

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.

Buvs 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.

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

A FAIR BEET ACREAGE

some Interesting Figures Concerning the 1904

A discussion of the affairs of the Rochester sugar mills appears in a recent issue of the Beet Sugar Gazette, published at Chicago, which we quote

The factory of the Detroit Sugar Co. is among the number unfortunately located. The country in that vicinity is hilly and the soil very light. But little of it is adapted to the production of beets. It was found necessary to secure most of the beets in the southern part of the state. The beets from that section were the best ever secured for this factory, their average for the past campaign being about 16 per cent sugar, while the average of the entire crop was 15.2 per cent sugar. The general disadvantages of doing business at long range are well known. In this case it has been found that excessive transportation, transfer and weighing charges, and the general expense of carrying on the business so margin there is in the manufacture of sugar. So the directors decided to run the beets through the factory at Mt. Clemens this year and complete arrangements to move the factory to a better locality for the 1905 campaign." The acreage of Michigan mills is now pretty well ascertained. Mt. Clemens mill has the largest seeding in the state, 6,500 acres. Caro has not far from that. Lansing and Owosso together have about 7,000 acres, with the probability that only one of the mills will run. Croswell has a fair acreage. The Bay City plants (two) have 4,000 acress and one will run. The Co-operative mill and West Bay City mill have a fair acreage. Holland has a good acreage. Kalamazoo has closed permanently. Sebewaing has a big acreage. The Charlevoix and St. Louis mills may be ready to run and have good acreages.

ANOTHER ROMANCE SPOILED.

Floyd Jackson of Lexington, a bright the few hundred billion impressions little chap of about 12 years He ran taken by the magazines and trade across an empty bottle with an odor organs.-Hrolf Wisby Independent. about it that strongly suggested the Kentucky fluid. Some thirsty excursionists had drained it to the last cork and threw the whole outfit over-

dressed to Floyd Jackson. It was Sept. 16, 2:29 class trotting; free-forfrom one of Canada's sympathetic all class trotting; free-for-all class daughters who had found the bottle pacing. and its contents on the beach. The letter appealed to the "young man" as the fair writer supposed him to be team races. These are looked forto manfully stand by his pledge; that the world needed sober men-men who possessed tender hearts-men who would give life itself for the cause of humanity.

It was a good letter and breathed the right spirit, although it showed a little feminine curiosity in its inquiries as to his personal appearance, etc. No doubt her fancy painted a tall form with soulful eyes and a drooping mustache. 'Twould be cruel to tell her he is only a kid whose cheeks have not yet shed the down of nis babyhood.—Lexington News.

SEND IN THE NEWS. Let us know when you-

Go a visiting; Get back; Have a friend visit you: Give a party; Have a baby born to you; Have a serious illness; Build a house;

Or barn: Buy or sell a farm; Or other property; Sell a nice bunch of cattle; Or hogs;

Buy thoroughbred live stock; Break a limb; Or anything else happens to you; Or your family:

Or your neighbor: If you will do this, you will have no grievance against the editor for neglect and the Chronicle will contain

many items which otherwise will of necessity be ommitted. FOR SALE—Two second-hand buggies, one new buggy, single harness, good as new. Inquire of A. D. MEAD.

Light driving horse for sale or exchange for stock. Inquire of D. Losey, one mile east and one-half mile north of Cass City. 7-22-tf

EGG MEN ORGANIZE.

The Michigan Wholesale Egg Dealers' association was organized recently at Lansing with the following officers: President, C. C. Hubbell, Marlette; secretary and treasurer, W. A. Ross, Tecumseh; executive committee, F. W. Brown of Detroit, J, E. Weter of Richmond and W. H. Comfort of Bad Axe. A meeting of the new organization will be held in Lansing on August 1 and 2 for the purpose of acting upon by-laws to be prepared by a committee.

NEWSPAPERS FIRST.

Occupy the Most Prominent Place In Modern

Advertising. Few people have any idea of the power wielded by advertising at the present day, and fewer still are acquainted with the modern tendencies power. A conservative and well qualified estimate places the total annual outlay for advertising in the United States alone at \$500,000,000, and of this enormous sum no less than 75 per cent is in payment for space in newspapers, magazines and trade journals. In other words, we spend as much on advertising as Russia, Germany, France, Austro-Hungary and Spain spend on their armies every year Huge as the expenditure is, it is not in undue proportion to the value of business done, being little less than 5 per cent of the total annual sales of \$2,000,000,000 is spent annually for advertising in all countries, it will be seen that our share, the leading nation in publicity methods, is one-fourth of the totel amount spent. The newsposition in the advertising arena. 25,000 at the present time does not, Among the excursionists on the here put forth in print is so exception-

STATE FAIR RACES.

There will be 12 races at the Michidrop, replaced the cork and set it gan State Fair, Pontiac, this year; away for future use. Floyd wrote three for each of the four last days of upon a piece of paper the touching in- the fair. The purses will aggregate scription, "My last drink," signed his \$6,000. The following is the racing name, gave his postoffice address, put program as prepared. Sept. 13, 2:15 it in the bottle, carefully replaced the class trotting; 2:13 class pacing; 2:40 class pacing. Sept. 14, 2:40 class trotting; 2:24 class trotting; 2:24 class Nearly four weeks later came a let- pacing. Sept. 15, 2:21 class trotting; ter to the Lexington postoffice, ad-2:30 class pacing; 2:18 class pacing.

Besides these races there will also take place again this year the fire ward to by many with great interest.

Say, Sally, Sip Soda?" "Bet ver life, Ice Cream Soda." Candy Kitchen.

FOR BIG KALLY.

Sunday School Association Secured Noted

The executive committee of the Michigan Sunday school association met recently in Detroit. Those present were: Hon. J. M. Davis, Kalamazoo; Prof. C. H. Gurney, Hillsdale; Rev. J. V. N. Hartness, Marquette; Edward Hutchins, Fennville; W. L. C. Reid, Jackson; H. H. Simpson, Bad Axe; General Secretary Arthur Day, Leonard Lawrence, Herbert M. Pierce and J. E. Bolles, all of Detroit. A number of letters were read from those members of the committee who were unable to be present.

The reports of General Secretary Day, Primary Superintendent Mrs. G. L. Fox, of Hastings, Home Department Superintendent Fred Washburn of Benton Harbor, and State Trea-|daughter, Vera, are spending a couple that guide the expenditure of this surer H. H. Simpson, of Bad Axe, were read.

The next meeting of the executive committee will be held at Bad Axe Kingston are spending the week here. some time in September. That meeting will be in the nature of a preparatory meeting to the state convention which will be held in that city on Nov. 15-17, inclusive.

It is expected that Marion Lawrence and W. C. Pierce will represent the International association. Other prominent speakers will be present and General Secretary Day, who outlined the program for the convention, stated that the rally would be the the United States. Assuming that best in the history of the association.

ORION CONFERENCE. tional bible conference and christian Heenan of Dryden. workers' institute opened at Orion papers occupy the most prominent | Thursday and continues until August 8. Many conference workers of wide Their phenomenal growth from 2,526 repute will attend and speak. Among modern specimens in 1850 to a round the number are: Rev. D. F. McGill, Allegheney; Rev. Len G. Broughton, however, give any idea of the growth Atlanta; Rev. C. I. Scofield, Dallas; of the advertising they contain. The Rev. Walter Russell, Toronto; A. B. Marine City has a small acreage, but number of copies annually printed is DeRoss, Nicaraugua; Rev. Harris H. exceeding that of last year, which about four billions, and, counting an Gregg, St. Louis; Rev. James N. ground only 8,000 tons. Alma has a average of 100 ads. to each copy, we Buckley, New York; Rev. John F. face the gigantic number of 400,000 Carson, Brooklyn; Rev. E. B. Allen, billion impressions of ads. made yearly | Toledo; and Charles Palmer, Chicago, by the printing press. The energy field superintendent of the Gideons. It will be one of the great religious steamer Greyhound June 18, was ally large that we need not consider gatherings of the season in Michigan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ostrander's Up-to-date Shoe Store-The American Girl Shoe, a shoe as good as its name. L. I. Wood & Co.-Parker Lucky

Curve Fountain Pen. Young & Benkelman-Choice meats.

H. T. Elliott-Opening sale at new store in Ale building. The Model-Extremely low prices.

OXFORD'S BABY WONDER. The nine-months-old son of Frank

Hartsuff, of Oxford, has an advantage over other babes. The child has two tongues. The second tongue did not put in an appearance until the past month, but is now growing rapidly, branching out from the roots of the first tongue.

FOR SALE-Baker's oven and baker's outfit. Inquire at this office.

For Rent.—A restaurant. Apply to H. McColl.

T. H. Fritz spent Sunday with his

J. D. Crosby is treating his cottage to a coat of paint.

Roy McKenzie is spending the week

with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Ballard of North Branch are spending a few days here. Wm. R. McCallum was the guest of

Guy Landon the fore part of the week. Miss Retta Brown of Cass City was the guest of Miss Cecil Fritz over

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith and little of weeks at the Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickson and family and Vala and Leeland Swailes of

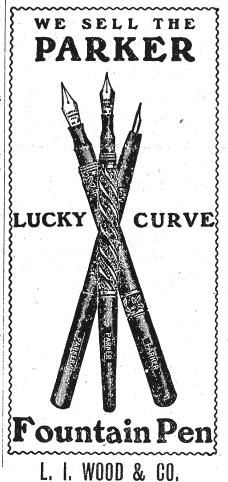
Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Stanley, arrived here Tuesday to spend some time. They will occupy the Janes

J. C. Laing spent Sunday here. He returned home Monday accompanied by Mrs. Laing and Mrs. Janes and children.

Mrs. Butler and the Misses Davey, McGillies and Harrington of Imlay City are the guests of Miss Olla Lamb this week.

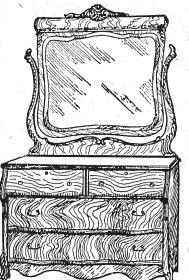
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lamb of Imlay City opened their cottage Monday. The fourth annual interdenomina- They are entertaining Master George

> SLost on Saturday evening, on or near Main street, a lady's purse with small amount of money. Finder will leave at this office and receive re-



OPENING SALE!

Saturday, July 30



We place on sale at our new store in the Ale Building a complete line of new Furniture and at a price that is right. We have a fine line of

Odd Dressers, Iron and Wood Beds, Commodes, Chairs and Rockers

THAT WE WILL

Close Out at a Discount

I am now prepared to do anything in the framing line and on short notice.

Call and see us in our new location and remember that you can always get us by telephone.

H. T. ELLIOTT, The Undertaker

Tri-County Chronicle.

KLUMP-LENZNER Co., PUBS.

CASS CITY, -MICHIGAN.

The Bey of Tunis arrived in Paris

and was filled with enthusiasm.

Radium is going up to \$160,000 an Please give us a nickel's ounce.

Business in some of the London theaters is said to be nearly as bad as some of the plays.

If that "decisive battle" at Ta Tche Kiao comes off the news will set everybody to sneezing.

There would be no talk of lynching in New Jersey if justice were as swift and sure as Jersey lightning.

The British ghurkas have captured the Gyangtse jong. How clear the whole plan of campaign is now!

A summer girl who assumed the bucolic role of milkmaid at Seabrook on the Bay is now wearing a gored

would have been more judicious to put the money in a mackintosh than in a panama. All New York's passenger boats

are to be inspected again. What a fine new lock the stable always has after the horse is stolen!

A Kansas man has left his wife "because she was too kind to him." Nature hath made strange fellows in her time.-Milwaukee Sentinel.

There is a suspicion that the Dove of Peace has gone into training with a view of making a public appearance in the far East in the near future

It is now pretty conclusively admitted that the great American prune when labeled "grown in France' makes good eating at home or abroad.

Lord Kitchener has made up his mind never to marry. In other words, he wishes American girls to understand that he doesn't need the

The wail comes from Manila that Supreme picket—Mrs. Anna M. sale" at resident Americans won't go to church. Evidently the traveled Supreme trustees—Mrs. Helen M. at once. Evidently the traveled Americans can't shake off home habits.

The Duke of Manchester is doubt less glad to note that Mr. Zimmerman of Cincinnati is at the head of the new railroad combine. There's millions in it.

That red ant they are importing for the cotton fields appears to serve the double function of killing the holl weevil and keeping the cotton pickers lively.

Lucky Highball! He died in the height of his glory and will never have to hear the other cab horses tell him it isn't what you used to be but what you are to-day.

Among the other heroines of peace is the girl who gives her correct age to the marriage license clerk when she happens to be a little older than the man of her choice.

Mr. Rockefeller's old school teacher has a lot of poems he wrote when a youth and talks about publishing them. John D. is in for a requisition of 40 Harper power this time, sure.

The Columbus man who reported to the police that a thief had stolen his pants, made a great mistake. The charge would have been made grand larceny if he had thought to call 'em

With advancing years King Edward is developing quieter tastes in the matter of apparel. At Ascot he wore "a blue frock coat, a purple tie, white gaiters and a red flower"-an almost somber ensemble.

When it is known that it took place in Spain no further seeking is necessary for the cause of the darkened spirit which led eight women to boil a sister to death in the effort to rid her of a demon.

He is a mean thief who will steal the jewels belonging to a bishop's wife, but no doubt Mrs. Potter's diamonds sparkle just as temptingly as though they had been the property of some comic opera celebrity.

American citizens of Italian ancestry, and others as well may be interested to learn that the closest living relative of George Washington is Mrs. Attilo Morosini, wife of a son of Giovanni P. Morosini, a New York banker, who before her marriage was Mary Washington Bond. She is a great-great-granddaughter of Samuel Washington, a brother of the general.

If the list of American heiresses who have secured divorces from foreign noblesmen keeps increasing their circle will soon be no more exclusive or select than that of the heiresses who capture noblemen and do not get

A current item says that Queen Margherita of Italy has a lace handkerchief worth \$10,000. We would move to amend this statement by substituting for the word "worth" the words "that cost," in the interest of mere facts.

Showing What's Boing in All Sections of the State

THE BEES.

The Convention of Maccabees in De-

troit-Rates and Elections. The supreme tent of the Knights of the Maccabees of the World opened comed by Gov. Bliss and W. C. Maybury, the mayor, with the glad hand, chester, Mich., who passed away at Supreme Commander D. P. Markey, in Grace hospital two days previously. his annual report set up strong arguments and gave numerous figures, gleaned from the experience of the order, claiming the advisability of the chester, came to Detroit to seek rereadjustment of the rates of assessment as proposed by the supreme tent. The majortiy of the delegates were eviraise of assessments.

