

Twenty-second 🛊 Mid-Summer Sale ...

OPENS SATURDAY. JULY 23 . . .

You know the meaning of the above headline. You know it means the banner bargain event of the year, in which the nimble sixpence and the mighty dollar travel long distances.

Weeks—yes, months—ofstudy —of effort, have been given to make this sale the greatest of them all. Worth investigating. Ready when you are.

J. D. CROSBY & SON. Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men.

100,000 lbs. WOOL WANTED At Highest Market Price.

THE CASS CITY GRAIN CO.

Buys All kinds of grain at the highest market prices.

Sells Grain, Hay, Coal, Lime, and Cement.

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

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

small or large quantities.

The Cass City Grain Co.

Long Distance 'Phone No. 9.

Cass City Roller Mills

Are the Best Equipped Mills in the Thumb.

-Our Brands Are-

White Lily, Economy and Best.

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

Mill Feed of all Kinds always on hand.

C. W. HELLER, Proprietor.

PARIS GREEN!

White Hellebore! **Insect Powder!**

We have a large quantity and can serve

you at right prices.

L. I. WOOD & CO.

PATRONIZE HOMETRADE

So Says Editor Shaw of the Pigeon Progress.

Every Argument Is in Favor of Patronizing the Home Merchant.

Editor Shaw of the Pigeon Progress is hot on the trail of representatives of a Toledo firm who are selling groceries in that vicinity. In an article in the last issue of his paper he gives some interesting facts to the farmer which are in favor of patronizing home trade. The Toledo firm men will be tried on all three. may send their representatives in this vicinity. For that reason the purchasing public will be interested in FOR RURAL CARRIERS their operations and the Chronicle reprints the Progress article which is as follows:

"Representatives of a Toledo firm are canvassing the farmers in this intention of the firm to send the goods here in car load lots. As is usually the case they make some remarkably low prices on a few items and make up for it on something else. The margin on groceries is very small and if you do make a little saving by buying from these outsiders, you are getting an inferior article. They are not in the business for their health. Every farmer who is approached by these parties should give the price list a thorough examination from top to bottom, which will convince him if he is any kind of a judge that he can do just as well by trading with local merchants. Then just ask them how much taxes they pay in your locality towards keeping up the roads, schools, etc. Ask them how it would be if you wanted a little credit for a few months and did not care to give your note. Ask them if they will take your butter and eggs and other farm produce. Ask them if in case you met with a misfortune would they stretch

"We understand they are offering 22 pounds of granulated sugar for one dollar. Do you know what that sugar costs in the wholesale market, which is controlled by the sugar trust and the price is the same all over the United States? The price listed Wednesday of this week was 51 and no man can buy any cheaper whether he buys one barrel or one hundred. That was the standard wholesale price all over: Now when you buy sugar you must take other articles, and there is where they get in their work. There are a few other leaders besides sugar of course, but you will buy a whole lot of stuff that they will make a nice juicy profit from. Take tea as one item. You will probably get 18 or 20 cent tea for 35 or 40 cents. That helps to make up for the sugar they sold you for 4½ cents that cost them 51. In other words sugar you bought for 99 cents that they paid \$1.15 for. This is only a comparison on a couple of articles. We have not the space to mention more. It is the old game of selling a few items at a remarkably low price and soaking you on something else Here is a receipt for making a good play with them Buy the leaders but nothing else. But the only objection to this scheme is they will not stand for that. There is no doubt but what you can go to your local dealers and by giving them the same chance you give the outsiders they will save you money. If you do not believe this remark, just try it.

"The canvassers will tell you that on account of the enormous business they do, they are enabled to save you money. Just stop and figure for yourself their hotel bills, livery rigs, high salaries, etc., beside the profit the firm must make. healing be

"Laying the matter of whether you are getting soaked or not aside, look at the matter of justice. How many would like to see the stores in all these little villages closed up? How many would like to have to send away or wait for a canvasser in order to get their necessities. How many would like to be compelled to always have the cash whenever they needed any little thing? How many want to live twenty-five or thirty miles from a town, which would certainly be the case if there were no more country stores, because without them there would be no villages. How much less would your farms be worth if there were no villages in these parts? Another thing 'How many favors can you expect from your local merchants when you load up with every foreign

canvasser that comes along? "Every argument is in favor of patronizing home merchants."

ES LOST-Pocketbook containing over \$6 and stamp book, between Cass City and Elmwood on Monday. Finder will leave at this office and receive

WANTED MODERN MIRACLE.

John G. Scrimstead and George D. Merriam were arrested at Pt. Huron one day last week by Under Sheriff This Time Warner's Team of Mar-Davidson and Police Captain Collins on a charge of swindling the residents of Sanilac county out of their hard earned dollars by selling them a magic apparatus which, attached to an ordinary lamp, was guaranteed to turn oil into an illuminating gas. Allured by the idea of getting illuminating gas at the price of oil the farmers bit readily enough, and they soon realized how they had been duped. Complaints were laid against the enter-

prising young men at Croswell, Deck-

erville and Carsonville and the young

New Salary Schedule Has Been Completed.

of Carriers at Cass City \$684.

The new salary schedule for rural mail carriers has been completed.

The new schedule applies from July 1. The last congress raised the maximum salary from \$600 to \$720 a year. It was found that the maximum route The salaries of carriers on son, pitcher. routes shorter than the maximum was fixed by deducting \$18 for each mile less than 24. The net result has been that slightly over two-thirds of the whole force of 24,500 rural carriers have received increases of \$100 a year in their salaries. The remaining carriers have received increases of less

than this amount. This takes into consideration the expense of equipment and makes what is stated to be a liberal allowance for such expense to carriers on routes less

the last fiscal year. than the limit, \$720.

AT WORK ON BRIDGES.

Necessary Repairs to Abutments and Bridges Being Made in the Township.

The abutments have been repaired and everything is now in readiness for the new bridge over the Cass river one mile south and a short distance east, known as the Anthes bridge site. The contractors have informed Highway Commissioner Marshall that the work would be started this week.

Work is progressing rapidly in straightening the river bed east of town. Contractor Moore has had as many as five men with teams at the work this week.

The abutments of the creek bridge vest of town will also be repaired and strengthened. The iron work of this bridge is said to be in good condition. Some of the wood work will have to be replaced however as it is in poor condition.

BASE BALL NOTES.

"What's the matter with Sandy?" 'He's all right." (Voice)-"Who's all right?" (Everybody)—"Sandy."

Sebewaing won from the Bay City Independents Sunday. The score was 14 to 4.

The Brown City business men played ball at Yale Monday. The score 14 to 21, was in favor of Yale.

The Acme Quality team won from Brown City Thursday, the score being 6 to 3. The Acmes lost to Harbor Beach Friday at a score of 4 to 2.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. E. Turner-An auction sale of registered Shorthorns on Thursday, July 28.

N. Bigelow & Sons-Ice cream

The Exchange Bank-Ter thousand dollars to loan. Mrs. G. W. Goff-Closing out sale of

ladies skirts. Lenzner's Furniture Store-Musical nstruments and picture frames.

J. D. Crosby & Son-22nd mid-summer sale opens Saturday, July 23. The Model-Specials during sale.

Second-hand piano for sale. \$1 a week for one year pays for it. I. A. 5-27-tf

Wide open-Candy Kitchen Ice Cream Parlors.

lette Is Defeated.

Duncanson, the High School Pitcher, Struck Out Eight Men in Five Innings.

score being 10 to 4.

scoring four runs in the first inning, the pharmacists and the other

players who wore that title failed to score and Duncanson, Cass City's high school pitcher, was credited with eight strike-outs against them. However, in the seventh inning the visitors regained their courage and played ball vicinity selling groceries. It is the The New Rate Makes the Salaries in earnest, scoring two runs in that and one in each succeeding inning.

The line-up of the teams was as follows: Marlette-Lester, right field; Davis, catcher; Craven, short stop; James, 2nd base; Gleason, left field: Noble, pitcher; Clark, center field; Burke, 3rd base; Montague, 1st base. Cass City-Ehlers, 2nd base; Buckley, 3rd base; McKenzie, 1st base; Knapp, was 24 miles long and to carriers on catcher; A. Gifford, center field; Harroutes of this length, numbering about graves, left field; D. Duncanson, short 12,000, the maximum salary will be stop; Graham, right field; A. Duncan-

The score by innings is as follows: Marlette......0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 1—4 Strike-outs—By Duncanson, 10; by

Noble, 8. First on balls—Off Noble, 5; Duncanson, 1. Two base hit—James. Three base hit—Lester. Double plays—Noble to Montague.

STOKAN-LAFOND NUPTIALS. (From Bad Axe Democrat.)

Miss Edyth Stokan and Mr. Samuel | They returned home Tuesday. marriage than the maximum length. It leaves Monday at the home of Mrs. Sarah their cottage Saturday. Miss Pearl about the same proportion available Stokan, the bride's mother, in this Gooden of Detroit and Roy Phillips of for new service during the coming village. The bridal party entered the Cass City spent Sunday with them. year that the department had during parlor at 12:00 o'clock to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss This new rate of salary affects the Stewart, and took their places under outes at Cass City by making the pay a lace canopy, before the Rev. W. H. of each of the carriers less than the Fulton, who, after a prayer by Rev. limit. The three routes are each 22 Cook, of Kinde, performed the ceremiles in length and the salary of each mony, which united two of our most carrier will be \$684 which is \$36 less popular and best respected young people. Miss Pearl Stokan, sister of the bride and Miss Mayme Stokan. her cousin, of Cheboygan, acted as bridesmaids, and Mr. O. Stebbins and are the auctioneers. Mr. Roy Stokan acted as groomsmen.

CASS CITY WINS AGAIN bequet of white roses. After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner was served to seventy guests who attended. The bride was the recipient of many useful and beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. LaFond left on the afternoon train for a week's visit with relatives in Grand Bend, Ont., and on their return will reside with Mrs. Stokan. Mrs. LaFond bas been a resident of this place about a The Warner's Pharmics team of year and is highly esteemed by all Marlette played with the Cass City who know her. Mr. LaFond has nine Tuesday afternoon. The result been a resident of Bad Axe nearly all was in favor of the local team, the his life and is an exemplary young man whose friends comprise everyone The locals started out in fine style, in the village young and old, everyone of whom will unite with the Demoand their victory was apparent to the crat in extending to him and his spectators. Up to the seventh inning estimable wife best wishes for a long, prosperous and happy life.

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Miss Pearl Landon was quite ill the first of the week.

Mrs. J. C. Laing arrived here Tuesday to spend some time.

Miss Lillie McColl is spending a few days with friends here.

Miss Ora McKim is spending the veek with Pearl Landon.

O. K. Janes spent Sunday and Monday with his family here.

Mr. Hueston of Pontiac spent Sunday with his family here.

Lloyd Pray and Clayton McKenzie spent Sunday at the Bluff. T. H. Fritz and family opened their

cottage Saturday. Mr. Fritz returned home on Tuesday. Dr. M. M. Wickware spent the first

of the week here. Mrs. Wickware accompanied him home Tuesday. H. S. Johnson of Caro spent Sunday and Monday with his family here.

AUCTION SALE.

D. E. Turner will have an auction sale of registered Shorthorns at his farm 60 rods west of Elmwood postoffice on Thursday, July 28, commencing at one o'clock. Mr. Turner is advertising this sale quite extensively and no doubt will have a large crowd in attendance. Striffler & McKenzie

Say, Sally, Sip Soda?" "Bet The bride was arrayed in a beautiful yer life, Ice Cream Soda." Candy gown of white voile and carried a Kitchen.

Removal Sale

From now until we move, July 25, I place on the market my entire stock of

Furniture at a Big Reduction

A fine line of Quartered Oak Suits to select from. Also Odd Dressers and Commodes and Chiffoniers.

A good line of Couches



And at a Bargain

Rockers, Morris Chairs, Center Tables, Dining Room Chairs, Mattresses and Springs, Pillows, Iron and Wood Beds, Writing Desks, Lamp Stands

and Pictures and everything in the Furniture line. Picture frames made to order and on short notice. Upholstering done in my new store Aug. 1.

H. T. Elliott, The Undertaker

NEW GROCERY

I have opened a new grocery store in the Fritz Block and invite the public to call and inspect my stock.

Everything clean and fresh.

J. Cornelius

Your Orders for Job Printing will receive proper attention here.

THE CHRONICLE, Seegar Street.

Tri-County Chronicle.

KLUMP-LENZNER Co., PUBS.

CASS CITY, - -

MICHIGAN.

The new battleship Kentucky is said to be swift. The Blue Grass state always did produce racers.

Quiet weddings are now said to be the proper caper. Designed to harmonize with the divorces, probably.

The Atlanta Journal says that London "proper," is but a small town. But then, so much of it is "improper."

A San Francisco man is now suing

his wife for divorce because she will not talk. There's no accounting for To the residents of Port Arthur the

case of the Trenton (N. J.) man who never sleeps does not seem at all remarkable. The difference between the Fourth

has its night before, the other its morning after. In not liking the way American

yachts are sailed, the Kaiser is assured of the hearty sympathy of Sir Thomas Lipton. In Boston the pianoforte is now used to assist in the cure of nervous dis-

eases. Eccentricity always was Boston's forte anyhow. This is the time when the campaign song-writer makes the inventor of names for new breakfast foods look

like a wilted seedling. Those current attempts "to reform the Fourth of July" unfortunately ig-

nore the necessity of first reforming the average small boy. A Brooklyn judge recently declared it to be his candid opinion that Adam

deceived Eve. Probably had to to

get his share of the fruit. The late Mr. Herbert Spencer's lady housekeeper desires to meet with a similar position. Highest references.

Address the London Times. One of those up-to-date New York financiers has a safe with a tin back. Needless to say that his depositors

never get their money "back." A Chicago woman believes that men should pay their wives regular salaries. Some of the wives may be de-

pended on to get theirs anyhow. It was a man who declared man the proper study of mankind. Whether it

is proper or not, man always has devoted most of his studying to himself. A Milwaukee man tried to fly the

other day, but owing to the fact that his starting place was only five feet high he is still able to be up and around.

A Tennessee court has decided that a woman cannot be compelled to tell her own age. When under oath, the average woman is apt to be under age, as well.

The June bride didn't realize how she will hate next December, when the thermometer is marking 10 degrees below zero, to get up and build the kitchen fire.

We'll bet some mean man meant to put woman's temper to a severe test when he started discussion of the question, "Why have women more temper than men?"

The Academy of Medicine at Paris has decided that excessive meat eating causes appendicitis. It does more. It causes emaciation of the pocketbook and bankruptcy.

A Pennsylvania man who inherited \$35,000 has received no less than 300 offers of marriage. Money must be uncommonly scarce or women uncom monly plenty up there.

The theme chosen for her commencement essay by one of Chicago's sweet girl graduates was the "Psychology of the Pig." The subject has the true stock yards flavor.

According to the Department of Agriculture, peanuts contain "about four ounces of protein and 2,767 calorics of energy." We know now why these circus men are all so "strong."

An imminent agricultural authority informs us that "hogs are said to cut their throats when they swim." The trouble with the sort of hogs we have around here is that they can't be induced to swim enough.

Judge Brewer recently declared that in forty years' experience on the bench he had never heard but one lawyer tell a lie in court. This is the first time that we knew that the judge was as deaf as all that.

The brilliant Washington Post quotes a current magazine as putting this soul-searching question: "Is America Developing an Aristocracy?" If we are, it is certainly one of the worst cases of "arrested development" on record.

Two Philadelphia society men fought twenty rounds with hard gloves and one finally knocked the other out. Philadelphia as a whole may be slow and sleepy, but there are parts of \$75,000 Nearly every building in the Philadelphia which are as alert and village was consumed modern as the Bowery.

RACE FOR LIFE.

A Farmer's Wild Drive To Save a Man's Life.

For more than seven miles with Traction Co. has been completed. The blood dripping from his buggy and consolidated property is under the conleaving a ghastly trail in the road, Mat-trol for a terms of years, the Michigan thew Leonard drove a literal race with members being J. D. Hawks and S. F. death-and won. Louis Pearl lies in a Angus, of Detroit, and W. A. Boland, Grand Rapids hospital, terribly weak of Jackson. Detroit is the eastern from loss of blood and almost at the terminus of the system, which has a

Pearl was working on the Leonard farm in Alpine township, about seven miles from Grand Rapids, and in some manner got in front of a mowing machine. The cutting bar caught the right foot and cut through flesh and muscle and bone at a point a few inches above the heel. A great artery of July and Thanksgiving is that one did not check the flow of blood.

