, Jackson; medical director, Dr. W. W. Root, Mason; chaplain, Rev. William Putnam. Lansing, The executive committee and 19 delegates to the national encampment will be named this morning.

The Sons of Veterans elected the fol lowing officers: Commander, Frank J. Kellogg, Battle Creek; senior vice-commander, H. A. Larock, Dimondale; junior vice-commander, James A. Da-na, Muskegon; and delegate to national convention, Walter Raines, Battle Creek.

Ladies of the G. A. R. elected Mrs. Nellie Ward, Benton Harbor, commander; Mrs. Flora Vos, Caseville, senior vice-commander; Mrs. John Mer-The Russians are not the first peopler; Mrs. William Bailey, Detroit, chap-

Tie-Up Is Over.

The Masters and Pilots association gave up its fight with the vessel own ers late Tuesday night and the rush for boats began at once and telegrams were flashed to the owners all along the chain of lakes from captains offer ing their services. Many of the cap tains will lose employment, it is said, while others will have to take less acceptable berths than they have had. I is considered that the mates were left in the lurch Some who are members of the association say that they had nothing to gain in the strike, but were simply standing by the masters in an effort to help them. Many mates have been offered excellent positions and had they so desired, could have taken out boats and the captains would have

Detroit Murderer Caught. William Stevens, who is wanted in Detroit for the murder of Ralph Calkins, a bartender in Bowman Bros.' Gratiot avenue saloon, on the night of May 13 has been cantured in St. Louis while, it is claimed, he was perpetrating a hold-up similar to that in which he is alleged to have shot down Cal-

After being in jail a week his true identity has been established through the Detroit police receiving photographs and identifying them as those of Stevens. In St. Louis he went under the name of Bert Pierson. The authorities declare they will not hand over Stevens to the Detroit police until he is tried on the charges against him there.

W. B. Comstock Hurt. Wiliam B. Comstock, the well known Alpena, Mich., capitalist and railroad owner, who is building an interurban trolley line between Rochester and Geneva and through Canandaigua, N. Y., was injured in a collision on the eastern and uncompleted end of the line Sunday Mr. Comstock, F. W. Walker, H. A. Haigh, of Detroit, and others of the company were on board two work trains that came together and all were badly shaken and sustained minor injuries. Mr. Comstock's were the most serious injuries and his physicians fear internal complications. 

Small Offices Go.

The meeting of the Michigan postmasters in Lansing Thursday afternoon was devoted to the reading of papers. In an address on "Fourth Class Boys," Postmaster Ely, of Davisburg, declared that the fourth-class men see no danger to themselves in the greater development of the rural free dlivery service, bringing the mail out from larger offices. He said that over a fifth of the fourth-class offices in Michigan have already been closed

Caught the Crooks

George Briggs, an Adrian farmer, is champion "stringer," and two alleged very clever green goods men are locked up as a result. They gave their names to Sheriff Shepherd as Charles Brown They offered him and Henry Luce. counterfeit money cheap. Briggs tipped off the sheriff, and then made believe negotiations with the men. After several weeks' "fun" with them, he handed them over.

Frand Arnold, of Decatur, desponarsenic: He failed to take enough

Brief and Effective.

Probably the shortest address ever given to a jury in the United States was made by Prosecuting Attorney Hooper in Justice Merritt's court in Battle Creek. Dell Davis, a well known character about town, was on trial charged with the larceny of a whip from a farmer's buggy. Davis's attorney made a long speech to the jury, claiming that Davis only borrowed the whip to kill a rat. When he got through Prosecutor Hooper arose, looked at the jury and exclaimed "Rats!" and sat down. The jury convicted Davis at once.

Larrison Is Insane.

Charles O. Larrison, the Detroit man brought to the Ionia prison last week on conviction for a serious offense against his step daughter, imagines he is in a secret room in a Detroit hospital and that gas of various kinds is turned on so that his mind will be These men have learned their rights weakened. He imagines that a resort and recently proved them to the govier list also connected with the hospital and is also connected with the hospital and that the police have twice raided it. Today he was carefully examined by Prison Physician Haynes, who pro-nounces him of unsound mind and Warden Fuller ordered his transfer to the state asylum.

Claimed He Was Swindled.

A man registered at the Wayne hotel as George Andrews of Kansas, was arrested near the Michigan Central lepot, Detroit, Sunday night at the instance of ex-Congressman F. W. Wheeler, who alleges Andrews swindled him out of \$6,000 some time ago. Mr. Wheeler was walking on the street when he saw Andrews. On being seized by a policeman the prisoner tried to chew up and swallow a letter giving the police many pointers when they secured it. The officers claim Andrews is an important cap-

Train Broke Apart.

A freight wreck occurred Saturday on the Michigan Central just west of Glenwood which caused several thousand dollars damage, A long, heavy loaded train broke in two coming down grade, and when the two portions came together several cars were demolished, 150 feet of track was torn stood crosswise on the track, effectually blocking all traffic All through trains were sent around by the air

STATE NOTES.

There are 12 cases of smallpox in Holland township.

The Detroit & Mackinac railroad will install service on July 3 on its new

extension to Cheboygan. The National Chickory Co., of Bay City, is building the largest plant in the state at a cost of \$30,000.

Orrie Cove, of Bay City, took laudanum with suicidal intent but was pumped out and will recover.

E. M. Gline, an Iron River barber, n a despondent fit placed a revolver to his forehead and killed himself,

By popular vote it was decided to build an \$8,000 high school to replace the one recently burned in Lake City. Arthur L. Spooner, of Sault Ste, Maric, a railway mail clerk, shot himself in the head. If he recovers he will be

The war department has allowed the state of Michigan \$27,926 for the purchase of equipment for the Nation-1 Guard.

Florence Whipple, aged 15, of Me-nominee, is missing from her home and her parents fear she has been eniced away.

A meeting has been called to vote on a new \$3,000 addition to the high school building for the normal school in Standish.

The division headquarters of the Ann Arbor railroad are to be moved to Owosso from Durand in a few months.

The right of way for the Ionia-Owos so electric line is being rapidly granted by farmers and grading will begin September 1.

Cadillac will have a Carnegie liorary, Two wealthy citizens of the city have presented a site and work will begin soon. Jacob Roosevelt, one of the best

known farmers of Keeler township, hanged himself in his barn while temporarity deranged.

George Hancock, 16 years old, recently adopted from the Industrial school was drowned in Brewster lake Sunday while swimming.

Adjt.-Gen. Brown has issued orders announcing that the annual practice cruise of the Michigan state naval brigade will commence August 6. The Manistee & Northeastern has

platted the land one mile west of Sherman where it will locate a depot, and it has named the site Glengarry. Sugar beets are thriving at present, he warm weather bringing the young

plants out of the ground with a rapid-

ity that is pleasing to the farmers. Navigation was re-opened on the Muskegon river after a lapse of 18 years, when the boat Helen C. Lamore today made her first trip to Newaygo. She will connect here with the Milwaukee and Chicago boat lines. The Helen Lamore draws but 20 inches of water when loaded.

Roy Ivory, son of W. E. Ivory, of Hadley, who was hit in the head by a pitched ball at the Interscholastic meet at Imlay City, is just alive, and the physicians have very little hope of his recovery. There is a clot on the brain and he was taken to Detroit last dent, tried to end his life by aid of night for an operation, as a last re-

Only married men are now eligible on Saginaw's police force.

The convention of the Michigan Blind People's association will be held in Lansing, June 21-23. Lansing's assessed personal valuation this year is \$10,899,329 as com-

pared with \$8,721,155 last year; real estate valuation is increased \$1,879,-Will Williams, of Lapeer, met with in accident on the Great Northern

railway which may cost him his life. He is now in a hospital at Crookston, Harry Pattee, a fireman on the Poniac, Oxford & Northern railroad, was

struck in the abdomen by a flying stick while switching cars and terribly iniured. By the bursting of a soda water gas tank J. Edwin Pennycock, of Ann Ar-

terday afternoon as to necessitate am-While Harry Root was sawing wood with a large circle saw on the farm near Clayton his foot caught in the saw and was nearly severed just above

bor, had his leg so badly mangled yes-

The class of 1900 of the Michigan credentials, rules and resolutions Agricultural college has donated a handsome drinking fountain to the college and it will be in place for commencement.

Frank Murray, 38, a sailor beating his way to Chicago, fell under a freight train at Niles Sunday and was crushed to death. He was going to Chicago to see a brother.

As conditions at Jackson now permit the reception of convicts Gov. Bliss has withdrawn his request to the circuit judges that they sentence them elsewhere.

The barn on Wm. Rosenberg's farm, in Newburg, burned and two calves and several hogs were cremated. Some valuable farm implements were destroyed. Loss, \$1,500. Over \$300,000 is being expended on

improvements in Charlotte this year, mostly for residences, but including the new Masonic temple and the Beach Bros.' foundry Gov. Bliss has granted the desired

requisition on the governor of Mis-Ralph Calkins at Detroit. Burglars broke into the office and forced the safe of the Ithaca Roller Mills Co. Tuesday night, securing nearly \$300 in cash and also carried

away many valuable papers. Lenord Houghtaling, of Flint, who went to Malta, Mont., some time ago, expressed that comparativel was shot in that city and died from bodies remain to be recovered. his wounds. Houghtaling was working

to earn money to return to his home. By 24 votes Three Rivers fails to get a new high school, A special election of Santiago de Cuba has resulted in was called to vote on the proposition the death of more than 100 persons.

Miss Julia C'Connor, of Owosso, has asked the war department concerning the death of Private John O'Connor, killed last month at the battle of Lake Liguasa, P. I., and whom she believes to be her brother.

last winter

"No friends, no relatives, perfectly Vanderlick. soher, drowned-John Such was the note found pinned on the body some boys fished up from beneath the Northport ferry dock. The dead man was a laborer.

Richard Brewer, the Montrose young man who has been in jail for some weeks, charged with abusing 3-year-old edith Hobson, of the same township, pleaded guilty and was remanded to jail to await sentence, which will like-

ly be heavy.
Six years ago the assessed valuation of Boyne was only \$55,000; now it is over the \$700,000 mark. The population was about 800 and every soul dependent; now it is estimated close to 3,000, with thriving suburbs to the north and south.

Fire Friday morning destroyed one large building of the Johnson Cooperage Co., in Coldwater, Loss \$5,000; insurance, \$3,000, Sixteen coopers los: \$400 worth of tools. The portion of the plant destroyed made pork barrels for Armour & Co.

Sherwood Kenison, of Millington, says he will not make complaint against his better half and Arthur Haskell, who, it is alleged, eloped for the third time a few days ago, as he has not the time to spare at present, his crops needing his attention.

Gearing Bros., of Detroit, the contractors who will erect the new life saving station and government buildings on Middle island, now have a crew at work. The site is now covered with a dense growth of timber, which will have to be cleared away.

Ralph Davies, a farm lad in New Haven township, cut an artery in his leg with an ax. He was in danger of bleeding to death until he tightly bound a cord around his leg above the wound to check the flow and made his way home, and a doctor arrived in time to save his life.

The 4-year-old son of Alvah Campbell, of Mason, was climbing upon the wheel of a wagon when the team started, throwing him with his head between the wheel and the body of the wagon. The horses were stopped immediately, but the wheel had to be taken off to release him. It is thought he will recover.

Felix King, a well known farmer, just southeast of Standish, was bound over to the circuit court on a charge preferred by Agnes Brady, 22 years of age, living near his farm. King declares he is a victim of blackmail. He hears the best of a reputation, has lived on his present farm for 20 years and has a family.

A sudden death occurred at the Detroit house of correction shortly before 7 o'clock Monday morning. Chas. Humphrey, sent up from Saginaw Friday for 90 days for drunkenness, had been served with breakfast, but when the officer came to unlock the cell doors for the men to go to the shops, Humphrey had fallen back on the floor. The officer opened the door and called for help, but the man was dead.

A series of shafts are being sunk along the Rifle river, north and east of Standish, for coal. Some very good samples have been taken out in the past, and it's thought that large beds him, and to have jumped into the of fine coal underlie this section.

## The News of the World Told by the Telegraph

Items of Current Interest Gathered From All Parts ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦ of the New and the Old World ♦ ♦ ♦ ♦

The official program for the week national convention in Chicago is as

Tuesday, June 21—Convention called to order by Chairman Henry C. Payne; prayer by Rev. Timothy P. Frost Reading of the call for the convention by Secretary Elmer Dover; introduction of Temporary Chairman Elihu Root, who will address the convention and report the names of the temporary officials; appointment of committees on permanent organization,

Wednesday, June 22—Prayer Rev. Thomas E. Cox; report of the committee on permanent organization; ntroduction and speech of Permanent Chairman Joseph G. Cannon; report of committee on rules; naming by state delegations of the members of the new national committee.

Thursday, June 23—Prayer by Rev. Thaddeus A. Snively; call for presidential nominations; presentation of the name of President Roosevelt by Frank S. Black, of New York, and seconding speeches by Sena'or Beveridge, of Indiana, and others; nomination of vice-president; selection of committees for notification of candidates,

The Slocum Horror.

Like a city of the dead was the German settlement in the vicinity of St. Mary's Lutheran church, in East Sixth street, New York, where they were burying Saturday more than 100 victims of the Slocum horror. Not a block was without its funeral. There were enemy, souri for Wm. Stevens, the alleged bandit, charged with the murder of every door. In some houses a burial every door. In some houses a burial service was being read on every floor, and the hearses stood two and three breast at the curb. Unceasing search for over three days and nights has resulted in the recovery of 581 bodies of victims of the disaster. Of these, 541 have been identified. Hopes are expressed that comparatively few

Sunny Cuba.

