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### WANTS IT CHANGED.

Thinks That a Limit Should be Placed Upon a Candidate's Expenditures

Sheridan J. Colby, who was in the race for the Republican nomination for county treasurer in the primary election recently held at Detroit says that the results so far showed that many changes were required in the

"The cost of this primary to candidates has not been under \$250.000' said Mr. Colby to the Detroit Journal, H. Pearl Lee and Miss Lucy G. McNutt Married "I would figure it rather over that sum. The law should be so changed my money solely for advertising.

clude it in the bills I presented. I and have already taken up their resimons took the Municipal League draft they will be at home to their friends. senate. They could not see its faults Mrs. Major McNutt and is a talented come into our primaries and vote to that profession for several vears. nominate the weakest men-and they The groom is well known in this vilhave evidently done that very thing. lage where he conducts a furniture shout during the remainder of the of the community for a long and proscampaign."

### A HARD FOUGHT GAME.

The game of football between the high schools of Bad Axe and Cass City played at the driving park Saturday was a bitter struggle from start to finish. The visiting team in our estimation was a little heavier than our boys. Although for playing off side in one or two instances the visiting team was penalized, they made from the field but failed by a narrow

The playing on defense by our boys formed for the man carrying the ball part of the time, but they did fine work individually. Shay at left guard was solid as a rock holding the line at all times. Good tackling was done by both teams and but very little throttling was noticed. The longest gain made during the game was by Duncanson, who circled right end for about thirty yards. Final score 0--0. Referee, Sinclair. Umpire, McKay.

### LARGE NUMBER PRESENT.

Last Friday evening, a goodly number gathered at the town hall to attend the opening meeting of the Republican campaign at Cass City. Congressman Joseph W. Fordney and H. P. Bush, commissioner of schools of this county, were the speakers and The speakers were not confined to the this to him was not a discouragement. national issues however and the much given an airing by both gentlemen which was listened to with great in-

Mr. Fordney's talk was interspersed with funny and appropriate anecdotes which fitted nicely into the speech and caused much merriment. He is developing his ability as an orator and shows much improvement in this respect over former visits here.

### AUCTION SALES.

L. B. Lauderbach will have an uction sale at his farm one mile north of town on Tuesday, Nov. 1. James Starr has rented his farm, two miles west and one-half mile the capable officer that he has. In north of Argyle, and will have a looking after the criminal business of sale on Wednesday, Nov. 2, of stock and farm implements.

Friday, Nov. 4, is the date of Archie McPhail's auction. He has rented his farm, four miles south and one Bromish murder in Indianfields: and one-half miles west of Cass City, and everything must be sold.

Striffler & McKenzie are the auctioneers at the above sales.

Hugh McColl will sell a large line of stock and some farm implements at | \$\mathbb{3}\$ an auction sale on his farm on Sec. 9, Greenleaf, two miles south and two miles east of Greenleaf postoffice, on Thursday, Nov. 3.

### MERE MENTION.

A new Gleaner hall was dedicated at Flint last week. This is the seventh Gleaner hall that has been dedicated in Michigan during the past thirty days. The average cost of these halls has been seventeen hundred dollars and it is estimated that more than \$120,000 is now invested in these halls in Michigan.

FOR RENT—House and barn on Seegerstreet. Inquire of Dr. J. H. HAYS. 10-28-3

### WARNER AT GAGETOWN.

Fred M. Warner, republican candimay leave here on the noon train, hear the speech, and return on the four o'clock. A Warner cheese will be cut, the Cass City band will furnish music and a good time is assured.

### LEE--MCNUTT NUPTIALS.

at Capac on October 10.

nomination is enough to bankrupt of Memphis, Mich., were united in of the convention will be overwhelmon me to any extent, as I have spent attending couple, Mr. and Mrs. John Sumner of Capac witnessing the cere-"I never believe in the blanket bal- mony. After a short wedding tour lot in the primaries and did not in- Mr. and Mrs. Lee came to Cass City was opposed to it when Charley Si-dence in the McKenzie block where and wished to introduce it in the Mrs. Lee is the daughter of Mr. and however. It allows the Democrats to musician and has been a teacher of The results here will give the anti- and undertaking establishment and primary men plenty of chance to the young couple have the best wishes perous life.