> animal was kept on a dead run for to Kalamazoo, a distance of about 200 the entire distance, persons, believing miles. the animal was running away, making

efforts to stop him. Down the Bridge street hill the horse tore at full speed and through the covered with foam, it staggered and fell to its knees.

police team in a few minutes with Dr. E. Park Edwards working over the U. B. A. hospital.

Free Hair Cuts.

The Disciples of Benjamin and Mary, Flying Rollers and other curbstone preachers must get off the main streets in the business district of Benton Har bor. This is the edict handed down by Mayor Gillet. For the past two months Benjamin and Mary, Dowie-ites and preachers of other rival creeds have been competing for business on the street corners. The noise made by preachers and gospel singers and several kinds of wind instruments put all the medicine shows in the background and an appeal was made to the authorities. Any Flying Roller vio-lating the edict is to be placed in jail and his hair clipped.

Imperfect Work.

It is doubtful if the Fred M. Warner its streets. state census supervisors will give out any figures on Detroit's population. Assistant Supervisor Smith says the reports of the 180 local enumerators are so imperfect he believes no fairly accurate totals can be furnished. He de- lighting the city. clares, however, the returns indicate Detroit's population is nearer 300,000 than 353,258, the water board's recent estimate.

Foolish Risk of Life. In a spirit of bravado, Capt. Armstrong, a young man of Plainwell, climbed to the top of a 75-foot ladder erected by Prof. Horton for a high dive attraction to a show. The ladder was not quite complete when Armstrong mounted to the top, and the affair swayed and broke, and the young man struck on a cement walk. His skull was frightfully crushed and his body badly mangled. He cannot re-

First Peaches.

Jasper Wall, living in the St. Joseph fruit district, gains the honor of shipping the first basket of peaches of the season from Michigan, This is the earliest date for ripe peaches on record. Berrien county will prove to be the banner district for peaches in Michigan this year with an estimated crop of two million fifth-bushel baskets.

Down in a Coal Mine.

Work on the new coal shaft at the What Cheer" coal mine at Bay City, is being rushed. It will be the deepest coal mine shaft in Michigan, going to a depth of 214 feet. Very little territory remains in that neighborhood that is not covered by coal leases.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Farmers declare war on sheep-killing logs at Bronson.

The population of Marshall decreased nine since 1900.

Ionia's population increased just 13

in the last four years. Coldwater will have an auto parade,

to end with a banquet. Farmers are returning to lightning rods for protection for their farm

buildings Ovid has a newsboy that clothes him-

self and has a bank account from the receipts of paper sales. Owosso has a population of 9,145, an

ncrease of 449; and Benton Harbor 3,702, an increase of 140. There is now a very good prospect hat Pontiac will secure a new depot and along with it will come a new ho-

Ann Arbor-The state fish commissioner will plant 10,000,000 small mouth bass in Whitmore lake this

week Three Rivers-The proposition to bond for a \$25,000 high school, which was recently defeated, is to be voted

on again Coldwater-While working in the hay field, Elias Vaughn, a Girard township farmer, complained of feeling ill, leaned heavily on his fork and collapsed to the ground dead.

The trout fishing this season has been about the poorest on record, and as a result there is a movement on foot among sportsmen to petition the legis. lature to close the trout streams for a ear or two

The village of Kimball, including the Kimball & Clark mill and a large stock of lumber, was destroyed by fire Friday. The loss is estimated to be

Electric Roads Consolidate. The consolidation of the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor & Jackson Railway Co. and the Jackson Consolidated

point of death, but it is said he will total mileage of 125 miles. The line passes through Detroit, Dearborn, Wayne, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Saline, Chelsea, Grass Lake, Jackson and several villages, representing a total population of 372,965. The system connects at Jackson on the west with the Jack son & Battle Creek Traction Co., which operates a third rail system through Albion and Marshall to Battle Creek, was severed and the blood poured from where it connects with the Michigan the wound in a torrent. Mr. Leonard Traction Co., which operates the city put an emergency bandage on, but it systems of Battle Creek and Kalamazoo and an interurban line connecting Leonard hitched up his best horse the two cities. This gives a continuous and started on the wild drive. The electric railway system from Detroit

Deliberate Suicide.

Edward McGee, a man 50 years old. committed suicide in Marshall on city to the corner of Broadway, where, Thursday. He bolted the door, and. sitting before a looking glass, placed a 32 caliber revolver to his right temple Leonard had Pearl carried to the and pulled the trigger. The bullet went barn and the police ambulance was through his head, and dropped upon called. The run was taken up by the the floor not far from where he sat. McGee had been working in Battle Creek for some time past. No reason wound while the ambulance dashed to can be assigned for the suicide. Marshal Stone, upon being notified, made an entrance to the room by a window and found him sitting dead on the chair. The dead man is survived by two sons, three daughters, a mother, three sisters and three brothers,

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Lansing has over 20,000 population. Durand Oddfellows will build an pera house.

Firemen's tournament at the Soo will be a big event.

A Mason man has a pear tree, half pears and half blossoms.

Students at the Normal summer chool number 800; largest in history. Deckerville is showing its enterprise by bringing in gravel by rail to pave

Dr. John L. Mitchell one of the oldest physicians at Jackson, died Sunday night of old age.

The Pontiac common council has lecided to advertise for new bids for

James Haskett, a G. A. R. veteran, of Camden, was thrown from his buggy and instantly killed.

The Lansing common council has passed an ordinance prohibiting expectoration on the sidewalks.

About \$50,000 will be spent by the electric light and power company of Manistique for improvements. Cadillac-The new \$4,000 Catholic

church at Jennings was dedicated by Bishop Richter, of Grand Rapids.

Dougall Sinclair, aged 17, salesman in a Grand Rapids store, fell from a second-story window and died from his injuries.

Three new additions, to cost \$200,-000, will be begun this summer at the Michigan asylum for the insane in Kalamazoo

Frank M. Kieft, of Grand Haven, an iged farmer, was found dead in the fields where he had been working. He was 65 years of age.

James Williams, for many years landlord of the Williams house at Bat

tle Creek, and well known to all travcling men, died Monday. The 3-year-old son of Mendel Jacob son, of Bay City, was thrown from a

wagon by a runaway team and the wheels ran over the babe's body. Thomas W. Lakin, of Port Huron was shocked to death by touching an electric lamp socket through which a

current of 110 volts was going. West Bay City council proposes to build a new schoolhouse for \$50,000, but all the bids were above that figure

and new ones will be called for. Jerry Rogers, of Blanchard, died o lockjaw brought on by an injury caused by the accidental discharge of .

tov pistol on the Fourth of July. Cigarettes were responsible for the lestruction by fire of the ice house of the Lake Ice Co., valued at \$4,000 The houses were located on Hopkins

lake. The discussion of the water supply problem at Hughton has become so warm that the village engineer has resigned rather than be criticised further:

The coroner's jury, which investigated the killing of Eben Davis, the Cli max pioneer, by a Grand Trunk train on July 7, returned a verdict exonerating the railroad company. The labor unions of Sault Ste. Marie

will erect a labor temple which will have all the accommodations of clubhouse, including gymnasium, li brary, lounging rooms, etc. Marion and Fay, the 9-year-old laughter and 11-year-old son of Con-

ductor H. Stoub, of Toledo, O., were

drowned Saturday at Mound Springs, a

esort six miles west of Sturgis. The health officer of a township in northern Michigan has informed the state board of health that there is, in his township, the remnant of a tribe of Chippewa Indians. They are almost all afflicted with tuberculosis, the skin variety being particularly prevalent.

Lansing-The commissioner of insurance has asked the circuit court for receivers for the Monroe & Lenawee County Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. and the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Schoolcraft, Delta and Menominee counties, both of which have defaulted in the payment of losses.

Miss Ragmarl, a Chicago actress was nearly drowned at Wenona beach while in bathing. She got beyond her depth and was rescued by Ernest Rioux, who keeps a boathouse.

A syndicate of New York and Chicago capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of a tract of a thousand acres of land near Grand Haven on the lake shore to be used for resort purposes.

Dr. J. K. Farnum, once the leading surgeon of St. Clair county, but long since become a recluse in his dingy office, has been found dangerously ill, and is being cared for at the hospital

in Port Huron. The Michigan Millers' association elected officers as follows: President, H. F. Colby, Downgiac; vice-president, C. J. De Roo, Holland; secretary, Harry Hooker, Lansing; treasurer, A. B.

homan, Lansing. The auctioning of every house on the west side of Hull street, Battle Creek, to make room for the Grand Trunk's new passenger station brought the meager sum of \$4,375, some of the buildings selling under \$50.

Lorenzo Strong, who some time ago tole a bicycle at Fenton, and was captured at Lansing, and taken to Fenton, where he escaped from jail in a mysterious manner during the night, has been arrested in Toledo. The Michigan department of state

reports 2,445 deaths for the month of June, a decrease of 492 from the preceding month. The rate per 1,000 was 11.9 per cent, low, but a trifle higher than the rate for June, 1903. The owners of the heading mili

which was destroyed by fire at Harrison in May, decided not to rebuild there, but at Leota. Whereupon Harrison came to the front with an offer of a bonus of \$1,000, and will retain the mill.

Bruno Schmansky was cleaning a dynamo at the Bay City electric light works and accidentally formed a short circuit. A flash burned his face, taking off his hair, mustache and eye brows clean. One arm was badly burned also.

For the first time in the history of Oceana county there was a suit in a justice court last week in which both the parties were Indians. It really begins to look as if the Indians were at last becoming civilized, with the white man's civilization.

A Pontiac city bond of \$3,000 fell due Friday and there was no money in the city treasury. Spitzer & Co., of Toledo, have gone back on their bid for the purchase of \$12,000 worth of bonds, alleging that the city cannot issue bonds to cover a deficit.

Since the farmers of Monitor township learned that the wool of Angora goats brings fancy prices, they also on the increase in the county. especially in the northern townships.

Wm. Savage, alias Wm. Howard, who asked the pardon board for his freedom, was sent up from Adrian, March 19, 1902, to serve five years in Jackson for larceny from the Colonial Home in the day time. He had been out of Jackson only three or four days and in that brief time had committed

several burglaries. Jas. Haskert, of Billingstown, O. was found dead in the highway a few miles south of Camden, Mich., having apparently been thrown from the wagon and striking upon his head. There was an ugly gash upon the head. There is no suspicion of foul play. Mr. Haskert had formerly carried mail from

Montgomery to Billingstown, Though not a scratch could be found on it a fine farm horse belonging to Frank Struwin, of Pennfield township, dropped dead in Battle Creek after a runaway. The animal suddenly three up its head, whinnied once and fell dead. Struwin was dragged some dis-

tance and severely bruised. William S. Lane, of Pontiac, has started suit against the Michigan Telephone Co. for \$5,000 damages for in juries sustained by his son, Edward S Lane, a minor, by falling from a cable in Detroit last March. It is alleged that the seat upon which he had to sit while inspecting telephone cables broke and let him fall to the ground.

The German people will have the loan which Russia will seek at the first chance to subscribe to the close of the Japenese war

Despondent because his wife and two small children were left destitute at Cripple Creek, Emil Johnson, a deported miner, committed suicide at

Denver. Thos. F. Kennedy, said to be a member of the noted Knox-Whitman gang of forgers, was arrested in New York vesterday, charged with having raised \$10 draft to \$10,000, depositing it in the German-American bank of Buffalo and then drawing out \$800.

It is announced from Oyster Bay hat the president has decided to receive a committee from the Pennsyl vania miners in relation to the Colorado trouble. The meeting will take place Thursday or Friday of next

Uncle Joe Cannon, in responding to toast at a banquet given by the Merchants' club of Chicago last night to Paul Morton, new secretary of navy, said that the navy of the United States is worth all its cost and ten times more in strength and diplomacy if it never fires a gun.

Fire, which started in the kitchen of the American cafe in the Jerusalem concession at the world's fair grounds, for more than an hour threatened festival hall, the west pavilion and the whole Jerusalem exhibit, causing a loss of \$15,000.

The London physicians who have been studying cancer declare that radium will not cure it, but that much is hoped for from a new serum. They declare cancer is not contagious, that it is not on the increase, and is not caused by a parasite,

The ranchmen who undertook two years ago to convert Robinson marsh, or a part of it lying in the vicinity of Ottawa Station, into a big stock farm have made a miserable failure. The cattle and horses shipped from Chicago to stock the ranch have been sacrificed to pay labor bills, and the dream of the syndicate has faded like mist before the sun.

BUTCHERS' STRIKE.

Fifty Thousand Are Idle and Prices Go Washed Up by the Sea-The Treaty on

Up. As the result of a stubborn disagreecite famine of two years ago. The number out is over 50,000 in the fol-

lowing cities: Chicago20,000 St. Joseph 6,000 Kansas City12,800 East St. Louis 5,000 St. Louis 2,500 St. Paul 1,000 Sioux City 1,000 Nebraska City 400 Fort Worth Total53,800

The price of meat in all the big cities has been advanced with prospects of still further advances. The strikers claim that they can stay out a year without suffering, in fact that they are financially fixed for a prolonged fight. The strikers have refused an offer to

tle prospect of it at present.

IT'S EXPENSIVE. Prices at the Great Fair Are Becoming Burdensome.

The raising of prices on everything at the St. Louis fair may result in the commissioners of the various states making a combined request to the national government to take hold of the fair and run it on a basis of fairer prices. The Michigan commission have been considering the matter of greater economy made necessary, it is said. through the policy of the fair managers in charging as much as possible for everything that is purchased. The Michigan commissioners fear that if expenses are not held down to the bottom it may be impossible to pull through on the \$50,000 appropriation tersburg Tuesday night in the form of have gone into the Angora goat industry quite extensively. Cattle raising is donations were made. Secretary Smith and was received with incredulity, but says: "They have just raised the price at about noon when Viceroy Alexieff of ice 30 to 50 cents per 100 pounds. The ice business of the fair was in the hands of concessionaires, but the managers took the trade out of their hands and assumed it themselves, raising the

price at once You can buy ice in Deroit for 20 cents per 100 pounds. "The fair people also assumed all rights of cartage in the grounds and ple eager to buy the extras. charged their own prices. One of the most annoying things in this connection was that, in carting furniture or inything else, they would not deliver he goods on the porch of your building, but would drop it right down in the middle of the road, leaving you to

carry it in or hire somebody to do so. "No adequate arrangements have been made to bring fruit into the grounds, and hundreds of carloads rot n East St. Louis. Everything must be earted to the grounds, and this takes two or three days."

Toledo's Mayor Dead.

"Golden Rule" Samuel M. Jones, Toledo's famous mayor, passed away late Tuesday afternoon after two days of unconsciousness, during which time it was known that recovery was impossible. Mayor Jones was taken ill of diseases. The immediate cause of which had formed on his lungs. Asth- pulsed with severe loss, ma, from which he had suffered for years, was the primary cause of death. at Chang Ling Sze, which seems to be All the members of his family were aiming at Kuropatkin's line of compresent when he died. Besides his munications with the headquarters at widow, he leaves three sons, Percy, Liao Yang and will probably inter-Paul and Mason. His mourners also pose an effectual barrier to his retreat

Like All American Soldiers. A correspondent of the St. Petersburg Gazette in a mail letter describ-

"Lieut. Vokoulin stood beside two American attaches, Lient-Col. Walter S. Schuyler, U. S. army, and Capt. William V. Judson, U. S. engineer corps. He was greatly impressed by their soldierly bearing. They did not leave the firing line a single minute | Switzerland, Thursday morning from but stood calmly observing the battle pneumonia and supervening heart raging around and unconcernedly smoked cigars, although shells were bursting and bullets whizzing."

Two Hundred Perish.

A cloudburst over the hills northeast of Manila caused a flood which has destroyed San Juan del Monte. Two hundred lives were lost.

The low-lying districts were inundated. The homes of Americans and foreigners are isolated. Transportation through the streets is carried on in boats only.

Rain has fallen for 27 hours, totalling 17 1-5 inches. This is unprecedented. Communication with outside places is interrupted.

The damage to property is estimated it \$2,000,000.

More Reasonable.

Viceroy Alexieff's report that the Japs had been repulsed at Port Arthur with a loss of from 28,000 to 30,000 powerful German fleet ever in British killed, is firmly believed by the people in St. Petersburg, although not the slightest confirmation of the report has come from any quarter, and official circles are inclined to put more credence in a later report which says that the Japs lost 2,800 and the Russians 1,800. This is considered much more probable.