The recent hurricane in the province The most replace the high school which burned lage of El Cobre, where about sixty persons were drowned. The river rose instantly, destroying the lower part of the village Bodies were carried eight miles to the bay. Thirty bodies were recovered.

Six persons were drowned at Daiquiri, fourteen at El Caney and many in the surrounding country. The list is still incomplete. All the bridges at El Cobre, several at Daiquiri and four of the central railroads and miles of track have been destroyed.

The P. M. a Great System.

Pere Marquette system, and which recently purchased the Cincinnati, Ham- at Kokura. The survivors report that ilton & Dayton, has just closed a deal the Sado and Hitachi were sunk by by which it has acquired the Chicago, torpedoes. It is reported that the tran-Cincinnati & Louisville road. By its sports Hitachi and Sado carried only recent purchases and trackage ar- 1,400 men If this is true, the loss in rangements the Pere Marquette has lives is probably less than 1,000. secured terminals in Cincinnati, Chicago, Springfield, Fort Wayne, Toledo. Detroit and Buffalo, and has assumed proportions which warrant the belief that it soon will be absorbed by one covers the operations of the fleet since of the larger systems, possibly the June 6 and and repeats his former ac-Vanderbilt,

CONDENSED.

Poston's big celebration of Bunker Hill day resulted in over 300 people seeking aid from injuries, Revolvers, firecrackers, caps, torpedoes and night. fireworks all helped the gruesome work along

A huge portrait, 20x17 feet, of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna, has been hung in the Coliseum at Chicago, the only picture there. It is directly be hind the speaker's platform in the most prominent place possible.

Thos. F. Kennedy, said to be a memher of the noted Knox-Whitman gang mineral output of the United States of forgers, was arrested in New York with the possible exception of the yesterday, charged with having raised a \$10 draft to \$10,000, depositing it in the German-American bank of Buffalo and then drawing out \$800.

Horrible Slaughter.

Details in connection with the sinkand deliberations of the Republican ing of the Japanese transport Hitachi by Russian warships are being furnished by survivors. The Russian ships were sighted at 7 o'clock in the morning and in response to a signal the Hitachi was stopped but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape. The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed about the water line with the evident intention of destroying the troops on board. The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and awash with blood. One shell which struck the en-gine room killed 200 men. The ships began to fill and sunk gradually by the stern. At 6 o'clock in the evening

she was completely submerged.
Supt. Campbell, the English master of the transport, jumped overboard at o'clock in the afternoon and is numbered among the missing. The chiet engineer was killed on the bridge. Col. Luchi, commander of the troops, ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself along with many others. The second mate committed suicide. Many of the crew and troops escaped

in the boats. The transport Sado is still afloat. but is badly damaged. She is being towed into the nearest port. She sighted the Russian ships 35 miles west of Shiro island. Their signals to stop unheeded, so the Russians opened fire and signaled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship Upon that the crew took to the boats, and in this way many escaped when the ship was eventually fired by the

Disastrous Defeat.

A special dispatch from Liao-Yang to he Official Messenger of St. Petersraged the whole of Wednesday and the Japanese, receiving considerable reinforcements, crushed the Russian left flank and compelled the Russians to

retire northward. The Russians lost 500 men killed, 300 taken prisoners and 14 guns. The casualties on the Japanese side are estimated at 1,000 men killed and

wounded. The war office announces that Gen. Stakelberg was forced back before greatly superior numbers and retreated to Vantsialin, 30 miles north of Vafangow. The enemy had over four di-

visions in action.

A semi-official dispatch from Mukden, dated June 16, says. The engagement at Vafangow was undertaken with the object of drawing off a portion of the Japanese forces from Port Arthur and resulted in improving the Russian position. The Japenese losses

were very heavy.
All doubt as to the sinking of the transports Hitachi and Sado by the Russians has been removed. hundred and ninety-seven survivors of The syndicate which controls the the Hitachi have arrived at Moji and 153 survivors of the Sado have arrived

Togo's Report.

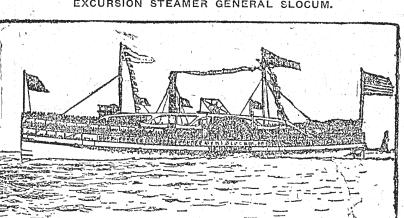
A long report has been received here from Admiral Togo, in which he count of the bombardment of the west coast of the Liao Tung peninsula. Continuing, the admiral says the captain of a foreign vessel that left Yinkow on Wednesday, June 8, reports that the recent Japanese bombardment in the vicinity of Kai Ping, south of New Chwang, caused Russian forces to the number of 3,000, with 20 guns. to exacuate Yinkow.

Rockefeller in Copper,

The announcement is made of a combination of mining interests of America, with John D. Rockefeller at The capital of the merged companies, it is said, will be \$2,500,-000 and the purpose is to control the Calumet & Hecla copper mine in Michigan.

The best fears no test.

EXCURSION STEAMER GENERAL SLOCUM.



(Vessel Burned in Hell Cate, East River, With Great Loss of Life.)

Theophile Belanger dropped dead of fright at St. Scholastique, Que., as the hangman clicked the lever which was

to drop Belanger through the drop. Charles E. Cook, a Fire Island Fish Co. manager, jumped into the bay near Long Island, after a wad of bills that blew from his hands. He rescued only \$1 and barely escaped drowning

J H Hull, clerk of the Wolf Lake body was found in a naphtha tank car. is now said to have been suffering from a delusion that officers were pursuing naphtha for safety,

Call Out Reserves.

The calling out of the army reserves. in the Kazan, Kieff and Moscow military districts, was announced Tuesday, This step is for the purpose of filling up the skeleton reserve corps and to replace the regular troops already gone or going to the front It also foreshadows the dispatch of four Volga corps, which was predicted a month ago. The club house, near Chicago, whose dead latter would give Gen. Kuropatkin 200,000 more men.

> Census Supervisor Bird expects to give out the first results of the canvass August 1.

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#### NUMBERS IN EARLY DAYS

Forerunners of Existing System Re-

sorted to Queer Expedients. In a paper read before the Philological society of the University of Michigan, George Hempl commented upon the forerunners of our present system of numeration. Some two years ago, in seeking the origin of the Runic letters (the first letters used by the Germanic races), Professor Hempl discovered the primitive Germanic numeral notations. They threw new light upon the early Germanic numeral system, as well as upon the primitive Indo-European numerical system and upon the development of the Greek alphabet and the Greek numerical notation.

The primitive Indo-European numerical system was a mixture of the decimal and the sexagesimal. The first large number was the "shock"—that is, sixty—and the next large number was the "hund," or hundred," that is 120. Between 60 and 120 there were no numbers like our 70, etc., 70 being "a shock and ten," and 80 being "a shock and 20." The introduction of our present numbers between 60 and 120 arose out of the introduction of the decimal hund or hundred, that is, 100, in distinction from which the old hundred (120) was called the duodecimal hundred, or the "great hundred," which is still used in Iceland and parts of England.

### LEARNED A PARROT'S MIGHT.

Children Repeated Words With No

Knowledge of Their Meaning. Dr. Kerr, a Scotch minister, tells this story of his visit to a village school: "The lesson was one giving an account of a clever dog which had rescued a child from drowning. It was said that the dog was caressed by the parents of the child. I asked what was the meaning of caressed and the answer came at once, 'Made of fond led.' On referring to the list of words at the top of the lesson I found the explanation riven was 'made of, fondled.' Wishing to find life. out if any child in the class had got a glimmering of the meaning I went from top to bottom and got from every child nothing but 'made of fond led.' pronounced as four words. to which they attached no meaning whatever. The teacher was surprised that I was not satisfied with the intelligence of the teaching.'

## The Skylark.

Bird of the wilderness, Blithesome and cumberless. Light be thy matin o'er moorland and lea!

Emblem of happiness!
Bless'd is thy dwelling place!
O, to abide in the desert with thee!

Wild is thy lay and loud,
Far in the downy cloud;
Love gives it energy, love gave it birth.
Where on thy dowy wing.
Where art thou journeying?
Thy lay is in Heaven, thy love is on earth.

O'er fell and fountain sheen.
O'er moor and mountain green,
or the red streamer that heralds the
day;

day; Over the cloudlet dim, Over the rainbow's rim, Musical cherub, hie, hie thee away!

Musical cherub, hie, hie thee away:

Then when the gloaming comes,
Low in the heather blooms,
Sweet will thy welcome and bed of leve
be!
Emblem of happiness!
Bless'd is thy dwelling place!
O, to abide in the desert with thee!

Hogg.

What Causes Fires. The annual losses by fire in the United States which have averaged as high as \$100,000,000 a year at certain periods, were attributed during a single year to the following causes. the number of fires from each cause being given: Incendiarism, 1,927; defective flues. 1,309; sparks (not from locomotives), 715; matches, 636; explosions (of lamps, etc.), 430; stoves. 429; lightning, 369; spontaneous combustion, 326; prairie and forest fires, 280; lamp and lantern accidents (other than explosions), 238; locomotive sparks, 211; cigar stubs and pipes, 203; friction, 179; gas jets, 176; engines and boilers, 150; furnaces, 135; and from firecrackers, 195.

Myrrh Simply a Gum Resin.

Myrrh is a gum resin that exudes from the cracks of a tree found in Arabian and East African countries. It flows rather freely, but the natives, in order to get a larger supply of the article, often bruise the trunk of the trees with rocks. The myrrh tree itself is a low tree, growing about ten or twelve feet high, with thorny branches. When the myrrh first exudes from the tree it is of a yellowish, whitish, buttery consistency that gradually hardens and assumes a reddish semitransparent color. It is used principally as one of the components of incense.

Well Worth the Money. A man in Randolph county, Missouri, was tried recently for assault with intent to kill and the prosecuting attorney brought into court as weapons a rail, an ax, a gun, a saw and a rifle. The defendant's counsel exhibited a scythe, a pitchfork, a pistol, a razor and a hoe. After deliberating two hours on the case the jury submitted a report which read as follows: "We the jury find that the fight took place. and we the jury would have paid a dollar each to have seen it."

## Youthful Statesman.

Edmund Waller had already made a reputation as a poet when, at the age of 16, he entered parliament and be gan to take an active part in public debates. His first speech was a great success. When the stripling of 16 first arose to address the house the members were inclined to laugh at him, but he was not to be laughed down, and soon had his hearers listening to him with rapt attention. When he ended he was greeted with ringing applause and at once became ing, April 30, to midnight June 15. a political power.

#### Bell Says No Apologics

Adjt.-Gen. Bell says concerning the deportation of union miners and others from the Cripple Creek district: "The powers of the military in deal-

ing with an organization engaged in insurrection against the lawful authorities of the state, in a criminal conspiracy against the lives of its citiizens, recently has been defined by the honorable supreme court of this state in re Moyer, to which I refer you for my authority. I am taking only such steps as are necessary to restore peace in this community and to render safe the lives of its citizens. Many innocent lives already have been sacrificed and the authorities of Colorado propose that these assassinations shall

"In older and more settled communities the election of who are and who are not desirable citizens may be a slow process. The people of Colorado love order and peace and law, just as much as those of the older communities, but they sometimes make their election of citizens in a hurry and the murderous, unspeakable outrages at the Independence station a week ago, coming as a culmination of many hidden crimes, all traceable to the Western Federation of Miners, precipitated such an election

"It is not uncommon out here for the peaceable citizens to go to a man of the community and tell him to go, that he is not wanted. Such a notice is never disregarded. The one notified goes for the good of the community; if there is no other law there is at least a fundamental one that gives the people the power to hang one man, send another to the penitentiary, fine a lesser culprit and the unwritten power to impose the lighter sentence of enforced departure to other fields for those who, not having transgressed the written law are yet disturbing ele-

ments in the general peace. These men were deported to the Kansas-Colorado line and more will follow tomorrow, for which no apologles are made to anyone. Should they return they will be immediately placed in the military prison and there remain indefinitely."

Mrs. Charles Holt, wife of a farmer near Rodney, committed suicide with rat poison because she was tired of

The men who held up the North Coast limited near Bearmouth, Montana, secured \$65,000 from the Northern Pacific Express Co.'s safe, which they dynamited. The safe was billed through from the coast to Chicage.

### AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending June 25.
TEMPLE THEARER AND WONDERLAND--Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 59.

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## THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

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Detroit—Choice steers, \$5.@5 35; good to choice butcher steers, \$1.000 to 1.200 lbs, \$4 25@4 75; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs, \$4@4 25; mixed butcher's fat cows, \$3@3 50; canners, \$1 25@2; common bulls, \$2.75@3; good shipper's bulls, \$8@3 65; common feeders, \$3.25@3.75; good well-bred feeders, \$3.25@3.75; good well-bred feeders, \$3.000 feeders, \$4.000 fee

Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$5 75 @6 65; poor to medium, \$4 50@5 65; stockers and feeders, \$3@4 75; cows and heifers, \$2@5 45; canners, \$1 75@ 2 75; bulls, \$2 50@4 50; calves, \$2 50@ 5 50; Texas fed steers, \$5@6 50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$4 85@ 5 10; good to choice heavy, \$5.05 75; rough heavy, \$4 80@5; light, \$4 80@5 505; bulk of sales at \$4.95@5 10. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4 75. @5 25; native lambs, \$5@6 50; spring lambs, \$5@7 65.

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East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$6 @6 25; best 1,200 to 1,300 lb shipping steers, \$5 25@5 65; good 1,050 to 1,100 lb butcher steers, \$4 85@5 10; 900 to 1,000 do, \$4 60@4 85; best fat cows, \$3 75@4; fair to good, \$3@2 25; common cows, \$2 50@2 75; best fat heifers if dry fed, \$4 75@5; medium heifers, \$4 @4 10; grass fat heifers, 700 to 800 lbs, \$3@3 25; common stock heifers, \$3; best feeding steers, \$3 75@4 25; fair to good, \$3 25@3 50; best yearling steers, \$3 90@4; fresh cows and springers, \$100 do \$30 0 do \$3

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## Grain, Etc.