Samuel J. Daubherty. Sheriff Samuel J. Daugherty enjoys

the distinction of being the youngest man in the State of Michigan to hold some good gains on line rushes on the important office to which he was the right sides. Freemont, the elected two years ago. Although Bad Axe full back, tried to kick goal young in years, he has proven himself two years. margin. If he had been successful it ception, and prompt and energetic in would have given them the game by the discharge of official duties. The sheriff has just passed his 32nd birthday having been born in 1872, in Zaneswas ragged, no interference being ville, Ohio. At two years of age his parents moved to Fairgrove in this county, and ten years later to Almer, where Mr. Daugherty has since resided. While he is a wholesome illustration of the efficacy of the young man in politics, he also stands as an example of what a young man can do if actuated and governed by right principles and is possessed of the kind of grit and energy that surmounts difficulties and stops only when success has been obtained. Mr. Daugherty's education was pre-eminently in the practical school of hard knocks. He was one of a large family of children, and his parents being poor, were unable to give him the early advantages which many of the young men and women of the present day enjoy. In fact, at an early age he was thrown much enthusiasm was in evidence. entirely upon his own resources, but By hard work, frugal habits, indomitalked "primary reform" system was table courage and honest purpose, he has made his way unaided to his present standing. He always took an active interest in the public and political affairs of his own township, and his first introduction to the people of Tuscola county in a public manner, was when elected keeper of the county poor farm in the spring of 1898. At this time he was but 26 years of age, but during his entire administration of affairs at the county house, it was often said that the county had never had a better or more efficient keeper.

> When nominated and elected sheriff two years ago, those who knew him best were confident he would make the county he has been keen in perception and courageous and prompt in action. As an illustration, one instance might be cited, that of the Within an hour after the tragedy, Sheriff Daugherty was on the spot

date for governor, will speak at Gage- resulted in the speedy conviction and farm and has lived there since. town this (Friday) afternoon. Those life sentence of the murderer. In the who wish to attend from Cass City gathering of evidence his good judgment and thoroughness has saved the to business entrusted.



SAMUEL J. DAUGHERTY.

throughout the length and breadth of Tuscola county know that the duties of the sheriff's office will be just as faithfully, intelligently and satisfactorily administered as during the past

### James H. Millikin.

The business of handling the funds igan. of a county the size of Tuscola is no easy matter and each year it grows more difficult and complicated with increasing responsibility. The official placed in charge of this fund must be painstaking and fully competent to discharge the duties of this important office. Such a man is James H. Millikin, the Republican candidate for county treasurer. Mr. Millikin lives in Almer township and commands the respect and confidence of his community. Since the spring of 1896 his township has not failed to elect him supervisor, and during the past four years the board of supervisors has honored him by electing him their chairman. His record is a good one and his friends have every reason to believe that he will serve the county as treasurer as well as he has served in other official positions. Mr. Millikin is deserving of the vote of every Republican in the county and no one doubts but what he will receive them.

Mr. Millikin was born in Bruce township, Macomb county, in 1855 and lived there until his marriage in 1880 to Miss Harriett S. Morton of Romeo. Seven children, four girls and three boys are the result of that union. Shortly after his marriage he settled in Lapeer county and engaged in farming. He remained there until after his father's death in 1885, when he went back to the homestead and settled his father's estate. Short-

had secured the murderer, and placed ly after he moved to Almer township, himself in possession of the facts that this county, where he purchased a