Watchman-"Don't you see the danger sign?"

LOOMIS' BODY FOUND. the Way to Menelik.

The body of F. Kent Loomis, whoment, chiery over wages for unskilled disappeared from the North German labor, one of the most extensive strikes Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II. in the history of the meat packing in- June 20, as that vessel was nearing dustry of the United States began Plymouth, was found Saturday morn-Tuesday in Chicago, Kansas City, ing at Warren Point, adjacent to-Omaha, St. Joseph, Mo., and other Thurleston Sands, some fifteen miles cities where large packing plants are from Plymouth, Eng. Loomis waslocated. If prolonged, the strike is sent by the U. S. government with a expected to cause widespread inconve-treaty entered into with Abyssinia, nience, possibly equaling the anthra- which he was to present to the king. It was feared that Loomis was the victim of foul play and some reports cast. suspicion on one W. H. Ellis, a wealthy colored man, who was on the ship and claimed residence in Abyssinia He took the treaty from Loomis, effects and was authorized by the state department to take it to the king. Inorder to insure its prompt arrival in Abyssinia a cablegram was sent to King Menelik stating explicitly that, as the messenger who had set out with 600 the treaty had disappeared, it would probably be sent on by W. H. Ellis. who carried it as a matter of accommodation and who "is proceeding to Abyssinia on personal business in which this government has no interest and with which it has no concern." It was also stated in the same cablegram that the bearer of the treaty. whoever he was, would have no official or diplomatic character whatsoever. arbitrate with the employers and acts King Menelik has acknowledged reof violence are beginning. The situa- ceipt of this message and said that the tion may be changed, but there is lit- status of the bearer of the treaty was perfectly understood by him.

JAPS DEFEATED.

Reported Repulse With a Loss of 30,-

An official communication from the Russian general staff says: According to information derived

from Japanese sources and received by Admiral Alexieff's military staff, the Japanese attacked the Russian positions at Port Arthur during the night of July 10. They were repulsed with enormous loss. It is difficult to calculate even approximately the number of Japanese casualties, which amounted, it is said, to the immense figure of 30,000.

St. Petersburg was thrown into a fever of excitement by the news. The original report reached St. Peofficially telegraphed the news to the general staff it created a tremendous impression. It was immediately transmitted to the Official Messenger and a

few minutes afterwards the newsboys

were racing through the streets, elec-

trifying the crowds with the tidings.

The boys were fairly mobbed by peo-

RUMORS OF WAR.

A Sensational Report—Situation Grows

Grave-Japs Active. Admiral Togo is dead! This very sensational report came from Port Arthur Saturday, but no details were given and little credence was accorded the

Trustworthy advices indicate that the situation of the Russian army south of Liao Yang is extremely grave, It is said in Mukden that Kuropatkin is almost entirely surrounded and that the Russians are being rapidly driven back on their center at Hai Cheng, A strong Japanese force is reported to have established itself at Anping, on the Liao Yang-Feng Wang Cheng road. threatening the Russian headquarters at Liao Yang. An attempt is said to two weeks age with a complication have been made by the Russians to dislodge this force, but they were re-

Another Japanese army is reported include all the citizens of Toledo, the to the north if he should decide to

greatest sorrow being felt everywhere. avoid giving battle at Hai Cheng. The general opinion in Mukden is that Kuropatkin's chances of extricating his army from its present dilemma without such heavy losses as to pracing incidents at the battle of Vafan- tically destroy its usefulness as an offensive force are very slight.

OOM PAUL. The Old Ex-President of the Transvaal Died in Switzerland.

Paul Kruger, former president of the Transvaal republic, died in Clarens, weakness. Mr. Kruger lost consciousness Monday. His daughter and son-in-law were with him at the time of his death. He had been out only once since his arrival at the beginning of last month. Mr. Kruger, who was staying at the villa du Boichet, had been gradually failing for a long time, but he was able to attend to affairs. read the newspapers and receive visits. until Saturday. A change for the worse set in on Sunday. He became unconscious Monday and remained so until his death. The ex-president's body was embalmed, and the remains: will be placed in a vault pending funeral arrangements. Application will be made to the British government for authority to transport the remains tothe Transvaal.

A German fleet of eight battleships and seven cruisers is paying a three days' visit to England and is the most

waters. Charles M Schwab will soon visit Germany to confer with the Krupp people on a new armor plate, which is said to be much superior to that made in America.

Cardinal Satolli was greeted by a crowd of 8,000 in Chicago Sunday, when he visited the Polish church of the Holy Trinity. The cardinal, while apostolic delegate at Washington, helped to found this church,

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Machine That "Magnifles" Time. Although the stroboscope is not a new device, it has been applied recently to some interesting investigations into the nature of certain rapid motions. Briefly, the device mechanically reproduces at moderate speed successive views of an object moving so rapidly that it cannot be seen by the unaided vision. In a rapidly revolving wheel, for instance, the spokes are apparent as a mere blur,

of a second may be seen drawn out to man is in a precarious condition. a quarter of a second, or even more; the time of its movement, is, as it times.

is achieved simply enough. By means, but they are compelled to remain. with slits passed in front of a lantern, the moving object is illuminated in a succession of flashes. If the flashes are repeated precisely as rapidly as the machine moves, they will show it always in one position, and it will seem to be at rest. But, if they move less rapidly, the machine under observation will seem to move slowly, because at each revolution it will be seen at a slightly later stage.

Thus the formation of a stitch in a sewing machine may be watched, or any other of the thousands of machine movements where it may be important to see what is completed

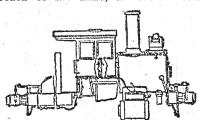
at almost lightning speed. This new use of the stroboscope is important because it permits the microscopic study of a machine work ing at its highest speed, and the noting of strains and vibrations at all points, the imperfections and the possibilities of improvement in its arrangement of parts and their relation to one another.

Automatic Coupling.

There is probably no other occupation for men which shows such a large list of accidents and deaths in comparison with the number of employes as railroading and if there is one branch of this business which is more dangerous than another it is the coupling of cars in the yards at the terminals and freight sidings. Of course, the introduction of the automatic couplers has reduced greatly the number of accidents from this source, but it is still necessary for an employe to station himself at each interest and couplers and couplers and reduced greatly the course of the cars for the cars fo list of accidents and deaths in com-

employe to station himself at each junction of the cars, to manipulate the coupler head by means of the lever on either car and in this there is chance of a mishap unless he is cautious.

Perhaps the largest number of couplings is made between the switching engine and cars it is to draw and for this work there has just been introduced an automatic arrangement which enables the enginee and cars it is to draw and or disconnect the engineer to connect or disconnect the enginee and cars it is to draw and so the couplings is made between the switching engine and cars it is to draw and for this work there has just been introduced an automatic arrangement which enables the engineer to connect or disconnect the engine and cars with the coupling at the cauchy in steers, \$00 to 1,000 lbs, \$3 50@3 75; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$3 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 75; to consider or disconnect the engine and cars without leaving his cab. Within easy reach of his hand, as shown here,



Operated from the Cab.

there are levers which connect direct ly with the couplers at the front and rear of the engine and as the engine approaches or recedes from a car s movement of the proper lever will set the coupler to engage or release the corresponding coupler on the car. The inventor is Augustus C. Hone

of Louisville, Ky.

Kitchen Utensil Handle. There are innumerable disadvantages in having to handle pans of various kinds which are provided with permanently attached handles. Burnt fingers frequently result and when cloths are used to lift the pans the acme of cleanliness is not always permissible. Then, too, there are pans which are not, in the nature of things, provided with handles, and the house

wife is left to her own devices to find

means of lifting these from the stove. A Pennsylvania man, inspired probably by the admonitions of his wife, has devised a detachable handle that will meet the requirements of the situation. It can be used in lifting any pan, can be attached in an instant and will hold the pan as securely as if it was soldered directly to the side of the utensil. It is removable as easily as it is attached and one of these handles will serve for as many of the cooking utensils as the stove

Utility of Sun Spots.

Sir Norman Lockyer, the British astronomer, has advanced a remarkable new theory concerning the utility of sun spots. Sir Norman contends that the discovery and understanding of these phenomena will prove one of the most beneficial additions to the world in general. He believes that such knowledge may enable astronomers to convert the sun into an agent to enable the nations to cope with droughts and famines. The spots on the sun may render it possible to predict with practical certainty the coming of famine and the exact part of the world where it will take place.

In for a Long Rest. The maid-Of the men of your acquaintance who have married which do you think are the happlest? The bachelor-The dead.

MICHIGAN NEWS NOTES.

Kalamazoo and Flint report heavy damage by the electric storm which swept over the state Monday.

Lansing is now at the hight of its prosperity, every industry in the city being in an exceptionally flourishing condition, and the city generally being on a more substantial footing than ever before.

Gov. Bliss honored the requisition of Yates, of Illinois, for Martin Gov. Smith, alias Martin Jensen, who is wanted at Bloomington, Ill., on a charge of grand larceny. Smith is under arrest at Kalamazoo.

. The most peculiar accident befell Mrs. Frank Krase, of Port Huron. In or else are quite invisible to the eye. her attempt to dislodge a fish bone By the stroboscope, a movement which she was choking upon her jaws which takes place in a hundredth part snapped and were dislocated. The wo-

Saginaw county jail is under quarantine because John Derby, a vagrant, were, magnified almost any number of was found to have smallpox. There are 18 inmates in the jail, four of whom Like many wonderful results, this were to have been released on Friday,

of electric sparks fired at rapidly re- The body of an unknown man has curring intervals, or a revolving disk been found dead in a field near Packard Station. It is believed this is the burglar who was shot by ex-Mayor W. P. Packard, of South Haven, early

Friday morning, and who escaped. Visitors at the state encampment this year will find no headquarters mess, but will have to pay board. The expense of entertaining Brig.-Gen. Grant and other regular army officers who contemplate visiting the camp will have to be borne by the enembers of

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending July 23 TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND-Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50. AVENUE THEATRE—Majestic Stock Co.—After-noons 2:15, 25c to 50c; Evenings 8:15, 25c to 50.

STEAMERS LEAVING DETROIT.

WHITE STAR LINE-Foot of Griswold st; Boats for Port Huron and way ports daily at 8:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. For Toledo at 4:30 p. m. Leave Port Huron for Detroit 6:30 am; 3:45 pm DETROIT & BUFFALO STEAMBOAT CO;--Foot of Wayne Street; for Buffalo daily at 4:01 p. m. DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAV. Co; Foot Wayne St; for Cleveland daily 9:30 a.m; and 10:30 p.m. For Mackinac, Monday and Saturday 5:00 p.m; Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a.m.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago—Market strong: good to prime steers, \$5 50@6 25; poor to medlum, \$4 50@5; stockers and feeders, \$2 50@4; cows, \$1 50@4 50; heifers, \$2@5; canners, \$1 50@2 60; bulls, \$2@4; calves, \$2 50@5 50; Texas-fed steers, \$4 55@5 20.

Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5 20@5 60; good to choice heavy, \$5 45@5 65; rough heavy, \$5 15@5 50· light, \$5 25@5 60; bulk of sales, \$5 35@5 55.

Sheep—Lambs steady, good to choice wethers, \$4@5; fair to choice mixed, \$3 50@4; native lambs, \$4@6 50.

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East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$5.90 to \$6.25; best, \$12 to \$13; shipping steers, \$5.10 to \$5.50; good, \$10.50 to \$11; butcher steers, \$4.60 to \$4.80; 900 to 1,000 do., \$4.25 to \$4.40; best fat cows \$3.75 to \$4.25; fair to good, \$3.25 to \$3.50; trimmers, \$1.50 to \$2; best fat heifers, if dry fed, \$4.75 to \$5; medium heifers, \$3 to \$3.25; fat heifers, grassers, \$2.50 to \$3.75; common stock heifers \$2.50 to \$3.75; common stock heifers, \$2.50 to \$3; best feedling steers, \$9 to \$10; dehorned, \$2.60 to \$3.50; best yearling steers, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common stockers, \$2.50 to \$3; export bulls, \$4 to \$4.25; bologna bulls, \$2.75 to \$5; little Jersey bulls, \$2.50 to \$3; fresh cows, market very slow; good to extra, \$35 to \$45; medium to good, \$25 to \$33; common. \$15 to \$20.

Calves—Best, \$5.75 to \$6; fair to good, \$5 to \$5.50; heavy, \$4 to \$4.50.

Hogs—Yorkers and mixed, \$5.70 to \$5.75; medium and heavy, \$5.80 to \$5.85; pigs, \$5.60 to \$5.75; roughs, \$4.90 to \$5; stags, \$3.50 to \$4.

Sheep—Best spring lambs, \$6.75 to \$7; fair to good, \$6.25 to \$6.35; culls and common, \$4.50 to \$5.50; winter lambs, \$5 to \$5.25; best mixed sheep, \$3.75 to \$4; fair to good, \$3.25 to \$3.50; culls and bucks, \$2 to \$2.50; wethers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; ewes, \$3.50 to \$3.60.

Grain, Etc.

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Chicago—These are cash quotations:
No. 2 spring wheat, 98c@\$1; No. 3, 94c;
No. 2 red, \$1 10@1 12; No. 2 corn,
49¾c; No. 2 yellow, 51@51½c; No. 2
oats, 37½c; No. 3 white, 41½@41½c;
No. 2 ryc, 68c; good feeding barley, 35
@38c; fair to choice malting, 45@50c;
No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 14; No. 1 northwestcrn, \$1 19½; prime timothy seed, \$2 95;
clover, contract grade, \$10 75@11.

Detroit—These are cash prices: Wheat—No. 1 white, \$1 07; No. 2 red spot, \$1 07, nominal; July, 5,000 bushels at \$1 00½, 5,000 bushels at \$1; September, 5,000 bushels at 92%c, 10,000 bushels at 92%c, 10,000 bushels at 92%c, 5,000 bushels at 92%c, 10,000 bushels at 92%c, 5,000 bushels at 92%c, 10,000 bushels at 92%c, 10,000 bushels at 93%c; No. 3 red, \$1 05 per bushel.

Oats—No. 3 white, spot, 5 cars at 43%c per bushel.

Ryc—No. 2 spot, nominal, at 73c per bushel.

bushel.

Beans—Spot and October, \$1 60; November, 1 car at \$1 56 per bushel.

Clover seed—Prime, spot, 10 bags at \$6 25; October, 100 bags at \$6 05 per bushel. Timothy seed—Prime, spot, 15 bags at \$1 45 per bushel.

Railroad men were looking around in the vicinity of Detour last week and it is supposed that they are figuring on a new road to Detour. If such a road were built it would be a great thing for that section of Chippewa county, which is now without railroad com-

munication. His clothes in pawn and with a few cents in his pockets, John W. Brown. of Milwaukee, ended his life in a dilapidated shack at the Spiritualists' camp grounds at Reed's lake. He had been dead, from a bullet wound in his right temple, for several days, as his body was badly decomposed,

is individual Wealth Consistent With the Welfare of Society?

By Lyman J. Gage, Former Secretary of the Treasury

UT one of us who lives in the modern times, when no famine nor disease stalk the land, when he visits the city and walks up the avenues and sees the palaces, and the dresses of the richest fabrics and rarest patterns, and all the luxuries that unbounded wealth can give, his views are unlike those of the barbarians.

If he is a believer in Divine Providence he is likely to inquire how the good things in life should be divided in such a partial manner. Tolstoy has said that no one has a right to anything that he has not produced by his own hand, and a more modern man, a preacher, has said that no man acquires \$1,000,000 honestly. That sounds first rate for people who have not \$1,000,000. That is the question I want to consider, but I can do so only superficially at this time

There is a preliminary question, and that is, "How is wealth produced, and how is it rightfully divided?" One thing is manifest to all. It is that land, labor and capital in themselves have no power at all. Land idle grows weeds, labor unemployed

starves, capital when not in use brings no returns. If you look at the matter fairly you will find that there is another faculty, and that is ability. If any man by his ability, ingenuity, skill or knowledge so conserves the thing as to make it useful, he is entitled to a share at least of the benefits he confers on society.

If we were to return to the old methods of transportation before the adopion of the trunk lines, we would have to pay one billion and a half for freightage more than we pay now. Still, land has not become more fruitful, labor, as labor, no more efficient, and yet the power has been supplemented by machinery and scientific discovery. Wealth is being produced with a rapidity never before known in the history of the world, and everybody has part of the advantages of the enormous increase in wealth.