The L. O. T. M. in their triennial session heard reports of officers which show a remarkable and healthy growth. Miss West, the supreme record keeper, in a long and valuable report, says: "I report that the past triennial term has exceeded in growth and financial progress the record of all the preceding terms combined. Beginning the term with 84,657 members, we added during its three years over There are times when one feels it today a total membership of over 150,-000, nearly doubling in memebrship during the term. Our emergency fund of \$196,400 has grown to \$838,788—a gratifying showing. Our total of certificates in force has increased from \$62,103.633 to \$99,881,443. The volume of business handled in our offices has doubled. We stand first among the women's orders of the world, and have, during the term, passed from tenth to seventh place in point of membership among the fraternal beneficiary societies of North America."

The election of officers resulted in several changes—the list follows: Supreme commander—Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister, Detroit.

Supreme record keeper-Miss Bina M. West, Port Huron.

Supreme lieutenant commander—Mrs. Eva L. McNett, Hornellsville, N. Y.
Supreme finance keeper—Mrs. C. V. Heppert, Akron, O.

Supreme chaplain—Mrs. Minnie W. Aydelotte, Oakland, Cal. Supreme sergeant-Mrs. Tirzah A.

Nelson, Des Moines, Ia. Supreme mistress-at-arms—Miss Auna L. Carton, Dallas, Tex.

Supreme sentinel—Miss Carrie A. Drake, Danbury, Ct.

Ellen E. Downer, Chicago; Mrs. Grace Meredith, Wabash, Ind. Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister, the su-

preme commander, and Miss Bina M. West, the supreme record keeper, were both unanimously re-elected and, in appreciation of their combned efforts, they were included in one resolution. They have had phenomenal success in the management of the order. Anticipating the action of the convention, the clerks in Mrs. Hollister's and Miss West's offices sent each a magnificent bouquet of American Beauty roses.

The matter of raising the rates was happily adjusted, the increase affecting only new members. The Supreme Tent elected the following officers: Past Supreme Commander-D. D.

Aitken, Flint, Mich. Supreme Commander-D. P. Markey, Port Huron, Mich.

Supreme Lieutenant Commander-S. F. Bowser, Butler, Pa.

Supreme Record-Keeper-L. E. Sisler, Akron, O.

Supreme Chaplain-J. W. Sherwood, Portland, Ore. Supreme Sergeant-M. F. Elkin, San

Francisco, Cal. Supreme Master-at-Arms-C. E. Gard Springfield, Ill.

Supreme First Master of the Guards -E. M. Guthrie, Los Angeles, Cal. Supreme Second Master of the Guards-J. T. Lyles, Tyler, Tex.

Supreme Sentinel-S. M. Milliken, Denver, Col. Supreme Picket-Dr. E. H. Haas, St.

Paul. Minn. Editor of the Bee Hive-Ed. L. Young, Norwalk, O. The following were elected as the new Board of Trustees: D. P. Markey, Port Huron; J. B. MacDannell Buffalo, N. Y.; James F. Downer, Chi-

cago, Ill.; D. D. Aitken, Flint, Mich.;

W. E. Blaney, Pittsburg, Pa.; L. E. Sisler and Dr. R. E. Moss, Port Huron,

Mich. Ex-Mayor Dead.

Willianm G. Thompson, former mayor of Detroit and member of the state senate, died Tuesday night at a sanitarium in Yonkers, N. Y., to which he was recently taken for treat ment.

April 12, last, while crossing the Campus, he was struck by a boy on a bicycle and thrown to the pavement. A bone of one of his hips was frac fured, but that trouble was being suc cessfully coped with and the fracture was mended at the time of death. Mr. Thompson's fatal illness greatly puzzled Drs. McLean and Mann. No signs of complications could be detected and his liver and kidneys were in good condition. The senator simply seemed to have given up the fight and lacked the vitality necessary to carry him through.

During the past week 107 out-of-thestate couples were married in St. Jo-

seph. Patrick Lyons, a farmer, was held up on a bridge in the business section of Flint and robbed of \$17, after being pounded over the head.

Alebrt Kniss, aged 65, a prominent farmer of Schoolcraft, committed suicide last week by blowing the top of his head off with a shotgun. F. R. Williams, Jr., has been ap-

pointed prosecuting attorney of An-

trim county to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of his father. Isaac Kersey, a colored man of Kalamazoo, was shot and killed Friday by Herman Scott, also colored, who objected to Kersey's presence in his giving it the right to operate cars on mother's house.

Dr. Hodge Convicted. Dr. Scott F. Hodge, of Detroit, was convicted of manslaughter in the Recorder's Court on Friday. He was arrested on Jan. 17 last in connection with an investigation made by the in Detroit on Tuesday, and was wel- police concerning the death of a 19 year-old girl, Anna Lehman, of Man-It was alleged that on Jan. 8 or 9

chester, came to Detroit to seek relief. Several physicians were consulted, and then the couple went to Dr. Hodge on Washington avenue. dently with him and foreshadowed a From testimony given by Kuhl at the trial it seems that Dr. Hodge operated upon the young woman and kept her at his Washington avenue resi-

Miss Lehman, accompanied by Elmer

dence, which was fitted up after the manner of a sanitarium. Several treatments were given, and then septicemia developed, and Dr. Hodge, being fearful of the outcome hurried the girl to Grace hospital, where he called into consultation Dr. J. B. Kennedy, a prominent physician and president of the Detroit Board ss,000 new members, closing with a of Health. Dr. Kennedy performed net membership of 136,921, and having another operation and sewed up several rents in the internal organs. which had been made by previous Notwithstanding the eftreatment. forts of the doctors to save her, the girl died.

BAY CITY TAXES.

A Clean Up On Non-Taxpaying Property Coming.

Six townships in Bay county have not a single description on which there are back taxes for five years or more. The appraisers of tax lands, appointed several months ago by State Land Commissioner Wildey, have completed their work, and it is expected that the "clearance sale" under the special act will be held within a short time. In the Bay Cities the conditions are not so favorable. About 10 per cent of the assessed valuation in Bay City does not pay taxes, while nearly one-third of the descriptions are non-productive of taxes. The reason for the large percentage is the abandonment of sawmill and other property years ago, when lumber gave out. As a result much of this property has more back taxes against it than it is worth. It is expected that through the "clearance sale" at least \$250,000 in assessed valuation will be put back on the rolls The appraisers' prices run Bradbeer, Port Huron, Mich.; Mrs. from 25 to 50 per cent of the actual value.

A Mother's Love.

Emma Coffeen, wife of Selby Coffeen, was drowned near Allendale resort. Gull lake. Saturday. year-old son, Winnie, was bathing and got into deep water, where he strangled. The mother rushed into the water to save him and succeeded for a time, then went down herself a moment later. The boy was saved by men in a boat, but the woman had sunk and no one present could swim. Martin E. Brown, editor of the Battle Creek Moon, soon arrived, and, after diving a few times, he grasped the body and brought it to the surface. The water was only eight feet deep.

The Coffeen family resides at Battle Creek, and Mr. Coffeen runs on a Grand Trunk train. This is the first accident at the lake this season

It Is Expensive.

The state board of auditors has allowed bills and claims against the state aggregating \$488.038.13, for the year ending June 30, 1904, an increase of \$72,033.32. The state tax commission and board of railway assessors cost the state \$70,144.99, of which \$45,-025.28 was for the tax commission; the attorney general's department \$75. 000, and the superintendent of the state capitol building expended \$112,-939.19, largely for two new elevators and a new roof. A large portion of the allowances for the attorney general were on account of the expenses of conducting the railroad suits, while the general allowances aggregated \$411,507.65; printing, \$30,426.50; binding, \$19,869.62; stationery, \$26,234.36.

Blown Up At Night.

A mysterious explosion on the farm of C. W. Luce in Franklin township at 3 o'clock in the morning caused much excitement. The explosion occurred in a building now used as a tool house and wagon house, but formerly used as a cider mill, and was so great that both ends of the building were blown out and the entire neighborhood awakened. The explosion was olice ed by a fire which consumed the milding before anything could be sayd. In the building was a can of turnentine and a barrel of linseed oil, but just how they figured in the exploion cannot be solved.

EX-Slave Dying.

Perry Sanford, of Battle Creek, the last survivor of the famous invasion of the state by armed Kentuckians in 1848, in search of fugitive slaves, is dying. One result of the fruitless raid into Michigan was the introduction in the United States senate in 1850 of the fugitive slave act. When the law was passed every colored man in this part of the state fled to Canada except Perry Sanford, Wm. Casey, Thos. Henderson and Jos. Skipworth. All are now dead except Sanford.

Cadillac-The new \$4,000 Catholic church at Jennings was dedicated by Bishop Richter, of Grand Rapids. Lyman Topping, of Niles, loses a

hand as a result of pricking his finger on the fin of a blue gill he was taking off his hook in Barren lake. The \$10,000 stock which the people

of Almont have to purchase to secure the extension of the electric road from Romeo has been almost wholly subscribed. The village council has granted a franchise to the company exempting it from taxation for ten years and lany schedule it sees fit.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Battle Creek people are proud of the pirth of the first Greek child in the

ounty have rust and much of the crop will not be worth cutting.

Doctors in the rural districts are kept on the jump these days attending o folks who fall out of cherry trees while picking the fruit.

The Edison theatre, the only ground floor theatre in Port Huron, was destroyed by fire Saturday, causing a oss of \$35,000, with \$17,000 insurance. Katie Ludwick, the Polish girl reently acquitted of the murder of her usband, is one of the leading contestunts for queen of the carnival in Coldwater.

A. Z. Withee, of Marquette, former postal clerk, pleaded guilty in the United States court to stealing money from letters. He was prominent in fraternal and church circles.

Standing upright in 12 feet of water. he body of William Carson was found at the head of Boardman lake. He meat famine. The decision to call a

tendered an invitation to come home. The plant of the Northwestern Cooperage & Lumber Co., of Escanaba,

started in the boiler house. The loss will reach \$30,000, with \$12,000 insur-Lawrence Dell, the 13-year-old boy who disappeared from Summit City last spring, was found by his brothers who went to Cadillac to the Wallace

was entirely destroyed by a fire which

experience. Fred Sohms, of Saginaw, cut an ugly gash in his wrist at Point Lookout with a piece of glass. An artery and two yeins were cut, and he nearly bled to death. It required six stitches to

circus. He said he was looking for

lose the wound. Able-bodied men have to go armed up near Leslie for the farmers are so in need of help that they are holding up pedestrians and forcing them to take \$2.50 per day for working in the harvest fields.

Mrs. Whittaker was raking hay on her husband's farm when the horse ran away. She was thrown to the ground, striking upon her head and eceiving two large cuts, which rendered her unconscious. The Wolverine Mining Co., capital

stock \$500,000, all of the officers living here, has been granted federal incorporation papers. The concern operates quartz and placer gold mines in Rutherford county, N. C. Fire destroyed the house of Will Mc

Clintock, of Eaton Rapids, with its contents, Loss \$12,000, with \$8,000 insur-Mr. McClintock was badly burned about the face and hands in trying to find his insurance policy. An opinion by the supreme court up-

holds the Detroit water board in its refusal to furnish free water for the public schools. The opinion says the schools are no more entitled to free water than the house of correction. A Gerkin, a well known pioneer fur niture dealer, of Benton Harbor, who

was found dead in his chair Sunday took his own life owing to despondency caused by business reverses. He had been in business here for 40 years The entire force of the census bu reau was thrown on to the Detroit

figures Monday morning, and it is believed they will be able to tell soon when they can give an estimate on the population of the state's metropolis. In some unknown manner a car loaded with cattle and hogs caught fire

near Montague and all the stock was burned to death before the train could be stopped. It is supposed a spark from the engine fell in the straw in the car. City Recorder O. A. Marsac, of Bay City, is enjoying his first vacation in

sixteen years. During his incumbency of the office the recorder has only been absent three times, twice on ac count of sickness and once on a three day visit to relatives.

Robert Shekell, a well-known Battle Creek business man, got some chem ical from Fourth of July "Congo clubs" on his hands while handling the clubs. and the stuff ignited, burning the flesh of his hands and arms to the bone and badly scorching his face.

The largest raft of pine logs eve towed on Lake Superior arrived at Baraga a few days ago, after a long voyage from the head of the lake The timber was cut during last winter in the Gooseberry river district, and aggregated 7,000,000 feet.

Bay City will celebrate the opening of the D. & M. railroad to Cheboygan by entertaining the Cheboygan business men on July 27. The visitors will bring their families, and a committee the board of trade will show them about the city and vicinity.

Thieves entered Henderson Bros and A. H. & M. H. Barnes's stores and the depot in Metamora. Men's clothing, shoes and money were taken from the stores and money from the depot This is the second time these stores have been robbed since warm weather.

Mrs. Black, a widow, of Cass county Mich., is one of five claimants for the pension of William Black, an old soldier, who died recently in the Indiana Soldiers' Home. The claim of the Michigan woman for the veteran's pension after his death brought the plural number of wives to light, and the government is now making an ef fort to locate the rightful heir.

A subterraneau passage has been dis covered between Lyon and Long lakes in Calhoun county, but the first man t explore it has not reported yet.

A boom is now under way in Battle Creek for separating the city and three townships into a new county, with Battle Creek as the county seat.

Guy Minbeck, a young man working on a farm near Cedar Springs, slipped while cutting wheat with a cradle and fell on the scythe, severing an artery in his leg. He bound a ligature about the leg without assistance and came to the village and Dr. Anderson closed the wound with six stitches while Minbeck watched the operation.

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Kappenings

TO A FINISH.

The Second Strike of Butchers Will

Make a Fierce Fight. The packers had one last chance to by courier. avert the strike by acceding to the propositions of the unions before Mon-July 19. It was the strongest Russian try ordering non-union men rushed to miles away. the packing centers. The strike in its try will find itself face to face with a mou at the point of the bayonet

forty-eight hours and all the other strikers within ten days. The packers absolutely refused to do this, contendin one inch, and finally the conference

Mrs. Maybrick Free.

way to France. Mrs. Maybrick, who was Miss Florence Elizabeth Chandler, a member of flank by a force even larger. a well known and prosperous Mobile. Ala., family, was married July 27, 1881, in St. James enurch, Piccadilly, to Jas, Maybrick, of Liverpool. She ate fighting to the east of Liao Yang, was then 18 years old. Her husband It is said that Rennenkampf's Cossacks was over 40 years of age.

became ill and in a few days he died. from the main body of the Russian His brothers investigated his death army and are in danger of annihilaand charged Mrs. Maybrick with the murder of her husband. A long trial followed, and a number of doctors place and Mukden has been cut, but swore that the deceased died of arseniadd that there is grave fear felt at eal poisoning.