William E. Brown. Wm. E. Brown, the Republican cancounty large sums in the prosecution didate for state senator from this disof many criminal cases, as well as in trict for his second term, is a native the avoidance of trials under pleas of of Lapeer county, having been born guilty. In civil matters he has been in Hadley township in 1863. By his equally as prompt, always on hand own efforts through years of amand ready to give personal attention bitious toil he has risen from obscure position in humble circumstances to With this splendid record of official an honorable one of influence and the service, it was no surprise that the citizens of his home town, Lapeer, Last Wednesday evening at six republicans in county convention point with pride to his energy and that a limit would be put upon a o'clock a wedding occurred at Capac should place Sheriff Daugherty in praisworthy efforts in acquiring an man's expenditures. As it is, a poor at which time H. Pearl Lee of this nomination for a second term without education, his success as a school man has no show, because running for place and Miss Lucy Glendora McNutt a dissenting vote. And the action of teacher, his academic and college course of study and his graduating him. I am glad I can say that the marriage by Rev. Harger of Capac. ingly ratified at the polls on the 8th from the law department of the state multitude of grafters have not fed up- The wedding was very quiet only the of November next, for the people university, his several official preferments, including Prosecuting Attorney for a couple of terms, and his honored career from earliest manhood

to the present time. Mr. Brown is known as a magnetic and forceful speaker, a successful lawyer, and a polished gentleman. His fraternity relations, too, give him prominence, his ability having been recognized in the many positions of honor to which he has been chosen, not the least notable of which perhaps are those of High Councellor, followed by High Chief Ranger, of the Independent Order of Foresters, and Worthy Grand Patron of Michigan Grand Chapter Order Eastern Star, to which latter he was re-elected in 1902 by a very large majority.

Mr. Brown's visits to this county in the interests of the above societies have made him many friends. In fact in this way he has gone into every section of both peninsulas of Michigan and visited nearly every town and village. He is accordingly well informed by personal observation as to the development and needs of the state and may be relied upon to be a broad minded advocate in the legislature for any and every measure that tends to promote the material progress and industrial well being of Mich-

Mr. Brown has ever been a stalwart Republican of the hustling kind and his re-nomination as state senator is a deserved recognition of the loyalty and ability he has shown as a firsttermer. His election is assured and his services in the senate will be invaluable to this district and to the

### GOOD CROP OF BEANS.

Ben Hicks, who lives three and a half miles southeast of Deford, has some excellent results to show for a crop of beans he harvested from 30 acres of his farm this fall. Off from this amount of land, Mr. Hicks raised in the neighborhood of 670 bushels of beans for which he received an average price of \$1.331 per bushel, aggregating him the neat sum of \$900. The land was purchased last year and Mr. Hicks says that he received nearly \$7 more per acre from his bean crop than the land cost him. The \$900 mentioned above does not include the amount which may be realized from the fodder which is valuable for feeding sheep and young cattle. Had Mr. Hicks brought his beans to market one day earlier, he would have realized \$100 more for the same.

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### Tri-County Chronicle.

KLUMP-LENZNER Co., PUBS.

CASS CITY, - -MICHIGAN

The peace congress means well, but that war in the East will go on a while yet.

Another railroad engineer took a nap and twenty-nine passengers went into death's sleep.

For the life of him Commander Peary can't see why people take so much interest in politics.

Speaking of the age-retirement clause, most men cease to be the head of the family after 35.

The winning of the championship by the Bostons was a vegetarian victory. Beans defeated tenderloin. If King Lear had ever heard of

Harry Lehr the probability is that he would have been even more despon-A Chicago man committed suicide

while smoking a pipe. He is not the only man who has smoked himself to

Mont Pelee does not mean to let any little old second-class volcano like Vesuvius have a monopoly on public

A man can drink whisky or he can run an automobile, but he cannot successfully and safely combine these

He is the first archbishop of Canterbury who has crossed the ocean in 1,300 years. The unlucky number shows naughts.

Mont Pelee has broken loose again. Pelee is like the average human being. Having had a taste of notoriety she can't keep still.

What puzzles Russell Sage is how a man like J. Pierpont Morgan can ever save up enough to justify him in going on a vacation.

Spain is to have no more Sunday bull-fights. Owing to the activity of the meat trust, Spain probably finds it necessary to save her bulls.

A New York woman resents her play a good game of poker. The only game a woman can't play is "whist!"