The wealth of the country has increased six times since the Civil War, while the population has increased but two and a half times. Deposits amounting to \$2,500,000,000 in the savings banks is divided among 5,400,000 depositors. There are people who do get rich and don't do anything to deserve it. They get it by the game of hazard, by fraud in dubious ways, and there are men who prefer violence and theft to industry. There are adventurers not only in low finance but high finance in Wall Street, but they constitute only a small part

I have argued the material advantages of wealth, and, I think, demonstrated that it is not injurious to society. There is another question, and that is the moral disposition of wealth. That I do not propose to discuss. I will leave the other questions to moralists and philosophers.

Table Company to Move.

The Grand Rapids Table company has decided to move its factory to Muskegon. The company will employ about 150 men.

Seek State Shooting Tourney. Hillsdale sportsmen are making an effort to secure the state shooting tournament which meets next month.

Fowlerville State Bank. Fowlerville is to have a new bank, organized under the state banking law, with \$25,000 capital.

him out in time to save his life. had been despondent of late.

Doctor Saves a Life.

Boyd Kunkle, aged about 23, son of

Short-Measure Crusade. The Saginaw police have com-

menced a crusade against the use of short measures by fruit peddlers, and have found that nine out of ten of the measures used are from 5 to 25 per

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Antioch, Ill., dispatch: Esch Brothers & Rabe's ice-house at Leon lake was struck by lightning and completely destroyed by fire. The building was full of ice and comparatively

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A strictly first-class, modern, up-todate Hotel, located in the heart of

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We have Awarded \$20,000.00 Cash to Lion Coffee users in our Great World's Fair Contest—2139 people get checks, 2139 more will get them in the

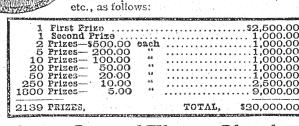
Presidential Vote Contest What will be the total popular vote cast

Five Lion-Heads cut from Lion Coffee Packages and a 2-cent stamp entitle you (in addition to the regular free premiums) to one vote. The 2-cent stamp covers our acknowledgment to you that your estimate is recorded. You can send as many estimates as desired.

Grand First Prize of \$5,000.00

will be awarded to the one who is nearest correct on both our World's Fair and Presidential Vote Contests.

We also offer \$5,000.00 Special Cash Prizes to Grocers' Clerks. (Particulars in each case of Lion Coffee.)



November 8, 1904?

for President (votes for all can-

didates combined) at the election

In 1900 election, 13,959,653 people voted for President. For nearest correct estimates received in Woolson Spice Company's office, Toledo, O., on or before November 5, 1904, we will give first prize for the nearest correct estimate,

prize to the next nearest, etc.,

How Would Your Name Look on One of These Checks? Everybody uses coffee. If you will use LHON COFFEE long enough to get acquainted with it, you will be suited and convinced there is no other such value for the money. Then you will take no other—and that's why we advertise. And we are using our advertising money so that both of us—you as well as we—will get a benefit. Hence for your Lion Mends

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"Ifind Thedford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver disease. It cured my on after he had spent \$100 with doctors. It is all the med-icine I take."—MRS. CA"OLINE MARTIN, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not act regularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the constipated bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion

Thedford's Black - Draught will cleanse the bowels of impurities and strengthen the kidneys. A torpid liver invites colds, biliousness, chills and fever and all manner of sickness and contagion. Weak kidneys result in Bright's disease which claims as many victims as consumption. A 25-cent package of Thedford's Black-Draught should always be kept

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money's worth."

If your Eyes

Trouble You

Remember immediate relief awaits them HERE-that permanent relief, so seldom exper-

You owe your Eyes proper care. It's your first duty to the foremost blessing of nature to have them examined by a competent Optician. We are thoroughly competent and shall gladly tell you what the trouble is, and the remedy.

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W. C. SANFORD, Gen. Supt.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Report of School District No. 5, Fr., of

Eikiand, for year ending a dif in 1901.	
RECEIPTS.	
Bal, on hand at close of last year	\$2183
Rec'd from voted tax	2199
Rec'd from one mill tax	489
Rec'd from library money	- 8
Rec'd from primary money	1361
Rec'd from tuition non-resident pupils	414
Rec'd from laboratory fee	- 10
Rec'd from dog tax	37
Rec'd from returned from Co. treas	16
Rec'd from receipts of entertainment	50
Total receipts	\$6772
DISBURSEMENTS.	100
TEACHERS' SALARY.	

	F. E. Sinclair
	T. E. Singair
	Luanna Bellow
	Mima Mac Arthur
1	Hattie Malam
	Ella LePla
	May Beardsley
	Dora Fritz
	Martha Henry
	Zella Beardsley
	Mrs. S. P. Jackson
	OFFICERS' SALARY.
	P. S. McGregory, treasurer
	W. J. Campbell, director
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	Cass City Enterprise, magazines
	Laing & Janes, carpet and supplies
	Cass City Enterprise, exam. paper
	John Daily, cleaning vaults

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H. L. Hunt, supplies. Cass City Enterprise, magazines. Laing & Janes, carpet and supplies. Cass City Enterprise, exam. paper. John Daily, cleaning vaults. Chas. Robinson, laundry. Tuscola Co. Ins. Co., insurance. Mr. Sisson, cleaning piano. F. E. Sinchair, sup. readers. Zella Beardsley, kindergarten supplies F. Klump, cards. T. H. Fritz, supplies Jas. McKenzle, cleaning chinney. Cass City Enterprise, catalogs. F. Klump, printing. F. E. Sinclair, express. Central Scientific Co., supplies. W. J. Campbell, express and postage H. Lenzner, promotion certificates. W. M. Welsh Co., diplomas. L. I. Wood & Co., supplies.
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	REPAIRS AND SEATING.
	M. Seeger, labor
	Favorite Desk & Seat Co., seating
	Cross & Wright, kalsomining
	A. H. Muck, freight and draying
	Landon, Eno & Keating, repairs
	Mr. Matzen, painting
	A. D. Gillies, painting
	M. Carolan, labor
	P. O. & N. R. R., freight
	R. Duggan, labor
	T. H. Fritz, paper and kalsomine
	Cass City Lumber and Coal Co.,
	material
	C. O. Lenzner, repairs on table
	W. N. Straube, electric bells, wiring
	W. Fallis. repairs
	F. Smithson, draying
	John Whale, labor
	Jas. McKenzie, labor

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	L. I. Wood & Co., paper and moulding	12 :
	Sam Dodge, labor	:1(
	Bigelow & Sons, paint and material	54 :
	J. B. Cootes, pipe covering and re-	
	pairs	129
	H. T. Elliott, table	2:
	Cass City village water tax	
	-	\$5148
	Total receipts	\$6779
	Potal dispressments	15148

Balance on hand... W. J. CAMPBELL, Director.

A appreciator of music presented the treasurer of the band with an imimpromptu collection after the serenade Tuesday evening. It amounted to over \$6.00. Since its organization, the band has had the reputation of being self-supporting in every respect, paying for its instructor, music and other expenses, and has never solicited funds for its support. While the price of the Detroit The necessary amount for meeting Daily Journal was recently advanced expenses has been provided by money to 10 cents a week, the paper has since earned by the band by entertainments been very materially improved, and a and by voluntary donations. This is West Pine street of A. H. Ale. Mr. who persist in waiting until time for Auto Co., of Saginaw. Mr. Frutchey person will still get more than "his a reputation which is not enjoyed by many organizations of this kind.

Local Items.

No demand in overcoats. Those band concerts should come

H. S. Wickware spent Sunday at Oak Bluff.

Roy Rice spent Sunday with friends

n Gagetown. Chas. Lee of Owendale was in town ast Thursday.

Mrs. Jos. Pettinger of Argyle was n town Monday.

Mrs. Schroeder was taken suddenly ll Monday evening.

H. F. Lenzner spent Sunday with friends in Sebewaing.

Miss Ora McKim is visiting with friends at Oak Bluff.

II. C. Wales of Elkton was in town Monday on business. D. E. Spencer of Bad Axe is in town

this week on business Chas. Roblin of Greenleaf called on

friends in town Monday. Miss Cerlista Crawford is visiting

with friends in Ontario. Miss Florence Hill has gone to Bad

Axe to visit with friends. Joseph Ryan of Gagetown was in

town Monday on business. Lester Bailey and Pearl Parker were in Bad Axe Monday on business.

H. T. Elliott has sold his black mare to the Pontiac Stock Farm.

Miss Nellie Goff returned home from Flint last Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Walters is now employed in the office of Dr. A. N. Treadgold. Miss Ethel Striffler of Argyle is visiting relatives in town and vicinity. Mrs. C. O. Blinn of Marlette was

the guest of Mrs. F. C. Lee Monday. here. Ed Eno has commenced the erection of a new dwelling on West Main street. guest of her cousin Miss Etta Wick-

Miss Rose Fancher of Detroit has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. S.

Mrs. Mast of Sebewaing is the guest of Mrs. Catherine Benkelman this

N. Kitchin is treating his residence on Houghton street to a fresh coat of

Miss Bertha Zinnecker went to Bad Axe Wednesday where she will visit friends.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Topping, northwest of town, is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brownley of Detroit spent Sunday with relatives in town. Miss Myrtle Hewson spent part of

last week with her grandparents at Greenleaf.

week painting the barn on the farm of N. Hill. Miss Lena Rice returned home Sat-

urday from a visit with friends in 400 00 Imlay City. Mrs. Emma Patterson is spending

Mr. and Mrs. D. Schnider and fam-

ily spent Sunday with relatives in Greenleaf. E. A. Jones left Monday morning

on a business trip through Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Newman Axford and little son of Pontiac are the guests of relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lee and daughtər, Leila, spent Thursday and Friday

with Caro friends. Miss Lovina Ensley of Oxford is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and

Mrs. Geo. W. Ensley. W. D. Striffler and family of Argyle spent Sunday at the home of C.

Striffler, east of town. Angus McPhail and the Misses Lena home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Muck and Lucy Parker spent Sunday with friends in Argyle. Mr. and Mrs. Horton, formerly of

this place but now of Pontiac, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. G. Masselink and children of

Lansing are visiting at the home of her father, Jas. MacArthur. J. D. Crosby, M. Sheridan and H. Frutchey participated in a shooting

match at Gagetown last Friday. Miss Nellie Perkins left Wednesday afternoon for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Seeley, at West Branch.

Annis Halleck entertained a company of her little friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of her birth-

The Misses Bertha Elliott and Elsie Craig, and Matthew King of Pontiac spent Sunday at the home of H. T. Hill & Parent placed a large marble

monument in the Sutherland ceme- work done hereafter. They have and enjoy the day's outing. tery near Argyle last week for John come to the conclusion that it doesn't

F. Sykes has purchased a lot on Sykes will erect a residence thereon this fall.

Mrs. Joseph Brown of Wickware eft Friday for St. Thomas, Ont., on account of the illness of her father at

Andrew Campbell returned home Sunday from Newberry via Harbor Beach, to spend a few days with friends here.

Alex Livingston, a well known resident of Novesta, aged eighty-four years, died Tuesday morning after a short illness.

Miss Pearl Gooden, who has been the guest of friends here for a couple of weeks, returned to her home in Detroit Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John Cruthers of Ar-

gyle and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Harrison of Elmer City were guests at the home of Mrs. E. J. Usher Sunday. Mrs. E. J. Usher is improving the

appearance of her residence on Third street by the addition of porches. Chas. E. Patterson is doing the work. Mrs. L. V. Soldan and three daugh-

ters left Thursday for an extended visit with friends in Grand Rapids, Caledonia, Woodland and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDermott who have been the guests of friends and relatives here, returned to their home in Douglas, Arizona, on Mon-

Miss Cecil McKim has secured the

school known as the "Thane" school in District No. 2, Ellington, which she will teach next year. School will commence September 4. Quarterly meeting services will be

held at the Evangelical church on Friday and lasting over Sunday. The presiding elder, G. A. Hettler, is expected to be present for the services.

Mrs. Thos. Cross and daughter, Ella, went to Petrolia, Ont., last Saturday to visit with friends. They will probably visit friends in Woodstock before returning to their home

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Messner of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives Miss Higgins of Gagetown is the in town. Mrs. Conrad Messner returned home with them Sunday evening and will visit there a couple of

> Mrs. Chas. G. Putney of Sanilac Centre, wife of the popular and efficient commissioner of schools of Sanilac county, died last Thursday at Saginaw, where she went to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Predmore, formerly of Joliet, Ill., have returned to Cass City where they expect to make their future home. Mr. Predmore has entered the employ of J. A. Renshler in

the blacksmith shop. The Misses Georgia and Mabel Brondige of Pontiac came Sunday to visit their cousin, Miss Nellie Bigelow. Miss Mabel returned home Sunday evening and Miss Georgia remained

for an extended visit. Miss Agnes Pitcher, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Ball for some time, returned to her home Wm., Seeger is at Pinnebog this in Pontiac last Saturday. She was accompanied by Grace Meiser, who

will spend some time there. F. J. Armstrong, who has been employed in John Schwaderer's meat market for the past three months, left Monday for Pontiac where he has

the week at the home of A. Seeger at secured employment. He was accompanied by Mrs. Armstrong. Unclaimed letters in the Cass City postoffice for the week ending July 16,

1904: Mr. Geo. F. Darling, Mrs. Geo. Palmer, Easter Holtenshed, Mrs. P. E. Smith (2.) When calling for the above please mention advertised. While in Detroit recently F. Sykes purchased a Cuban parrot. The bird

is a very pretty one and although young it is rapidly learning to imitate sounds and Mr. Sykes has great hopes for its mastery of the English Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McDermott,

who have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermott, left last Friday for Carson City in this state where they will spend a few days before going to their

The Maccabee picnic in Mrs. Robt. Orr's grove Monday afternoon was quite largely attended and a good time reported. Supper was served about six o'clock and it was almost dark when the last of the crowd left the grounds. This grove is a charming spot and all enjoyed the bountiful supper under the shade of the trees.

Rev. S. P. Todd, field worker for Alma College, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening. His subject in the morning will be "Christian education," and in the evening the services will be evangelistic. The subject will be "The story of the come at these services. The three local barbers have en-

tered into an agreement to close their places of business at nine o'clock every evening except Saturday evening, and there will not be any more Sunday "lights out" before visiting the barbershop.

DR. FENNER'S

gravel, dropsy, female troubles. Backache

"I have been a sufferer from rheumatism for 10 years and have often been confined to the house and sometimes to my bed for several days. I commenced taking Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure when I was suffering intensely. It afforded relief at once. I now feel as well as I ever have in my life.

ADA BLACKWELL, Kansas City, Mo." "I suffered from kidney and bladder trouble until life was not worth living. I began using Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure and in a short time noticed a great improvement.

I was soon permanently cured.

HOWARD MITCHELL, Kansas City Mo."

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Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenn

He has spent a lifetime curing just such cases as yours. All consultations are FREE.

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Star Windmills **American Cultivators** Oliver Plows Syracuse Plows **DeLaval Cream** Separators

Also remember that we have these goods on hand and want to sell them.

We have just received a

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and can suit you in price and quality. Come and see us.

That is exactly what you will find at our shop. We always have a complete assortment of

Fresh, Salted and Smoked Meats,

Bologna, Etc.

FRESH VEGETABLES AND FISH.

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I HAVE FOR SALE

White Lead and Pure Linseed Oil

ALSO A FULL LINE OF

Mixed Paints Ready to use Ready to wear Ready Mixed Carriage Paints

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

Thos. Cross Wickware Building

FINE BOX PAPER

The finest line of Box Paper ever shown. Over 100 different numbers.

10 to 50 cents a box.

Come in and see the line.

T. H. FRITZ, Druggist

day schools of every denomination are trips this season. invited to participate. Train leaves Cass City at 7:43 a.m.; round trip fare for adults, \$1; children \$.50. The return train leaves Orion at 6:00 p. m., Baby Bonnets and Tams from 15c up, standard time. Take your baskets at Mrs. M. J. McGillvray's. 7-22-tf

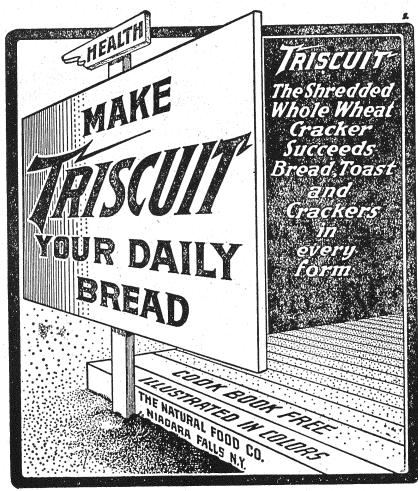
pay to work fourteen days in a week Tuesday with a new Olds touring car just to gratify the tardy customers which he purchased from the Norris made the trip in his car and he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Norris gust 15.