The defense proved that for 20 years Mr. Maybrick had been a cofirmed user of arsenic and that he daily took doses large enough to have killed a

dozen ordinary men, Mrs. Maybrick was eventually sentenced to death by the judge, Sir Fitzven the English bar and many American jurists compared it in venom and prejudice to the diatribes of Jeffreys in the "Bloody Assizes." He subse-

quently died in an asylum. Military Rule Over.

there will be no military rule in the amount. State of Colorado. The troops in Teller, San Miguel and Las Animas counties will be withdrawn and the administration of affairs in these counties left to the civil authorities. The withdrawal of the troops will also bring about he dissolution of the military commissions now in existence in the Cripple Creek district. The results above referred to will be effected by orders from Gov. Peabody, who has arrived at the conclusion that conditions in these counties have become so peaceful as to no longer require the presence of the military.

Folk Is Nominated.

After an all-night session, marked by intervals of disorder and commotion that could not be quelled by the gavel, the Missouri Democratic state convention unanimously nominated Joseph W. Folk, circuit attorney of St. Louis, for governor and adopted a platform which promises vigorous, unrelenting crusade against corruption and boodle in Missouri in the event of Democratic supremacy at the polls. In accepting the nomination Folk said: "If I am elected to a larger field of opportunity. I propose to make Missouri the most unhealthy place in all the land for corruptionists to operate

Marcus A. Hanna left a net personal estate in New York city amounting to \$75,218, consisting of trust company which are largely owned by Cleveland stock. The senator held no real estate operators, have been put upon half whatever in New York.

slans Routed.

From Shanghai comes the news that the Japanese, after a sharp and The great sympathetic strike to aid brilliant fight, have captured Shimon, the butcher workmen involves nearly 10 miles east of Liao Yang, according 100,000 men and will effectually tie up to a cable from Nagasaki. This cable the meat industry of the United States. says the official report was received

day. The packers, however, evidently position on the advanced line of enmade up their minds to fight, as tele- trenchments guarding the eastern road grams were sent out through the coun- to Russian headquarters, which are 10

After much shelling of the Russian effect will be one of the most serious position the Japanese infantry, under in the history of the nation. In fact, cover of a concentrated fire from all if it lasts any length of time, the coun- the batteries, charged and carried Shi-

Marshall is to have a "home-coming festival and gala week," August 15 to 21, and every man and woman who ever lived in the old town have been tendered an invitation to come home. The Russian withdrawal is said to

No doubt is felt in London that the position of Kuropatkin's army in Manchuria is dangerous to the verge of ing that the original agreement would hopelessness. Latest advices, some of have to stand. Neither side would give which are official, leave little doubt that the Japanese movements in the east have been crowned with success and that the Russian position is cut in two, making retreat for the main Mrs. Florence Maybrick is free. She army under Kuropatkin impossible exleft Truro, Eng., Wednesday, on her cept by cutting through a force almost equal to any which he can bring against it, and pressed on rear and

A Crushing Defeat.

Reports reach Tien Tsin of desperhave met with another crushing de-In the spring of 1889, Mr. Maybrick feat. That they have been separated tion. Recent reports from Liao Yang deny that the railroad between that add that there is grave fear felt at Russian headquarters that the Japan-ese may reach the road at any time.

R. F. D. Salaries,

The new salary schedule for rural mail carriers applies from July 1. To carriers on routes of maximum length the maximum salary of \$720 will be days in charging the jury, and shocked paid. The salaries of carriers on routes shorter than the maximum is fixed by deducting \$18 for each mile less that 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 Before the end of the present week received increases of less than this

> Toadstools Prove Fatal. Carbondale, Ill., dispatch: Greenfield and John Fry, a child, are dead and four others, relatives of the two families, are fatally poisoned as the result of eating toadstools gathered in mistake for mushrooms.

> New Governor in Morocco. Tangier cablegram: Kaid Benhimaa. thief of police, has been appointed governor. General satisfaction is expressed over the removal of the late occupant of the governorship, which was one of Raisuli's stipulations.

Murder in "Little Italy."

New York special: During a celeoration in honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Harlem's "Little Italy" Pecquale Perrelli was murdered by an unidentified man, who stepped ap to him and shot him twice.

Gets Frenchman's Fortune. Paris cable: The tribunal of the Seine held valid the will presented by George A. Church of Nayatt Point, R. I., bequeathing to him the fortune of M. Poulet, a Parisian capitalist.

Owing to lack of demand all coal mines in the eighth Ohio district,

MAP OF PORTION OF MANCHURIA, SHOWING APPROXIMATE POSI-



(The Positions of the Russian Forces Are Shown by Unshaded Rectangular Figures. The Japanese Positions Are Shown by the Black Rectangular Figures. Motion Pass is Marked by a Star.)

pas been put under way at Niagara Republican nomination for president. Falls, by the Niagara Irrigation & taken to Devil's Hole, below the falls, where there is a sheer drop of 300 feet.

with his team of horses and a wagon, were blown to atoms by an explosion of glycerin at Lima, O. A few pieces of flesh were found of the man and beasts, while a big hole marks the spot where the explosion occurred. Siegel was unloading "empties," having just Fourteenth streets, the price being returned from "shooting" a well. \$135,000.

President Roosevelt is working on olving an expenditure of \$10,000,000 his speech and letter accepting the

Fire, which started in the kitchen Water Supply Co. The water will be of the American cafe in the Jerusalem concession at the world's fair grounds, for more than an hour threatened fes-William H. Siegel, aged 30, together tival hall, the west pavilion and the whole Jerusalem exhibit, causing a loss of \$15,000.

The secretary of the treasury has selected as a site for the new postoffice at Toledo, O., the block bounded by Madison, Jefferson, Thirteenth and



MRS. FLORENCE MAYBRICK

She left Truro, Cornwall, July 20, on her way to France.

Mrs. Maybrick's imprisonment was not terminated with the clang of doors, the last sound which remains in the ears of so many of her fellow prisoners who preceded her to liberty from Aylesbury, where she spent more than fourteen years of her life. It closed at the arched doorway of the white convent of the Sisterhood of the Epiphany in the little town of Truro, Cornwall, with the black-robed sisters uttering their blessings and good wishes for her future. With two companions. Mrs. Maybrick entered the carriage of Miss Dalrymple, secretary to the sisterhood, and was driven to Staustell, a small station fourteen miles away, where she boardd a train and started on her journey She will not come to to France. America until her presence is considered necessary.

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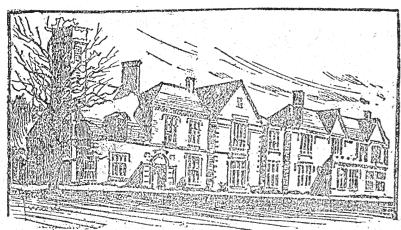
Mrs. Florence Maybrick is free. | large enough to have killed a dozen ordinary men.

Mrs. Maybrick was eventually sentenced to death by the judge, Sir Fitzjames Stephen, who spoke for two days in charging the jury. He said it was impossible for them not to find her guilty in the fact of the medical evidence. The judge died some time later in a madhouse.

From the time of Mrs. Maybrick's conviction her mother, the Baroness de Roques, was unremitting in her efforts in behalf of the prisoner. She succeeded in having the death sentence commuted to penal servitude for life and finally has obtained the freedom of her daughter, to whose release from prison she had devoted her life. The baroness was aided by influential friends on both sides of the Atlantic.

In 1900, after the death of Lord Russel of Killowen, chief justice of England, a letter which he had written to Mrs. Maybrick in 1895 was discovered. It showed he was convinced that she ought never to have been convicted and it has been generally understood that all the recent American embassadors to the court of St. James have done everything possible to obtain Mrs. Maybrick's pardon.

The fact of her probable release was used at a reason for securing the postponement of a trial last year of lawsuits bearing on Mrs. Maybrick's interest in land in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia until she was able personally to testify. If she was not able to testify in these suits Mrs. Maybrick and her mother would have lost all title and interest in the many thousands of acres of land involved



Church of England Home at Truro, Cornwall, Where Mrs. Maybrick Has Been Resting.

....... LIPTON MAY RACE AGAIN.

Significance in Fact That Shamrock

III. Is Not for Sale. It may or may not be significant of Sir Thomas J. Lipton's intentions regarding a fourth challenge for the been withdrawn from the market. When the first and second Shamrocks were sold last November it was generally understood that the third ten days ago a yacht broker made an ten days ago a yacht broker made an inquiry concerning the Shamrock of J. Keithly Crowther, Sir Thomas' manager in this country, and was unhesitatingly informed that she was not for sale. Mr. Crowther succeeded Mr. Davis as the Lipton agent short-Mr. Davis as the Lipton agent shortmatch for the America's cup. Sir | Thomas is expected in the first week of September.

To Fight for Suffrage.

Dr. John F. Reyburn, one of the oldest physicians in Washington and President Garfield the summer he he intends to lead a vigorous movement before the next congress.

CONSUL IN SERIOUS TROUBLE.

Albion W. Tourgee Accused of Making False Reports. Albion W. Tourgee, familiar to readers of postrebellion literature as the author of "The Fool's Errand" America's cup that Shamrock III. has and other works dealing with the reconstruction period, has recently got into trouble with the wine shippers of Bordeaux, France, where he is the consul for the United States. They Shamrock was for sale also. About claim that Tourgee has made false reports to his government regarding condemn Mr. Tourgee roundly and ly after the conclusion of the last refer to him with fine Gallic sarcasm as a romantic novelist not in keeping with his duties as a government representative.

Effect of Political Honors. Among those who crowded around Senator Fairbanks after the nominanoted as one of those who attended tion at the Chicago convention was an old Indiana lawyer who somedied, has begun to agitate the issue what embarrassed the vice presidenof suffrage for the people of the Dis- tial candidate by piping out: "Ah, trict of Columbia. Dr. Reyburn was Charlie, I knew you'd get to be a big a delegate to the Chicago convention man one of these days." "Seems to and has decided to use the authority me, judge," replied the senator, "that of his position as the official leader of the Republicans of Washington to teach me law." "Yes, Charlie, you fortnight." make headway, if possible, for the suffrage movement. Dr. Reyburn says in a high voice. "Nature has set your organized an association having for the business men of Onaway have head pretty high, but this nomina- its claims the industrial improvement tion will fill you out about the chest.", of the town.

A joking remark passed between old friends resulted in a murder in the Arcade saloon in St. Joseph. J. A. Cook, aged 50, known as the largest manufacturer of brooms in that section of the state, is the murderer, and Burton Griswold, aged 35, of the Benton Transit Co., the victim.

Cook and Griswold met and the latter made some half-poking, half-insulting remark about one of Cook's employes. Hard words followed, but when they separated it was thought the matter would be dropped. An hour later. however, Cook came upon Griswold in the Arcade saloon and without a word walked up to him and struck him blow on the law which felled him like a log. Griswold's head struck a marble pillar and he died almost in-

Cook was immediately arrested, but on the way to the jail his friends interfered with officers and a fight ensued, and the police were forced to fight their way through the crowd, gun in hand. It is feared an attempt may be made to liberate him from the jail by force. Cook has been associated in business in Benton Harbor for a number of years and enjoys a good reputation. He, too, was a man of good

Lost Finger and Ring.

Dugan Thompson, of Davison, went to the ice house to get some ice. After the leap a ring on his finger caught on a protruding nail and the weight of his body caused the ring to cut the digit off below the second joint. Dr. Lock amputated the stub. The ring and the portion of the finger lost cannot be found.

A special election is called for August 3, to vote on bonding the village of McBain for \$3,000 for cement walks and street improvements.

going to give an automobile social a la Newport.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending July 3).

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

STEAMERS LEAVING DETROIT. Standard Time

Standard Time.

WHITE STAR LINE—Foot of Griswold st; Boats for Port Huron and way ports daily at 8:35 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. For Toledo at 4:30 p.m. Leave Port Huron for Detroit6:30 a.m; 3:45 p.m. DETROIT & BUFFALO STEAMBOAT CO; --Foot of Wayne Street; for Buffalo daily at 4:00 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. LIVE STOCK.

Detroit—Choice steers, \$5.05 50; good to choice butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, \$4.04 50; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs, \$3.25.04; mixed butcher's fat cows, \$2.50.03.25; canners, \$1.04 75; common bulls, \$2.02.25; good shipper's bulls, \$2.75.00 3.50; common feeders, \$2.75.03; good well-bred feeders, \$3.25.03.85; light stockers, \$2.50.02.75.

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Veal calves—Market 50c lower than last week; best grades, \$5.75@6.25; others, \$3.50@5.

Sheep and lambs—Market \$1@1.25 lower on lambs; sheep about steady. Best lambs, \$5.50@5.75; fair to good lambs, \$5.605.50; light to common lambs, \$4.65; yearlings, \$4.65; fair to good butcher sheep, \$3.60.50; culls and common, \$1.50.60.250.

Hogs—Run light; market steady at last weeks prices. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$5.50; pigs, \$5.40; light yorkers, \$5.40.55.50; pigs, \$5.40; light yorkers, \$5.40.55.50; pigs, \$5.50; pigs, \$5.5

Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$5 50 @6 40; poor to medium, \$4 50@5 25; stockers and feeders, \$2@4 10; cows, \$1 50@4 50; heifers, \$2@5 50; canners, \$1 50@6 75; Texas-fed steers, \$3@4 75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5 30@ 5 45; good to choice heavy, \$5 35@5 50; rough heavy, \$5@5 25; light, \$5 25@ 5 60; bulk of sales, \$5 20@5 40. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4@4 50; fair to choice mixed, \$3 25@4; native lambs, \$4@7 50.

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East Buffalo. — Market overstocked: many cattle unsold; shippers advised to be cautious for next few days. Prices are lower. Best export grades, \$5.90@6.30; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb. shipping steers, \$5.65.40; good 1,050 to 1,100-lb. butcher steers, \$4.30@4.50; 900 to 1,000-lb. do., \$4.15@4.35; best fat cows, \$3.50@4; fair to good do., \$3@3.25; trimmers, \$1.50@2; best fat heifers, dry fed, \$4.40@4.60; medium heifers, \$2.55@3.60; fat heifers, grassers, \$3.25@3.40; common stock heifers, \$2.50@3; best feeding steers, 900 lbs. to 1,000 lbs., dehorned, \$3.75@4; best yearling steers, \$3.25@3.50; common stockers, \$2.50@3; export bulls, \$4@4.25; bologna bulls, \$2.75@3; little Jersey bulls, \$2.25@2.75. Cows: Good to extra, \$40@50; medium to good do., \$25@35; common, \$18@22. Calves: Best veals, \$6.75@7; fair to good, \$6@6.50; heavy, \$4.450. Hogs: Mixed medium, heavy and Yorkers, \$6.20@6.30; pigs, \$6.20@6.25. Sheep: Best lambs, \$6.50@6.75; fair to good do., \$6@6.25; culls and common, \$4.50@5.50; best yearlings, \$5.50@5.65; best mixed sheep, \$4.450.