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Detroit—Wheat—No. 1 white, \$1 01;
No. 2 red, spot, \$1 01; June, \$1 01; July,
5,000 bu at 904c, 10,000 bu at 90c, 5,000
bu at 89%c, 10,000 bu at 89%c, 10,000
bu at 89%c, 5,000 bu at 86%c, 5,000 bu at
86%c, 5,000 bu at 86%, 5,000 bu at
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86c; No. 3 red, 99c per bu.
Corn—No. 3 mixed, 49c; No. 3 yellow,
1 car at 52c, closing 51%c bid.
Oats—No. 3 white, spot, 2 cars at 45c;
by sample, 1 car at 44c per bu.
Rye—No. 2 spot, nominal at 73c bu.

Chicago—No. 2 spring wheat, 92@95c; No. 3, 85@92; No. 2 red, \$1 01@1 02; No. 2 corn, 48%c; No. 2 vellow, 51@51%c; No. 2 oats, 41%@42c; No. 3 white, 41%@43%c; good feeding barley, 36@44c; fair to choice malting, 44@54c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 01; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 08; prime timothy seed, \$2 95; clover, contract grade, \$10 75.

"Alkali Ike," a noted western character, has turned up at Fort Steele. alive and well and strenuously denies the report recently published that he was dead. Smoke from burning cigars in the

basement of Holtz's cafe, on Broadway, New York, overcame 30 firemen, their eyes paining so intensely that they could not continue work.

A check for \$195,057 04 has been paid to the United States government by the Louisiana Purchase Co., this sum being 40 per cent of the gross gate receipts from the day of the open-

### SOME WEATHER LORE.

Birds and fowls oiling feathers in licate rain.

If fowls roll in the dust or sand, rain is near at hand.

When birds of long flight hang about home, expect a storm.

When birds cease to sing rain and thunder will probably occur. When horses and cattle stretch out

their necks and sniff the air it will rain. If cocks crow late and early clapping their wings occasionally, rain is

expected. Bats flying late in the evening indicate fair weather. Bats who squeak flying tell of rain to-morrow.

Kine, when they assemble at one end of a field with their tails to windward, often indicate rain or wind.

All shepherds agree in saying that before a storm comes sheep become frisky, leap and butt or "box" each other.-Folklore Journal.

Dogs making holes in the ground, eating grass in the morning, or refusing meat, are said to indicate coming rain .- Colonel Dunwoody.

Hogs crying and running unquietly up and down with hay or litter in their mouths foreshadow a storm to be near at hand .- Thomas Willsford.

Horses, as well as other domestic animals, foretell the coming of rain by starting more than ordinary and appearing in other respects restless and uneasy.

Migratory birds fly south from cold and north from warm weather. When a severe cyclone is near, they become. puzzled and fly in circles, dart into the air, and can easily be decoyed .-North Carolina.

### HINTS ABOUT SHOES.

Don't let the heels run down. Never put shoes near the stove.

Never let your shoes get hard and

Never wear galoshes with good shoes.

natent leather until you have warmed it.

There is no misery more distract gallows by committing suicide with ing than a shoe that hurts the foot.

### Prince Pu Lun Is Angry.

St. Louis, Mo., dispatch: Because the sculptor had put only four claws on the hind feet of the sacred dragon that adorns the Chinese building at the world's fair, Prince Pu Lun, representative of the empress, is angry.

### Double Suicide.

Hagerstown, Md., special: William Rust, aged 30, and Gladys Brights, aged 25, committed suicide in Antietam creek by drowning because their troth was opposed.

A lady who was visiting the home of a friend had just given the children a penny each. When the savings bank was produced and the coins were deposited therein, the lady made the remark that the children had a lot of money. "Oh, yes," said little Mary. "Mamma is very good to us. Every time we take our castor oil without crying she gives us a penny." "And what do you do with all the money?" asked the visitor. "Why. Mamma buys some more castor oil with It!"

### Victim of Morphine.

Cleveland, O., dispatch: The body of Edwin Brinkerhoff, 30 years old, was found in bed by the police. In the room were two empty and two full bottles of morphine.



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Murderer Cheats Gallows. Cincinnati, O., special: Julius Meinshock, who killed his sweetheart, Mary Lcu Downey, June 8, has cheated the morphine.

#### Fossil of Brontosaur.

Cheyenne, Wyo., dispatch: W. H. Read, paleontologist of the University of Wyoming, reports the discovery in Carbon county of the fossil re mains of a brontosaur which is the largest ever unearthed.

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### FEMALE WEAKNESS

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PORTLAND, MAINE, Oct. 17, 1902.

I consider Wine of Cardui superior to any dector's medicine I ever used and I know whereof I speak. I suffered for nine months with suppressed menstruation which completely prostrated me. Pains would shoot through my back and sides and I would have blinding headaches. My limbs would swell up and I would feel so weak I could not stand up. I naturally felt discouraged for I seemed to be beyond the help of physicians, but Wine of Cardui came as a God-send to me. I felt a change for the better within a week. After nineteen days treatment I menstruated without suffering the agonies I usually did and soon became regular and without pain. Wine of Cardui is simply wonderful and I wish that all suffering women knew of its good qualities.

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Periodical headaches tell of female weakness. Wine of Cardui cures permanently nineteen out of twenty cases of irregular menses, bearing down pains or any female weakness. If you are discouraged and doctors have failed, that is the best reason in the world you should try Wine of Cardui now. Remember that headaches mean female weakness. Secure a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui today.

## Foreclosure Sale.

Default has been made in a condition of a mortgage dated February 25, A. D. 1898 executed by David Valentine and Julia Valentine as his wife and in her own right and James Valentine (single man) to Sylvia J. Hand, executrix, upon the north half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), town thirteen (13), north range eleven (11) east, containing one hundred and twenty acres of land more or less in Tuscola county, Mich., and recorded March 4, 1898 in the Register of Deeds office in said county of Tuscola in liber 93 page 95, which said mortgage was duly assigned by Sylvia J. Hand, executrix, to Frank Bishop on the 31st day of March, 1903 and recorded in the Register of Deeds office for said county of Tuscola, April 4, 1903 in liber 110 of mortgages on page 113, which said mortgage was again duly assigned by Frank Bishop to Jacob H. Striller on March 25, 1904 and recorded in said Register of Deeds office, April 4, 1904 in liber 94 of mortgages on page 558, on which mortgage there is claimed due at this date \$700 the principal, also \$124.63 interest due and an attorney fee of \$15 in said mortgage mentioned. Said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said premises or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said debt and expenses of sale under the power of sale in said mortgage at public auction at the Court House (front door) in the village of Caro, Michigan, September 27 at one o'clock in the afternoon.

afternoon.
Dated June 21, 1904.
JACOB H. STRIFFLER,
Assigne E. B. LANDON,
Attorney for Assignee.
Business address, Cass City, Mich.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. John Mudge is on the sick list. John Hill was in Elkton last Friday. John Ball was at Kingston Satur-

Mrs. Shagena, who resides south of town, is ill.

S. Champion was in Caseville on ousiness Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Nettleton went to Alpena last Friday.

H. T. Elliott made a business irip to Gagetown Tuesday.

Wm. and Roy Halleck spent Sunday with relatives at Bad Axe.

Mrs. E. F. Hess of Pigeon is visiting at the home of J. Frutchey.

Miss Mary Walker of Argyle is visiting friends in town this week,

Mrs. Wm. Moore of Beauley is critically ill with appendicitis.

N. Karr, the undertaker from Kingston, was in town Monday. John Profit, Sr., is entertaining his brother, James, from Fairgrove.

Mrs. E. A. McGeorge and son, Lewis, spent the first of the week in Detroit Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bodey spent last week with their daughter at Gage-

Wm. Francis of Croswell is the guest of Chas. Patterson, Jr., this at Germfast Friday.

Miss Laura Parent, of Bad Axe, is the guest of friends in town this Thursday and Friday.

week. Leon Castle, of Pontiac, attended Henry and Beardsley spent Sunday the Hansler-Hill wedding on Wed-

nesday. Mrs. Von Troeltsch of Pt. Huron is visiting at the home of M. Matzen | Edna Matzen this week.

Mrs. G. E. Gollwitzer of Saginaw is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. K. M. Morris of Gagetown has been the guest of friends in town day with friends at Caro. part of the week.

Jas. Brooker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heller and son. Carl of Mayville are visiting relatives in town this week.

of Caro were guests at the home of C. to their home last Friday. Dingman Monday.

Miss Minnie Ross of Detroit is visiting Mrs. E. McKim and other friends to her home here last week. in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Blair, of Grant, were guests at the home of J. W. returned home last Friday. Murphy on Thursday.

commencement this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Caldwell and Mr.

and Mrs. A. Hewson visited with relatives at Greenleaf Sunday.

Miss Lida McNair of Flint arrived in town Tuesday evening and will spend some time with friends here. Mayville were the guests of Mrs. N.

Kitchen last Thuasday and Friday. Mrs. S. Lown, who has been visitto Detroit recently to visit friends.

Mrs. John Wheeler, who resides northeast of town, was taken suddenly ill last Monday, but is improving. Rev. M. W. Gifford returned Saturday from Forest, Ont., after spending

a few days at his parental home there. H. C. Howey has entered the carpet and rug weaving business. He will with friends. install up-to-date machinery in a few

Miss Bellow, one of the teachers in guests of friends in town Thursday the high school, went to her home in and Friday. Pt. Sanilac today to spend the sum-

will occupy the pulpit at the Presby- here this week. terian church next Sunday morning

and evening. Myron Hanson of Silverwood will sing "Come Jesus, Redeemer," by spend the summer. Bartlett, next Sunday evening at the

M. E. church. Dr. J. G. Healey of Minden City is in town this week in the absence of and Laech streets. Dr. Treadgold, who is enjoying a brief

vacation at Alpena. Miss Aggie McIntyre, who has taught school near Akron the past the summer vacation. year, has returned to Cass City to

spend the summer. Mr. and Mrs. H. Halleck, of Wadsworth, were the guests of the former's brothers, Roy and Wm. Hal-

reck, of this place, last week.

## CASS CITY MARKETS. Cass City, Mich., June 24, 1904.

Wheat, No. 1 white
Wheat, No. 2 red
Lye, No. 2
White outs No. 3
Choice Handpicked Beans
Cloversee'1
Wool.
Leggs per doz.
Butter Potatoes, new, per bu. 2 Cotatoes, old, per bu..... Beef, live weight. Lambs....Live Veal..... 

ROLLER MILLS. White Lily, per bbl..... 5 70

Pat Gaffney spent last week in De-

Burt Hunt returned from Manchester Saturday.

Jos. Walton of Caro was in town last Friday evening.

Geo. Hopcroft of Gagetown was a caller in town Monday. John Carruthers of Argyle was in

town on business Saturday. Mrs. F. C. Lee and daughter, Leila, spent Sunday with relatives at No-

vesta. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fritz of Caro were the guests of relatives in town

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hill were the guests of relatives at Pinnebog last

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson and children spent Sunday with friends at Ellington last Thursday.

at Argyle. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Predmore returned Monday from a visit with rela-

tives at Lum. Mrs. Karr, who resides northeast of town, spent Sunday with her son, N. Karr at Kingston.

Miss Oreno Schenck returned home from Alma college Tuesday evening to spend her vacation.

Alfred Roblin, who visited relatives here last week, returned to his home

About sixty teachers wrote on the examination which was held here last C. W. McKenzie and the Misses

with friends in Marlette. Miss Irene Arnot of Pt. Huron is

the guest of the Misses Sopha and Misses May Beardsley and Martha

Henry left today for their homes at Ypsilanti and Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick and Mr. and Mrs. G. W Goff spent Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler and family of Argyle spent Sunday at the home of John Zinnecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zinnecker are Elmer Wilsey and Mrs. W. Wilsey the parents of a young son that came

Miss Emma Burg, who has been teaching school at Gilford, returned

Roy and Arthur Gifford, who have been attending college at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hull and Mrs. Miss Vena Hartz of Fairgrove is Burquish of Maple Ridge, are the visiting Miss Ethel Martin during guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. McKim this week. Marc S. Wickware has returned

from the Ferris institute at Big Rapids and will resume his duties at the postoffice. Miss Louise McDonald, who has

been employed in town for some time, Misses Madge and Anna Allen of returned to her home in Beauley Saturday.

Miss Bertha McKenzie, who has been teaching school at Gaylord the ing friends here for some time, went past year, returned to her home here Saturday.

Mrs. C. M. Seeley moved her household goods this week into the rooms Tea served at the usual hour. All are in the upper story of the Etherinton cordially invited.

Austin Hobart of Detroit arrived in town Wednesday to attend the H. Pinney, for several weeks, re-

Mrs. W. A. Forbes and niece, Miss Katie Starkweather, of Caro were the

Mrs. Louis Deming and baby of Lewiston are the guests of Mr. and

Rev. E. H. Bradfield of Brighton Mrs. John Renshler and other friends Miss Hattie Malam, the teacher in who has been attending school at that

the grammar department, left for her place, returned home with them. home at Springport this morning to Work was commenced by Landon,

Eno, & Keating on the new residence schools, will return to her home here of H. T. Elliott at the corner of Pine Saturday for the summer vacation. Misses Leola and Ora Lauderbach

The P. O. & N. will run an excur-

sion to Detroit on Sunday, June 26. The train leaves Cass City at 6:30 a.m. Round trip fare \$1.50. Joseph Read of Du Quesne, Penn.,

arrived in town Saturday and will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Read, east of town. The following letters remain un-

claimed in the post office at Cass City: Mr. J. Stevens, William Coiol, Mrs. Sim Pratt, Jorch Canady. Mrs. F. A. Ellis and children and Miss Isabelle McArthur went to De-

troit Saturday to visit friends. Mr. Ellis went on Thursday preceeding. The morning passenger train on the P. O. & N. now leaves Cass City at

Striffler went to Elkton Thursday to Miss Minnie Deming of this place is attend the Evangelical campmeeting also one of the graduates. which is being held there this week.