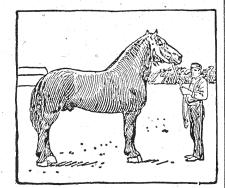
A special excursion will be given to and Mr. and Mrs. Palmerton of Sag-Lake Orion via the P. O. & N. and M. inaw in another car. His conveyance C. railroads on Saturday, July 23, on is propelled by a ten horse-power enaccount of the Grand Epworth League gine and is as durable as it is handthree crosses." Everybody made wel- Rally at Orion that day. The Sun- some. He anticipates many pleasure

> Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Trimmed and Ready-to-wear Hats,

FOUND-A gleam of summer. Herb Frutchey arrived home on Owner can recover same by calling at Candy Kitchen.

> Notice! Village taxes must be paid by Au-M. L. MOORE, Treas.





DR. W. M. MORRIS, Assistant Veterinary Surgeon, Cass City

Honor graduate of Ontario Veterinmember of the Ontario Veterinary Chambers, at present. Medical Society. All diseases of do-

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Woman's Troubles are Over Now.

Zoa Phora Has Put an End to All Her Pain and Suffering.

TRIAL BOTTLE FREE TO ALL

For women, young and old, Zoa Phora is the blessing of the age. It cures leucorrhea, misplacements, suppressed and painful periods, flooding, irregularities, piles, liver, kidney and bladder trouble, makes childbirth easy and regulates the change of life. No woman need suffer longer; what Zoa Phora has done for thousands it will do for you.



MRS. POLLANY DENEEN, Marine City, Mich. Mrs. Pollany Deneen, Marine City, Mich., says:
"I humbly thank you for the good your medicine has done for me, after suffering for four years with nervous and heart trouble. I would have spells when I would drop down anywhere and would remain unconscious for as long as 24 hours at a time. The doctor said it was a hard case of dropsy and something that could not be cured. I heard of your remedy and took it according to directions and found relief with the first bottle, so I continued it until I had used six bottles and now I am well and able to do a good day's washing, which I could not do before. I can't thank you enough for what your remedy has done for me, and I recommend it to all who suffer, as it is worth its weight in gold to sick

women."
Write the Zoa Phora Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial bottle and copy of their illustrated medical book, "Dr. Pengelly's Advice to Women." The doctor will gladly give free special advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at

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Foreclosure Sale.

Poreclosure 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 588, on which mortgage there is claimed due at this date \$700 the principal, also \$124.63 interest due and an attorncy fee of \$15 in said mortgage mas all 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'clork in the afternoon.

ofternoon.

Dated June 21, 1904.

JACOB H. STRIFFLER.

Assigne E. B. LANDON,
Attorney for Assignee.
Business address, Cass City, Mich. 6-24-13

TRY A LINER IN THE CHRONICLE

Correspondence

PINGREE.

Excessive heat and dry weather. Philip Mark is improving his new farm.

Haying is about completed in this

Etta Mark is at home at present for a brief visit with friends.

Mr. Bearup and family of Novesta

called at Chas. I. Cooke's Sunday. Mrs. A. Myers of Lansing is visiting ary College, Toronto, and a registered her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen

Mrs. Don C. Nutt of Greenleaf met mestic animals skilfully treated. with an accident last Thursday by Night calls promptly attended to falling from a load of hay to the Dr. Pyke will be at the office at all ground just escaping a stone pile.

Fortunately she received but slight injuries and is recovering. SAVED FROM TERRIBLE DEATH The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The

and were powerless to save her. The most skilful physicians and every remedy used, failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial Bottles free at L. I. Wood & Co's. Drug Store.

DEFORD.

Miss Dora Roberts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Plain, at Orion.

Miss Pearl Withey of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Withey.

The L. A. S. gave an ice cream social in the society hall Friday evening. Proceeds amounting to \$12.

Mrs. Geo. Roberts returned home Thursday evening from North Branch where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Bower.

Miss Florence McCallum of Chicago returned home Monday for a few weeks' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCallum.

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Can be Cured with Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

If your nerves are subject to disturbances, such as Headaches, Neuralgia, Backache, Rheumatism, Menstrual Backache, Rheumatism, Pains, Sleeplessness, etc., their jarring and jangling can be quickly ended with

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when troubled with headache, and find
that one pill infallibly effects relief in a
very short time. I also use Dr. Miles'
Nerve and Liver Pills when necessary.
I am considerably afflicted with neuralgia of the head and find these pills of
much benefit to me. They are all that
is claimed for them."—GEORGE COLGATE, 219 Oakland St., San Antonio,
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BEAULEY.

Good hot hay weather. Mr. Sheppard and partner are busy

Irilling a well for Jacob Hartsell. Misses Louise and Jennie McDonald, who are employed in Ubly, spent Sun-

day at their home here. Mrs. Beedon, who has been very sick with fever, is recovering nicely

under the care of Dr. Hays. Chas. E. Hartsell and wife and sister, Mary, visited at Clark Ma-

harge's near Gagetown Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parr, Jr., and Mrs. Parr's mother, Mrs. Battle, are planning a visit in the near future to Alberta and other points in the Canadian Northwest.

George Parr, in a recent letter from Alberta, writes that he is much fleshier there than he was when here. and that catarrh does not trouble him there. He also says that he never expects to make his home here again.

On Saturday Wesley Young's team became frightened while drawing a load of hay. They fan away turning the hay and rack off and upsetting tives in this vicinity. the wagon. At the first culvert the the culvert. Mr. Young was obliged McPhail. to kill the horse.

Many from here attended the funeral of Miss Kerr at Popple last Saturday. She was greatly loved oy all, The members of her class were mourners and the choir from Beauley sang of all. at the funeral instead of the home choir. Rev. Beedon felt the loss too keenly to preach so he succeeded in getting Dr. Fulton of Bad Axe to conduct the funeral in his stead.

DOMESTIC TROUBLE.

It is exceptional to find a family occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save STRIFFLER & Modermott. Cass City. by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cure. 25c, at L. I. Wood & Co's. Drug Store.

WILMOT.

Mrs. Thompson of Caro is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edwin Heartt.

Miss Minnie Shoemaker visited friends in Carsonville Monday and Tuesday.

Edwin Heartt and children friends in Carsonville Monday and quite poorly. W. B. and F. O. Westery have re-

turned from visiting friends at Indian River and Chebovgan. Axis Heartt fell down cellar with

her nephew in her arms. Both were badly bruised but no bones were broken. The two boys of Frank O. Westerby

of Kingston are visiting at the home of their grandparent, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Westerby. The people of Wilmot were startled Monday by the appearance of a man whom they suspected was a tramp, but come to investigate it was only W.B.

Westerby, who had had a shave. We knew him by his kind voice and smile. HOW'S THIS.

We offer one hundred dollars re-ward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, having known

F. J. Cheney for the past 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. WALDING, HINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

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Magic Cure for Sprains and Bruises.

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Dr. Colwell's Magic Egyptian Oil cures permanently and thoroughly spinal diseases, diarrhea, stomach and bowel troubles, rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sciatica, backache, contracted cords and muscles, stiffened joints, sprains, bruises, cuts and wounds, burns and scalds, soreness of all kinds, frost bites, chilbiains, swellings and spinal affections. A bottle handy in the home is a household blessing. It costs only 50 cents a bottle.

Hon. H. E. Edwards, ex-postmaster of Jackson, Mich., says: "It pleases me to recommend a remedy of so great merit as Dr. Colwell's Magic Egyptian Oil. One bottle cured one of my family of a spinal trouble, from which she has suffered for over seven years. I have used it for over thirteen years for bowel trouble and outward application, and always with great success. I never knew it to fail. I consider it a most wonderful remedy and always keep It in the house."

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Greatest of All Blood Medicines.

Blood is the Vital Fluid-It Must Be Pure or Disease and Death Follow.

Dr. Colwell's Egyptian Blood Purifier and Tonic cures absolutely and permanently scrofula, skin eruptions, pimples, salt rheum, erystpe-las, boils, tumors, tetter, sores, ulcers, ulceration of the stomach and bowels, female weaknesses, dyspepsia, debility, dropsy, syphilis in all its forms, and all diseases arising from hereditary taint or impoverished condition of the blood. Dr. Colwell's Magic Egyptian Oil Co.

Gentlemen: I was sick for over three months with malaria, part of the time flat on my back, and being treated by some of the best phyand being treated by some of the best physicians in the country, but did not seem to improve, in fact, I was getting worse until a friend called my attention to your Dr. Colwell's Egyptian Blood Purifier and Tonic. I secured a bottle and began taking it, in two days I felt decidedly better, and in five days I was able to return to my work. I have taken a little over two of your one dollar bottles and am now as good as new. I cannot recommend your blood purifier too highly. Yours truly, W. B. Robins, Supt., Jackson Cushion Spring Co., 217 S. Bowen St., Jackson, Mich.
Dr. Colwell's Egyptian Blood Purifier and Dr. Colwell's Egyptian Blood Purifier and Tonic is guaranteed to give satisfaction or the purchase price will be refunded. It is for sale at \$1.00 a bottle by

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ARGYLE.

George and Will Langenburg were n Deckerville Saturday.

game in Deckerville last Sunday.

the guest of Ruth Striffler Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sprague of Pontiac visited at John Brooks' Sunday.

Miss Lucile Gamble of Sebewaing is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. W. Striffler. Mrs. A. Herdell and Miss Langenburg were callers in Cass City last

troit are visiting at the home of Geo.

Prosecuting Attorney Farr passed through town Tuesday enroute for Wickware. Chas. McKeathen of Flint, a former

resident of Cumber, is visiting rela-

horses swung to one side causing one Parker and Lena Muck of Cass City of them to break his leg at the end of spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. N.

teaching a class in Sunday school. to rest in the Austin cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy

all others and costs no more. Furnished with where there are no domestic ruptures steel or cast wheels. It overcomes the hard-

TOWN LINE.

Fred Burton has a sick horse.

Haying is the order of the day in

Mrs. John McCracken's health is Miss Addie Sole is home from Caro

Pratt are sick. J. Wintworth is erecting a granary to cut his knee one day last week quite the best Salve on earth for Piles, too. and workshop.

25c, at L. I. Wood & Co's., Druggists. and workshop.

Mrs. Colaghan is very low at this

Helen King of Shabbona spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Ruby Proper attended the ball

Miss Ethel Herber of Detroit was

Mr. and Mrs. Rose and son of De-

Angus McPhail and Misses Lucy

Lizzie, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Anglebrandt, died last Friday of appendicitis. The funeral was held on Monday in the R. being a member of the M. E. choir and C. church and the remains were laid

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Farmers do you realize it pays to well care for a good paying crop? The genuine "Miller Bean Harvester" made only by the Le Roy Plow Company, Le Roy, New York, is better than it has been in its twenty-five years history. Others imitate it, but the genuine leads

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The youngest son of Leonard Patch

this locality.

Members of the family of William



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Work Regardless of Price

At the Old Reliable Stands J. A. RENSHLER R. A. LUTZE

Parties from Wilmot are visiting on the town line.

The daughter of R. A. Meshier is gaining slowly. Mrs. Sole is at the home of her

daughter in Dryden. Willard and Bert Lester have gone to Capac to labor through haying.

Miss Cassie Bess of Imlay City has been at the home J. D. Funk the past

C. H. Hoffman and wife of Birmingham are here visiting relatives and and friends.

WONDERFUL NERVE.

Is displayed by many a man endur-Miss Addie Sole is home from Caro ing pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, where she has been taking care of her Stiff Leints Brusses, Burns, Scalds, Sore Feet or unt.

M. Crittenden had the misfortune it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's

Registered SHORT HORNS AT AUCTION

Having decided to divide my herd with the public, I will offer at public auction at my farm 60 rods west of Elmwood

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Postoffice on

At one o'clock, the following property:

Heifer calf, 6 months old, registered Heifer calf. 7 months old, registered

Heifer calf, 8 months old, registered Heifer, 1 year old, registered Heifer, 3 years old, registered, to calve in

October Cow, 3 years old, registered, to calve in November

Cow, 6 years old, registered, to calve in March Cow, 9 years old, registered, to calve in

November Cow, 10 years old, with heifer calf by her Bull calf, 8 months old, registered Bull calf, 9 months old registered

Grade Jersey cow 8 Two-year-old steers

14 Brood ewes 16 Lambs

Registered Oxford ram

2 Yearling mare colts Two-year-old mare colt, weight 1500 pounds Matched span of brood mares, weight 2800 pounds, with colts by their

Brass mounted work harness 3 Colie puppies eligible to register

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All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount 12 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 6 per cent. interest.

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DARKEST RUSSIA

BY H. GRATTAN DONNELLY.

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CHAPTER XI-Continued. Olga sighed. She was deeply

touched by the words of Alexis. After an effort she spoke again. have not told you all," she said, and there was a pause as if for strength. Then after a moment she added: "I

am no longer Olga Karsicheff—I am

Olga Barosky. We were marriedly secretly three days ago. Alexis sat gazing at the girl in amazement. He had never dreamed

that it had gone as far as this. "You will keep our secret?" pleaded

"Sacredly," said Alexis. Then, as the thought occurred to him, he added, "Does the countess, your mother, suspect that your affections were given elsewhere?"

"My mother suspect? No! If she did she would kill me." Then, as the peril of her position again occurred to her, she turned pleadingly to "What can we do?" she Alexis. asked; "what must be done?"

Alexis sat deep in thought for a moment.

"There is one thing that must be done, and at once," at length he said. "I will write a letter to the countess, releasing you from our engagement.'

"But the cause?" eagerly asked Olga. "I will say that my affections are

centered on another." "Oh, Alexis!" exclaimed Olga, her face brightening for the first time since she spoke. "You have anticipated my wish. That will save me from my mother. Oh. Alexis. how can I thank you-you good, noble, genous fellow!"

Ilda had told the story of the attack on Alexis in her own way, and into a frown of anger. "Oh, fools, fools!" he exclaimed, "Cowards that they were. And these are the men with whom I am compelled to associate in the effort to free our beloved

Russia.' During the time when she was speaking, Ilda kept her eyes fixed on Alexis and Olga, and then, wonderingly, she looked to Ivan for an explanation of the presence of the stranger. In a few hurried words, promising to tell her at length in the future, Ivan explained all, and as he finished Alexis and Olga came and

joined them. The meeting between the two girls was marked with mutual affection. Their interview was necessarily brief. "And you will love me as a sister?" said Olga, after they had been speak-

"With all my heart," was Ilda's re-

ply as she embraced her. In the meantime Ivan and Alexis had gone apart and Alexis had listened to Ivan's passionate disavowal of the aims and actions of Oraminsky and his followers. "I leave them tonight and forever," said Ivan.

the letter to the countess.' "I will write it at the earliest mo

ment," said Alexis. Ivan urged that there be no delay, and producing pen and ink he handed a sheet of paper to Alexis, begging him to write at once, so that the letter would be in the hands of the countess before Olga's return home.

Alexis consented, and, sitting down at once, wrote to the countess a formal renunciation of Olga's hand: "My affections being irrevocably given to another," ran the letter, "I must decline the honor of an alliance with Mlle. Karsicheff, for whom, while entertaining sentiments of the most profound regard and esteem, I have at no time felt the love that a man should have for the woman he asks to become his wife."

Alexis signed the letter, and handing it open to Ivan, rejoined Ilda. while Olga was made acquainted with the terms of the letter to her mother. In impassioned words he poured



"I LOVE HITY SO. . !"

forth his gratitude to Ilda, and begged her to become his wife. "I offer you my love, my name, the life you have This place, these surroundings, fill me with horror at finding you, by whatever circumstance, here. Give me the right to cherish, to protect you-let there be no further de-Jay-be mine-my wife!"

Before Ilda could reply, Ivan said that the time had come to leave the place, and before they could anticipate his action he had given the signal that summoned the conspirators. Slowly the doors revolved, and Oraminsky and his people came forth. They took their places about the rcom, waiting, wondering at Ivaa's strange display of bravado.

ward have all have all frace all frace all become flowers flow Ivan was very pale. He first called one of the men, to whom he gave the letter addressed to the countess. The

man departed, and the door was again fastened. Then Ivan spoke in low, earnest tones: "Do you think," he said, "that I, who have done so much for the cause of Russia, could stoop so low as to bring here a spy? Shame upon you, Oraminsky. You should have known me better; you should have trusted me more!" Oraminsky was silent.