Another fact which has received practical demonstration is that automobiles can go much faster than any community ever will care to let them

It used to be the coachman, but now it is the chauffeur with whom the impressionable daughter of the house is falling in love. She must have

wheels. Perhaps those corporations that have decided not to employ men who have reached the age of 40 are figuring on the increased wear of the

strenuous life.

The Pennsylvania railroad system has set the age-limit of employment at 35, and the steel trust has made it 40. J. Pierpont Morgan, however, will continue to hold his job.

Bow legs are to be barred from the American navy. Why should such a aster. The verdiet says: "If the comrule be put into effect? This country doesn't keep a navy for the purpose of stopping pigs in alleys.

Sir William Ramsey does not be lieve in examinations as a test of college students' work. Sir William has the almost unanimous support of the undergraduates on this issue.

Roasted chestnuts, a scientific man says, are an antidote for liquor, and will relieve the craving for alcohol. But who can tell how often a chestnut has driven a man to drink?

Sully, the former cotton king, owes over \$100,000 for jewelry that he bought when he thought he never could lose. His vanity seems to have spread out in more than one direc-

The woman who wants a divorce because her husband growls at her should be compelled to give the real reason. As a rule a woman does not mind hubby's growling so long as he pays the bills.

Mothers, says Baroness von Suttner of Austria, should teach their sons that war is unnecessary. But it is hard to keep Johnny out of the company of those rough boys on the other side of the street.

Ninety-five rich men are going to have a town of their own near Cleveland and permit only millionaires to live in it. They will need some vigorous watchmen to keep people from throwing stones across the line.

William Ziegler, the Arctic exploration enthusiast of Brooklyn, who was badly shaken up in a carriage accident, has discovered that a man does not need to go up into the neighborhood of the north pole to be in per sonal danger.

New York is to have a ten-story public school building which will hold from 7,500 to 8,000 pupils. It is, of course, to be located in one of the poorest parts of the city. They don't need school buildings of that kind is the more fashionable quarters.

### THE MICHIGAN NEWS

### Showing What's Doing In All Sections of the State

### CLERGYMEN'S JUDG-MENT.

Remarriage of Divorced Persons to Be

Left. The ministerial association, comprisisters of the Bay Cities, has reached case. It is then left to the judgment of the clergyman as to whether he will perform the marriage ceremony. Neary all the local ministers are emphatic in their declarations that there are other valid grounds for divorce than adultery and that they would, under proper circumstances, remarry persons who secured separation for some of the other causes, providing they were not the offenders.

### BERRIEN'S TAXES.

The Supervisors Throw a Challenge at the State Commission.

By refusing to act upon a communication of the state tax commission to the effect that Berrien county was under assessed more than \$11,000,000, the board of supervisors threw down a challenge of that body which may be returned with wrath resulting in open warfare. Members of the board say that the commission do not know what they are talking about when they say this county is under assessed, and they declare that they do not intend to be

dictated to by any tax commission.

By the report of the committee on equalization, adopted this morning, the assessed valuation of the county is placed at \$25,677,690, an increase of \$600,106 over 1903. The tax commission would be a second to the county is placed at \$25,677,690, and increase of \$600,100 over 1903. sion would have the assessed valuation

over \$36,499,000.
The public stands back of the board in their action.

### Poor Old Woman.

Sarah Giant, 78 years of age, was in the Recorder's court of Saginaw charged with the theft of a diamond ring from Mrs. W. S. Linton. The wo-man had called at the residence of the complainant when she asked for food. She was provided with a meal and upon her departure the ring was missing. The old woman, who was poorly dressed and not of prepossessing ap-pearance, was overhauled at Vassar and brought back, the ring being recovered. When arraigned she implored A New York woman resents her the Recorder not to send her to De-husband's insinuation that she can't troit. Finally, as an act of charity, she was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail. She received the sentence with a broad smile and the remark: "That's not so bad. The judge is a gentleman-he is."