7:43 instead of 7:47, a recent change

having been made in the time table.

Freed per cwt. 125 morning for a visit with relatives at cue was found dead in bed Sunday Pratt in the face, breaking his nose Meal per cwt. 125 Lansing. She was accompanied as Bran per cwt. 120 far as Imlay City by Mrs. J. W. Heller. curred Monday afternoon and inter- Wickware was called and dressed his

H. B. Fairweather, of Imlay City, is in town on business.

Miss Irene Tindale spent Sunday with friends at Gagetown.

Mrs. Hugh McDonald, of Gagetown, visited relatives in town Thursday. Miss Kate Lutze is learning the art

of dressmaking with Miss Carrie Rob-Mrs. McPherson, from near Mar-

lette, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Kyes, of Deford, were the guests of friends in town Thursday

Misses Della McKenney and Mary Purdy of Caro are visiting with friends in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Houghton attended the Bradley-Turner wedding

Mrs. Wm. McWebb returned home Wednesday evening after a visit with her son and daughter at Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huff of Oukland county are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young, north of

Mrs. Wm. Harrington and children of North Branch, are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B.

Miss Mabel Anderson will go to Bay City Saturday where she will act as bridesmaid at the wedding of a

Miss Nellie Perkins, who has been attending college at Oberlin, Ohio, has returned to her home here for the summer. Miss Cecil Fritz, who has been

teaching school at Bad Axe, has returned to her home here for the summer vacation. Miss Ethel Leslie returned home from Ubly Sunday, where she has

been employed in a millinery establishment as trimmer. Miss Mima McArthur, who has taught in the high school the past year, has tendered her resignation on

account of poor health. Miss Ella Brown, who has been employed in the home of F. R. Smithson for some time, went to her home at Indian River last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hersey Young left last Saturday for Alpena where Mr. Young will be employed by Frutchey, McGeorge & Co. on their ranch for the summer.

Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Caster and Mrs. Bender of Bay City were guests at the home of D. Schnider the first of the week, returning to their homes Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. A. McKenzie and her nephew, Claud Wheeler, left Wednesday for Capac to attend the commencement exercises of the public schools at that place.

Andrew McDermott, of Douglas, Arizona, arrived in town this week for a month's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermott, and other relatives.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Hugh Seed, Sr., on Wednesday, June 29.

Mrs. Geo. Matzen, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. commencement exercises and visit turned to her home in Seattle, Washington, last Thursday.

Lemuel McConnel purchased the barn belonging to G. A. Stevenson, which stood on his lot on Oak street, Monday, and moved it onto his property on south Seeger street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan and son, Roy, were in Monroe the first of the week. Their daughter, Miss Ella,

Miss Mary Sommerville, who has been employed at Standish in the Kindergarten department of the

We neglected to mention the lawn social held at the home of Rev. and and Minnie Kinnaird returned home Mrs. Soldan last Tuesday evening. A from Alma college Saturday to spend pleasant evening was spent and a sum of fifteen dellars was realized.

> The L. T. L. picnic in O. C. Wood's grove last Saturday afternoon was an enjoyable affair. A large company of boys and girls were in attendance and tractions.

> The advance agent for Lillian Lyons Stock Co. is in town making arrangements for the appearance of the afore mentioned attraction in the Cass City Opera House for one week starting Monday, June 27.

Lee Biddle, who lives one mile east of Novesta, found a tomahawk one day last summer while cultivating corn. The weapon is perhaps a hundred years old and is highly valued by the youngster as a relic. Mrs. H. Wettlaufer went to Mt.

Pleasant Tuesday to visit her daughter, Tena, who is to graduate from Mrs. M. Schwegler and Miss Esther | the Normal at that place this week.

Mrs. J. L. Heller left Thursday Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson of Res- part of the barn broke and struck Mr.

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in large and small cans. Call and see me and get prices. You will find them right.

Thomas Cross, Wickware Building....

ment was made in the Elkland cemetery.

Little Aletha Seed entertained a company of her little friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of her birthday. The mothers of the little ones were also present. A dainty repast was served to the guests and the little ones were each given a nice souvenir.

The horse "Red Fern," owned by A. W. Traver, was so unfortunate as a ball game was one of the main at- to break its leg at Cumber on Monday morning. While travelling along the road it stepped on a large stone in such a manner as to cause the accident. Efforts are being made to save the animal as he is a valuable one.

Miss Mary McPhee, who has been visiting her mother here for some time, left Thursday for Imlay City and today she starts from that place for Colorado in company with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Murdoch McPhee, who is in very poor health, and the trip is made in hopes that she may

While at a barn raising Monday afternoon at the farm of Luther Carroll in Beauley, James Pratt, a gentleman aged 62 years, was injured by being accidentally struck in the face by a The instrument "commander." The three-months old daughter of which was being used in the upper

wounds. Mr. Pratt is not seriously

EFLady's black coat lost between place where dredge is operating east of Cass City and Wickware about ten o'clock Thursday. Finder will please leave at this office.

Red heifer with white spot in forehead, white feet and broken horns strayed from my premises. Please inform John Francis, four miles south and one mile east of Cass City.

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#### SHABBONA.

M. M. Stone was in town on business last Tuesday.

Anna Hanley of Novesta is sewing at W. F. Ehler's this week.

Roswell Raymond spent a few days with friends in Yale last week.

J. D. Allin and wife of Sanilac Centre called on friends in town last week.

Mrs. Hartell and Mrs. Herdell of Argyle visited at A. Lorentzen's Sun-

The Latter Day Saints of this branch visited the Snover Sunday school last

Misses Anna and Celia Lorentzen last Thursday.

Mrs. M. Raymond of Pt. Huron is visiting her sons, William and Roswell Raymond.

While running at play, little Ernie Henry had the misfortune to fall and break his right arm.

Mrs. A. Lorentzen returned Saturday from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Parrott, at Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phetteplace of Sanilac Centre spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents here. --- () -e

#### ELMWOOD.

Warm and dry.

E. F. Stone was in Gagetown Friday.

Chas. Hammond and family were in Caro Saturday.

I. Waidley lost a young colt the first of the week.

Working on the road is in order in this vicinity at present.

W. A. Lockwood and two sons were in Cass City one day last week.

Mr. McConnell of Bay City was through this vicinity on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Huffman entertained friends from Canada and Capac last week.

Miss Eva Webster, who has been visiting near Tuscola, returned home Thursday.

L. Huffman and wife and friends from Canada and Capac spent Sunday at M. R. Eastman's.

Quite a number in this vicinity are working up their corn fields and planting them to beans.

#### KINGSTON.

Mr. Gregor is painting and repairing

Miss Myrtle Maynard is visiting friends here.

Miss Katie Gregor is recovering from measles.

result of a hard cold.

Mrs. Willis Sifleet, of Clifford, was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. McArthur, of Clifford, was a caller in town Saturday.

Miss Martha Curtis, of Marlette, visited Mrs. Cooley over Sunday.

Mrs. Hicks and Miss Upper, of Lamotte, spent Sunday with friends

The A. C. F. served a tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cooley Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ida Akins and Miss Flossie The Sisters of Help met with the Alward have gone to Pontiac to spend the summer.

> Mrs. Ida Millikin and Jack Beckman, of Silverwood, visited friends in town Sunday.

> Mabel Ryckman returned to Detroit last week after a short visit at her parental home here.

> The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. L. Townsend, who has been very ill, is reported much better.

> The M. E. Ladies' Aid served ice cream at the town hall Saturday afternoon and evening.

> The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Ruggles at her home in Marlette Wednesday.

> Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Thompson and son visited the latter's sister, Mrs. D. Ross, one day last week.

> Edgar Pelton, who recently came home from Kansas, has gone to Vassar to cook in a hotel there.

> A temperance rally at the M. E. church Tuesday evening. Mr. Corbet spoke and Rev. Lohnes sang.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ryckman, of Shabbona, are guests at the home of the former's uncle, John Ryckman.

The Epworth League held a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pattan, two miles west of town, last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Julia Coltson, the delegate to the L. O. T. M. M. convention at Battle Creek, gave her report at the meeting of the hive Saturday.

Leo Challis is able to attend to his duties at the depot again after a severe sickness from vaccination. G. C. Veit supplied at the depot during Mr. Challis' illness.

Mrs. F. A. Francis entertained fourteen young ladies on Mr. Vorheis' flats north of town last Wednesday in honor of Miss Lulu Mitchell of Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Francis is a lovely hostess and the day was one of greatest pleasure to all.

The base ball game between Cass City and Kingston played here last Friday evening was a very interesting time.

John G. Veit is in poor health, the and exciting one, but in the end a disappointing game as it was called off at the close of the first half of the ninth inning. At the close of the eighth the score was 4 to 5 in favor of Kingston. There was some little dispute at the close of the first half of the ninth and the game ended. Too bad we can't all see alike.

The funeral service of Mrs. Alex Everett was held from the M. E. church last Tuesday, Rev. Wallace, pastor of the church, officiating. Mrs. Everett has been in poor health for some time, but after having the measles last winter she never gained ber usual strength. Her married life was short, but very happy. She was thirty years and eleven days old and possessed a disposition that everyone admired. Her friends are very numerous and they extend deepest sympathy to the husband and little daughter.

#### DEFORD.

D. Croop was in Flint Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. E. Lewis and daughter, Gladys, are visiting in Dryden and Imlay City.

Mrs. A. Honeshelt and son, Lysle, returned to their home in Dryden Wednesday.

A. L. Bruce returned home from Williamston, West Virginia, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Noble returned home on Tuesday from their trip to Denver, Colorado.

The L. A. S. gave an ice cream social in D. Croop's hall Wednesday evening. Proceeds \$11.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Clark of Wilmot and Everett and Miss Lottie Moyer of Kingston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts Sunday.

#### -a- () -a PINGREE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig, a girl.

Good weather for the farmers at present.

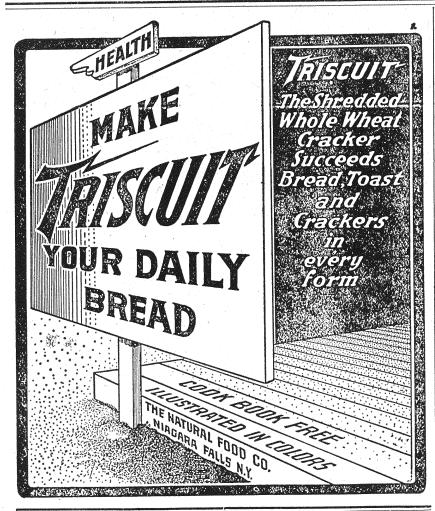
Frank Chambers of Srginaw is home a few days for a visit.

Mrs. Fred Brackenbury of Canboro is visiting friends in Pingree at pres-

Frank McGregory, who recently met with an accident at Thomas Agar's barn raising, is improving.

Parties owning dogs in this locality are reminded of the fact of the danger against the sheep and other stock as lately frequent packs are becoming a nuisance.

The Withey school closed June 15 for this term. An interesting ball game between the Wentworth and Collins fractions closed the exercises, the score being 27 to 36 in favor of the Wentworth team. All report a good



David McQueen are pleased to hear

Mrs. Dorman and Mrs. Henry of

sembled at his home Friday afternoon

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WEST GREENLEAF.

Road work is the order of the day.

Andy Barnes of Wisconsin is visit-

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bardwell visit

Harry LePla has returned home

after residing three years in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Sarah LePla is visiting her

daughter, Mrs. Sim Bardwell at pres-

The many friends of Miss Mina

Hartwick extend their hearty con-

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NORTH NOVESTA.

Bean planting is about finished for

Mrs. A. McKay of Vestaburg is vis-

tsng her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Bart-

Miss Minnie Briggs has returned

after an extended visit with her

by Miss Keating will have a basket

M. H. Quick, A. A. Livingston,

Robert Brown and Mr. Retherford

picnic on June 28.

ing relatives in this vicinity.

ed friends in Novesta Sunday.

Improvement came at once

in honor of his eleventh birthday.

friends in this vicinity last week.

that he is improving.

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## HAY CREEK.

Mrs. Geo. McKee is improving. Mrs. Geo. Herron and family of Al-

pena are visiting Rev. A. Stambaugh. Will and Allen Marshall transacted business in Argyle Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Grace of Alpena the Republican county convention. are visiting Mr. Grace's parents at

present. Mrs. Sansburn and daughter, Ziza, of Wickware visited at Henry Davis'

are writing on teachers' examination this week.

AKRON.

Mary Jansen left for Detroit Saturday morning where she will spend the

Misses Flossie and Bessie Preston of Detroit visited friends and relatives here over Sunday.

Geo. Hudson, the principal of the Akron Public School, returned to Portland Saturday. Mrs. D. McArthur and daughters,

Lucretia and Gladys, are visiting relatives in Kingston and East Dayton. The seven-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Francis died last Sunday morning. The funeral was held in the Presbyterian church and the interment was made in the Demorest cemetery. Elder Nichols officiated.

CUMBER.

Martin Miller was in Ubly Saturday. Will Lapeer made a business trip to Ubly Saturday.

Peter Schwartz and sister called in Ubly Saturday.

Lydia Clark returned home from Ubly Friday evening.