Among the others there was an ominous murmur. "You should have told us-we knew nothing."

Ivan turned like a flash in the direction in which the voice came. am a leader; you should have faith in your leader. But enough. To-night's work ends my connection with you forever. Henceforth I am no longer a member of the revolutionary body to which you give allegiance."

"You must satisfy us that your friend is not here to betray us. run no visks," said Oraminsky. "I will answer for his honor. He is

my friend-my brother." "Our brother too?" asked somebody,

with a sneer. "God forbid!" said Alexis. Then turning to Ivan: "Let us go."

"Wait!" The voice was that of Oraminsky; the word was given in a tone of peremptory command. "You cannot leave here until you have sworn secrecy!"

"That is right!" came the simultaneous expressions of Oraminsky's followers.

Ivan spoke: "One moment! Hear me! Colonel Nazimoff is here as my friend. I am responsible for his actions with my life, if need be. But as he is here, I recognize that you as Ivan listened his face deepened have a right to exact a promise from him that he will not reveal anything of what he has seen to-night. You will give that promise?" asked Ivan. turning to Alexis.

"Since you desire it-yes. I am a soldier of Russia, owing allegiance to our imperial master, the czar."

There was a murmur of dissent. Alexis continued: "But I am no spy, and while I know what you are, it is not my business to betray you. I will not divulge what I have seen to-night."

"I answer

"And I too, if necessary," said Ilda,

moving toward the door. "It is not enough-he must be sworn!" The words came with ominous solemnity from the lips of Oraminsky, and at a signal from him two or three of the conspirators placed

themselves near the foot of the stairs. "You have his word-he is a soldier of Russia-he wears the uniform of the fatherland-he need not be

sworn," said Ivan. "He wears the livery of the tyrant!"

said another. "Come," interrupted Ivan, giving his arin to Olga, who stood pale and trembling, throughout the scene. "Come, we have had enough of this!" Then turning to Alexis, who had thrown one arm protectingly around Ilda, he added: "Come, we have finished!"

Oraminsky stepped before Ivan.

"But we have not!" he said. There was an unmistakable menace in the "You have brought strangers here-here within a place sacred to our cause, known only to ourselves. We know them not. All else here are sworn members of our order-all else here are of us, and with us. Your friend-your brother, as you call him, has refused to take the oath of secrecy. Very well! He must do more than that; our safety demands it. He must become a member-a sworn member of our brotherhood-and so,' pointing to Olga, "and so must she."

"Never! by Heaven, never!" It was the voice of Alexis, and it rang out like the notes of a trumpet.

"They must not leave here alive!" "Let us have their said Hersy.

blood!" The word again wrought up the con-

spirators to frenzy. "Blood!" and the word ran through

their ranks. "Stand together!" said Alexis, draw-

ing his sword. Ivan drew a pistol. "I will put a bullet through the brain of the first of you who advances a single step;

and he leveled the weapon. There was a pause, a painful si lence for a second. The conspirators evidently collecting their strength and preparing for a rush.

"Down with them all!" shouted Oraminsky as he gathered himself for a spring.

"Down with the traitors, all!" and the words rang out.

Ivan had the pistol leveled, finger on trigger. Alexis had his sword drawn.

Suddenly there was a tremendous erash. The door burst open by a blow from a sledge hammer, stood quivering in splintered ruins on its broken hinges. The wooden shutters fell crashing from the windows into the cellar below.

Soldiers-soldiers with rifles lev eled, covering all in the room, appeared at doors and windows! And there, commanding them all, was an officer in the full uniform of

the greaded police. He uttered but one sentence: "Surrender, traitors, in the name of he crar!"

CHAPTER XII.

The Results of the Letter. General Karsicheff, minister of po-

citement, and feverish with expecta-[[] and law call frame and frame and

He had struck the blow!

He had at last "done something." From early dawn troops of soldiers. guarding the vans in which were being conveyed the suspects caught the night before, were galloping up and down the city, and St. Petersburg awoke to find that by a concerted movement some hundreds of those suspected of being concerned in the Nihilist conspiracy had been arrested and were either on their way to, or Originally the fowl laid but few more securely within, the grim and gloomy eggs than she could hatch. It is difwalls of the great prison which frowns ferent now. We have developed our on the Neva. For in making the ar- hen to lay 150 eggs a year, and she rests the police had orders not to can at most hatch not more than confine themselves to the list of the thirty of them. To keep the hatching one hundred and sixty-three friends ability up to the laying ability we of Russia, which, by great good for have had to invent the incubator and tune, had fallen-no one suspected brooder. These machines are espehow-into the hands of the police au- cially adapted to the use of people thorities. No matter where they were that are making a business of poultry the suspected Nihilists were caught lesser degree to the use of our farm-

in the same net. official duty. He was flushed with ex-



"....Be mine-my wife!" up his mind to impress upon all con-

included, and that all St. Petersburg Then he can stop. If the first hatches eac awastruck by the magnitude of it to each other, but every man was er. Not so the hen. She will often his neighbor before he ventured an expression of his own. The prisons were crowded; and un-

til further accommodations could be secured, many of those arrested were held under guard in their own houses by troops or police, until the vans came to take them away to a place of confinement.

Reports from trusted agents were coming to Karsicheff every few minutes, and his face lighted up with joy as he heard that the number of those already in the toils was rapidly rising to a thousand. But the culmination of his delight was reached when he received the news that the headquarters of the Nihilists had been discovered, and that the police had found a printing press with the sheets of a revolutionary proclamation which foreshadowed the death of the czar. They had found, moreover, a tunnel along which was a wire, and the batteries and dynamite bombs all ready for an explosion, that would have killed the czar had he passed on his way to the railway station on that day, according to the programme of his intentions announced the day before.

(To be continued.)

Met His Match. The clever Dr. Ritchie of Edinburgh

met with his match while examining a student. He said: "And you attended the class for mathematics?'

"Yes." "How many sides has a circle?"

"Two," said the student. "What are they?"

What a laugh in the class the student's answer produced when he said:

An inside and an outside." But this was nothing compared with what followed. The doctor said to the student: "And you attend the moral philosophy class also?'

"Yes." "Well, you would hear lectures on various subjects. Did you ever hear

one on cause and effect?' "Yes." "Does an effect ever go before

cause?"

"Give me an instance." "A man wheeling a barrow." The doctor then sat down and pro

"Yes."

posed no more questions. Trials of the Thespian. "Yes, Bilkins and the rest of the

railroad track from Bingville to Oshbelow.

at he tried to commit suicide.

Number of Cars in Use. 37,000 passenger cars and 1,600,900 for freight.



The Incubator on the Farm The incubator and brooder are the modern allies of the poultry raiser. found, those nearest and dearest to raising, but they are also adapted in a ers that keep flocks of a hundred or For Karsicheff knew that the num- more fowls. On some of our large ber on the list was but a small frac- farms from 200 to 500 fowls are raised tion of the whole, and he had made annually. Yet in a good many inlice, in the full uniform of his rank, stances the only means of hatching is strode up and down the apartment in from hens. The operation drags along his mansion sacred to affairs of his through the summer, with the result that in the fall the farmer has a good many kinds and sizes of fowls for sale, some of them marketable and some not. On a farm such as we have mentioned it will certainly pay to buy and use an incubator and brooder or brooders.

In the first place there is uniformity in the flock, both as to age and size. The birds can be raised by the hundreds in March and April, at which time eggs are readily obtainable, and when fall comes the birds that are to be disposed of will be all of a size and well grown. They will then bring a better price than otherwise, if the seller knows his business. This will be true whether the birds are sent to some commission house or are disposed of to the private trade.

Another advantage in using an incubator is the increased certainty of having chicks at all. There are some years, as all of our poultry raisers know, when the hens show little inclination to be broody and more than once the poultry raiser has found himself at the beginning of summer with only half the number of chicks he expected to have. The number to be cerned the strength and vigor and hatched is controllable by the mathoroughness of his purpose by fill chines, but not otherwise. A man can ing the prisons at one fell swoop. So start the machines in February or it was that old and young, rich and March and hatch till he has secured poor, guilty and innocent were alike the number he wants for raising. prove a disappointment he can conthe police raid. People whispered of tinue to use his machine a little longcareful that he knew the opinions of disappoint one and then make no second attempt to make good her promises to bring forth a brood.

Then, too, the brooder removes the necessity of making nests for the siting hens. This is a large task where hundreds of birds are to be raised. Frequently the nests of the sitters interfere with the placing of nests for laving nurnoses. The care of the hens is certainly as great as is the care of the incubator, and after one becomes expert with the incubator the care is less. The care of an incubator lessens in proportion as we get acquainted with it, which can scarcely be said of the hen. We have referred only to the use of the incubator in the spring, as the fall use relates to the production of broilers, which is a business almost of itself. The incubator also makes it possible to get the birds out of the shell in time to develop into winter layers before the snow flies.

Packing and Shipping Eggs in Den-

mark. The work of grading and testing is done mostly by women, who become very expert. The eggs are graded according to weight. There are six recognized classes, ranging from 61/2 to 9 kilograms per 120 eggs (1.43 to 2 pounds per dozen eggs). The expert graders work behind a long table, upon which they have six wooden egg racks, or frames, each frame with ten dozen holes in which the eggs are placed. The graders can tell at a glance to which grade an egg belongs, and they distribute them very deftly. When a frame is filled with ten dozen eggs (which are taken directly from the boxes received from the circles), the frames are taken by a man and weighed. If the 120 eggs weigh too much or too little for the grade for which they are intended, eggs are taken out and substituted with larger or smaller ones, as the case may be. The frame of 120 eggs is taken into a small, tightly closed room and set on top of a hopper-shaped box, which is about two feet deep, the sides of which are lined with looking-glass. The bottom of this hopper-shaped box is about eight by thirty inches. Four sixteen-candlepower electric lights stand up from the bottom, equal distances apart. The eggs, as above indicated, are placed over these lights and looking-glasses, thick ends up. The tester looks carefully at and through each egg, and if any be un-

company walked all the way on the sound they are rejected. The eggs are then carefully and kosh with the thermometer at four snugly packed, side by side, with nothing between them, in four layers. "It must have been an eventful in pine boxes 22 by 72 inches, nine inches deep. Between each two lay-"Yes, it was. And peculiar, too. ers of eggs is a substantial layer of The leading man was always at the straight, clean rye straw; on the top end of the straggling line, the villain layer of eggs another layer of straw. proved the most unselfish in the The thin boards are securely nailed bunch, the first walking gentleman on, the boxes are properly marked had to be carried, the heavy trage with the company's trade-mark, the dian was the life of the party, and number of eggs and the grade indithe first comedian grew so dismal cated, and they are sent to the ship. All eggs are sold by the pound. The co-operative company pays all ex- proxy by city men who evidently expenses from the time the eggs leave This country's traffic makes use of the circles until they are placed on board ship. The average expense is of being overrun by grass, caterpillars about one cent per dozen. The cost and scales.

of collecting the eggs from the farm ers and bringing them to the circle centers is borne by the circles themselves. This work is done by a collector selected by the circle board. The collector is usually paid so much per pound of eggs collected. The expense of this collection is very low, perhaps on an average not more than one-half cent per dozen. The total cost to the farmer from the time the eggs leave the nests until they are on board steamer is therefore one and one-half cent per dozen. United States Consular Report.

To Get Winter Eggs. I have been in the poultry business for a long time, and my experience has convinced me that the first thing to do to secure winter eggs is to have a warm place for the hens. The temperature should not be lower than about 40 degrees above zero. I feed all kinds of grain I can get, but not too much corn, as in that case the birds will get too fat. The houses and yards should be kept very clean, and the fowls should not be allowed to eat foul stuff. They should have a good deal of exercise, and this may be induced by throwing grain into litter. The nests should be kept clean and the nest litter changed quite often. Green cut bone is the best thing to stimulate egg production that I have ever used.

J. K. Austin Iroquois County, Illinois.

A Few Sheep. In looking over some reports of sheep on tarms we are struck with the fact that in some of our states not one half of the good-sized farms carry any sheep. In the old days it was assumed that every farmer had at least a few sheep. We believe that to-day it would be better for the farms and better for the whole population of the country if every farm had a small flock of sheep. It appears to us that a small flock of sheep could be kept in the summer time at least at almost no cost and with great benefit to the arable portions of the farms. The husbandman works to get the weeds out of his timable fields, but the whole length of the pasture fence is a mass of weeds on the side of the pasture and from their tops blow millions of weed seeds every year. The sheep would keep most of these weeds down and thus destroy the source from which the fields get their annual supply of weed seeds. One reason why farmers do not keep more sheep is that dogs are destructive to the flocks; but as these avages occur generally in the night sheep at night. The matter of fences During the last few years there has cept one east of the Mississippi. This condition of affairs is profitable neither to the nation nor the farmer.

Pigs in Prison. In the older parts of the country it has been the practice to keep the pigs shut up from birth to maturity. A little pen in the barn was thought to be sufficient and sometimes there was even no yard for the pigs to run out in. The said pen was sometimes only six or eight feet square. Here the pigs were kept close prisoners No wonder that troubles like thumps were common with pigs so treated. To some extent this practice still remains. There is no question that swine should be given room for exercise, even if no pecuniary advantage can be figured from it. None of our farms are so small that there is not an abundance of room for the yard that should be connected with every pig pen. The larger the yard the better, and if it is large enough to be divided into sections in which green stuff may be grown alternately it will be the more profitable.

A Manipulated Test. Reports from Vermont say that at one of the creameries in that state a little unpleasantness has been occasioned by the discovery that two of the patrons had been working a slight-of-hand trick on the cream gatherer and had continually substituted test bottles filled with very rich cream for the bottles containing the samples of cream from the product of the patrons in question. One man had thus secured from the creamery payments in excess of a thousand dollars not belonging to him. At last the creamery officials began was being done and laid a trap for these patrons. The two were caught at the trick and means taken to secure repayment of the money thus fradulently secured.

More Trophies for College Boys. The Union Stock Yards and Tran sit Company of Chicago has decided to offer two new trophies to take the place of the Spoor trophy, won permanently by the Iowa State College. One of these new trophies will be offered for excellence in judging cattle. hogs and sheep, and the other will be awarded for judging horses. These trophies will be offered as prizes to students representing the various agricultural colleges of the United States and Canada at the coming International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago the first week in December, and, in addition, it is expected that liberal cash prizes will be offered.

The orchard that is not looked after will be a failure. We have seen or chards that have been planted by pected to make a great fortune out of them. But their end came as a result



ive Stock Industry Working South Gradually our live stock interests are working southward though they have not as yet reached in a very considerable degree even the more southerly limits of what we are pleased to call the Northern States. We have noticed this gradual movement in Illinois during the last ten years. At the present time a traveler in Southern Illinois is struck by the comparatively few cattle to be met with there, yet he will also notice that the number is much larger than it was a few years ago. Here and there stock farms have been established that are being looked up to by the farmers of the vicinity, most of whom have no stock to speak of. In the very southern part of the state the writer passed one farm on which was a fine herd of Herefords. A man of the neighborhood said: "Yes, Judge beginning to get something from his stock farm now, though for some years he put two dollars into it for every one he took out. But he was all the time bringing up his land. Now it is in fine condition. But then he was a judge and his salary helped run

the farm." This points a double lesson. First, that the belief must be inculcated into the farmers of those sections that live stock is a good thing, and, second. that it takes capital to tide over the time when the live stock farm is being established, if all things are to be done at once and on a large scale. The southern parts of Illinois and In diana have a climate and soil well adapted to the growing of live stock The location is not far enough south to endanger the animals from Texas fever and is not so far north that beef cattle need much protection in winter. The growing or not growing of live stock is the difference between constructive and destructive farming. The presence of live stock helps to build up the land. Its absence frequently results in depreciating it, though this is not absolutely necessary. It is, however, the usual result and is likely to be for some generations to come.

Care in Dressing Animals.