Grain, Etc.

Chicago—Cash quotations: No. 2 spring wheat, 98@99c; No. 3 spring wheat, 88@96c; No. 2 corn, 49%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 51c; No. 2 oats, 40%c; No. 3 white oats, 40@42%c; No. 2 rye, 75c; good feeding barley, 35@38c; fair to choice maiting, 42@50c.

bushel.
Corn—No. 3 mixed, 50c; No. 3 yellow, 3 cars at 52½c per bu.
Cots—No. 3 white, spot, 4 cars at 43½c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 42½c bu.
Rye—No. 2 spot, nominal at 73c bu.
Beans—Spot and October, \$1 60; November, \$1 54 asked.

Albert Kramer, aged 18, was drowned in Cedar river while bathing. He was unable to swim and got beyond his depth. The mayor of Hancock has come

forth with a plan for making tramps work, in the hope of ridding the city of them. Senator Fairbanks, Republican nomnce for vice-president, has gone to

Used Philosophy In Fishing.

Herbert Spencer once won a curious wager. He was staying for a fishing holdiay in the house of Sir Francis Powell, the president of the Scottisl academy, and while angling for trout he happened to drop his eye glasses into a deep pool of the river. In the evening he related his misadventure to his host and the guests, and said that he was prepared to bet that he would recover the pince-nez from the bottom of the pool. His friends de clared that this was an impossible feat, but Herbert Spencer still offered to make the bet. His challenge was accepted by one of the visitors. Upon the following morning Spencer returned to the house with the missing eye-glasses. He had fastened a strong magnet on the end of his fishing inne and fished for the glasses until it came into contact with their steel

Pump Water by Electricity. Electricity carried overland by wire some distance is being used in Oregon to pump water in irrigating farms. If the experiment proves successful, the system will be developed further.

Proved Beyond a Doubt.

Middlesex, N. Y., July 25,-(Spe cial.)-That Rheumatism can be cured has been proved beyond a doubt by throwing out a chunk he jumped from Mrs. Betsey A. Clawson, well known the door to the ground rather than to here. That Mrs. Clawson had Rheuclimb down the ladder. In making matism and had it bad, all her acquaintances know. They also know she is now cured. Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. Mrs. Clawson tells the story of her cure as follows:

"I was an invalid for most five years caused by Inflammatory Rheumatism, helpless two-thirds of the time. The first year I could not do as much as a baby could do; then I rallied a little bit and then a relapse. Then a year ago the gout set in my The Y. W. C. A. of Battle Creek is hands and feet. I suffered untold agony and in August, 1903, when my husband died I could not ride to the

> "I only took two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and in two weeks I could wait on myself and saw my own wood. I dug my own potatoes and gathered my own garden last fall. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

> Rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills put the Kidneys in shape to take all the uric acid out of the blood.

> > A Queer Question.

Prof. Leopold Barlsen is in charge of the great X-ray machine in the Educational building at the St. Louis fair, and, naturally, in this position

merable strange questions. Prof. Barisen recounted the other afternoon the old queries about X rays that some boys had put to him in the morning.

"I was rather in the position," he said, "of a Harvard instructor who

was lecturing on oxygen. "'Oxygen,' the instructor said, 'is essential to all animal existence; there could be no life without it; and yet, strange to say, it was discovered only a century ago.'

"'What did they do, then,' a student asked, 'before it was discovered,

Rail Rate Oddity.

It costs nearly \$2 more to go on an excursion train from Berlin to Basle Switzerland, than from Basle to Berlin. The difference is due to the fact that in one direction the baggage is free, but not in the other; wherefore a reduction is made in the latter case in the price of the ticket.

Lion and Unicorn. The lion is the emblem of England and the unicorn of Scotland. On the union of Scotland and England in 1603, one of the lions was removed from the British coat of arms, and the unicorn substituted.

RACE DONE?

Not a Bit of It. A man who thought his race was

run made a food find that brought him back to perfect health. "One year ago I was unable to per

form any labor and in fact I was told by my physicians that they could do nothing further for me. I was fast sinking away, for an attack of grip had left my stomach so weak it could not digest any food sufficient to keep me alive.

"There I was just wasting away growing thinner every day and weaker, really being snuffed out simply because I could not get any nourishment from food.

"Then my sister got after me to try Grape-Nuts food which had done much good for her and she finally persuaded be and although no other food had done me the least bit of good my stomach handled the Grape-Nuts from the first and this food supplied the nourishment I had needed. In three months I was so strong I moved from Albany to San Francisco and now on my three meals of Grape-Nuts and cream every day I am strong and vigorous and do fifteen hours' work.

"I believe the sickest person in the world could do as I do, eat three meals of nothing but Grape-Nuts and cream and soon be on their feet again in the flush of best health like me. "Not only am I in perfect physical

health again but my brain is stronger and clearer than it ever was on the old diet. I hope you will write to the names I send you about Grape-Nuts for I want to see my friends well and

strong. "Just think that a year ago I was dying but to-day, although I am over 55 years of age most people take me to be less than 40, and I feel just as young as I look." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Look for the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

SAYS THE OWL.

A woman is always pretending that she never pretends.

Shut your eyes when you look at the faults of a friend.

Nearly every time a man displays his temper he loses it. A man may mind his own business

and still be narrow-minded. Love not only laughs at locksmiths

but giggles at any old thing. A crank is the discoverer of a theory before the public is ready to pay for it.

A man's idea of hard work is any kind at which he can't sit down and smoke.

More worry is caused by the mon-

ey people have than by the money they haven't. When the curtain drops between the acts a man is reminded that he

By the time a wise guy is rich enough to marry the fool has children

needs a few drops

big enough to support him. A man likes to get his wife in an automobile and then run it so fast

that she is frightened speechless. A woman can get more real enjoynent out of a glass of ice-cream soda than a man can out of a two-gallon

demijohn. Men should be elected to office because of their qualifications for the job and not for the purpose of keep

ing them out of jail. GIRLS SHOULD NOT-

Neglect the usages of polite society when at home.

Go off on trips which are not mentioned to parents.

Show to the men how fond they are

of cash and dress. Indulge in "rough house" play when

the boys are present. Forget that there is a time limit on

youth's attractiveness. Make the home of a friend more

nial than thair

Make a point of attracting the notice of men in public places.

Fall into the habit of frowning at mother when she speaks to them.

Think an indulgence of wine is evidence of good taste or refinement.

Lend their aid toward making a brother selfish in his home life.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

SOME INDIAN PHILOSOPHY.

The following sayings, attributed to old Chief Joseph of the Nez Perces are "heap good medicines":

"Don't think the whole earth will listen to your death song."

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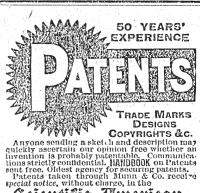
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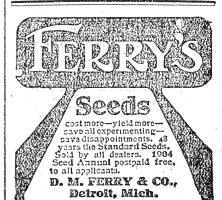
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Local Items.

W. B. Davis is in Detroit this week Little Laura Wooley has been ill the past week.

Ball game. Cass City-Deckerville, Friday, August 12.

H. L. Hunt is attending the races in Detroit this week.

Mrs. S. Leepla went to Saginaw Satirday to visit friends.

Henry Butier was in Gagetown on egal business Monday.

Miss Florence Seeger is visiting with friends in Detroit.

Wm. Dickinson, who resides southeast of town, is quite ill.

Miss Retta Brown spent Sunday with friends at Caseville.

John Colwood of Marlette has been

n town the past week.

Miss Ethel Ford is visiting with riends in Bad Axe this week, Miss Ethel Meredith of Shabbona is

the guest of Miss Elva Phillips. Mrs. N. McLaren and son Harry are

visiting with friends in Ontario. Miss Sarah Snyder of Leonard is the

guest of her brother, H. B. Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. T. Bliss of Gagetown

spent Sunday at the home of D. Tyo. Mrs. John Thompson of Caro is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Weldon.

of Deckerville were in town over Sun-

Hugh Seed Sr. left this morning for inaw Monday. visit with friends at Manistique and

Hancock Mrs. McKearchen of Greenleaf spent | tiac this week. Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. A.

Miss Lillie McColl returned home Fenn this week. Friday from Oak Bluff where she vis-

ited friends. Miss Florence McCallum of Chicago home Wednesday. was the guest of friends in town one day last week

Miss Cora Dingman went to Caro in honor of his birthday. Saturday to spend a few days with relatives there.

Blenheim, Ont.

Mrs. Henry Robinson returned home from a visit with relatives in Greenleaf last Friday.

Mrs. D. McColl and son, Loren, of Elkton were guests of relatives in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Predmore have rented the residence one door east of D. Tvo's residence.

Mrs. F. C. Lee and daughter, Leila, spent Friday and Saturday with friends in Ellington.

Joe Clements returned home from Lansing Saturday evening, where he has been employed.

ance of his property on Seeger street by a fresh coat of paint.

Miss Lamb of Detroit spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. Robb and son, Norman, of Croswell are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mead.

Miss Jessie Clark of Detroit has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hebblewhite, the past week.

The K. O. T. M. M. has leased Odd Fellows' hall and will hold their meetngs in that place hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hulburt returned home Friday from a visit with friends in Detroit and Romeo.

Herbert and Clara Lenzner went to Detroit Saturday. Miss Clara will spend the week with friends there.

Mrs. Jacob Hurley, who has been so seriously ill, has recovered her health

so that she is able to be around again. M. C. Beach, who has spent several months here, left for his home at Livingston, Montana, on Wednesday.

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of Rebekah was held Tuesday after-

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W. A. Foe's little daughter, near Wickware, is quite ill.

Miss Leota Grigware went to Pon-

iac Tuesday afternoon. Brown City vs. Cass City this after-

noon at the fairgrounds. Mrs. Ed Eno entertained a company of friends on Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Ahr spent part of the week with relatives in Argyle.

Miss Cora Schwaderer spent last

week with friends at Novesta. Chas. Jaus of Mayville visited with friends here the first of the week.

Bert Mead is the new assistant at the bicycle repair shop of C. C. Harp. Mrs. O. K. Janes and children returned home from Oak Bluff Monday.

Geo. H. Turner assisted in the

store of J. L. Hitchcock & Sons this D. A. Freeman was in Saginaw and Bay City the first of the week on busi-

Roy Hill visited with friends in Pontiac and Detroit the first of the

week. A. Frutchey is treating his residence on Garfield avenue to a coat of fresh

Clarion called on friends in town Wed-

paint.

Pearl Parker left Saturday morning ering rapidly. for Lansing where he has secured employment.

Elmer R. Paige and Herbert Ogden Fairweather. Fred Crocker, who spent last week

with relatives here, returned to Sag-

The Misses Etta and Myrtle Wickware are visiting with friends in Pon-

Miss Kate Harvey of Williamston visited at the home of Rev. J. W.

part of the week in Detroit returning WARE, P. M.

Willie Ball entertained a number of his little friends Wednesday afternoon Miss Edyth Wilson returned home

Thursday evening after a visit with Mrs. W. A. Lamb and two sons left friends in Pt. Huron and Detroit.

to attend the meeting at the M. E. little girl that Mrs. Landon kept church this afternoon at 4:00 p.m.

Miss Bessie Cleghorn and Miss Mchome of John Marshall northeast of

with relatives in Ionia and Lake lost their way. They wandered Odessa.

Arthur of Deford, were in town Sat-Frank Wilson of Detroit and Miss as they had been gone so long.

Alta Heywood of Pt. Huron are the I. A. Fritz is improving the appear- guests of Miss Edyth Wilson this Mrs. Albert Vanderidt and child of

been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Travis, returned to Chicago last Monday. Mrs. J. E. Thatcher and daughter,

Vera, of Detroit are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. M. Rev. H. H. Andrews of Deckerville

will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist bears impressions—some indented, church next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Lillian Mead returned home Friday after a two weeks' visit with friends in Detroit, Pt. Huron and

Miss McCauley of Lincoln, Nebraska, is expected here this week to make an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hays.

Mrs. M. Duncanson and three children left the first of the week for a visit with friends and relatives at Wardsville, Ont.

H. J. Wilcox of Deford was a pleasant caller at the Chronicle office on Wednesday. "Grandpa" is always a welcome visitor.

Miss Lucile Gamble, who was the guest of relatives in town for a couple week onto his lot on north Seeger of weeks, returned to her home in street where it will be remodelled in-Sebewaing Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Houghton of

parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Houghton, the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick ac

companied by Miss Maud Geitgey went to Rose Island this week, where they will spend some time. A special meeting of the Daughters

noon at which time Miss Sopha Matzen was installed as secretary. and Thos. Sheridan, all of Detroit,

mer's sister, Mrs. Geo. McConnell.

Mrs. Moran and Mrs. Boston and children of Detroit, who have been visiting at the home of A. G. Houghton for some time, returned to their homes Saturday.

Wm. Schwalm Jr. has purchased the Sebewaing Laundry from Gamble & Schukart and is here this week at Robinson's laundry gaining more insight into the business.

The Misses Grace and Lillian Striffler of Argyle were the guests of friends in town Friday and Saturday. Miss Lillian went to Sebewaing on Saturday to visit friends.