Fred Neville left Monday morning to take up his employment in Ubly.

H. H. Schiestel purchased a new horserake of Tom Richardson of Ubly. Henry Clark and wife and son, Sherman, left Saturday for Yale to visit relatives.

Geo. Hiller has finished boarding The many friends and neighbors of his house and expects to paint it in the near future. Miss Minnie Meredith of Argyle is Wm. Loney is busy putting a cement

visiting friends and relatives in this wall under his barn. Geo. Mack vicinity this week. Mrs. Chas. Russell of Harbor Beach is visiting at her parental home east

Cass City called on a few of their of town this week. Mrs. John McPhail and daughter, A meteor was seen passing over Mildred, of Argyle attended services this vicinity from southwest to north-

in the F. M. church Sunday evening. east Saturday evening. It is reported that Robert Gray has Miss Murl McMillan returned to sold his farm, one mile north and one her home in West Bay City Saturday mile east of town, and he has left for after spending two week's vacation

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH About twenty of the schoolmates and friends of Arnot Marshall as-THAT CONTAIN MERCURY,

sembled at his home Friday afternoon in honor of his eleventh birthday.

There will be no services in the F.

M. church Sunday morning or evening on account of the campmeeting on prescriptions from reputable physical desired by Suffine Supported by Clark that the village attorney examine the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used excepting on account of the campmeeting on prescriptions from reputable physical desired by Clark that the village attorney examine the village attorne as mercury will surely destroy the Everybody Notices and Comments on ing on account of the campmeeting which is being held northeast of Ubly.

In the How to Have Pure Blood.

In the How to Have derive from them. Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney Those who will persist in closing & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous ommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had because of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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constipation.

## WILMOT.

B. Coan has gone to Kingston. D. Croop of Deford was in town on

business Monday. Mrs. Phoebe Ferguson of Novesta

was in town Monday. C. D. Striffler of Cass City was in

town Monday on business. Mrs Pierce has gone to work for

John Shaw on the Peters farm west of Kingston. Mrs. John Teskey has returned

home from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fenner, at Akron. Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich and daugh-

ter of Tuscola have returned home after visiting their many friends here. A temperance rally was held in the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, June 22. The chief speaker was Mr. Corbitt of Adrian. A goodly number

were present. M. E. church Tuesday forenoon. The the funeral and the remains were intered in the Kingston cemetery.

## EAST DAYTON.

this year. This is fine weather for corn but their son, James, near Cass City the the meadow lands are drying up.

past few days. The married and single men played Mrs. Lee of Cass City was a caller at D. McLarty's on the 19th.

Mrs. Bartlett is still improving of the married men. slowly from her very low state of Mrs. C. O. Blinn and Mrs. A. Williams of Marlette visited friends here the first of the week. Dan Cole and wife of southeast No-

Miss Mildred Allen of Owosso is resta attended the Children's Day spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. Archie Crittenden. exercises at the brick church on the

Mary A., the nine-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Crittenden, died at Harper's hospital in Detroit, June 19. She endured an operation for spinal trouble. The remains were brought here on Monday day and the funeral services were held

The school of district No. 3, taught | cemetery here. Rev. Powell officiated. REVOLUTION IMMINENT.

#### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich. June 20, 1904.

Regular meeting of the Council called to order by the President. The following trustees were present: Campbell, Bigelow, Striffler and Clark. Minutes of previous meeting read

and approved. The following bills were read and eferred to committee on claims and

accounts: 

Committee reported favorably on all bills as read excepting bill of W. J. Moore for extension bell.

Moved by Strifller supported by Clark that the report of the committee be accepted and orders drawn for the several amounts. Carried.

The president then called Mr. Campbell to take the chair.

Liquor dealer's bond of Anthony Doerr was read with Anthony Doerr as principal and Amuel Frutchey and 'Archibald A. Hitchcock as sureties in the sum of \$5,000.

Moved by Clark supported by Striffler that the bond be accepted. Yeas -Clark, Striffler. Nays-Bigelow.

Application of A. A. P. McDowell for water supply in Etherinton building was read. Moved by Striffler supported by Bigelow that application be granted.

Committee on streets and sidewalks recommended that instead of cement walk being built on north side of Main street between Seeger and Oak streets, cement walk be built on south side of Main street from Seeger street to Oak street.

Moved by Bigelow supported by Striffler that the recommendation of the committee be adopted. Carried. Moved by Striffler, supported by

Bigelow, that Angus McGillvray be appointed poundmaster. Carried. Moved by Striffler supported by

Hall's Catarrh elow that the village attorney effect a settlement with Mr. J. H. Davis for water supplied to street sprinkler.

> Moved by Striffler supported by Clark that H. L. McDermott, W. J. Campbell, N. Bigelow, J. D. Crosby, and E. H. Pinney be appointed a committee with power to act, to confer with George Nettleton in regard to a survey of Cass River for estimate on

cost of dam for water power. Carried. Moved by Bigelow supported by Striffler that E. B. Landon, village attorney, be added to above committee. Carried.

accepted. Carried.

ways and means. Carried. Moved by Striffler supported by Bigelow that the poundmaster's bond be fixed at \$100. Carried.

Bigelow council adjourned.

C. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

## NEW LODGE ORGANIZED.

Echo chapter of the Order of the known as Silvernail, was held in the Lapeer. A number from the Ubly day, there was some dispute in regard chapter were present and assisted in to scoring a run made by the former. deceased was over seventy years old. the ceremonies of initiation. The The Cass City boys are confident that N. Karr of Kingston had charge of charter was closed with thirty mem- they were in the right and claim the bers and the following officers were game by a 6 to 5 score. chosen for the ensuing term: Worthy matron, Dora N. Fritz; worthy patron, did the twirling for the senior lits in Chas. H. Travis; associate matron, a game of ball with the senior engin-Mr. and Mrs. Mat Watters visited Ellen Landon; Conductress, Mae L. eers at Ann Arbor Monday. The Landon: associate conductress, Aura former nine won the game at a score E. Schenck; secretary, Alice A. Mc-Kenzie; treasurer, Martha Wilson: a game of base ball Saturday which resulted in a score of 22 to 8 in favor Jessie Travis; Buth, Clara M. Seeley: Jessie Travis; Ruth, Clara M. Seeley; Esther, Anna M. Hays; Martha, Lillian Wood; Electa, Ella Wickware; warden, Sarah J. Caldwell; sentinel. D. J. Landon; marshall, H. L. Mc-

## YOUNG MAN DROWNED.

The people of Caro were appalled City before. Sunday morning when the news spread of the finding of the body of Burton Sayles in the Cass river. The young at the home on Tuesday afternoon and man was last seen Saturday night by the remains were laid to rest in the several of his friends, and when he did not return home a midnight search was instituted and continued the reand serious trouble in your system daylight the searchers were rewarded is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will moved his coat and collar and apparwere chosen as delegates to attend the Republican county convention. the Republican county convention.

The Children's Day program of the Children's Day program of the Children's Cowels, stimulate the Liver and clarify the blood. Run down systems ben-The Children's Day program of the Church of Christ was a success in every way. The church was nicely every way. The church was nicely every way are nicely the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searchsunday.

Misses Etta Lord and Rubie Gracie re writing on teachers' examination his week.

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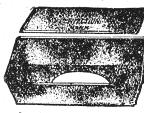


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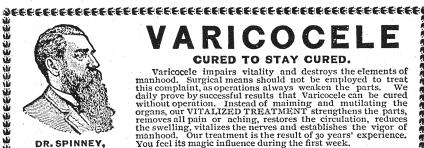
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## BASE BALL NOTES.

The return game between Cass City Moved by Striffler supported by and the Lacey Shoe Co. of Caro was Bigelow that the assessment roll of played here Tuesday afternoon and a the village as handed in by assessor be large crowd witnessed the game. The contest was an interesting one, al-Moved by Striffler supported by though the spectators foresaw Cass Bigelow that the amount of tax to be City's victory after the first two inraised be referred to committee on nings. Duncanson, Cass City's high school pitcher, played one of his best at the home of Mrs. E. Sansburn on games. McLachlan, the twirler for Friday. the shoe men, was the mainstay of Caro team and received poor support. On motion of Striffler supported by The score by innings is as follows:

In the ninth inning of the game be-Eastern Star was organized here last tween the local high school team and The funeral of Mrs. McLean, better Thursday evening by W. E. Brown of the Kingston nine at that place Fri-

John Brumm, formerly of Cass City,

of 24 to 11. The high school nine will cross bats

with Kingston at Novesta July 4.

## LILLIAN LYONS STOCK COMPANY.

The Lillian Lyons Stock company pens a week's engagement at the J. L. H. opera house next Monday evening. This company needs no special mention as they have appeared in Cass

The Marlette Leader of June 10,

The Lillian Lyons Stock Co. at the opera house all the week giving the theatre going people of the village the best attractions that has ever been offered in the house. The rendition of "In the Shadow of the Cross" A sure sign of approaching revolt mainder of the night. Shortly after Monday evening was certainly fine and has been pronounced as the equal, if not better than anything we have ever heard before. "In Dixie's Land" was was given Tuesday night and "Lights of

ever had together, an good, clean pole, well up in their lines. Some fine specialities are introduced and the whole gives a very pleasing enter
Life Pills for Dyspepsia. Dizzines, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at L. I. Wood & Co's. Drug Store.

WICKWARE.

Mrs. Wm. Foe made a trip to Cass City Friday. A. W. Traver, of Cass City, was in

Corn planting is nearly completed.

town Monday. Joseph Alexander, of Sanilac Cen-

tre, passed through town Sunday. John Murphy, of Cass City, visited

NOVESTA.

John McCaughna is entertaining his father from Bancroft.

Dr. Howell and family visited at Mrs. Anna Handley's Sunday. The farmers in this vicinity have nearly completed planting beans.

Alf Gowan and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a young daughter at their home. Warren Mason and wife were the

guests of Mrs. Anna Handley the latter part of last week. The graphopolne at J. D. Mc-Caughna's store is very interesting

and plays some very nice pieces.

ARGYLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Little were in Cass City on Monday.

Sebastian Kuhnaman transacted business in Gagetown on Saturday. Mr. Mattison and daughter, Emma,

Joe McCarty and Jake Freiburger were in Austin putting up eavetroughs last week. Peter McNaughton and wife, of

visited in Caro a few days this week.

Carsonville, were the guests of relatives here Sunday. Mr. Beagle accompanied Mrs. Bea-

gle to Ann Arbor where she will undergo an operation.

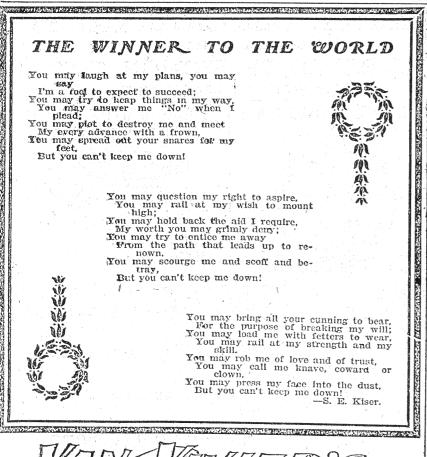
Harmon Behr was married last Fuesday at Marlette to Miss Fisher of that place. Congratulations. Mr. Nash, state agent of the International Harvesting Machine company, of Bad Axe, transacted business

Quarterly meeting will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday evening. Rev. Otto Dreys, of Sanilac Centre, will officiate.

in town Friday.

## A COSTLY MISTAKE.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia. Dizziness,



BY DOROTHY DIX

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poltroon enough to settle down and

more than enough for us both."

Then he had tried to explain to her,

something that is dearer to man than

even the love of woman-that some-

thing which he must have, or die of

And in the end Madge "saw." The

sympathy that always understood

others was part of her charm, and

Philip went away to face that un-

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self-loathing-his own self-respect.

ben a terrible scene.

Existence, as Philip Van Vivier | a face as white as death, "and I'm not planned it, was to be a very pleasant affair. He had youth and health, and wealth, and he pictured the future a gay kaleidoscopic minglings of golf, and polo ponies, and grand opera, and little suppers after the play, and London seasons and Parisian boulevards, and it really seemed to him-when he stopped to moralize—that this was a pretty good old world after all, and that given these things and a good digestion a man might be happy if he Then, too, to crown it all there was

Madge. Madge, tall and slight, and svelt, with the tawny gold in her hair, and the eyes that changed with every changing thought—that were as blue as summer skies when she smiled, and grew black as midnight when she thrilled to any deep emotion. Philip could hardly remember a time grown up, boy and girl, together, with something singularly similar in their fate. Both were orphaned children, left to the untender care of unwilling relatives, and Philip never forgot the moment of their meeting. His uncle's place adjoined that of Madge's guardian, and he had been wandering about the grounds, a forlorn and lonely childish figure, when he first came upon the little mald. She gave one long look at his somber face and mourning clothes, and then, with that swift and intuitive sympathy that God gives to even the youngest child, she went up to him.

"Little boy," she lisped, for she was scarcely more than a baby, "little boy, is 'oo lonesome, and doesn't nobody

"No," he had answered with a sob from the depths of his hungry little

"Don't c'y, little boy," she comforted, slipping her hand in his, "I 'ill love 'oo, and 'oo won't never be lonesome any more," and, indeed, it seemed to Philip he had never been lonesome again. There was always

But who may count securely on the Euture? Move the kaleidoscope ever so gently and its figures change. There came a day when Philip had to do, not with visions of a golden future, but with a hard and merciless pres-Suddenly, as an unexpected



ing to find himself that most pitiable who needs money, and knows no way of earning it. He had taken the blow standing, with a smile on his lips, like how deep the hurt went none knew.