In the dressing of any animal it is always well to consider that possibly it may be affected with the trouble is obviated by penning the or some other contagious disease. There is little danger of infection if is another cause that deters some, there is no wound on the hands that but a fence that is hog proof and can come into contact with the meathorse proof is generally sheep proof | A good many cases are on record where men have lost their lives by been a steady decline in the sheep carelessness in this regard. Butchers growing industry in every state ex- are perhaps oftener the subject, of such accidents than any others; and the amateur butcher is as certainly in danger as the professional. A Chicago man reports as follows to the United States Bureau of Animal In-

> G. E. W., Pole; age, 34; weight, 170 pounds; healthy looking man; butcher by occupation. Family history nega tive. Father of three healthy children. Has no recollection of having been previously sick. On May 3, 1899. while cleaning cattle viscera, he fell and a stationary meat hook upon which the hearts and lungs are hung penetrated through the right hand between the second and third metacarpal bones. A tendo vaginitis resulted. with some lymphangitis of the arm He received the usual treatment for an infected wound and apparently made a good recovery, with, however. some limited motion of the fingers and a sensitive scar at the site of puncture. Four months afterwards an abscess formed in the axilla, which was cleaned out and tubercle bacilli were demonstrated in the brokendown gland tissue. At this time there was no soreness in the arm lymphatics or elbow gland, but he complained that there had been. In three months afterwards, or seven months from the original accident, he died from pulmonary tuberculosis.

System in Feeding. Animals cannot get the best results

from their feed unless it is given them regularly and in quite uniform portions. Every farmer should have a regular system for the feeding of his farm animals, whether the animals be the ones used for the production of meat and milk or for the production of force to be expended in to suspect that something of the kind labor. Irregular meals are as bad for animals as for human beings. The disestive systems adapt themselves to certain habits and seem to be as much opposed to irregularity as if they were sentient beings. On many farms there is no system of feeding and the results obtained are poor. One man will work his horses for hours beyond their regular meal times. During the last hour or so the animal is losing vigor rapidly. He is given food when his strength is partly exhausted. The stomach had not the vigor of digestion that it had at the regular eating time, and the result is more or less disarrangement, sometimes resulting in the imperfect digestion of the food taken. This is a matter that every human being has experienced himself. The results are far more disastrous than we have been led to suppose. The fact is easier to establish than the reason for it. The cow, the pig, and the sheep, when depending on man to do the feeding fare best and thrive best when their food comes in accordance with a regular system. It is not so much a question of how many meals an animal has a day as of their regularity.

> Bare-faced fibs are apt to grow up and become bald-headed lies.

"He Giveth His Beloved Sleep." The pink of dawn is o'er the hill; awake; there is thy field to till. In Autumn 'neath the noonday's sun Go forth and reap till day is done. When winter's near and starlights peep, "He giveth His beloved sleep."

Fear not when low you lay your head Upon your downy pillowed bed. If love thou hast within the breast, Phere's One above who guards thy rest, A silent watch His angels keep, "He giveth His beloved sleep."

Faint not when life's great trials come, Nor from the narrow pathway roam. March on, breast forward, glance ahead; And when the barriers all have fled, And thou the dreary ages reap, "He giveth His beloved sleep."

When last thy weary toils are done,
The race is run, the goal is won,
And when thou takest thy last rest,
He still is near; thou shalt be blessed.
When mists athwart thy eyellds creep,
"He giveth His beloved sleep."
—Jno. J. Marks.

How Character Is Made and Shown. He was known to them in the breaking of bread.—Luke, xxiv., 35.

There are many wonderful and glorious passages in the New Testament, but few more pathetic to my apprehension than that little story of the walk of Emmaus, the desciples not recognizing the Master, while yet their nearts burned within them as they talked with Him. by the way. And the story reaches its climax of beauty, unfolds the sweetest flower of its significance where the disciples, rehearsing the details of the event, tell how Jesus "was known to them in the breaking of bread."

How interesting and suggestive that He was not known to them by any sign that marked Him as the Messiah or in any way pre-eminent, but by one of the simplest things He had ever done in their presence. One likes to think of their recalling something pleasant in His manner, some happy, grateful look upon His face, as if He were God's minister in answering the prayer. "Give us this day our daily bread" which He had taught them when they asked Him how to pray. Perhaps the time when He sat at table with them was the time when the conscious burden of His ministry was least oppressive and He unbent Himself in the most intimate and friendly

It is very lovely to be thought of things. Among the thousands of exaggerated and pretentious epitaphs in Mount Auburn there is one which

She was so pleasant.

I think it one of the most enviable. And there are many women and as many men who earn it perfectly. They do not strive nor cry, but wherever they go and whatever they do they diffuse an atmosphere of comfort and content. They make sick people well and sad people merry. They dispel the gloom from anxious hearts and the fevered pulse is quieted at the cool fountain of their unfailing cheer.

A great many persons are known to their families and friends in the same way as Jesus was known in the New Testament story—by their behavior at the morning, noonday, or evening meal. "Joy of the street," says the Provencal proverb, "curse of the home." It is proverb which fits many people like a glove. These are men who spend all their pleasantness and gavety on their companions in business and at the club and have only sour looks and cross words at home. There are women who can "smile and smile" at the afternoon reception and the evening party, and be anything but agreeable in the uneventful round of their domestic cares. But what men and women are in this uneventful round goes far not only to show their true character, but to make it what it

is for better or worse. Francis Bacon said: "God hangs the greatest weight upon the smallest wires." That would be dangerous mechanics were not the wires so many that in their aggregate they are of as great strength as that of the cables on which our great suspension bridges swing in air. The atomic theory may be true or false in physics; it is certainly true upon the spiritual plane. All great actions, characters and events are prepared for in silence and obscurity by innumerable little seemingly unimportant actions, refusals, acceptance, disposition. The roots of a great character spread out like the roots of a great tree, ten thousand flaments drawing their virtue from the dark earths and secret springs, and vielding each its proper increment to that great strength with which the tree or character flings wide its branches and defies the storm; Men and women are best known as they are most surely fashioned by such little seemingly petty actions as the breaking of bread or the making of it, or the tasks necessary for the honest earning of it, because the whole character rushes into expression in every part, because every part reports the joundness or unsoundness of the whole to which it has contributed its due proportion of those elements which in their aggregation and co-ordination make up a human life.-Jown White Chadwick.

The Constant Christian.

Constancy, stability among Chrislans, is currency above par. The exirencies of the Lord's work are such The unstable Christian is one of the greatest stumbling blocks in the way of sinners. Thousands of men outside the church give this as the main eason for their active opposition or spathetic indifference to Christianity. The unstable Christian is a reproach to his profession, a reproach to his lyle.

church and a reproach to his Christ. Constancy, stability, is one of the Christian worker's strongest assets.

Many of us may not be able to engineer vast enterprises in the church, many of us may not have the natural powers and gifts of some of our brethren, many of us may not have enthusiastic, hopeful and positive natures; but there is not one of us, not one but can be constant in our efforts as Christians in our own sphere, if we will take ourselves and our profession seriously. It is not child's play to be a representative of Christ. It is the work of a man and worth that man's highest thought and best endeavor. Nothing among the so-called negative vices undermines character like insta bility. Nothing so stamps a man as useless to his church, to his commun ity and to his Christ as inconstancy. On the other hand, nothing tends to build up a noble and exalted character so much as constancy and faithfulness; nothing will be more likely to raise a man's usefulness to his highest notch than these qualities. To be inconstant, unstable, that were of the earth, earthy; but to be uniformly true and steadfast, that were of Christ, Christlike.

Through Sorrow's Gate.

There are many things, besides sorrow's self, that come through sorrow's gate-gentleness, tact, sympathy, strength, becautiful traits of character, which seem to find no other mode of entrance into life. Long for unclouded joy as we may, it still remains true that few of us would choose for our most valued friend one who has never suffered. The eyes that have not known tears must needs lack something of tenderness. The heart that never has been torn with anguish and loss has never sounded its own depths, and cannot measure those of another. The soul grows strong through storm and conflict, if it ever grows strong at all, and, however sweet a nature may be, we find it incomplete and unsatisfying if it has never known the softening, hallowing touch of grief. There are dark pages in our lives where we would gladly have when alive and remembered when changed the story if we could. There dead as doing kind and pleasant are wounds that still ache, and losses cost too much." "You put up some dead as doing kind and pleasant are wounds that still ache, and losses that even yet are hard to bear; but sauerkraut, didn't you, Chris?" he was however we may feel about the sorrow itself, there are few of us who would be willing to give up all that it brought and taught us—to be just what we were before it touched us. There are some precious gains that come through sorrow's gate.

Rejoicing in Tribulation.

This is contrary to the flesh, but in harmony with grace. Men naturally shun what is disagreeable and irksome. To endure tribulation with joy, it must be of a kind which has not come upon us by our own folly and sin. If we bring trouble and hardship upon ourselves by our own wrongdoing, we should mourn and repent, rather than rejoice. But if for fidelity to truth and devotion to Christ we suffer, then we can rejoice that we are accounted worthy to enter into the fellowship of his sufferings. To such Christ speaks: "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."

Such as bear trial for Jesus patient ly and joyfully, thereby give a good and effectual testimony of the reality and beauty and helpfulness of the Christian religion. The world has respect and reverence for a Christian who is himself a living example of the faith he professes. But the undegenerate despise hypocrisy in religion and take a discriminating view of practical Christianity as they read it in the life of professed followers of Christ.

God Hears.

Prayer must be addressed to the Father. As soon as we utter that sacred name the divine nature responds and, to put it vividly, is on the alert to hear what we desire. A little child cannot utter a sigh however slight, a sob however smothered, without awakening the quick attention of its mother; and at the first whisper of our Father's name He is at hand to hear and bless. Alas, we have too often grieved His Holy Spirit by a string of selfish petitions or a number of formal platitudes. To the wonderment of angels we thus fritter away the most precious and sacred opportunities. Be still, then, before you pray to consider what to ask. Order your prayers for presentation and be sure to begin the blessed interview with words of sincere and loving appreciation and devotion.—Rev. F. B. Meyer.

Human Life. It is the salvation of a noble nature to have some task of self-denial, some motive for self-sacrifice left, when all that made the daily burden of life endurable has passed away. Happy he who has habituated himself to look upon his whole earthly career but as a task of which the reward, though not given here, is as priceless as it is certain. I have remarked that a true delineation of the smallest man and that we cannot afford to be unstable. his scene of pilgrimage through life is capable of interesting the greatest man; that all men are to an unspeakable degree brothers-each man's life a strange emblem of every man'sand that human portraits faithfully drawn are of all pictures the welcomest on human walls.-Thomas Car-

NO NERVES IN HIS TEETH.

Chinaman Has at Least One

Cause for Congratulation. The impassivity of John Chinaman's countenance is now at least partially explained. He has no nerves in his teeth. This interesting bit of information comes way from Oregon, where the dentists have been having a state meeting. One of the speakers, who makes no claims to "painless dentistry," said he had tinkered with the teeth of many Chinamen, and never once had known of them to whimper. The only thing in regard to which they show the least anxiety is to "secure any teeth they have pulled, which they want to take back or send back to China in order that they may have a full set when they are reincarnated." A Chinaman would be a good subject for a "painless dentist" to use in a public demonstration.

School for Theatrical Critics. A school of theatrical critics is to be opened in Paris. The students are to attend dress rehearsals and write them up for practice.

Of Wide Interest.

Breed, Wis., July 18-Special-Charles Y. Peterson, Justice of the Peace for Oconto Co., has delivered a judgment that is of interest to the whole United States. Put briefly, that judgment is, "Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best Kidney medicine on the mar-

And Mr. Peterson gives his reason for this judgment. He says: "Last winter I had an aching pain in my back which troubled me very much. I the morning I could hardly straighten my back. I did not know what it was but an advertisement led me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking one box I can only say they have done more for me than expected as I feel

as well now as ever I did before." Pain in the back is one of the first symptoms of Kidney disease. If not cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills it may develop into Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism or some of the other deadly forms of Kidney Disease.

German Love of Sauerkraut.

Here is an imaginative story to illustrate the estimate that some German citizens place on sauerkraut as a food staple. A German was speaking about the high price of cabbage. "I tell you, dose kebbages is awful high dis year," he said; "me und me vife puts up six, seven, eight barrels of sauerkraut every year-but ve asked. "Oh, yes-two or tree barrels -just to haf in de house in case of sickness."

Leprosy Among Fish Eaters.

Statistics are quoted showing that while in India the average occurrence of leprosy is three or four cases per 10,000 of population, in the island of Minicoy, in the Indian ocean, whose inhabitants are devoted to fishing, it rises to 150, and at Kaligoan, a fishcuring center, it amounts to 500 .-Harper's Weekly.

Horsemen's Kindergarten.

"The men who are training the horses must be strict, and, at the same time, kind to them, and under no circumstances must they be played with. It is also not advisable to encourage the horses with sugar, carrots, etc.," is an order issued to the London Metropolitan Fire Brigade.

BACK LICK

Settled the Case With Her. Many great discoveries have been

made by accident and things better than gold mines have been found in this way, for example when even the accidental discovery that coffee is the real cause of one's sickness proves of most tremendous value because it locates the cause and the person has then a chance to get well.

"For over 25 years," says a Missouri woman, "I suffered untold agonies in my stomach and even the best physicians disagreed as to the cause without giving me any permanent help, different ones saying it was gastritis, indigestion, neuralgia, etc., so I dragged along from year to year, always half sick, until finally I gave up all hopes of ever being well again.

"When taking dinner with a friend one day she said she had a new drink which turned out to be Postum and I liked it so well I told her I thought I would stop coffee for awhile and use it, which I did.

"So for three months we had Postum in place of coffee without ever having one of my old spells but was always healthy and vigorous.

"Husband kept saying he was convinced it was coffee that caused those spells, but even then I wouldn't believe it until one day we got out of Postum and as we lived two miles from town I thought to use the coffee we had in the house.

"The result of a week's use of coffee again was that I had another terrible spell of agony and distress, proving that it was the coffee and nothing else. That settled it and I said good bye to Coffee forever and since then Postum alone has been our hot mealtime drink.

"My friends all say I am looking worlds better and my complexion is much improved. All the other members of our family have been benefited, too, by Postum in place of the old drink, coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ten days trial of Postum in place of coffee or tea is the wise thing for every coffee drinker. Such a trial tells the exact truth often where coffee is not suspected. Look in each pkg. for the famous

little book, "The Road to Wellville."

In a Dutch Village.

At Marken, a fishing village of Holland, few men are to be seen, as they are nearly always out at sea in their boats. Those whom one does see are like Dutchmen in a play, in queer headgear, in the most voluminous knickerbockers that ever delighted the heart of a caricaturist and having on clattering wooden shoes which are, as a consting skipper once said, the surest preventive of colds and of "cold feet" (which he spoke of as if they were a disease) to be found in the world. Clumsy enough these Dutch fisher folk look, but they are handy in a boat. But there is agriculture, too, of a simple kind at Marken. Not a man usually is to be seen working in the bay harvest or at other employment in the fields. The women do the farm work.

Low Wages Paid in Egypt.

The population of Egypt is about 8,000,000, and most of the people are engaged in a sort of desultory campaign against mother earth to force her to yield enough grain for the mere sustenance of lazy life. The labor supply is large and dilatory; the wages are correspondingly low. In upper Egypt one can hire farm laborers, or loafers, at 9 cents a day, and in lower Egypt at 13 cents, the laborer, or loafer, to board himself. These laborers, or loafers, want no money in pay, but will take part of the crop.

Grasp the Opportunity. In 1865, Durham was a village of a dozen houses. When the soldiers plundered the place, they got a quantity of smoking tobacco. They liked it so well that they hardly got home before they began to write to Durham to get more. There were in the town men of enough enterprise to see the opportunity which this situation of fered them. It was not long before Durham salesmen were selling Durham tobacco in every part of the world.-The World's Work.

Soldiers' Superstitions.

Among the numerous superstitions of the Cossacks there is none stronger than the belief that they will enter Heaven in a better state if they are personally clean at the time they are killed. Consequently, before an expected battle they perform their toilets with scrupulous care, dress themselves in clean garments, and put on the best they have. This superstition is not confined to the Cossacks alone, but is widely prevalent in all branches of the Russian army.

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Imitation Furs.

The skin of the muskrat or musquash makes a much more durable and richer looking fur, and from i imitation Alaska sable coats frequently are made. Rabbit skins also are used after a complicated treatment in the manufacture of imitation chinchilla. No wonder there is such a difference in the chinchilla furs.

Man Should Be Vegetarian.

Man's structure, compared with that of other animals, indicates that fruits and esculent vegetables are his nat ural food. The man-like apes live ex clusively upon fruits, nuts and greer leaves

Work and Prayer.