### After the Storm.

Ernest Cook, a farmer of Mattawan, has been very persistent in wooing his divorced wife, who was separated from him five years ago, the divorce being granted in Van Buren county, the wife's charge being extreme cruelty. Both parties to the divorce were in England at the time the divorce was granted. Mr. Cook returned to Chicago, where he engaged in the lumber business, but found life unendurable without his wife. He has made several trips to England during the five years to try and induce her to marry him again, and the last one, which he made in June, was successful, Mrs. Cook, accompanied by her parents, has arrived from Bristol. England, and the marriage will take place in Kalamazoo.

### Not Properly Ventilated.

The St. Clair Tunnel company is held responsible by Coroner Logie's jury in Sarnia for the death of the six trainmen in the recent tunnel dispany had better equipment for ventilation, it would, we believe, in a measure have prevented the accidents that have occurred since the opening of the tunnel for traffic, and your jury strongly urge that the railroad commission appointed by the government investigate what means the St. Clair Tunnel Co. should adopt to prevent loss of life in the future."

### Patients in Tents.

Battle Creek's pesthouse has been overcrowded and patients with the loathsome disease are now placed in ents. This has stirred up the public after the agitation for a new pesthouse had about died away. Smallpox is a disease requiring warmth, and a tent during October weather is not warm, by any means. There have been over 30 cases of the disease within the last year, without awakening the city fully to the needs of the pesthouse.

### Fighting Unions.

An organization of Battle Creek manufacturers, to protect the leading shops from labor union troubles that now threaten, has been formed. F. W. Gage, against whose publishing house the union issued a pamphlet, has been chosen president, and Edward Branson, another publisher, treasurer, J. I. Gibson, president of the Business Men's association, is secretary; B. T. Skinner, of the Advance Thresher Co., vice-president.

### Bull Sold for \$1,500.

Hengaveld de Kol, a Holstein-Friesien bull, bred on the Eastern Michigan asylum farm in Pontiac, has been sold to A. A. Cortelyou, of Neshanic, N. J., for \$1,500, the highest price ever paid for a Michigan bred bull.

### Order Duplicated.

The Advance Thrasher Co., of Battle Creek, recently shipped 10 engines and thrashers for Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic for the Drydale Co., of Lon don, and news comes that the boat carrying the shipment went down in a storm, but the Drydale Company had bought the goods at their own shipping risk, and they have cabled to duplicate the order as soon as possible.

Ithaca's splendid new municipal electric lighting plant will be ready for operation the earl- part of Decem-

### MISSING WOMAN.

Prominent Battle Creek Woman Disappears Mysteriously.

Mrs. Henry Brown, one of the best known rural residents of Battle Creek locality, is missing and her promining practically all the Protestant min-isters of the Bay Cities, has reached esting. Mrs. Brown, whose home is an agreement regarding marriages of three miles west of the city, disappresent to the minister a certified copy of the degree of the court in the degree of the city, disappressed the degree of the city, disappressed the degree of the city in the degree of the degree of the city in present to the minister a certified copy of the decree of the court in their case. It is then left to the judgment stein, whose death at Saginaw sent Dr. Bennett to prison for manslaughter, and comes from a pioneer family. One sister is Miss Lillian Eberstein, former principal of No. 8 school in the city. and a brother is George Eberstein, of the firm of Eberstein & Corrigan, furnace men.

Many members of the family believe the woman is dead, either from accident, shock or foul play. The air of mystery has prevailed for nearly a month, although the matter was not made public until last night.

### BIG JOB.

Clergyman's Prophecy That Japs Will

Lick Uncle Sam. Rev. William H. Osborne, one of the cleverest clergymen in the state, in a sermon preached at St. Thomas' Episcopal church, Battle Creek, Sunday, made the startling prophecy that some time in the course of the history of the United States the soldiery of this re-public will meet and be defeated by the Japs. The defeat, he stated, will be due to the fact that the Japanese are cold water men, while the United States soldier resorts to the use of stimulants. The speaker expressed himself as being certain that the "clear-eyed Japs" will defeat the drunken and immoral Russians.