"Pleasant prospect," was his sole comment with a shrug of his shoulders to those who would have condoled with him on his loss, "a beer Income, with a champagne taste. Do you happen to know the best way of adjusting them?"

He might meet the situation with laughter and scotling so far as others were concerned, but when it came to Madge it was another thing, "I can't ask her to marry a beggar," he said and together they started towards the house, treading the narrow ledge, whose outer edge was death. A single push of the crazed woman's feeble hand and mutilation waited for them below, but there was not a tremble in the man's voice as he asked: "And what do you think of the new

she arose and put her hand within it

tenor this winter at the opera?" In the street below the crowd stood silent, tense with excitement, until they saw Philip hand the woman, still with courtly grace, through the door in the roof, and then it broke into tumultuous cheering.

As for Philip, his one thought was to get to the office. He realized the value of the story. The secret of the darkened mansion. The closed blinds. The beautiful woman, with her wild, mad eyes-it was full of color, it was picturesque. Besides it was a scoop.

There is, perhaps, no other joy in life equal to that which the young writer reads his own productions in type, and Philip's first conscious act the next morning was to reach for the paper. He had expected his story to be given some prominent place; perhaps to be featured. To his dismay it was not even printed. How long he might have stared at the paper in bewilderment he never knew, but that two letters caught his eyes, as they lay upon his table. One was from the city editor of the Asterisk, and he pounced upon it for an explanation.

"Dear Van Vivier," he read, "sorry, but your scoop was scooped. The distressed damsel you rescued is old La Roux's daughter, and La Roux, as you appear not to know, is the heaviest stockholder in the Asterisk. Naturally he wanted your story killed. Virtue is rewarded, however. He suggests you for night editor in place of Carson, who has resigned. Report for duty to-night."

The other letter was from Madge

live on her money," and there had "Dear Philip-I have heard of your "Oh, Philip," she had cried, rescue of poor Fannie La Roux. How clinging to him, "what good is all could you be such a hero, and such my money to me if I can't make a goose as to take such a risk. You things easy for you? Surely there is need a guardian, sir, and I am going to marry you to take care of you, on this day one month. You can't refuse blunderingly, and haltingly, that a lady, you know. Yours, Madge."

Philip read the letter twice, and then he bowed his head on the table, and when he raised it his eyes were dim and tender.

### SHOULD BE CLEAN-SHAVEN.

Writer Says Ideal Man Wears No Hair on His Face.

A recent writer says: "The ideal exposes to the world his features undisguised by hirsute appendages. Can we conceive the Apollo Belvedere with even a mustache? I doubt it. A merely honest man also, one would think, should wear no hair upon his face. And for these reasons: Each of us in great measure, partly from exaggerated ideas of his own perspicacity, partly from the stress of life. judges his neighbor from his face. His clothes are but a doubtful index of his character. But his features are, we firmly believe, indicative of his nature and his mode of life. "There may be villany written large on his upper lip. A certain mold of chin betrays its owner as a man of considerable homicide tendencies. Cover the lips with a waterfall mustache, drape the chin with an Assyrian beard, and it may well be that murderous monster is a pleasing enough fellow to view. Such an one

us present in all candor such features as are his. "To possess a receding chin is no crime. It is merely a sign of weakness. But to conceal it with a huge and bushy beard and thereby to present the appearance of a man endowed with great strength of will is surely a false pretense. I do not maintain that all beared men are rogues and murderers. But I reserve my judgment and suspect them of roguery and

does not venture to pass clean-shaven

through the streets. Let each one of

homicide." The Life of the Cell.

It is no extravagance and no mere figure of speech to say that cells move about with apparent purpose, that they feel, that they suffer and enjoy, that they absorb and assimilate food, fences. In order that his horses should that they live, love, marry, propagate, and die. And we can say with as a number of long laths wired to the much truth that they think. But of this last mentioned function it will be well to defer discussion until a subsequent time.

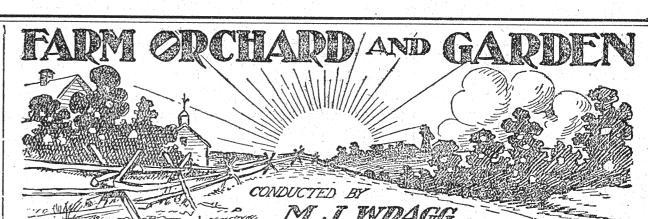
The cell, therefore, does all that the man does, has all that the man has, and possesses, within its tiny compass, heart, vein, muscle, nerve, artery, skin, bone, cartilage and what not of the future organism of the composition of which it forms one of the ultimate constituent parts.-Michael A. Lane, in National Magazine.

## Wanted-A Pin.

church and she was rather fidgety. First she wanted one thing, then another. Finally she decided that she must have a pin, so she asked for asks if he may use preservatives to one from her father. He had none. Then she tried her mother; but her ping to the city. Preservatives cannot mother, too, had none. Mabel's longing had been increased with her ill lowa, as it is prohibited by law, and it success, so she climbed upon the pew is very fortunate that we have such a and shouted at the top of her small law, as preservatives are poisonous

"Has anyone in dis trowd dot a pin?"-Lippincott's.

Recipe for Longevity. New York divine, celebrated his eightieth birthday quite recently. "I have never been sick a day in my life," love a greater variety of feed, than says Dr. Collyer, "and I have never they usually get; but sheep especially eaten my breakfast in bed. What is are fond of change and variety, even my recipe for longevity? Live a nat unto apparent fickleness. The more



[Mr. Wragg invites contributions of any new ideas that readers of this department may wish to present, and would be pleased to answer correspondents desiring information on subjects discussed. Address M. J. Wragg, Waukee, Iowa.]

#### THE SCIENCE OF BREEDING.

The man who has proved himself a successful breeder is of inestimable value in the realm of stockdom and to him honor is truly due. There are many engaged in breeding stock and many have been more or less successful, but how many can we point out as masters of their art. Unfortunately they are few. There are many prominent breeders who own prize winning herds but in how many cases are the animals in their possession the result of their success as breeders. A great number of men in the business are more deserving of the name speculators than breeders.

It requires clear insight into the laws relating to breeding, and this in turn demands considerable experience before the height of success can be reached. There are so many influences having a bearing more or less direct on the laws of breeding and of some of the laws so little is known, that he who would be successful must be a close student. The most prevalent cause of failure is that many of those engaged in the work fail to comprehend its intricacy.

It may be that a herd of cattle is deficient in some particular point and the owner in his endeavor to rectify this weakness secures a sire that is strong in that particular but at the same time he overlooks some weakness in the sire that may be even more objectionable than the one he endeavors to remedy, and as a result finds himself in a serious predicament. This will illustrate one of the pitfalls into which the unwary may fall and points out one of the difman is clean-shaven. Confidently he ficulties which will continually present themselves. It is impossible to get a perfect sire and the intending purchaser must reason out for himself whether or not his herd will be improved by the use of a certain ani

mal. The breeder must have in his mind some definite ideal which he is endeavoring to reach and without such an ideal in his mind little headway is likely to be made. A sire should be selected not only because he is a good individual, but because of the value he will be to that particular herd in which he is to be used. Supposing there are two animals to choose from. The first may, in the show ring, win over the second, but for use in a certain herd the second may be of much more value than the first. As an explanation of this, the first may be deficient in a certain point in which many of the herd are likewise deficient and the use of such a sire would tend to fix the existing evil more firmly and render improvement more difficult.

Let the breeder never be satisfied with his present attainments, but strive for something better. Let his watchword be improvement and though he may have reached a certain ideal in which he had in mind as a beginner, let him set up another standard. Only the progressive can hope for permanent success and we are in duty bound to strive for something better than present attainment and to give the world the best we

Not long since it was my good fortune to visit a farmer in an adjoining county. He kept a great many horses and had nothing but barbed wire know where wire fences were he had top wire of the fence, which had been whitewashed. Horses could see these readily and would not run into the

The farm is the place to look for quiet, health and peace. It is the refuge place from care and turmoil incident to town and city life.

A hen that lays an average of an egg every other day is a moderately good layer and will pay a good profit, but hundreds of breeders are making their fowls do much better than his. It was Mabel's first appearance at What is worth doing at all is worth doing well.

> A subscriber who is a milk vender keep his milk from souring while shipbe used in the states of Minensota and and dangerous in the hands of careless people, and when their use is permitted they too often become a means in the hands of the slovenly milk dealer of taking the place of cleanliness in

Sheep, as well as other live stock, walk on the sunny side of the street." and bifter weeds they will consume.

#### CITY AND COUNTRY.

We frequently hear about the "slavery of farm life." True, farming if properly attended to often means hard work, and on some days long hours; but if rightly and successfully managed it cannot be otherwise than a labor of love, requiring the use of brains, of thought and study. The right kind of farmer masters the soil with his head more than with his hands. The city merchant, the store clerk, the city laborer generally-and this includes physicians, teachers, professionals, and often millionaires-all have far greater reason to talk about the "slavery of city life" than the modern farmer, who has no boss, is not kept imprisoned for ten or twelve hours a day in a dingy room, and whose whole life is the most satisfactory combination of congenial work, both of brain and hand, with perfection independence, and the purest of life's pleasures and blessings, has no reason to talk about the "slavery of farm life." Let us appreciate our advantages and make the most of our opportunities, rather than indulge in such slurs on our occupation as that which is expressed in the absurd phrase "slavery of farm life."

It is well to remember that a model udder is usually an indication of a good cow; however, an ideal udder or an extremely large udder is occasionally found attached to a very ordinary cow. A well-balanced udder with wellplaced teats is as good an indication as abnormál size, as size does not always indicate quality. As a cow ages her udder usually becomes longer, even though she gives no more milk than formerly, hence the age of the cow should be considered when giving credit to the size of her udder. We also remember that the udder neither indicates quality of milk nor persistency in milking.

## STIMULATING MELONS.

In the northern limits of melon culture it is desirable to so stimulate the plants that they will produce fruit as early as possible and this may be done by constantly feeding the plants during the whole season. Nitrate of soda, where it can be got, is a good stimulant, and while it is a pretty costly way to supply the plants with nitrogen it pays with as valuable a crop as melons. Stable manure spread over the surface of the soil and worked in is good, and is is hardly possible to overdo this kind of fertilization, especially if the plants can be watered freely.

In cultivating melons of any kind do not disturb the vines more than is absolutely necessary, as to do so retards growth and makes them produce smaller and later melons.

Attractive and convenient farm homes are rapidly becoming more common, and afford a pleasing contract with those when log houses, log schoolhouses and rail fences were common sights.

As between spring and fall planting of trees there is doubtless more in the circumstances than in the season. A good tree well taken up and well planted will do equally well at either time of the year. But transplanting is an unantural process and is a check to the growth of the tree or plant, which, until growth is fully re-established, is under unfavorable conditions, and the less exposure while these conditions remain the better.

We used to let the hogs run until they were a year old and older, and then fatten them. We have learned a better way and so have most feeders. Nobody feeds hogs that way now.

When you wish to "break up" a sitting hen, don't pull her tail feathers all out and duck her in water, but confine her in good quarters without nests and properly feed and water her. The thing you should aim at is to put your hens in laying order again as soon as possible.

The whole mission of the steer is to convert feed into beef, and the quicker he converts a given amount of feed into beef the more pounds of beef he will get for the food consumed. Keerthe animal busy every day at its proper work, from birth to sale day.

The farmer who takes into consider ation the keeping up of the fertility of his soil will aim to produce crops to feed at home and keep such stock as he can feed and do it well. The taking of crops off the farm without planning to recuperate the soil is a bad practice.

If we are going to make any money in raising and feeding cattle, we must eliminate a year or more of time from the process of making a prime beef It can be done.

H. C. James of Dolan asks where the Alderney cattle originated. Aldernev is a term erroneously applied to the Jersey and Guernsey breed of cattle, which originated in the Jersey and Guerngey islands,

### ATTEND THE DAIRY SCHOOL

This is the time of year when a great many butter makers are compelled to decide whether they will attend a term of the dairy school or put it off until next year. There are many who desire to go, but cannot arrange to do so on account of the finance question or inability to secure a man to operate their creamery during their absence, while there are others who are eligible to neither excuse and who are sorely in need of the instruction to be obtained at the school. A man who is operating a creamery in this day and age is working at a great disadvantage if he does not possess a dairy school education.

The question has been discussed considerable as to whether Angora goats or sheep are the more profitable. It is idle to discuss this question, as the profit from one or the other of tnese will depend almost entirely on the conditions under which they are kept. When much brush is to be consumed, the goats will be found to answer the purpose much the better of the two. On the other hand, M grass pasture is to be grazed, sheep will be found more profitable than goats. The great matter in choosing the animals is to choose them with a view to the fitness for the place which they are intended to fill.

September 27 will be apple day at the World's Fair. Every man, woman or child who attends the exposition on that day will be made a present of three or four of Missouri's best, "the big red apple." It is to be hoped, however, that they will not be Ben Davis.

We have become so accustomed to planting young tres that we seldom think of planting tree-seeds Gardener's Magazine (England) says: "The best way to rebeautify barren and uncultivated lands is to sow tree seed broadcast, and leave nature to do the task of thining out the worthless ones. Seedlings will adapt themselves to rough places better than transplanted small trees. The poplar, the willow, the ash and the sycamore are especially recommended, and of these the last two are of the greatest economic value, because of their suitability for timber, which is here used as supports in coal mines." In this country other kinds of trees that can be grown from seeds may be more desirable, particularly the nut-bearing trees.

Some of the advantages of having some of the mares drop their colts in the fall is that the team need not be so badly broken in the spring, or the mares subject to too severe exertion. The colts can be weaned on grass and so suffer the least from the change of food, and are out of the way when the mares go to the field. As the mare usually does not have to work so hard during the winter she can better suckle her colt.