O. K. Janes has purchased the residence on West Main street of A. H. Ale, formerly owned by H. B. Fairweather. Mr. Janes will move into

this residence probably this fall. Mr. and Mrs. W. V Hood of Kingston were in town on business Saturday. While here they sold their residence at the corner of Ale and Hough-

ton streets to B. F. Benkelman. Mrs. J. C. Seeley, who resides at West Branch, was burned on the face and hands by gasoline one day last week. It is not known here whether

her wounds are very serious or not. While enjoying a swim at the East river Monday with several of his boy friends, Ray Riker, in diving, struck Editor Chas. Seed of the Rochester | a more solid bottom than he anticipated and the result was a bad bruise on the top of his head. He is recov-

Saturday, July 16, Wm. Sadler, one of our milk haulers, lost his pocket-Miss Mildred Fairweather of Imlay | book with a little money in it and City is the guest of her cousin, Lena some papers with his name on. Will says he expected that the finder would leave it at the postoffice or someplace where he could get it, but now he thinks the finder can't read

The unclaimed letters in the Cass City postoffice for the week ending July 23, 1904, are: Miss Lizzie Parker, L. D. Rice, Geo. W. Platt, G. G. Coulson, A. Rabynske, Geo. Brandy. When calling for the above please Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heller spent mention advertised. H. S. Wick-

Mary Zalkowitch of Detroit came Wednesday to spend the summer with Mrs. J. W. Heller. Her sister, Sarah, also came with her and went to Oak Bluff to stay with Mrs. D. J. Landon. These little ones are sent out by the Fresh Air Society and enjoy the All L. T. L. members are requested country life very much. Sarah is the two years ago this summer.

Three little girls, Ina Pray and Queen of Ontario are visiting at the Mabel and Cora Seeger, went to the woods back of the cemetery to pick berries last Saturday morning. They Miss Margaret Zinnecker returned stayed all day and when the six o'clock home Friday evening after a visit whistle blew started for home, but around until almost dark when they Mrs. Guy Woolman of Fostoria, ac- were found by Mr. Seeger, who had companied by her mother, Mrs. Mc-gone to search for them. The little girls were badly frightened and their parents were very anxious about them

Mrs. J. J. Franklin, who was called to Minneapolis some two months ago by the serious illness of her daughter, writes home that she has been very Chicago are guests at the home of poorly since she has been there, and the former's sister, Mrs. H. S. Wick- that Mrs. Hattie Fallis of Cass City, who accompanied her there, had Miss Augusta Gordon, who has sprained her ankle so that she was not able to come home, but as soon as she was able to walk they will come Franklin for a time before their re- bond contract

turn, which will be several weeks

longer.—Tuscola County Advertiser. H.O. Greenleaf brought a stone to the Chronicle office Saturday which others raised—which he thinks is the work of an ancient race, possibly the mound builders. The stone was found on his farm four miles northeast of town and is still at this office and may be inspected by those interested. His farm is about two miles from the prehistoric stone wall in Sanilac county which caused so years ago. This stone may possibly have been a part of the wall. Mr. Greenleaf says he has found many relics of this sort on his property. One of them bears an impression of an instrument resembling the shape of a trowel.

Mis. M. J. McGillvray has disposed of her store building on Main street to B. F. Gemmill, who moved it this to a dwelling. Young & Benkelman have also disposed of their store build-Ruth were the guests of the former's which adjoined Mrs. McGillvray's property on Main street, to F. Sykes, who will move it some time this fall onto his lot on west Pine street where it also will be used as a dwelling. Modern two-story brick bnilding will be erected on Main street in the place of these stores and work will commence immediately on Mrs. Mc-Gillvray's building, but Young & Benkelman do not intend to build until later. Both structures will be Mrs. Alex Hutchinson and children of solid brick with twenty-four-foot front. Mrs. McGillyray expects to are visiting at the home of the for- occupy her new store about fair time, and will rent the upper story for Miss Mattie Carless, who has been dwelling rooms. The erection of employed as trimmer in Mrs. M. J. these handsome new buildings will McGillvray's shop the past season, re- improve the appearance of that porturned to her home at Yale Saturday. tion of Main street to a great extent.

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Dated June 21, 1904.

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

Assignee.
6-24-13 Correspondence

DEFORD.

Miss Webster of Bay City is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Balch.

Miss Florence Pugh of Pt. Huron is isiting her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Spencer. Elmer Lewis has gone to Owendale

to do the carpenter work on the depot. Miss Hazel Garner of White Lake is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. Daugher-

Rev. and Mrs. Kyes returned Monday from Orion where they have been

day evening. Mr. and Mrs. Silverthorn and Mrs.

. W. McCain took in the excursion to Orion Saturday.

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CUMBER.

Wheat is a light crop in this locality. home last week Tuesday. Mr. Clark of Elmer is visiting his rother east of town.

friends in Bad Axe this week.

Miss Jennie McIntyre of Argyle butter. pent Sunday with Miss Flora Jordan. Quite a number from here attended ne Masonic picnic at Bay Port Wed-

Mrs. Joe Bookie of Sarnia is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. L.

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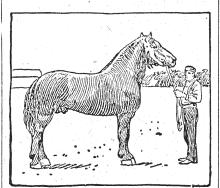
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John Pratt has rented the farm of Ward Law and will move onto it this fall.

Miss Lulu Mosure of Deckerville is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lapeer.

Miss Agnes Gilbert returned to Pontiac last week after an extended visit with her parents here.

week, injuring his arm and shoulder. The trip line broke. The funeral of Mrs. O. Meredith

occurred on Monday of last week. The remains were taken to Minden City for burial. Rev. Tyler officiated.

WONDERFUL NERVE. Is displayed by many a man endur-Mrs. Theron Spencer and Mrs. Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sore Feet or Daugherty visited at Jas. Cooper's Stiff Joints. But there's no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's ng pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Alex Vance and Miss Dell Soles at- the best Salve on earth for Piles, too. ended the social at Geo. Lee's Fri- 25c, at L. I. Wood & Co's., Druggists.

ELMWOOD.

Chas. Hammond and wife drove to Caro Saturday.

P. W. Stone was in Cass City on

John Spitler visited friends north of Gagetown Sunday.

Will and Claude Webster were in Cass City Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. Waidley of Ohio is visiting friends in this vicinity at present.

R. and Will and Claude Webster were in Cass City Saturday evening. We were treated with a fine rain Friday evening and it was much

Frank Hendrick traded his driver for one of Robt Spaven's horses on

Ethel and Beulah Martin visited at A. F. Stone's and W. A. Lockwood's

Mrs. Eva Phillips and two children, who have been visiting at the home the 28th. All are welcome. of Mrs. R. O. Lockwood, returned

The people in this vicinity, who patronize the Caro creamery, received Charles and May McKitchen visited their pay last week and are well pleased with the price they get for

BEANS \$2.25 A BUSHEL.

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 all others and costs no more. Furnished with steel or cast wheels. It overcomes the hardest part of raising the crop and never fails to give good satisfaction. For sale by

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SHABBONA.

Arthur Atkins has returned from

Ethel Meredith is visiting friends

Iva Ryckman returned from De-

troit Saturday. Lillian Davidson of Pt. Huron is

pending a few days at her home here.

David Dowker will preach in the Latter Day Saint church Sunday evening.

Louise Tewksbury has gone to Poniac where she has secured employ-

ment. Bell Brown, who has been visiting friends here, returned to Saginaw

Monday.

Miss Jessie McDonald of Detroit is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Cargill.

The Latter Day Saint Sunday school vill have a picnic in Geo. H. Jones

grove August 17. Nellie M. Jones left Tuesday for an extended visit with friends in Chicago

and DeKalb, Ill. J. P. McDowell preached in the M.

E. church Sunday evening in the absence of Elder Kyes. Wm. Davison of Downington and

ohn Davison of Niagara Falls, spent a few days at their home here last week. Dr. Truesdell and wife and Elder Kyes and wife returned Monday from

Lake Orion where they spent the past W. F. Ehlers and wife left Tuesday for a trip to Niagara Falls and Toronto, Ont., where they will attend the

Bankers' Association. A farewell party was given Otto Auslander last Thursday evening before his leaving for Detroit where he

has secured employment. 'Albert and Arthur Meredith, who are employed in Caro and Saginaw respectively, visited friends and relatives here Monday and Tuesday.

SAVED FROM TERRIBLE DEATH of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skilful physicians and every remedy used, failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her It's the most certain cure in the Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial Bottles free at L. I. Wood & Co's. Drug Store.

PINGREE.

Gus Zaphe is hauling cream for the Bad Axe creamery.

Mr. Hoffard and family of Lamotte were visiting friends in this locality

Dougal Duncanson's barn and the contents was destroyed by fire occasioned by lightning last Wednesday. Mr. Clark, living east of town, fell Chas. I. Cooke left for Norwich, from the top of a load of hay last Ont., Thursday, his father, E. R. Cook at present being seriously sick.

EAST DAYTON.

George Green seems to be slowly improving at present.

Mrs. Viola Churchill and son Merle, spent Monday with her parents here. S. Perkins, who has been ill a long time, still continues about the same. Samuel Perkins has been laid up with rheumatism for the past three

Archie Crittenden and wife spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in Elmwood,

Mrs. H. Wilsey went to Saginaw on Wednesday where she visited friends

until Saturday. Miss Bertha Harrington, of North Branch, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R.

J. Putman, for a few days. Mrs. Samuel Anderson went to Maple Ridge Monday where she will

visit relatives for a few weeks. Rev. G. Kinney, of Greenwood, was calling on old friends here Tuesday

and Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Vaughn and children, Glen and Margaret, of Caro, spent Sunday with relatives near

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wells and children. Earnest, Orville and Lee, spent Sunday at Orion with the family of John

The Christian Endeavor of the Bethel church will give a pie sceial at the parsonage on Thursday evening,

Mrs. Oscar Myers spent last week in East Saginaw, where she was taking medical treatment. She returned

here on Saturday not much improved. Jennie Myers, Gertie Crittenden and Gertie Hall, who have been visiting relatives in Saginaw the past week, returned home the first of the

The lagies of the Bethel aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Crittenden on Thursday, August 4, for dinner. Come one and all. Everyone welcome.

DOMESTIC TROUBLE.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save 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.

. ARGYLE.

Lorn McIntyre spent Sunday in Pt.

Dr. Thornton of Ubly was a caller in town Sunday.

A. A. McKenzie of Cass City was a caller in town Tuesday.

Ambrose Herdell transacted business in Deckerville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herdell are attending the bankers' outing this week.

Elmer Paige of Deckerville was a ousiness caller in town Monday.

Cliff Sanford purchased a McCor-

mick binder of Joe McCarty Monday. Miss Lillian Striffler is enjoying a few weeks' visit with Sebewaing

Mabel Ahr of Cass City spent the fore part of the week with Ruth

Mr. and Mrs. Bullock of Deckerville visited at the home of John Carruth

Mrs. H. Patterson of Deckerville passed through town Thursday enroute for Wickware.

T. U. Dawson of Marlette, candidate for judge of probate, was shaking hands with friends in town Thursday. Mrs. Peter Kipper and daughter, Mrs. D. Kelley of Minden City are renewing old acquaintances in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Chaise drove to Freeland, Bay county, Monday and Tuesday, where they will visit their son, Benjamin.

Miss Leota Zavits, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Chas. McCarty, returned to her home in Yale Saturday. Chas. Mc-Carty accompanied her and returned Sunday.

Dr. Alderton of Deckerville and Dr. Uhel of Sanilac Center held con-The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt sultation over Mrs. Collaghan of Berkshire, who is very sick at the home of her father, Allen Kilbourne. She is being cared for by Mrs. Grace, a nurse hired by the L. O. T. M., Argyle Hive.

> FOUND-A gleam of summer. Owner can recover same by calling at Candy Kitchen.

TOWN LINE. Geo. A. Martin wheeled to the city Friday.

Fruit **Substitutes** FREEZER.

Will be eagerly sought this summer and the "freezer" will be the helping-hand

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Briefly, do you want to buy or sell, receive or dispose?

A LINER IN THE CHRONICLE WILL

SUPPLY YOUR WANT.

Sickness is in the household of J.

Nice rain on the 22nd and quite acceptable.

Robt Clark and family visited in East Dayton last week. Vernon Kile has his threshing rig

in readiness for threshing. J. Hilderbrandt has sold his driving

horse to Kingston parties.

Marshal Friends did business in Marlette one day last week.

Mrs. Wm. Patch and Mrs. Jesse Sole visited in Wilmot Friday.

Mrs. Betsey Robinson of Imlay City is visiting old acquaintances here. Wm. Patch and Thos. O'Rourke

made a business trip to Kingston on Saturday. C. A. Huffman of Birmingham was in this vicinity last week in the in-

terest of selling mining stock. Neighbor, would it not been better if you had taken Saturday or waited until Monday before you commenced breaking that colt?

We are pleased to be able to say that Mrs. Carrie Retherford, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is improving nicely.

Perhaps it would be advisable for the highway commissioner to prompt the contractor on building those new bridges in the Novesta beat as they are not safe to pass over.

A VERY CLOSE CALL.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Belracked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, 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 after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by L. I. Wood & Co. Price 50 cents.

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health and all the happiness it brings. Zoa Phora cures all diseases and fregularities of women, misplacements, leucorrhea, suppressed and painful periods, flooding, piles, kidney, bladder and liver troubles and regulates the change of life. Not a mail arrives that does not bring letters from women who have been cured of some of these terrible diseases and whose lives have been made happy by the noble and wonderful work of Zoa Phora.

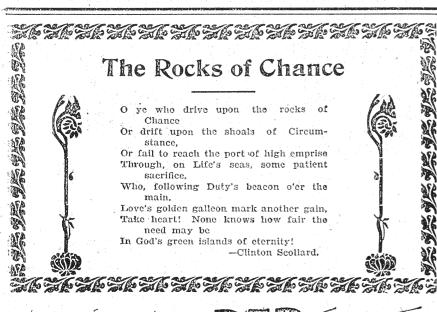
Mrs. George Sidle, McClure, Ohio, R. F. D. No. 1, says: "I was so nervous and broken down that I could not do my work. I doctored with two of our home doctors, and they said I had heart trouble. I had spells with my heart when it would beat so hard and then I would faint away. I received a sample bottle of Zoa Phora, which I took according to directions, and thought it was just what I needed, so I threw the doctor's medicine away and got a large bottle of Zoa Phora. It helped me so much that I bought two more bottles, and now I am well and strong. I do not have the spells with my heart since I took Zoa Phora and I am regular now, where before I took Zoa Phora I was very irregular and had severe pain at monthly periods. I have found it to be truly a 'Woman's Friend.'

will give them the particulars in my case. I hope this will help induce some suffering woman to try Zoa Phora." 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 medical advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at \$1.00 a bottle by

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TRY A LINER IN THE CHRONICLE



BY CHAS, FORREST MILEAN

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They had all heard great stories of ; greater trout taken from Howe's pool, a pond formed by the widening of a little stream which partially drained the range of hills near Phillips' ranch, then a half-day's ride from Seattle. Morse, now a mining monarch, was merely a prospector in those days, and one Sunday evening he and Milman, the city attorney, and Barnes, the general storekeeper, were sitting in the little hotel office, discussing a proposed outing of a couple of days, when In came the fourth of their coterie, the xotund and genial Biller, puffing and blowing, but with elation in his eyes.