### Broke His Neck.

Dell Johnson, employed at Von Platen's mill yard, in Boyne Falls, was receiving a 2x6 maple heart plank from the tramway and was placing it on a wagon when, in some unaccountable manner, two planks slipped away from the other planks on the tram way, and, falling closely together, struck Johnson on the head and neck, pinning his head to the wagon and breaking his neck in two places. Johnson was about 50 years old and but recently came from Elk Rapids. He leaves a widow and three grown chil-

### Men Are Needed.

It will be a few weeks before logging operations in the upper peninsula goods are in full swing and the work of harvesting the winter crop of logs is under way. Considerable work is being done, however, preparing for the season. Although there will not be such a scarcity of men as was experienced last season, woodsmen are not plentiful. Ferguson Bros., of Ishpeming, are preparing to start two more camps and want 150 men.

### MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

A clock for turning on the current at electrocutions is being made by a Grand Rapids firm.

Schoolcraft county is agitating the organization of an agricultural society to hold a fair next fall.

The bones of a mastodon have been found in Sumpter township, Wayne county, by W. J. Gallaway, a farmer. The business men of Downgiac are

arranging for a jubilee celebration over the event of Dowagiac's first street paving. The state board of health warns the

public to boil drinking water during October as this month is prolific of typhoid fever. New York parties are looking over

the Menominee range, upper peninsula and propose to construct an electric road through the region. Battle Creek business men are plan-

ning an organization to carry their own insurance, because of high prices charged by regular companies. A general store at Cobmoosa was entered the other night and \$40 in

cash taken, besides articles of cloth ing and things from the stock. Several damage suits are contem plated against the St. Clair Tunnel Co. by the families of the men killed or

injured in the recent tunnel horror. Judge Fred J. Russell, of Muske gon, has announced that at the close of his present term he will not be candidate for renomination. He has held the place for 19 years.

John Verduin, aged 18, while trying to tighten a belt in the Haney school furniture factory, Grand Rapids, was caught in a shaft. He was horribly mangled and died almost instantly. A ghastly find was made by Edward

of Lake Michigan, near Muskegonthe remains of a man so badly decomposed as to prevent identification. Fireman Forester, of the ill-fated train which broke in two in St. Clair tunnel 10 days ago, causing the loss of six lives, is still at the hospital at Sar-

King, while duck hunting on the shore

nia, and his mind is giving continua! evidence of being completely shattered. Joseph Fisher, alias Beckman, who is alleged to have swindled Mrs. Caroline Cameron, of Battle Creek, out of \$3,000 on a forged mortgage, was bound over to the circuit court by Jus-

tice Bidwell, bail being fixed at \$5,000. Hereafter tramps who seek refuge in Ingham county jail will be set to cracking stone. This stone will be sold for highway purposes. Those who refuse to work will be put on bread and

When the statement of the state tax commission raising the Ingham county valuations was read to the board of supervisors, they would have nothing to do with it. A resolution was adopted condemning the tax commission, and even demanding that it be abol-

The supreme court affirmed the conviction of Jacob P. Ellen, an alderman convicted of bribery in the Grand Rapids water deal. The only reason raised on appeal was whether the proposed water contract was something which would come before Ellen in an official capacity. The court held, as in the Mol case, that it was.

The Genesee county board of superisors have increased the valuation of eal property \$3,790,693, and personal 377,953, making a total increase of \$4.123,546. The total valuation is now \$31,494,654.

Officers of the Cincinnati, Dayton & Fort Wayne railroad paid a recent visit to Saugatuck and looked over the ground between that place and South Haven with a view to putting in an electric road.

It cost Branch county \$8,607 to take care of its poor the past year, of which \$4,175 was expended for temporary relief outside the poor farm and closing of the week the semi-panic pro-\$4.431.26 for support of those at the county poor farm,

Patrolman Davis caught Dan Garner and Sam Smith carrying a stove home late last night and took them into custody on suspicion. Later it developed that the stove had been taken out of a Grand Trunk section car. Kalamazoo G. A. R. Building associ-

ation has \$3,000 subscribed of \$5,000 stock issue and has purchased a handsome residence property for a home-which will be used as headquarters for Occutt Post, G. A. R., and the W. The Detroit & Bay City Traction Co.

has asked Pontiac for a franchise for a proposed electric freight and passenger railroad from Detroit to Bay City, taking in the towns of Franklin. Pontiac, Lapeer, Mayville, Caro, Akron and Bay City.