Farm animals are the machinery which the farmer must use for converting the farm products into animal products of greater value. To run the machinery economically it must be continually supplied with all the raw material that it can use.

Plank boards for horse stalls are not a good investment. They wear out too quickly. Cement floors properly made with the proper slope are preferable. These floors should be made a little rough so as to hold the bedding. If you are planning to put a new floor in your horse barn during the coming season, be sure and talk with those who have used cement floors for their horses and listen to what they have to say in favor of such floors as compared with those constructed of planks, and you will soon be convinced of their value.

The problem of agriculture are the hardest that any line of business has to grapple with. No wonder people leave farms and hunt softer places. There is no true reward anywhere without hard work, and the best and greatest reward for intelligent industry is to be found on the farm.

The farmer who has confined his efforts to two or three staple crops does not know how his farm would respond to some one or more special crops. This is a day of specialties and many men can make a success growing some special crop who are not now making a good living growing some of the staple crops. The way to start on some special crop is to start with a small area and gradually branch out to larger operations. I have in mind a farmer who made a failure of growing staple crops and afterwards made a pronounced success in growing broom corn. Another did

Trees in the orchard that have not made much growth should not be manured. Keep every tree growing. An old orchard that is past its prime can be set to work again by manure and fertilizers freely used.

the same with popcorn.



was invested, and he awoke one morn of all creatures on earth—the man the thoroughbred he was, and just

to himself, setting his teeth, and with they had been on the ballroom floor,

ural to him to turn to journalism as the most available way of settling the bread and butter problem. A friend

ed himself by some clever skits in the college journal, and so it seemed natobtained a place for him on the staff of the morning Asterisk, where he began as the bottom of the reportorial ladder.

"And what do you think of the new

tenor?"

known world of work that is so hard,

and gives such scant rewards to the

At college he had rather distinguish-

untried laborer.

Philip kept doggedly on. He ac quired a reputation for being faithful and accurate. He was a gourmand for work, and the city editor began to speak hopefully of him, but advancement comes slowly in a newspaper office, and to Philip, Madge seemed an immeasurable distance off, when suddenly he made his great scoop. It was the merest accident-successes mostly are—if we knew the truth of them. One evening he was walking along one of the fashionable residence streets, when suddenly he was startled by a scream, and looking up he saw a woman with the wild eyes and cunning of a maniac sitting on the very outer coping of the walls of a tall house, where she waved her arms gleefully, and leaned dizzily forward to peer into the street below. In an instant all the mystery of the drawn blinds and jealously guarded doors of the mansion, at which many had marveled, was revealed. Here was one of those family tragedies, at which the world guesses-some poor crazed creature. living out her life within padded walls, and who had escaped from her keepers, and with that instinct of flight from a prison that survives all reason, was preparing to take a fatal leap into the street

It had taken Philip but an instant to realize the scene, and with a sudden inspiration he dashed past the servant in the doorway, and up the three long flights of steps, and through the open door in the roof, through which she had evidently climbed. The woman looked up at the sound of an approaching step. She saw a handsome young man coming toward her. When he reached her he made a courtly bow and offered her his arm, and without one protest, mechanically, naturally, as if

below.

Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer, the famous preserving milk.

ural life, eat what you want and good grass they eat the more noxious

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued. "I warn you that your act, even if you accomplish your purpose, will do more injury to the cause of Russian liberty than any decree of the autocrat, however severe, could accomplish. Educate the people-

"Bah! I have no patience with the ories and theorists. This is no revolulionary kindergarten. We are men and women imperiling our lives in this novement, and I tell you that success can only be won by blood, by blood!"

A murmur-"Ay, that's the talk! Blood! blood! blood!" showed that the sentiments of the majority were in favor of the one who had last spoken. There is no precedent in history

to prove that a people's wrongs were ighted by assassination," began the erst speaker. "You know, Oraminiky, that history-'

"History be damned-and precedents, too. We are here to make history-to establish a precedent if need be. No! no! Let the timid withdraw f they will. I, for one, will carry through our plan. What! Act as weaklings after all these years of waiting, after all these months of preparation, after all these weeks of work in silence and in secret to overhrow the tyrant! Never! by the God of the people of Holy Russia, never, never, never!"

Loris Oraminsky, the man who had last spoken, turned to those around him as he uttered the last words of his impassioned speech. He looked every inch a man who would dare-a man whom nothing could turn aside rom a purpose once fully determined apon. The strongly marked face, with ts heavy, square jaw; the deeply black eyes, sunken beneath shaggy eyebrows, and the massive head with its wealth of coal black hair, which vas almost as luxuriant as a woman's-these, with a giant's frame and the strength of a Hercules, would nave made Oraminsky a man of mark in any assemblage.

Of all the members of the moderates, none had opposed the extreme views and aims of Oraminsky and his following with greater zeal and earnestness than Ivan Barosky. The son of an exile-an exile as he believed cruelly and unjustly punished-Ivan was as intense in his enmity to the existing powers in Russia as was Oraminsky himself. But he was too able and farseeing, too progressive and cautious to commit himself to what he truly believed to be a course of action that would alienate from the Russian revolutionists the support and sympathy of the friends of liberty In every country in Europe.

Oraminsky's impassioned reply, and the favor with which it had been received, convinced Ivan that further discussion would be futile.

"You have heard our views," he said, "and it is now for me to declare

our purpose."

There was a pause. All looked at him with every ap-

pearance of intense interest. "After this night," began Ivan, 'we will never-"

He stopped suddenly. His can caught on the outside the sound of a hurried footstep, and raising his hand for caution and silence he listened intently.

The footsteps grew nearer. Oraminsky lifted his hand, and as

te did so a singular transformation took place.

All in the room who were seated, or who were working with the implements before described, arose and silently as so many specters stepped softly back toward the sides of the room. Each carried something-a battery, a bit of wire a shell, a conical vessel handled with great care and whose proximity was evidently not desired by any but the man whose duty it was to hold it in charge.

There they stood, lined by the walls, like so many automatons, silent, motionless.



All this had taken less time than a takes to write it.

The footsteps stopped—there was a knock at the door.

A peculiar knock it was-a loud tap, two short quick taps, and then a pause and a final knock.

Evidently a signal for the expression of intense anxiety changed instantly to one of relief; the people resumed their seats, and Ivan, with a commanding gesture, which Oraminsky himself submitted to, exclaimed,

"A friend! Open the door, Aronsky." Running up the steps that led to the door of the underground apart-

en bar that fastened it, threw open the door.

"Ilda Barosky!"

The words were uttered with a spontaneous impulse by all present as Ilda Barosky, for it was she who had given the friendly signal, stood for a second at the door, until, her eyes having lighted upon Ivan, she swiftly descended the steps and came into the midst of the expectant group.

Her face was flushed with excitement, her fine hair disheveled, and her whole appearance indicated that she was laboring under some intense mental strain.

Ivan sprang to her side. "Ilda, my sister, what has happen

Ilda gazed wildly for a moment, and then, her voice quivering with emotion, she spoke in quick, disjointed sentences: "Oh, infamy! Oh, cruelcoward—the lash—Alexis—I will be avenged-terribly avenged-do you hear? The cruel Nazimoff; oh, it was cowardly-" and, overcome by the recollection of the terrible ordeal through which she has passed, the girl sank into a chair, burying her face in her hands, and shaking like an aspen leaf from the violence of the conflicting emotions.

After having recovered in some degree, Ilda told the story of the night. The sudden illness of Anna Dorski had deprived the famous orchestra of its great soloist, and at the last moment Anna appealed to Ilda to take her place. In vain Ilda urged that she had a reason for not going to the Nazimoff mansion, and it was only when the famous leader himself begged her, with his daughter, not to place him in a false position before the assembled aristocracy of the capital, that she gave a reluctant consent.

When Ilda reached the part of her story where she was brought by violence into the room, her audience manifested intense interest, and she proceeded amid deepest silence. But when she told of Nazimoff raising the whip, the indignation of all present could no longer be restrained.

"Coward!" "Wretch!" and "Woman beater!" were some of the maledictions hurled at Nazimoff, and threats, deep and earnest, of dire vengeance for the deed, were uttered on

all sides. But it was when she spoke of her refusal to play "God Save the Czar," and of her sending the violin crashing into a thousand pieces at the foot of Nazimoff, that the excitement broke

all bounds. "Death to the Nazimoff!" was one remark, and the refrain was taken up by all present.

"Let me avenge our sister's wrong," spoke up one young and powerful man who came into the group. "Give me the right and I shall find a way to his heart with this-" and he drove his dagger into the table and left it

quivering in the wood. "Not so! I am her brother," said Ivan, "and I am the one to avenge her.'

"Well spoken," exclaimed Oraminsky. He saw that the feeling produced upon Ivan by the story of his sister was intense, and he determined to make the most of it to win Ivan as a supporter of his own. "But it must not be. This wrong has been done to the sister of a brother of our ordernone the less a brother because he differs with us on some minor points. The vengeance for Ilda's wrongs belongs to us all, but we must be guided by our rules."

"Ay, by our rules," was the response. They knew the rules. It was not the first time that the rules had been invoked for private revenge.

Ivan had taken Ilda a little apart from the rest, and was doing what he could to restore her to calmness. He seemed anxious to gain every particular, even to the smallest and apparently most unimportant detail of what had occurred. But particularly was he concerned about Alexis Nazimoff. 'What did he look like? How did he act? What did he say?" with these and a score of other questions Ivan plied his sister, getting of course little or no information beyond what

Ilda had told him at the beginning. In the meantime, under the direction of Oraminsky, the assemblage began putting in operation the "rule of the order" to decide upon whom should fall the task of avenging Hda's wrong by Count Nazimoff.

"Bring the bag, Hersy," said Oraminsky.

In response, one of the wonfor produced a small bag made of chamois in which Oraminsky, after rapidly counting the number of persora present, placed a handful of roblesexactly as many roubles as there were those in the apartment.

"And now for the Red Beauty." From around her neck, fastened by a string, Hersy produced a small leathern case, which she opened.

The movement was watched with intense interest, and as Hersy drew from the case a coin and handed it to Oraminsky, all present gazed at the piece of money with some sace expression as a Hindoo might regard an image of his favorite god.

The piece of money was a silver rouble.

It was a deep red. "Le Rouble Rouge," sometimes called "The Red Beauty," was celebrated throughout Europe. It had been found by the side of the Czar Alexander II., when he sank in blood after the bomb had done its fatal work, a system which they call "Daktylement, Aronsky, removing a lung oak- and the red upon the coin was the

Marine Ma life-blood of the autocrat of all the Russians when he fell a victim to the Nihilists' vengeance.

"Now," said Oraminsky, "as he softly jingled the bag which contained the roubles, "there are as many pieces here as we have brothers present. Plump! In goes the Red Beauty, and he who draws her wins the prizehe it shall be who must take revenge on the cowardly brute Nazimoff!"

As he dropped the red rouble in bag and one by one the men approached and drew. Ivan took his chance with the rest.

"Keep your hands closed until I give the signal—then hold them aloft

"Now, then, one, two, three, show!" and all the hands went up.

"Ivan draws the prize!" was the



'OH, INFAMY! - OH, CRUEL

exclamation as it was seen that Ivan displayed the Red Beauty.

"Glad I am that it is so!" exclaimed Ivan. "I will wipe out Nazimoff's insult in a way that will show to all the world how a Russian can avenge a sister's injury. And now, friends," he went on, as he made a motion to Ilda to prepare to accompany him. "what is your last answer-the final reply to the leaders of our section? Will you defer action longer or will you take issue with us and act alone?"

Oraminsky advanced.

"Say to-" he spoke no further. Half a dozen hands went up at once with the signal for silence. Footstens were again heard at a distance in the frosty night.

With a movement Ivan and Oraminsky both raised their hands.

The people in two rows ranged themselves along the walls.

The footsteps grew nearer, louder, approached the door and stopped. Then came a strong single knockbut no faint knocks followed. Evidently, whoever came to the door did

not possess the signal. Now it was that Ivan Barosky showed his powers-dominating even the strong will of Oraminsky himself. With a whispered word to Ilda, he pointed back to a dark corner behind the stairs in which was a scarcely visible door. "The secret passage to the banks of the Neva," he whisper-

peared. Then, turning to Oraminsky, Ivan said in an undertone: "I am best to

ed "use it if necessary." Ilda disap-

deal with this-is it so?" Oraminsky nodded quickly. Then pressing Ivan's hand, with the word 'Caution," he took his place by the wall and stood as impassive and as silent as the others. Ivan alone now occupied the center

of the room. Again the knock-louder this time two or three times louder.

"Open the door!" Raising his left hand, Ivan made a simultaneous motion like that of a swimmer with both arms. Ivan stood alone!

All the others disappeared as silently as so many shadows. The room was empty! (To be continued.)

His Name Was George.

"Funny thing happened this trip," said the sleeping car conductor. "Just as the porter was yelling 'First call for breakfast on the dining car!' a very fat, elderly, sober-faced, respectable old lady came jolting down the aisle, looking at the curtains that were still up in front of most of the berths, and at last stopping before me, she poked her umbrella at upper

"Kitty!" she called, "where are you? Is that you up there?'

"There wasn't any answer, and the old lady got right mad. She beat a regular tatoo on the brass curtain rod and fairly yelled: "'Kitty, Kitty! Get up right away!

Why don't you answer me? It's time for you to get up, Kitty! Breakfast is ready. Kitty, Kitty, get up!" "Then the curtains of upper ten

were pulled apart. A large red face, with long, black whiskers on the lower half of it, was poked out, and a deep, husky voice said: "'My name is George!' "-Philadel-

phia Press.