Praying for things and working for them brings results. Work brings re sults which are at least satisfactory, for prayer may be answered in a way that is unexpected.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach
the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take
internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous
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in this country for years and is a regular prescription.
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with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the
mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the
two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimoderful re-

When a woman says a thing is in style she means it won't be as soon as all her friends get it.—New York Press.

The Hagenbeck Animal Paradise and Trained Animal Circus on the Pike at St. Louis attracts great crowds every day. There are wild beasts, llous, leopards, pumas, hyenas, bears and tigers roaming in their native jungle together with domesticated animals in perfect harmony. The Hagenback trainers present the most thrilling performances of perfect animal training daily in the steel cage of the huge arena. You should not fail to see it. It is the greatest attraction at the World's Fair.

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He who will not take advice gets mowledge when trouble overtakes knowledge him.—Kaffir.

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I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds .- John F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Many a meek man develops into stepper when the elevator isn't running.

INFIRM, BUT LONG LIVED.

English Vicar Disappointed the Buyer

of His Living. In England the purchase of an advowson, or the right to succeed to a vacant church office, is not uncommon. There is a story told of a country vicarage whose incumbent was, though but middle-aged, very infirm. His tenure of the position being thus uncertain, the living was advertised for sale. The auctioneer who at the time had the disposal of all church preferments mentioned as a special advantage to intending purchasers that the holder could not last long. To put this prospect to the test several possible buyers went down to the village to look over the vicar. A father and son attended the Sunday services at the church. A servant led the ailing vicar, but the latter managed to get through a very earnestly delivered sermon lasting half an hour. In the afternoon he again conducted service, baptized children and preached for fifty minutes. Service in the evening was to follow. But the man who had come to buy had seen enough. "My son," he said, "that old cock ain't a-goin' yet; I am," and he forthwith departed. In the end a young parson bought the place for himself. The invalid outlived by twenty years the man who had bought his living; he lasted fifty years beyond the sale and died of sheer old

age at 92.

THE WEAK SPOT.

A weak, aching back tells of siels: kidneys. It aches when you work. It aches when you try to rest. Its



throbs in changeable weather. Urinary troubless add to your misery. No rest, no comfort, until the

ney Pills. Mrs. W. M. Dauscher, of 25 Water St., Bradford, Pa., says: "I had. an almost con-

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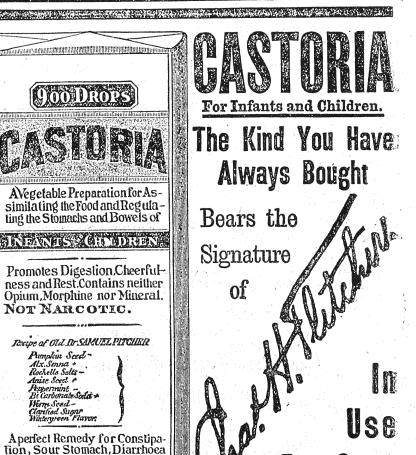
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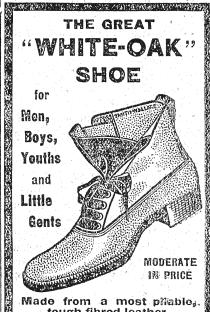
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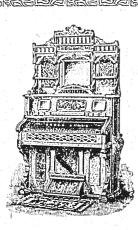
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Stanley Hewson is on the sick list. Mrs. John Spurgeon is on the sick

Miss Nina Karr is visiting relatives in Ubly.

gone to Oak Bluff. Rev. M. W. Gifford was at Orion

Monday on a business trip.

Ed Schwaderer is now employed in John Schwaderer's meat market.

Miss Rose Moore is spending a few

days with friends at Hay Creek. Fred Crocker of Saginaw is spend-

ing some time with relatives here. Mrs. A. N. Treadgold is visiting rhe

parental home at Tyre this week. Attorney Henry Butler made a

business trip to Caro on Wednesday.

Mrs. Sadie Luck of Pontiac is visiting her mother, Mrs. Brown, at Cum-

Clarke spent Sunday with friends in Caro. Miss Emma Seeger, who underwent

Miss Lucretia Campbell returned who went to that institution at Pon-

home Monday after a visit with Caro tiac about a year ago, does not im-Miss Alma Sellers left Saturday for friends for her recovery.

Unionville to attend the funeral of a relative.

Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Reed of South | that the amount was small, it amount-Bend, Ind., are guests at the home of ing to a few dollars. Three young Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Goff.

Murray McCallum and Miss May

of relatives in town Sunday.

ter, Retta Cooper of Caro, are guests | mind the children of the date, July at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clarke. 29, at 4:00 p. m. in the M. E. church.

Miss Alice Ross has been engaged to teach the school one mile west of residences in the Ale addition. Work Elmwood. School will open Septem-

Rev. and Mrs. E. Sedweek, who last Friday.

place have received an invitation to offer the same for sale.

attend the Odd Fellows' excursion to Bay Port next Thursday.

W. H. Ruhl, the tailor, and Miss Addie Murdock returned Thursday from a trip to Pt. Austin, Minden City and Ubly.

Swan Lindskold from Sweeden and a student of Kalamazoo college will preach at the Baptist church Sunday Gleaned from our Exchanges During the Past Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby have morning and evening.

> F. Sykes has been so busy in his shoe repair shop that he found it to 26. necessary to secure help. He has em-

ployed Louis Gensmann. Mrs. Wallace Ball and two sons, Ray and Wesley, returned home Wednesday evening after an extended vis-

it with relatives at Coldwater. Mrs. Howard Retherford, south of town, who has been critically ill, is

improving slowly. She is being cared for by Miss Carroll, a nurse from Port Claire Stevenson returned home

Detroit and Jackson.

Jackson he attended the "Under the to have caused his death. Ashton Tindale and Miss Florence Oaks" celebration and heard many prominent speakers. Henry Butler recently received a communication from one of the phyan operation recently, is recovering sicians at the asylum which stated that Mr. Butler's sister, Mrs. Doying,

prove and no hopes are given to her Bert Smithson, formerly of Cass City but now a barber in Detroit, was Mrs. N. Karr and children of Kings- held up by highwaymen on Baker ton were the guests of friends in town street in that city Sunday evening. In a letter to friends here, Bert says

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heller and son, the members are to receive mem-Carl, of Mayville visited at the home bership certificates printed in blue of J. W. Heller a few days this week. and gold which would be very pretty Mrs. Hooper and little granddaugh- | framed. The parents are asked to re-

A. H. Ale intends to build three on the same will commence about August 1. Two will be built of brick bell, Bigelow, Elliott, Striffler and and the third will be a frame house. have been the guests of friends here, Mr. Ale has purchased the Gemmil returned to their home in Tecumseh residence property on Main street west which was built last fall. After The Odd Fellow fraternity of this making some improvements, he will

Cass City Lodge No. 203, I. O. O. F. John Epplett, salary. installed officers as follows Wednesday evening: N. G., Chas. Travis; V. G., J. C. Lauderbach; Sec., P. A. Schenck; Con., A. E. Boulton; W., Jas. Allen; O. G., Wm. Schwaderer; I. G., John Renshler; R. S. N. G., T. J. Clement; W. N. Straube, acct. Jesse L. S. N. G., E. W. Keating, R. S. V. G., Chas. Robinson; L. S. V. G., W. Fallis; Chaplain, Rev. M. W. Gifford; Republic Oil Co., Inv. 6-30.... R. S. S. M. Seeger J. H. Somers Coal Co., Inv. R. S. S., M. Seeger.

Next Sunday morning Rev. Dwan
f Gagetown will celebrate high mass
t the new Catholic church at this

Crandall Packing Co., Inv. 6-30

Crandall Packing Co., Inv. 6-30 of Gagetown will celebrate high mass at the new Catholic church at this place. Services will commence at ten o'clock standard time. The choir from Gagetown will be present and furnish music for the occasion. The church will be dedicated about the first of August at which time Bishop Foley of Detroit will be present and Richard Clarke 2 days board perform the ceremonies.

At a meeting of the school board on At a meeting of the school board on Tuesday evening, Miss Beatrice Cochrane, of Hartford, was chosen as one of the instructors in the high school of the instructors in the high school in place of Miss Mima MacArthur, who resigned recently. A new branch of instruction, vocal music, will be introduced in the schools this year. and Miss Nellie Perkins will act as teacher. Miss MacArthur has accepted a position as principal of the school at Ithaca. •

A new cement walk has been laid in ront of A. A. McKenzie's residence property on Seegar St. Besides putting in private walks from the street walk to his residence, Mr. McKenzie has had a cement curbing built which extends 10 feet into the street from the sidewalk and equals the street frontage of his property in length. This is the first of its kind in Cass City, but it makes such an improvement to property, that there will probably be many citizens who will follow suit. The street commissioner and his force laid the main walk and supported by Elliott that report be John Wooley takes the credit for doing the remainder of the work.

Rev. S. P. Todd of Fairgrove, field vorker for Alma Colllege was in town Thursday and Friday in the interests under the direction of the Presbyter-000 and a student body of over 300, soon as possible. Carried Tuscola county has the largest numfollowing is the list of students enrolled from Cass City: Beryl M. Kefgen, Minnie Kinnaird, Stanley Schenck, Ora Lauderbach, Oreno G. Schenck, Edith Marshall and Leola Lauderbach. Some new students will attend from here the coming year.

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NEAR-BY NOTES.

Caro announces races for August 23

Mrs. Ann McCombria of Caseville, an early settler of Huron county, is

dead at the age of 70. Quite a feat of engineering was per-

formed at Harbor Beach this week when the Hugo & Tims Co. lifted the north light house bodily and moved it from one end of the breakwater to the other, a distance of over a mile.

A dispatch to a Detroit daily says that the body of Matthew Morris, an old resident of Brown City, was found by the roadside half a mile north of Saturday from a visit with friends in that place at four o'clock Monday While in afternoon. Heart disease is supposed inaw.

A number of barns were burned near Bad Axe during Sunday evening's storm. James McDonald, owner of one of them, loses \$1,200. A farmer by name of Weimer, living near Sebewaing, had two barns struck by lightding and burned with their contents.

The season of lightning losses is at hand. A large part of the losses which the farmers' mutual insurance companies are called upon to pay is caused by loss of stock by lightning. This results from the almost universal use of wire fencing for the pastures and failure to properly ground the wires, the wire on the fence being able to carry a current heavy enough to kill stock half a mile from the point of men have been arrested on suspicion. discharge. A crowbar, some short pieces of wire and a man can protect Murray McCallum and Miss May The Loyal Temperance Legion is any ordinary pasture in half a day. A Stiener of Columbia were the guests having a short vacation which will piece of wire attached to the fence end Friday, July 29. At this meeting wire and into the ground to a depth of three feet will do the work, if placed every thirty or forty rods along the fence.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich. July 18, 1904.

Regular meeting of the Council called to order by the President. The following trustees were present: Camp Clark.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

The following bills were read and referred to committee on claims and Garden City Chandelier Co.,

Kelly Foundry & Machine Co. W. N. Straube, salary...

Stock General Elec. Co., Inv. 6-21...

P. O. & N. R. R. Co., freight Cass City Lumber & Coal Co., cement, etc..... D. R. Graham, work on power

house... M. Sheridan, 4 bbls. cement... Cass City Foundry, set screws 70 Cass City Grain Co. cement, etc 173 80 of review. W. J. Campbell, 2 days board

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C. D. Striffler, four meals to tramps..... F. R. Smithson, cartage. W. A. Anderson, sundries.... Wm. Smithson, freight and cartage....

Klump-Lenzner Co. publishing W. D. Quinn, livery rig..... Wm. Wilson, labor..... Daniel McKenzie, labor..... Ed Kissane, drawing cinders...

Henry Herr. Angus McGillvray, salary.....
O. A. Withey, labor..... Elmer Smith, Jas. Oathout,

Elias Killins, salary...

O. K. Janes, assessing and making tax roll.... Leo Dingman, labor..... Committee reported favorably on all bills as read. Moved by Bigelow

accepted except that bill of Martin

Anthes be made \$40, and orders drawn 🗓

for the several amounts. Carried. Village Attorney Landon reported that he had examined the village orof that institution. Alma college is dinances and recommended that all ordinances not repealed be printed in ian church in Michigan and is fast pamphlet form. Moved by Striffler becoming the leading college of the supported by Clark that report be state. It has an endowment of \$250- accepted and ordinances printed as

Contract of Saginaw Coal Co. to ber of students enrolled of any county supply one year's supply of coal, in the state outside of the county in steam lump or small lump, was read. which the college is located. The Moved by Campbell supported by Elliott that Comm'r. Straube be instructed to close the contract with Saginaw Coal Co., provided he could get no better offer. Carried.

Insurance policy on steam boilers at power house written by Maryland Casualty Co., was read. Moved by Bigelow supported by Striffler that the matter be laid on the table. Carried.

Report of Commissioner Straube for month of May was read. Moved by Bigelow supported by Elliott that the report be accepted and placed on file. The following bills for one-half

cost of cement walks were read: I. A. Fritz.....\$ 13 20 Richard Parr 26 76 John Benkelman. T. H. Fritz...... 42 00 A. A. McKenzie...... 26 82

Moved by Campbell supported by Clark that the bills be referred to Board of Special Assessors. Carried. On motion of Elliott supported by Clark council adjourned.

C. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

WEST GREENLEAF.

Fred and Harry Leepla spent Sunday in Ubly:

Mrs. Frank Lee and daughter, Elsie,

spent Monday at Jas. Prykes. Miss Eunice Chase has returned home from a few weeks' visit in Sag-

Miss Nora Jones of Cass City spent a week at the home of her brother, Stanley Jones.

KINGSTON.

Loyd Townsend has sold her land just off Pine street.

Mrs. Gerald Beverly is entertaining her sister from Ohio. Miss Iva Holmes joined her people

at Oak Bluff Saturday. Remember the Legion contest Fri

day evening in the M. E. church. Mrs. Dan Ross was at Clifford last week caring for her sister, who is ill Neil McDermitt will move into Mrs.

Thorington's house and work for John Coltson. Eighteen of the Clifford L. O. T. M. took dinner with and visited the Kingston Hive Saturday afternoon. .

The Baptist Ladies Aid will serve ce cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCormick next Tuesday evening. Mrs. Hopps went to Orion Saturday

evening to care for her sister, Mrs. Newman, who is being treated there for cancers. The base ball game played here last Friday afternoon between Caro and

Kingston teams resulted in a score of 14 and 18 in Kingston's favor. Mrs. Raymon of Caro visited at the home of Mrs. McQuillan Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Raymond's daughter came from Caro Sunday and they re-

turned home Sunday afternoon.

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DETROIT, MICH.

Sunday with their son, William, at

Mrs. Todd and children of Pontiac

Wm. Leach and children visited

Miss Ethel Meredith returned home

Tuesday from visiting friends and

relatives at Argyle, Cumber and San-

J. P. Granger and wife returned

home from Pt. Huron where they have

been attending the funeral of Mrs.

A rural carrier examination will be

held in Marlette on Saturday, July 23,

for the purpose of examining appli-

cans for the position of R. F. D.

An agreeable surprise was tendered

Mrs. Alex. Davidson last Thursday by

a number of the elderly ladies who

with her before her departure for

relatives at Elmwood and attended

are visiting with Mrs. Susie Brooks

SHABBONA. Mr. Nickle was in Saginaw on busi-

ness last Tuesday. Wm. Davidson of Downington spent Sunday at his home here.

Barbara Herdell of Argyle sewed at A. Auslander's last week. Geo. H. Jones was a business caller

at Sanilac Centre Friday. Dr. Simenton of Marlette passed through town on Tuesday.

Eliza Atkins is visting her brothers, Arthur and Percy, at Flint. Cora Dellra of Detroit was the guest

of Emma Auslander the past week. Relatives from Pt. Huron visited with Mrs. T. Colwell the past week. Myrtle Libkumann of Canboro is

visiting her sister, Mrs. Dan Leslie. Miss Phillips of Custer will teach the McLarty school the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Robinson have met at her home to spend the day gone to Downington to visit relatives. Miss Nellie Jones has been engaged to teach the Urban school the coming

Maggie Davidson left Tuesday for Pt. Huron where she has secured employment.

given in Ehlers' hall last Tuesday

lington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and Quite a number attended the dance did in my life." Weak, sickly, run Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed Mr. and Mrs. F. Phetteplace spent by L. I. Wood & Co. Price 50 cents.

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