Hunters have already commenced shooting partridge along the M. C. and

D. & M. railroads and the D. & M. company offer a reward of \$25 for the conviction of anyone found shooting any birds out of season. The season opens Oct. 20. John S. Hunter, residing on a farm near Montrose village, fell from the roof of a woodshed on which he was

causing death in a few minutes. He was 51 years of age and leaves a widow and two grown children. The reported scarcity of partridges in some localities this fall may be laid to the destructive fox. The foxes are thriving in the upper counties, and are killing off the rabbits as well as the

game birds. One red fox will kill more game in a year than will a dozen hunt-H. B. McLaughlin, P. G. Kirkham and A. G. Holmes, of Vernon, securing only a small amount of money, most of their spoils consisting of silver five-

The potato and apple crops in Marshall and vicinity this year are record breakers. Potatoes are being sold for 18 cents per bushel, apples for 15 cents and eider is but 5 cents per gallon. The cabbage crop is also a large one, and nearly every family is making saur

kraut. At the closing session of the Odd Fellosw' grand lodge in Lansing it respondents urge that was decided to reduce the grand lodge dues from 20 to 10 cents, but at the same time to increase the dues for the Odd Fellows' home in the same ratio This will provide an annual income of \$15,000 for the support of the home.

The East Michigan Christian Endeavor conference of the M. P. church elected the following officers at Lan-sing: President, Rev. P. W. Jones. Charlotte; vice-president, Harry O. Gleason, Three Rivers; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Rolfe, Lansing; corresponding secretary, Miss Nina Lathrop, Barryville.

Nora Johnson, a domestic at the home of Floyd Nevins, three and onehalf miles from Alma, was shot and instantly killed by Frank Jameson. employed on the farm. A charge of buckshot entered her neck and almost severed her head. Jameson is held to await the result of the coroner's inquest. He says he did not know the

gun was loaded and fired for fun. Wm. Mason, stepson of Rev. John Mason, of Grace Episcopal church, of Port Huron, was very brave with his revolver in his hand when he went to investigate noises in the lower part of the house. As he entered the hall he asked: "Who's there?" The next moment he was struck in the face and fell sprawling on the floor. He jumped up and dashed out the front door and the

burglar fled the other way. Liveryman David LaBoueff's legs were both broken at the ankles and he was severely cut about the face in a runaway at Harrisville. LaBoueff was returning from Lincoln with C. E. Johnson and F. R. Hunt and was about a mile from hare when the horses became frightened. Johnson and Hunt escaped with slight bruises by jumping. LaBoueff stuck to the rig, and, finding it impossible to stop the horses, he also tried to jump and was thrown against a stump,

Since Charles Holmes removed to Flint from Benton Harbor three months ago death has invaded his home three times. While they were getting settled the mother of Mr. Holmes fell down a cellar stairway and received injuries from which she died in a few hours. A few weeks later the wife was taken sick and died. Friday morning the husband passed away at the Flint hospital, following an op eration for obstruction of the cowels. Three orphaned children remain, ranging in age from 10 to 19 years.

While collecting fares near Monroe Bert W. Graves, a Lake Shore conductor, was stricken with apoplexy. He was brought to the city and taken to a hotel, where he has since remained unconscious. Mr. Graves is 73 years old and lives in Toledo, and is one of the oldest conductors on the Detroit division of the road. Small hopes for his recovery are entertained. Daniel Ketcham, an old Wabash conductor, also had a fainting spell while so collecting fares near Lenawee junction. His case is not serious.

Safe blowers again visited Grand Rapids some time last night. The office of the Breen & Halladay Coal Co., on the outskirts of the city, was entered. the safe blown open and \$200 taken. The explosion was so terrific that the side of the office building was blown out and the safe thrown upon the side-

Deputy Sheriff Hodge, of Leslie, arrested Convicts Harding and Gilbert, two of the quartet that escaped from the Jackson prison Sunday. The men had entered the Leslie hotel and asked for something to eat, when they were recognized by the officer and arrested. They were returned to the prison.