"Boys," he exclaimed, "I have the Edea of a lifetime-and inspiration of genius! Let's spent our Friday and Saturday at Howe's Pool, fishing."

Biller's suggestion was hailed with acclaim and unanimously adopted without the formality of a vote. The New days intervening before their departure were filled with fish talk and active preparation, and those unacquainted with the destination of the party might have thought it was going around the world. Thursday evening found them in Phillips' rough but cosy sitting room, talking over the anticimated sport of the morrow. Everything so far had gone according to ule the antv deviations from the program having been made by Morse, who surreptitiously slipped into one of his many pockets two long-fused dynamite "U. V. Waterproof" cartridges from the mine house, and Tips, Bil-Mer's water spaniel, who at the last moment insisted upon accompanying

A deliciously exhilarating morning found the anglers and their host engrossed in endeavors to lure from its dark depths the famous denizens of Howe's Pool, but the day slipped by without even a single "strike." Phillips apologetically admitted that the fishing was poor-"the day a bit too bright," and one or two other conditions not just perfect-to which his guests deferentially agreed, but with repressed displeasure. When the secand day had almost passed with no better results, everybody was cross, even Tips refusing to indulge in the distracting amusement of barking and Thunting shore birds.

his master.

It was then that Morse resolved upon the heroic measure for which he had come prepared. Assembling his fellow-followers of old Izaak, he cautiously broached his scheme for mak-Ing sure of some fish-if there were any in the pool-even if they wouldn't bite. Its awful illegality—and perhaps the presence of the city attorneybrought forth a volley of objections, but eventually the thought of returning with overflowing creeks, to turn the jeers of a scofling crowd to envy and admiration, overcame the scruples of the most conservative.

Acting under Morse's instructions tall retired from the banks of the pool to positions from which they could fust see its surface. A moment later a "long-timed" dynamite cartridge flew from his hand and, describing a graceful parabola, splashed fairly into the center of the pond, where it floated. rocking gently upon the widening circles of ripples it had caused.

But while the fishermen watched with indrawn breath, they heard another and louder splash. It was Tips, Maithful to the instincts of a long line



retrieving ancestors, paddling as if ffor life, toward the floating infernal machine, while Biller, a hundred feet from the bank, alternately called his thet and raved and swore!

As Tips reached the cartridge, Morse was mentally calculating the number of seconds that would elapse before there would be no more dog and it was not till the faithful animal grasping the shell firmly between his teeth, turned suddenly shoreward, that the real horror of the situation flashed upon him and his companions. Then, with a united yell of dismay, they turned and very literally took to the woods, each man looking for the woodiest portion. As they dashed for cover, each hoped that, whatever the dog might do, it would not follow him. Tips had gained the bank, and as they ran they could plainly hear the pat tering feet of the animated bombshell and the deep breathing and snorting of poor Biller, who lumbered along in the rear, like a slow freight train over

a rough track. Almost simultaneously the thought came to the pursued that a dog always follows his master, and the oth ers rejoiced that they did not own a dog, while they realized that the retriever was certainly following Biller, and so, looking backward to note his whereabouts, they crouched behind trees out of the line of his retreat and gazed fascinated upon the dreadful



terror.

On wallowed Biller, in a frenzy of fear, the dog rapidly closing up the hundred yards intervening. Would the cartridge never explode? Could it be possible that the water or the dog's bite had rendered it harmless. Soon the question would be answered. On they rushed, the ponderous fugitive panting spasmodically as his pace flagged, too terrified to pick his steps and too breathless to cry aloud. But as he tripped over a fallen log and beheld Tips bounding toward him with wagging tail, he involuntarily emitted a hoarse shriek of hopeless terror. Just as he dropped safely behind the prestrate tree trunk there was a fright ful detonation. Tips had vanished.

She Took His Advice. "I am so very unhappy, Mr. Brief." said the fair petitioner for a divorce to her lawyer.

"Is there anything in particular wrong?" the legal gentleman asked sympathetically.

"No, nothing in particular," sighed the fair petitioner. "I am simply miserably blue and depressed. But I suppose that is something for which you cannot advise."

'Well, madam," said the lawyer, swinging around in his chair, "I will say frankly that if you were a man should advise you to go out and drink three or four cocktails. But, as it is. I am afraid I am not competent to deal with the situation."

Three or four days later the fair petitioner again called at the office of island of Zeeland, and is to be comher lawyer. This time she was all pleted, after the model of the Lake smiles.

"And, oh, Mr. Brief!" she said, when she arose to go at the end of the conference, "I want to thank you very much for your advice as to how to get rid of the blues. Like all your other advice, it was excellent,"

"You-you-" gasped the lawyer. "Yes," said the lady, "I took it."

Senator Hoar's Record Outdone. Senator Hoar still carries a pocket knife which he took with him to Washington in 1860. The venerable Massachusetts statesman has rather prided himself on the record thus made, but has just learned that another citizen of the bay state, Joshua Crane of Dedham, has one which he leathers. bought in Australia in 1859.

WHY ICE DOES NOT SINK.

Writer Explains That Water Alone Is Expanded by Cold.

It is one of the most extraordinary things in this extraordinary world, writes Henry Martyn Hart in a magazine, that water should be the sole exception to the otherwise universal law that all cooling bodies contract and therefore increase in density.

Water contracts as its temperature falls and therefore becomes heavier, and sinks until it reaches 39 degrees. At this temperature water is the heaviest; this is the point of its maximum density. From this point it begins to expand. Therefore in winter, although the surface may be freezing at a temperature of 32 degrees, the water at the bottom of the pool is 6 or degrees warmer.

Suppose that water, like everything cooled until it reached the freezing point; the heaviest water would have sunk to the lowest place and there become ice. Although it is true that eight pints of water become nine pints of ice, and therefore icebergs float, showing above the surface an eighth of their bulk, still, had the water when at the bottom turned into ice, the stones would have locked it in their interstices and held it there, and before winter was over the whole pool would become solid ice and all the poor fish would be entombed in clear, beautiful crystal.

Davy Crockett Popular.

Davy Crockett when he was first required. elected to congress is described as a finely proportioned man, about six feet high, 45 years of age, of very frank, pleasing and open countenance." He was dressed in homespun and wore a black fur cap on his head when seen by a traveler who called at his house. Going thus into public life, he began to show "an unusual strength of mind and a memory almost miraculous." Uncultured, ignorant, terribly handicapped by lack of training and opportunity, he overcame it all. In Washington he won national popularity. "We see in the Crockett of 1834," says Hough, "a figure not approached by any other American statesman so nearly as by that other rugged westerner, Abraham Lincoln.'

Popular Mexican Official

The recent election of Felix Rosupreme court of the republic of Mexica has given widespread pleasure, particularly in judicial circles and they maintain, depends upon the judg among the leading politicians of the ment of the feeder and the cows he is country. Mr. Romero, like the late President Benito Juarez and President Porfiro Diaz, is a native of Oaxaca and was a schoolfellow of President Diaz, both attending the Counciliar seminary of that city. When the constitution was framed in 1857 he was one of the signers. Of all the others who signed the document there are besides himself but three living-Ignacio Mariscal, minister of foreign relations; Justino Fernandez, minister of justice, and Senator Benito Gomes

"Last Leaves" Celebrate.

A unique celebration, which will be epeated next year, has been held in McGinnis' park, Christiana, Pa. It vas called "Last Leaves," because of its being a reunion of sixteen men of the neighborhood whose ages are over the allotted three score years and ten. Their united years are 1,264. The oldest man was Brisben Spiler, now in his eighty-eighth year, who is also the and still follows the hounds on horseback. The exercises consisted of a literary and musical programme, fully 500 people being present.

Come Redressed.

to his congregation, among which are cause more likely to be enforced. to be seen some of our most fashionable fair ones, from the text of St. Paul, "Let the women be covered." But this pleasantry having occasioned a vacancy in some of the best pews of his chapel-of-ease, he has written a circular apology, in which, after confessing the offense he has given his lovely auditors, he declares he wishes only to see them redressed."-London Times, June 7, 1800.

High Rent for Apartments. Miss Faith Moore, daughter and heiress of a millionaire, has broken all records by renting an apartment of fifteen rooms in the building at 787 Fifth avenue, New York, at an annual charge of \$15,000. The rooms are all unusually large, several being twentysix feet long by fourteen feet wide. The highest price hitherto known was \$12,000, paid for an apartment not far from that to be occupied by Miss

Electric Line in Denmark.

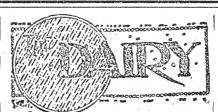
An electric line, 100 kilometers in length, is to be constructed between Frederikssund and Nestved, in Denmark. It will cross a part of the Como railway, by 1905. It is said that this is the first electric line in Den-

Gem Is Fashionable.

The fashionable precious stone is he peridot, its beautiful sage-green coloring being greatly favored by no ess a personage than King Edward. It is said to go beautifully with diamonds or pearls.

Suspicious. Ernie-And do you believe every-

hing he says? Eva-How can I? He works in a shoe store and guarantees patent



Dairying in Holland. In an address to Indiana dairymen,

Prof. G. L. McKay said: traveler who is interested in dairying attempted by any country. Visitors than little Holland. The country is will be there in large numbers from removed themselves and their belongpeculiarly adapted for dairying, owing the United States, owing to the low to its cool, moist climate. The north- rates offered by railways, connecting ern part of Holland presents a very with the Canadian roads. It is exunique picture to the traveler, with its pected that Hon. Clifford Sefton, Minsmall, green fields dotted here and ister of the Interior, will be there there with numerous windmills and on the opening day to declare the exthe large herds of Holstein-Fresian hibition open. A splendid opportunity cows quietly grazing. The monstrous will be afforded by this exhibition to else, had gone on contracting as it long-armed windmills, resembling an meet friends. Hotel accommodations old lighthouse above the sea, are used for various kinds of work. They grind grain, pulverize rock and manufacture paper, but their most important duty is to pump out the water from the marshes into canals so it may find an exit to the sea, otherwise the lowland would be submerged. Excepting and hostess were somewhat at a loss Greece and Great Britain, no country has so many inlets as Holland. The Hollanders, as a people, might be termed a little slow, but the government is certainly not slow in appreciating the benefits that the country derives from dairying, as eight instructors are employed, largely aided by the government, whose duty it is to give free instruction wherever it is

Everything pertaining to dairying is kept scrupulously clean, even the cows in many cases being washed before they are milked. I have never seen a place where the old adage, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness," comes in better, and I believe that the fine flavor of the Holland cheese is largely due to their cleanliness. The slow, quiet customs of the people seem also

to have been transmitted to the cows. Good grass land or land in the dairy section brings a much higher price than that in any other part of the agricultural district. In the dairy belt of Holland, dairying is the chief occunation of the farmer, hence every care is given to the production of milk and the care of milk. The farmer, as a rule, does not try to follow any scienti fic method in feeding. Roots, hay and oil meal are fed. The oil meal is used mero to the office of president of the only in the winter when cows are on dry feed. They have no set rule as regards the prepertion of feed. This,

Legal Enactments Regarding Milk In every state the legal enactments egarding milk should be very stringent. There is no class of food that should be better protected than milk. The people that most need a pure food are those that depend most on milk. To give impure milk to an invalid or to ar infant is often to destroy it. This is hardly true of any other food. No other food is so liable to adulteration as is milk. We do not believe that legal enactments will do all the work. It is only one of the ways of improving the supply. In saying this we are advocating a reform that is both in favor of the consumer and the producer. The purer the milk the more of it will be used, and the more of it is used the better will be the price that is paid for it and the smaller the amount of the unused surplus left on the hands of the milk producer. In most of our states the laws are too lax regarding oldest fox hunter in Lancaster county the adulteration of milk and sale of dirty milk. In states where the laws are quite stringent they are generally badly enforced, though there has been considerable improvement in this regard during the past few years. State laws are good, but city and village "A facetious parson lately preached laws are probably more effective, be-

> improving the Milk Supply. To improve the milk supply it is iccessary to reach the producer, and he cannot be easily influenced. Our city friends are continually demanding cleaner milk, but little is done by them to secure it. It is certain that pure milk could be obtained in a very short time if the city people went to work in an energetic manner to get it. The producer cares little for public opinion so long as it does not touch him. But let an inspector come to his place and demand to see his cows and his sheds and say to him that if these are not satisfactory, his milk will not be received in such and such a place, he will begin to pay respectful heed to the desires of the inspector. The most influential inpector is the one that stands between he milk producer and his customers. This kind of an inspector needs no egal power. He needs only the power that comes from the consumers of milk. We believe that this is the way the milk situation is to be finally improved. It amounts to a boycott on the dairyman that will not keep his cows and his milkers and his milk

> > When Color Is Used.

The use of color is not a thing that can be done entirely by rule, as the cow varies the amount of color she puts into the cream. Thus in the winter the cream is largely white, while in the summer months and when there is an abundance of grass, the color is deep yellow. June color has become proverbial. At this time of year the butter is frequently colored too highly on account of the rapid increase of color when the cows go onto grass. The buttermaker on the farm continues to put in the same amount that was added in the winter and the butter that goes onto the market has sometimes so much color in it that it is regarded by the best customers as undesirable.

Canada's Attractions

The Dominion Exhibition is one each year. This year it will be held be one of the most successful ever attractions that will be offered, there will be brought together an exhibit of the Agricultural and Industrial re-No country is more interesting to a sources of Canada such as is rarely will be quite ample.

Tells Profession by Profile. Little Tommy was paying a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin, old friends of his parents. The young man required a good deal of amusing, and his host till the latter bethought her of the portrait album, which they went through together with much industry and attention to detail as to the past, present and probable future lives of the persons represented. Toward the end of the book were two of those astounding profiles, cut out of black paper, in which our forefathers-strange people

-delighted. "Those," said Mrs. Franklin, "aro my father and mother."

"Oh!" said Tommy. Then he hesitated, and scrutinized them more thoroughly. "I s'pose," he said, "they was chimney-sweeps, wasn't they?"

Wears Large Shoes. There is a New York barber who wears a number 12 shoe. He was a sergeant in the German army, noted for his stability. He has a brother in the old country whose foot is so big that no ready made shoe can be found to fit him. When he needs a new pair of shoes he buys a side of leather and sends for a shoemaker, who fashions his footgear at home. His foot is the largest in all Germany, about number

The Rock Island System has done and is doing notably good work in enthat attracts hundreds of thousands couraging immigration to the Southwest. The agricultural and industrial in Winnipeg, Manitoba (Canada), and opportunities of that section of counwith the material assistance given it try have been persistently and sysby the Dominion Government, it will tematically set forth, as a result of which the number of people who have held. Besides the number of special settled in Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Arkansas this spring has been greater than in years. On three days in February and March, over six thousand homeseekers took advantage of the low rates to the Southwest and

> ings to the "Land of Opportunity." "Why do you think she is so anxious to get married?"
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> "Why, she's attending the cooking school."—Chicago Post.