Bertillon System Going Out. The Bertillon system of measuring ACT PROMPTLY. criminals is going out of date. The London police have found it unsatisfactory and experimented with a new system. It has proved successful, and is going to be adopted generally in

England. The Berlin police have inaugurated a card collection of impressions of the fingers for recognition purposesHOLY LAND NOT LARGE.

Great Events That Have Transpired in Small Space.

When one thinks of the great vents that have taken place in the Holy Land, the multitude of cities, villages and towns, the countless millions who have been born there and whose bones now lie in its rock-ribbed hills, the small dimensions of Palestine are almost startling. West of the with the rest, Oraminsky shook the Jordan, where most of the historic events took place, there are only 3,-800 square miles, including all the geographical divisions now called Palestine; including the land both east and west of the Jordan, the total area | races of Mammoth Hot Springs. Waand show your coin," directed Ora- is 9,840 square miles. The length of ter boils on the plateau at 198 degree minsky as he tossed the empty bag Palestine from north to south is about to Hersy, the last coin having been 150 miles. It varies in breadth from twenty-three to eighty miles.

Beacons Line the Coast. That the United States government has been mindful of the welfare ships is shown by the fact that there are 9,000 burning lights and signals. stretched along the American coasts, of one of the beacons. One thousand of these are located on the Atlantic coast, 1,500 are scattered along the rivers and inland waterways, 500 on the great lakes and 200 on the Pacific coast. Of the grand total, including lighthouses of different classes, buoys, beacons and danger signals, 3,000 are lighted, giving forth their warnings Should be in every home. Ask your grocer at night time. Of these a score or for it. Large 2 oz. package only 5 cents. at night time. Of these a score or more throw a beam of 100,000 candle-

Fan Making in Early England. During the time of Charles II fan making was carried on extensively in England, and was a very lucrative business, but soon some enterprising individual began importing them from India, which resulted in a petition being presented to the government however, was not wholly successful, for fan importing was not stopped, although a duty was imposed which succeeded in protecting home industry and in satisfying the manufacturers.

Strong Language.

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Executions in Japan.

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It is hard to feed the soul on fossil-

BEAUTY IN NATIONAL PARK.

There is a Wealth of Coloring to Be

Found in the Yellowstone. Nature is a most exquisite colorist Nowhere is her work more lovely than along the crested rims and overflow channels of warm spring pools. Tourists are seldom aware that these harmonious and brilliant tints owe their origin mainly to plant life. They are usually told by so-called guides that the colors are due to mineral matter, which tends to enhance their horror of underground waters. Algae flourish equally well in the waters of all geyser basins and on the ter-Fahrenheit and rudimentary organisms appear at about 185 degrees Fahrenheit, although no definite line can be drawn beyond which all life ceases.

Wherever these boiling waters cool to the latter temperature, algous growths appear, and by the lowering of people who go down to the sea in of the temperature on exposure to air still more highly organized forms gradually come in. It is said that at about 140 degrees the conditions are forming a perfect link, so that the favorable for the rapid growth of sevnavigator never need be beyond sight eral species. The development of plant life at such excessive temperatures and on a scale of such magnitude seems a marvelous thing. Nowhere else can this be seen as well as in the Yellowstone park.-Scribner's Monthly.

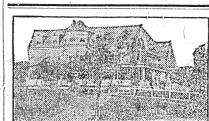
RED CROSS BALL BLUE

Mock Snails. Artificial snails, made by filling empty shells with chopped meat, are now sold wholesale in France, says the Paris Matin, at 4 cents a dozen.

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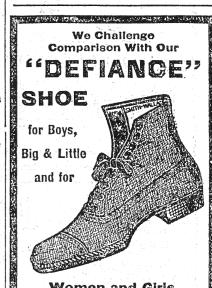
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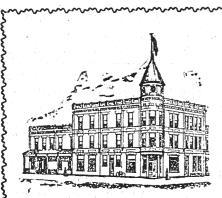
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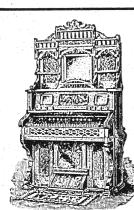
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## COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

(Continued from first page.) lack the moral courage to uphold truth. them. How necessary then is a training which will carry us through life with a purpose whose root is love and and a character that will neither bow to kings nor turn from its path for ambition.

Character is the noblest possession in itself, dignifying every position and honoring every station. It influences the knot and the whole unthreads.' everything.

True nobleness commands respect from all people. Its power is truer and higher than the power of knowledge. Mind without heart, intelligence without conduct, and cleverness without goodness may dazzle and al- the pang of thorns; there have been glory. The high noon of our day said that the rights of way are being lure, but they shine only with a bor- some hills to climb; and we have blazes upon our heads, and we pause rowed light. We may be instructed stumbled in the dark. By our stumbby them, or receive pleasure from ling hidden gems have been found, for them, but so far as they effect life as one has said: "Our greatest glory noon, and, as we pause, we turn to the road, are as yet unknown in spite they are useless, or what is worse, detrimental. Truthfulness, integrity, rising every time we fall." When and goodness form the essence of some task was given us, which to our vision over us. And not to them a noble manhood and he who slowly ebbing courage seemed too possesses them, united with strength difficult, we had not yet learned that of purpose, carries with him a power greater lesson, that our strength is which is irresistable. He is strong to always sufficient to solve whatever do good and able to bear up under problem awaits us. The demonstradifficulties and misfortunes. It is in tion of this lesson had not yet been adversity that the worth of a noble soul glows with the greatest lustre,

and when all else fails, it stands, in its purity and virtue, a pinnacle to point the way to truth, the only

That "man is a bundle of habits' and that "habit is second nature" is an old saying. There is necessity for the greatest care and watchfulness against the inroad of any evil practice, for the temptation once yielded to seems to gather added strength of man or woman, constituting a rank wherewith to overcome us. Says one: "Habits are a necklace of pearls, untie men with a greater and nobler power They at first may seem to have no than wealth or position, and secures more strength than a spider's web, selfish ends? We look into this afterall the honor without any of the but once formed they bind us with a iealousies of fame. It purifies society chain of iron. It thus happens that plunge we turn to you with the same and, like sunshine breaking through as we grow older we are bound by the clouds, beautifies and gladdens chains which we ourselves have

The path which our young lives have followed has been brightened and beautified by kind and loving hands. challenge life's wild beasts, and the Still the way has seemed long; some world's skilful gladiators, we accept made clear. Perhaps the understanding of it had been mercifully withheld that we might grow in sympathy with your watchful care has given us. our fellow mortals whose infirmities we should bear, for it is said, "A friend should a friend's infirmities bear." As we have not done this we do not know under what weights they

"If we knew the cares and trials,
Knew the effort all in vain,
And the bitter disappointment;
Understood the loss and gain;
Would the grim external roughness
Seem, I wonder, just the same?
Would we help where now we hinder?
Would we pity where we blame?" EDNA MATZEN.

## Valedictory.

One day's history! How slight a thing it is to most of us! You say, "It is the rising of the sun, the drying of the dew, a little work, the noon day's blaze, the afternoon, the evening, and the light goes out." Slight indeed it is, if we shut our eyes to all the glory and the beauty that the Infinite One compresses into one of those periods of time we call a day.

Rise with me in the morning, go with me through the day and see

what the Creator has done for us; | \* it is dark, the sweet and solemn hush of night's last morphean spell lies upon all nature. Sleep, the sweet restorer, stills the smallest insect's chirp, the twitter of the tiniest songster of the wood.

But see! The glorious sun sends up crimson streamer to tint the eastern sky! Each little dew-drop winks a welcome to the sun-god's messenger and gleams and glistens like the stars above now growing dim beneath the rays of their great rival. The songster sends its sweet shrill note from its leafy bower, and, day begins!

See now the east in all its radiant splendor! Gaze on the riotous tumult of rubescent color-pink, rose, carmine, scarlet, crimson! How language palls in their description! As well paint pictures with a wisp of clerk, Nicholas Hamilton; register of straw, as try to tell the delicate tints and blazing colors that the sun wraps around itself as it enters upon its cuting attorney, Jas. D. Brooker of

Count, if you can-name, if you are able, the sounds that pour forth from forest, field and hillside in one grand All of these candidates were renomisong of praise to the Beneficent Giver | nated except those chosen for repreof Life! There are no words to tell sentative, register of deeds, treasurer the sweetness and the joy of those and prosecuting attorney. All nomibird songs of the dawn.

what good is school?" It is a queswhat good is school?" Why, knowthe sun of our day. Into the blank convention at Saginaw, September 7 darkness of childhood's ignorance, when our eyes were closed to all beauty, our ears shut to all sweet sound, when no sensible thing came upon us save the blank dew of childish pleasures; into this morning darkits first pink finger of light and every little dewdrop sparkled with the School Wednesday evening. pleasant light; each new ray of that glorious sun showed us new beauty, wakened us to new songs of sweetness, and bathed us in a radiance of glory that brightened then, and will bright-

en all our life hereafter. Count, if you can, the pleasures and the beauties of knowledge. Name, if you are able, the sweet melodies that it sets singing in our lives. Recount, if you may, the glory and the beauty "Of what good is school?"

dew is dissipated, and morning's joys made. Among those who were the change to foreneon work. Yes, work, most seriously ill are: Mrs. Crobar, claims upon us; it must not be denied. beneath the sun, toil blots our child- Kate and Margaret Zinnecker. ish joys, and leaves no smoothness for some way? Ah, yes! Toil brings its the thought of a work well done, of duty well performed.

is shedding its beams upon us and we must say farewell to childish things. was the loser of several keys, a of crowding, pushing men and women. swift race, as other people pass by, and overlooked that in the money till. using us as stepping stones to their noon and before we take our initial feeling that prompted that stoic Spartan salutation of the ancient Roman gladiator, and say, not, "We and patience shown in their superschool, that raises us to this platform. is due. Our school officers, we thank City Tribune. you for the pleasant surroundings prepared for us and great interest shown in our work. We thank you all, dear friends, for the opportunity

Dear classmates, we are about to dissolve the tide of class fellowship that at one time seemed as unbreakable as the chains of time. When life's storms beat about us, when the battle's roar is loudest, in the despair of some temporary defeat, or in the exaltation of some victory, let us show the power that education has implanted in our breasts. Be brave! Be manful! Bold to meet the winds of adversity and evil, and to breast them; strong to endure the intoxication of success and not to be overthrown by it.

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A. A. McKenzie, Geo. H. Turner, J. H. Striffler, John Marshall, John Caldwell, A. D. Gillies, W. M. Morris and Dr. J. H. Hays were the Elkland delegates who attended the Republican county convention and helped to place the following ticket in nomination: Representative, Wm. McKay of Dayton; sheriff, Samuel J. Daugh erty; judge of probate, John M. Smith; deeds, John Gollan of Vassar; treasurer, Jas. H. Millikin of Almer; prose-Elkland: circuit court commissioners, A. J. Randall and Evan Evans; coroners, S. F. Chase and E. A. Copp. nations were by acclamation except As you may say, "How slight a that of register of deeds. Chas. H. thing is a day?" so may you ask, "Of Richardson of Tuscola was the other candidate for this office. A. A. Mction we often hear, and far too often Kenzie is one of fifteen delegates there are grounds for asking it. "Of chosen to attend the state convention at Detroit June 30, and J. D. Brooker ledge, learning, education—these are was chosen delegate to the judicial

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Grover Ross, Harvey Randall and Eber Baldwin, and the Misses Margaret Sherwood, Wanda Randall and ness of our day of life, knowledge sent | Nettie Millikin of Kingston attended the Class Day exercises of the High

Miss Maude Sinclair of North Branch is visiting at the home of her brother, Prof. F. E. Sinclair. Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair are also entertaining the Misses Merle Benedict and Mollie Holden of Brown City, former pupils of Mr. Sinclair and both graduates of the Brown City High School last year.

The Epworth League served supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Wood last Friday and several who of a life upon which its golden rays partook of it were taken violently ill have fallen, and then ask, if you can, shortly afterwards. It is thought that probably the illness was caused But dawn fades away; its beauties by the meat which was served to die; the blazing colors change; the them, although no analysis has been hard work, awaits us; it forces its II. B. Outwater, Mabel Clements, Etta and Aura Schenck, Mrs. Dora Childhood's dew of pleasure dries Fritz and daughter, Catherine, and

Walter Bender of Gagetown was our pathway, no softener for our pain. here Tuesday and witnessed the ball Not a single thing to smooth our toil- game, and being a former member of the band, went to band practice in own rewards, and the brief forenoon the evening. Not many hours after of our school-life day is lightened by his arrival home that night, he had unknown visitors who made an early call at his hardware store. The en-The noon of school life, graduation, trance was gained through the office window and the next morning Walter A new world awaits us-a world full revolver and about \$25 worth of jewelry. The safe was unlocked, but What! Are we left prostrate in life's the burglars found no money there The work looked amateurish.

## CLAIM WORK HAS BEGUN.

Persons interested in the old Detroit, Pontiac. Lapeer & Northern electric railway project say that six miles of the road bed between Bay who are about to die," but, "we who City and Caro has been completed and are about to live, salute you!" We that work is being pushed with all possible speed. The grading, it is claimed, was started just this side of stones have hindered us; we have felt the combat that means death or Akron, Tuscola county. It is also rapidly secured. The people back of as for a noon-tide's rest before we the project, and who secured the essay the stern duties of our after- rights of the original promoters of consists not in never falling, but in greet our teachers for their great care of the efforts of a number of local people to find out who they are. The company owns the franchise granted alone are greetings due, for there are the D., P., L. & N. a couple of years here those to whose foresight our ago, which provides an entrance in

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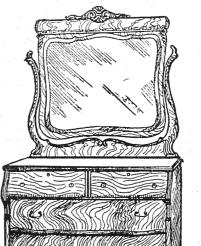
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