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"After two months I decided to try what

a change would do for me, and as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was strongly recommended to me I decided to try it. Within three days I felt better, my appetite returned, and I could sleep. In another week I was able to sit up part of the day, and in ten days more I was well. My strength had returned, I gained fourteen pounds, and felt better and stronger than

I had for years. I gratefully acknowledge its merits. Very sincerely yours, Mrs. Berr E. Lennox, 120 East 4th St., Dixon, Ill." FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of boys tostimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham Mod. Co., Lynn, Mass. [[] will work from the wall would be well from the wall would be the confirmation of t

CHAPTER XII-Continued. The conspirators found in this place, the hurried report which reached him said, were evidently the head and front of the whole conspiracy, and he had given orders to have them brought before him, so as to make a terrible example of them all before proceeding to dispose of the

rank and file. With such damning evidence of their guilt there would be no need for delay, and he would act at once. Those guilty of the capital crime he would commit to prison for trial that would surely end in their conviction and ignominious death; the others he would summarily

sentence to Siberia.

He fairly gloated over the prospect. and cast eager glances at the clock awaiting the news that the daring and desperate leaders would soon stand before him. "By Heaven!" he exclaimed, "after this there can be no barrier to my successful advancement. The czar cannot afford to pass without signal recognition this evidence of my zeal and ability, and to reward it as it deserves."

He was in this delightful frame of mind when suddenly the door leading to his private apartments opened and the countess entered the room. He turned. "Congratulate me,

Katherine!" he exclaimed, and then suddenly stopped.

His wife's face fairly frightened

Katherine Karsicheff as she entered the room was deathly pale. Her eyes. neath the contracted brows, shone with a fire that was almost of a greenish tint. Her features twitched convulsively, and her whole manner betrayed such a frenzy of anger that her husband stood aghast at the terrible appearance she presented. In her hand, crushed and half torn, she held an open letter.

"For God's sake, Katherine, what has happened?" at length said Karsicheff, after the countess, in a very paroxysm of passion, brought down her hand on the table till it quivered. and then sank into a chair, overcome for an instant by the violence of her agitation.

"Disgraced before St. Petersburgshall not stop here—I will go to the czar myself—the insult must be by you. He feels convinced that had avenged-the-I will have satisfaction-" thus the countess raved in broken sentences, and this was her only reply to Karsicheff's inquiry as to the cause of her agitation.

"What does it mean?" thought Karsicheff. "Surely she can have heard nothing of the czar's growing impatience with my administration. Even so, the events of to-day will set all right again. I-"

The countess broke in upon his sur-

Rising to her feet, she came lo where he stood expectant, and a a voice choking with rage said: "You are my husband-Olga's father-what can you do to avenge this insult?" she thrust the letter into his hand.

Karsicheff glanced at the paper. It was the letter written by Alexis Nazimoff. He could hardly trust himself to speak. To give utterance to his own feelings, which were scarcely less intense than those of Katherine. would be to fan the flames of her raging anger to uncontrollable fury, and Karsicheff well knew, that once worked up to a pitch of hysterical passion his wife was about as easily controlled as a hungry lioness.

He waited and said nothing. Katherine watched him for a secand. His silence had exactly the opposite effect upon her to that which he had anticipated. He had made a mistake.

"Why don't you say something, you



"FOR GODS SAHE, WHAT HAS HAPPENED?"

mbecile?" she screamed at him. 'Does not this insult even stir your sluggish blood? Oh!" and as she spoke her teeth gritted until Karsicheff's nerves were unstrung; "oh! why didn't God give you some of the spirit of a man, you coward?" "Katherine!"

Don't speak to me!" the countess went on; "don't you see that Alexis Nazimoff, by this act, makes us the laughing stock of all Russia-humiliates, disgraces, degrades us. This insult to me-to Katherine Karsicheff-"and she drew herself up-"must be avenged." She approached him where he stood writhing under her insulting, burning words. Then, raising her hand menacingly, she shook it at him fiercely, and went on: "You must call him out-you must Barosky and the student of the Con-

shoot him like a dog-you must-The violence of her feeling was too much for her, and she sank into a chair, vainly trying to find words to express the rage that was choking

Karsicheff, now that his wife had ceased speaking, sat regarding her with mingled anger and apprehension. He felt, as has been said, the insult, but he doubted the wisdom of resenting it there and then. Before he could decide what to do, the door opened and Nicholas entered.

Katherine, with her face turned away, rose and without a word left the room. She would not betray her bitter disappointment even to her

Nicholas watched his mother with painful anxiety. He could not fail to notice that she was deeply agitated. "What has happened?" he said to his father; "surely she has not heard

it yet?" "Heard what?" asked Karsicheff. Something in the tones of Nicholas' voice struck him with a feeling of apprehension. "Heard of what?" he epeated.

Nicholas turned.

"The-the rumor-that-"

"Go on! Good God, don't mutter and stammer like a child. What is it?" asked Karsicheff, in a fever of impatience. "The rumor that you have already

been deposed, and that Nazimoff has been appointed your successor." "My God!" Constantine Karsicheff

pressed his hand to his heart as if he had been shot. Nicholas sprang forward and supported him to a chair. Karsicheff gasped painfully for a moment, and then with an effort said: 'Is it—is it true?"

"I fear it," was the reply. "Another emissary of the Nihilists has been at work, even in the imperial palace. and the czar has summoned a council of ministers. Nazimoff was sent for by his majesty early this morning. Some account of the occurrences of last night at the Nazimoff palace has reached the czar this morning, and he sent for him to thank him in person for resenting the refusal of the girl to play the national hon. He was furious when he learned that the humiliated before Russia-oh! but it affair occurred in your presence, and she been arrested, she would have been found to be an active Nihilist."

"But my arrests-the wholesale raid I am making to-day?" eagerly inquired the minister.

"All St. Petersburg is talking of it, but the opinion seems to be that you waited too long for your own welfare. You should have done something before."

"Done something!" These words, uttered by his own son, brought back to the mind of Karsicheff the fact that as nothing had reached the palace yet of his great work, there was still hope. The reffection gave him a grain of comfort. He rose to his

"All is not lost," he said, with an assumption of confidence, "all is not lost. I have dealt Nihilism its death blow. The czar must recognize that. Meanwhile, I will order more arrests and begin the summary disposal of the Nihilist leaders. Your mother's influence at court is still powerfulwe must summon that to cur aid. No, all is not lost! We can yet be saved!"

Even as he spoke the bell connected with the ante-chamber of his office sounded, indicating that some of his subordinates desired an audience. He gave a word of caution to Nicholas to keep silent about the disquieting rumors to his mother, and then gave the call-bell on his table a single stroke. It was the signal to enter.

Radaloff appeared. "Your orders have been carried out, your excellency," he said, "and the prisoners are on their way here.'

"Very well, bring them before me the moment they arrive," said the minister, and his subordinate with-

"Now," exclaimed Karsicheff, "I shall be in a position to ask an audience of the czar, but it will be after I have begun my work of punishment as soon as these wretches arrive. And, by Heaven!" he went on excitedly, "I shall not spare them. Go to the palace, find out what you can, and spread reports everywhere of my work. Give it to be understood that I shall show no mercy, and take care that you spread the report so that it will reach the czar."

Nicholas, glad in his own mind to get away from his father's presence, instantly departed. He had scarcely quitted the room when the countess again entered. This time she was in a different mood. A calm determination was expressed in her voice and by her actions, and she came at once to the desk where the general sat He feared another outbreak, and was

"Constantine," she said, "have you told Nicholas anything of Nazimoff's letter?' "Nothing."

"That is well," continued the countess. "Then the secret is known only to us. Let it remain a secret. Now listen: This letter from Alexis Nazimoff bears traces of having been written hurriedly. There was no indication in his manner toward Olga -toward us-last night, that such an idea had entered his mind. What caused the change? The appearance of the girl Ilda Barosky. Now is Ilda

servatory, with whom he was infatnated two years ago, one and the same? I have no doubt of it. So it Odd Question Put to Chief Justice was the appearance of this girl that has caused Alexis Nazimoff to thus wantonly outrage my feelings-yours -to insult us all. There is but one considerate of the rights of poor and thing to be done. This girl must be friendless persons. Sometimes persons removed-from my path-from his unacquainted with the ways of, the life-removed at once and forever. world would desire to make their own This done, he will have no motive to arguments or would in some way inrefuse marriage with Olga, and all terrupt the business of the court. The will be well. But we must act at once!'

"But," ventured to suggest Karsicheff, "he does not love Olga, or he would never have written that letter, and Olga may not love him. Sup

"I care not whether he loves Olga court, to society throughout Russia. My mind has been fixed on this match for years. I have sworn that Olga will become the wife of Alexis Nazi moff, and I will move heaven and



at present the only obstacle in my way. I demand of you that she be removed from my path."

"But how?" asked Karsicheff. Katherine regarded him with a look of supreme contempt which she made no effort to conceal. "You ask me this question!" she exclaimed. "You, the minister of police, with an army of spies and gendarmes at your command, and you invested with unlimited powers by the czar! You ask me, having a city infested with Nihilists at your mercy, and a cause to suspect the girl in her disloyal rethe millionaire; "I have also made fusal to play, 'God Save the Czar!' Give me an order for her arrest at

once. I will see that it is executed.' Constantine, swayed by the imperious will of the countess, mechanically drew a sheet of paper toward him, and began to write. Suddenly be looked up.

"Will not the arrest of this girl far the flames of Alexis' passion?"

Katherine saw the point. "You are right," she exclaimed. Then she sat in thought a few seconds. "I have it," she went on with marked exultation in her voice. "Let me write." She seized the nen and dashed off a few lines. It was the work of less than two minutes. Then rising with the letter she said, "Ring the bell." "What would you do, Katherine?"

began Karsicheff. "I-" "Ring the bell. I will carry out

my plan." Karsicheff say that further resistance to the iron will of his wife was useless.

He rang the bell at once. Radaloff entered.

"See that that letter reaches its destination and bring the person here," said the countess.

Radaloff bowed and looked toward Karsicheff. But he got no look in following is a sample-a translation return. Katherine spoke again. "You have

neard my command-obey it. Go!"

(To be continued.)

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The One Thing Needful.

There is little doubt that the ideal form of government is a despotism-if one could only find the ideal kind of a WWAT THE BOY WANTED.

Shaw by an Audacious Boy. Chief Justice Shaw, though very rough in his manner, was exceedingly chief justice commonly treated them with great consideration.

One amusing incident happened quite late in his life.

A rather dissipated lawyer who had case approaching on the docket one day told his office boy to "go over to the supreme court and see what in or not, or what her feelings are. I hell they are doing." The court were have announced this marriage to the hearing a very important case is which Mr. Choate was on one side and Mr. Curtis on the other. The bar and the courtroom were crowded with listeners. As Mr. Curtis was in the midst of his argument the eye of the chief justice caught sight of the young urchin, 10 or 11 years old, with yellow rousers stuffed in his boots and with his cap on one side of his head, gazing intently up at him.

He said: "Stop a moment, Mr. Cur-

Mr. Curtis stopped and there was a profound silence as the audience saw the audacious little fellow standing entirely unconcerned.

"What do you want, my boy?" said the chief justice. "Mr. P. told me to come over here

and see what in hell you was up to, was the reply. There was a dive at the unhappy youth by three or four of the deputies in attendance and a roar of laughter from the audience. The boy was ejected. But the gravity of the old chief

BEATS A CONFIDENCE MAN.

justice was not disturbed.-Senator

Hoar's autobiography.

Cook on Atlantic Liner Neatly Foils Alleged American Millionaire.

The classical confidence trick has been neatly played on a would-be swindler in Paris by his intended victim. The latter, a cook on a trans-Atlantic liner, had been done himself before and was too old a bird to be caught again. He struck up an acquaintance with an engaging but obviously sham American millionaire in the train to Paris, confiding to him that he had 40,000 francs in his bag boulevards. "Well met, indeed," said my pile and intend seeing the merry

side of life in gay Paree. They started the evening with an expensive dinner, paid for by the American millionaire. At coffee the latter exclaimed: "Hullo, I have not any cigars; suppose you go and buy some. You can leave your bag here, where it will be quite safe. But, as you might be suspicious here's my pocketbook. Keep it till you join me

again." As soon as the cook's back was turned the American millionaire, of course, bolted with the bag, but the latter only contained old newspapers and the cook's card, with the words: "I have been had before; you have met your match this time." In the would-be swindler's pocketbook was a sum of £24 in French notes, which the cook took to the police station. asking the officer to whom he told his tale with understandable relish to give the money to the poor.

Men as Projectiles.

A Singhalese newspaper published In Colombo, Ceylon, is tired of the paucity of news about the war, and in order to regale its readers it now and then manufactures some, of which the by the Ceylon Times:

"The sultan was communicated with regarding an approaching conflict, and, Radaloff made a low bow and re- being a great friend of the Japanese monarch, he sent a specially trained company of swordsmen, each of whom with a sword in his hand is shot away from the mouth of a gun at the enemy just as ordinary shrapnel would be. On arrival among the enemy he makes short work of them by his sword play These swordsmen are now fighting for Japan and gaining victories.

Small wonder that Kin-chow and

In Old Virginia. I love the mountains wreathed in mist, The twilight skies of amethyst, ne groves of ancient oaks, sun-kissed, In old Virginia.

love the gorgeous trumpet flowers Wild rose and honeysuckle bowers, The woodland incense after showers, In old Virginia.

I love the laughter of the rills; Cloud shadows stretched athwart the hills, The jocund song of him who tills, In old Virginia.

I love the martial ranks of corn, Their blades agleam with lights of morn, The curtains of the night withdrawn, In old Virginia. I love the modest maidenhood, The deference paid to womanhood, The chivalric and gentleblood, In old Virginia.

I love the love of native sod, The simple faith that trusts in God, The heads bowed 'neath the chastening

rod, In old Virginia. -B. B. Valentine, in Asheville Citizen.

languidly sorry for nine-tenths of the

human race."

Pen Portrait of Andrew Lang. frafficted with Thompson's Eye Water In a new volume by a woman artist of London appears this description of Andrew Lang: "He struck me as being rather superciliously despondent; perhaps he feels that he has not done justice to himself; also deep down in him is evidently the belief that mankind is divided into two categoriesthose who have been to Oxford and Viggle=Stick those who have not. He is very handsome, indeed striking, with his dark eyes and snowy hair. Mr. Lang looks



Thousands of women suffer from pelvic catarrh and catarrhal nervousness and don't know it. If you feel fagged out, begin at once taking Dr. Hartman's Peruna. It will relieve your catarrhal affliction and all your organs will be restored to health. Buy a bottle to-day, as it will immediately alleviate your case.

GAVE COLOR TO GEMS.

Jeweler's Trick Not One Easily to Be Detected. "There are tricks in all trades." In a town in Virginia there dwells a man who sells semi-precious stones, which

are much admired because they aro unusually brilliant. A few days ago a customer asked to see some specimens of yellow topaz. "Ah!" he said, holding one up to the light, "this shows more remarkable coloring than any I have seen. How

much do you want for this stone?" The lapidary held it up to the light and told the price. "I'll take it," said the customer. have never seen a yellow topaz which

showed such remarkable colorings of red and blue." Then the customer observed that the windows which faced the sunlight were set with a border of small panes of blue and red glass, and the light coming through them was reflected in

the facets of the stone. Afterwards he took the gem out into the cold light of the street and found that it was a plain yellow topaz. The blue and red lights were missing. They had been produced by the stained-glass windows.

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Pun Won Promotion.

Perhaps the earliest instance of ecclesiastical promotion won by a pun is that of a curate named Joseph, who was prompted by Swift to take this text for a sermon preached in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, before the vireroy, "Butler," the Duke of Ormond: "Yet did not the chief Butler remember Joseph, but forgat

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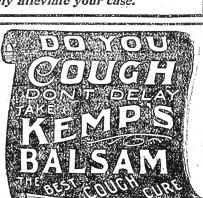
Only a Lesser Misfortune. There are numerous societies which

pay an allowance to the relatives of people in case of death of the member. There appears to be a good opening for organizations that will pay money to members in cases of a birth. It costs to be born, as well as to die.

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WILMOT.

Mr. Chambers' baby is sick at this

Mrs. Matt Tallman went to Detroit Wednesday to visit friends.

The Gleaners held a watermelon social Saturday. Proceeds \$8.

A great many from here went on the excursion to Orion Saturday. Wm. Waldie, of Durand, was in

town Saturday calling on friends. Fred and Frank Summers, of Flint, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Minis.

They are putting up a new building at the south end of the salting station for a gasoline engine. Mr. Wiswell, of Pontiac, and his

mother and granddaughter, from Sanilac, visited at Frank Wood's Sunday. There was a birthday party at the home of Lewis Barnes on Tuesday in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Barnes.

The Wilmot base ball team played with the Deford nine at Deford Saturday. Score 8 to 5 in favor of Wil-

L. O. Folsom took in sixty-two pounds of cucumbers at the salting station last Saturday—the first of the

There was a runaway in town Mon Legg's horse which was Thursday afternoon. fastened near the pickle station broke loose and ran about a mile and a half south. The buggy was broken.

NOKO.

Will Hook is sporting a new buggy. C. J. Beers is suffering with a lame

Clyde Coller is building a new house.

Miss Edith Freeman spent Sunday at home.

Our raspberry pickers are busy Haymaking is over and farmers are

harvesting wheat.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Flynn,

July 17, a daughter.
Our postmaster, J. Hood, has lately

purchased a new binder. Miss Hyslop, of Elmer, spent Sunday with Miss E. Heronamus

Prayer meeting on Thursday even-

ing at the home of Mrs. A. McKenny.
Apples, pears and all other fruits
look fair to be a good yield here this

season, but peaches will be scarce. We record the death of Henry Hoover which took place here Thursday,

July 21. Deceased was born in Can-ada near Niagara Falls, Feb. 25, 1818, being 86 years of age at the time of his death. He has suffered with dropsy since April. Grandpa Hoover has been a member of the Methodist church for many years and his faith in God stood firm to the last and we believe he is now in the celestial city. Hoover, of St. Paul, Minn.

Default having been made in the payment of money due on and secured by a certain mortgage dated July 16th, 19 3, made and executed by George A. Purdy (otherwise known as A. George Purdy) to Blanch M. Purdy and J. D. Brooker and recorded on said 16th day of July, 19-3, in the Register of Deeds' office for the County of Tuscola, Michigan, in Liber 111 of Mortgages, on page 220, which mortgage was duly assigned by a written assignment dated August 28th, 1903, made and executed by Blanch M. Purdy and J. D. Brooker to I. B. Auten and recorded in the Register's office aforesaid on the 14th day of September, 1903, in Liber 110 of Mortgages, on page 81, which mortgage was again duly assigned by a written asstgnment bearing date January 25th, 1904, made and executed by I. B. Auten to James D. Brooker and recorded in the Register's office aforesaid on July 5th, 1904, in Liber 110 of Mortgages on page 185, that by reason of said default the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and payable and is hereby declared to be due under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred ninety-one dollars.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Caro, in the County of Tuscola and State of Michigan (that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Tuscola, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. The said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage and stantially as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the Township of Kingston, County of Tuscola, and State of Michigan, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of lot three, block four of the village of Kingston, thence north skytthreef Default having been made in the payment f money due on and secured by a certain cortgage dated July 16th, 19 3, made and

Dated July 28th, 1104. J. D. BROOKER, John J. Corkins, Assignee of Mortgage. Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage. 7-29-13

LOCAL ITEMS.

What about that business men's ex-

Niva Gable is spending the week with friends in Argyle.

Miss Belle Gamble of Sebewaing is

visiting with relatives here. Theo. Blake of Bay City is a guest

at the home of W. H. Anderson. tending the State Bankers' convention

on the Lakes. Mr. Leslie, father of John Leslie of

in Shabbona Wednesday,

of town Tuesday afternoon. Leone Kile entertained a company of her little friends on Thursday after-

noon in honor of her birthday. The Ladies' Aid society of the Ev-

Mrs. Ottoway and daughter, Mrs. Prosser of Flushing and Mrs. Perkins of Swartz Creek, are visiting at the home of J. S. Ryno.

There is talk of a game between the high school nine and the Caseville team at the latter place Monday. Arrangements have not been completed.

The regular meeting of the Echo their first candidate, Miss Violet

town will be dedicated next Sunday future. morning with appropriate services.

new Catholic church last Sunday horses became frightened and started this inscription to the unknown God,' pletely filled the church.

Sunday with friends at Wilmot. They but fortunately no bones were broken. this place, quite ill with rheumatism of crutches.

and almost unable to be around. which they purchased at that place.

week to visit with relatives at West south towards the alley. Upon reach-Branch. She was accompanied by ing the corner of Ale street, they Hazel Gable, who will visit her aunt turned north and ran for about a

While little Mabel Ahr was driving home the cow Wednesday evening she was bitten on the leg by a dog. The wound is not very serious and it is thought that no bad results will

Neil McPhail, living south of town, smith shop.

The Moore telephone exchange was switchboard is in operation and it is to be hoped that patrons will receive

corner of Houghton and Oak streets, former's brother, Robert, who was has concluded that the large poplar more fortunate. Rain storms are tour, will play the Brown City team trees in front of his property are det- almost unknown in that part of the on August 12. This Indian nine is rimental to the growth of his garden state but are usually very severe. Mr. composed of genuine red men and and has decided to cut them down.

will be both vocal and instrumental. destroyed. They should have a crowded house.

and cake were served to about sixty. All report an enjoyable evening.

H. T. Elliott is moving his stock of furniture into the Ale block on Main street, just west of J. B. Cootes hardware store. Some changes have been made in the interior of the building which will make it more convenient for the display of goods.

Ernest Freeman, who has been travelling through Oregon, Washington and California for the past four months, returned home Tuesday. He enjoyed the trip immensely and says the West is the "only" country. He will enter the employ of W. A. Fair-

D. M. Houghton is the possessor of three handsome, snow-white kittens which he takes pride in showing to his friends. They look exactly alike, but one of them has eyes as blue as the sky on a summer's day, while the other two have to be content with just ordinary cat's eyes.

The Foresters will have a picnic in Mrs. Orr's woods on Aug. 9. High Chief Ranger Brown of Lapeer will be the orator of the day, the Cass City Band will furnish music and a series of athletic events is on the program. The committee is arranging for a

Abijah Oathout, who has made his home with his brother, James, in this place for some time, became unmanageable Sunday morning and Deputy Sheriff Morris was called who took him to Caro to await the decision of the probate judge as to Mr. Oathout's sanity.

A business men's excursion is being agitated in the towns along the P.O. & N. No definite action has been taken but it is altogether probable that the project will be made a "go." Several business men in Cass City Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pinney are at- have expressed their desire to shut up shop and enjoy a day's outing.

A gasoline stove cause a little excitement at the home of Dr. J. H. this place, died suddenly at his home Hays Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hays Cloverseed.... had lighted it and was baking bread Mrs. John Eno entertained a com- and upon entering the kitchen found pany of lady friends at her home west it filled with smoke. She called for was no damage except to the bread | Beef, live weight..... which was baked to a crisp.

While in town last Friday evening, Live Veal. Mrs. Salome Bien, who resides north- Dressed Hogs..... angelical church will meet at the east of town, placed a shoe which she home of Mrs. S. Benkelman next had had repaired into her buggy with Ducks.. some other articles, but upon her arrival home she was unable to find the shoe. As the remaining shoe is of Hides, green..... but little value to her the finder of the missing one may as well come and get the other one.

Leo Challis, the genial operator at the P.O. & N. station, was married at Caro Wednesday to Miss Lizzie Grunawald of Kingston. Both young Bran per cwt..... The regular meeting of the Echo Chapter O. E. S. occurred Monday in Kingston. They will make their evening at which time they initiated home in Cass City in the residence at avenue. The Chronicle joins in wish-The new Methodist church at Gage- ing them a happy and prosperous

Louis Krehling, who is employed at The edifice has been erected at a cost H. Wettlaufer's, was hurt in a runaway accident last Friday. He was Sheridan attended the services in the water from the hydrant, when the in the reins and was thrown against a Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore spent tree. His leg was quite badly bruised found Mrs. Wm. Jeffery, formerly of He is able to be around with the aid

A runaway occurred Monday even-Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Goff were in ing in the eastern part of the village Ubly Tuesday evening returning which aroused the neighborhood. W. His children are: Mrs. A. McKenny, of this place; Mrs. B. L. McCollum, of Lincoln, Nebraska; and Dr. W. J. which they purchased at that place. livery wagon in front of Mr. Ander-Mrs. Jas. N. Dorman left this son's residence when the horses started with whom she lived for several years. | block when the tongue of the wagon collided with a telephone pole. This freed the horses from the rig, one of them running nearly to the cemetery and the other went back to the barn. No damage except to the wagon tongue and the harness.

On July 1, during a cloudburst is the inventor of a self-shutting and which struck near Kibbey, Montana, self-locking gate which promises to the residence and household goods of supply a needed want. It is on exhi- Mr. and Mrs. Benj. McConkey, forbition at Hewson & Schnider's black- merly of this place, were totally destroyed, not even a board remaining. It occurred in the day time while the is expected when Brown City and Cass moved this week into S. Ostrander's older children were at school, and store on Main street. The new providentially just before the storm The Brown City team has been a came Mrs. McConkey picked up her winner this year and the local nine babe who had been lying on a bed has played some excellent games, so asleep. Mr. and Mrs. McConkey the contest is expected to be very exmade their escape and had to wade citing. Wm. Withey, who resides at the through the water to the home of the McConkey's place is situated at the contains Seminoles, Shawnee, Chippe-A number of the pupils of the base of some very steep hills and it is wa, Sioux, Onedias and Winnebagoes. School for the Blind at Lansing will the opinion that this made the delgive a concert at the opera house uge more disastrous. Their buggy all over the United States wherever Thursday evening. The selections and some other belongings were also

On Tuesday evening the Lady Mac- 19th, Alexander Livingstone, in his its said that they play an astonishcabees entertained eighteen members 84th year. He was born in Aldboro, of the Gagetown hive at their regular Ont., of Scotch parents; was married review. After the meeting some time to Janet McIntyre in 1856. Four was spent in sociability and ice cream children was the issue of this mar-



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riage: Alexander, John, Dougald and the corner of West street and Garfield Mrs. Horton of Pontiac, all of whom were enabled to attend their father's funeral on Thursday afternoon of last week. A large concourse of people were in attendance who proceeded from the home to the Disciple church. Rev. Jas. MacArthur conducted the A large number from Gagetown and filling some barrels on a wagon with service assisted by Rev. Bartlett. The text chosen was "The altar with morning. The large audience com- to run. Mr. Krehling got tangled up Acts 17: 23. The line of thought was the method by which the unknown God, became known and the assurances and hopes proceeding therefrom. Mr. Livingston was highly regarded by his neighbors and acquaintances and appeared in his garnering as a ripe sheaf. After the hard struggle of life in the decay of the system, a wise providence has ordained rest. After the darkness here future glory is revealed as the true beacon of life.

BASE BALL NOTES.

Caro won from Marlette last week t a score of 5 to 4.

Warner's Pharmics won from Ubly Saturday. The score was 10 to 0.

Harbor Beach won from the Marette Pharmics on Tuesday at a score of 7 to 1, also on Monday, the score being 7 to 3.

A very interesting game was played at Sebewaing Sunday between the local nine at that place and a Saginaw team. The score at the twelfth inning was 5 to 4 in favor of the locals.

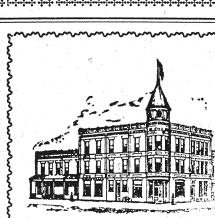
One of the best games of the season City cross bats here this afternoon.

The Nebraska Indian ball team, who are now making their annual These men have been gathered from there were Indian reservations. They are not only interesting because they Died at his home in Novesta on the represent a race that is dying out, but ing good game of ball.

Wide open—Candy Kitchen Ice

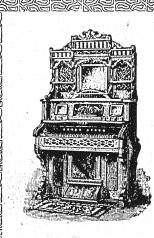
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NEAR-BY NOTES.

Orrin Gould, aged 84 years, one of

By the breaking of a scaffold Robt Hutchinson and Silas Ogden fell a distance of 46 feet at Deckerville on Saturday. Hutchinson sustained a a fractured skull, a broken hand and the best known residents of Sanilac other injuries. Ogden had a leg brokcounty, died at his home in Peck last en and was otherwise injured. It is thought both will live.