### A Brief Chronicle of All Important Kappenings

### TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER.

Russian Losses, From 50,000 to 65,000;

Japanese Losses, 30,000. St. Petersburg, Oct. 22.-With the Two of the Crew of One Vessel Decapitatby Gen. Kuropatkin's army last week has in a great measure disappeared, and there is a much more cheerful feeling pervading the war office.

cablegram from Tokio:

"Marshal Oyama reports that the in- badly damaged by shots. It is feared vestigation completed after Oct. 22 re- one more was lost with all hands. garding the Russian losses at the battle of Shakhe shows that there were about 500 prisoners and 10,550 dead. The trophies of the battle are 35 guns. 6,950 shells, 5,574 rifles, 78,000 ammunition, etc. The dead of the enemy were all buried with military honors. The Russian total casualties are estimated at 10,550 ucad.

Panamans Look for It From Secretary Taft's Visit.

The modification of the Hay-Bunau-Varilla canal treaty in several important respects and the negotiation bemated at 60,000.

Tokio Oct. 22.—The armies of governments of a supplementary com-oyama and Kuropatkin continue to mercial treaty granting to Panama imconfront each other, but neither has portant concessions is what the Pana-

again assumed the aggressive. According to a report from the Japanese Manchurian headquarters, teiegraphed yesterday, it is reported that the Russians are massing a heavy force against the right army, but the purpose of this force is not indicated.

at work and his neck was broken. by them since the beginning of the war in concealing the extent of their wrongs under which it is now sufferlosses, the war office believes that their ing. casualties must be at least threefourths as great as those of the Russians—probably in the neighborhood of 30,000.

### Another Big Battle Certain.

A resumption of the conflict on a large scale is believed to be imminent. The two armies are receiving fresh their spoils consisting of silver five-cent pieces, a collection of nearly 200 dication of an early renewal of hostil-of these coins being stolen from Kirk-

> The heavy concentration of both Russians and Japanese between the Mandarin road and the railroad makes certain a tremendous collision at this still not all that could be desired was certain a tremendous collision at this

ation is suffering severely, and the correspondents urge that measures be taken to restrict marauding.

### No Peace Overtures.

An announcement from Washington saying that the administration believed the time for mediation in the war was approaching has created an unfavorable impression in Russian government circles at St. Petersburg, where there is an inclination to associate it with the interview of the Associated Press with a diplomat at Tokio suggesting the propriety of renewing the efforts in behalf of the restoration of peace.

The idea of peace, it is asserted here, could hardly come more inopportunely, with the Japanese in the full flush of victory. It has aroused only resentment and there is no doubt that if President Roosevelt should actually attempt to open the question at this time he would meet with a rebuff.

### PACIFY PANAMA.

A Mission of Pence and Good Will for Secretary Taft.

The following letter has been sent by the president to the secretary of war after a conference with the secretary of state and the secretary of war in respect to the conditions in Panama: Sir-By executive order of May 9. 1904, I placed under your immediate supervision the work of the isthmian canal commission both in the construction of the canal, and in the exercise of such governmental powers as if seemed necessary for the United States to exercise under the treaty with the republic of Panama in the canal strip. Dora There is ground for believing that in who slept nearly six months during the the execution of the rights conferred by the treaty the people of Panama have been unduly alarmed at the effect of the establishment of government in

the canal strip by the commission.
We have not the slightest invention. of establishing an independent colony in the middle of the state of Panama or of exercising any greater governmental functions than are necessary to enable us conveniently and safely to construct, maintain and operate the canal, under the rights given us by the

You are authorized to proceed to the infliction of the death penalty upon Panama, confer with the authorities, and report on your return.

### Heaviest Blow of All.

With Gen. Oku's Left Army at Front, Oct. 16, via Tien Tsin.—(Delayed.)—The seven days' battle north ing home rich to pay off the mortgage of Yentai was the heaviest blow yet on the old homestead, etc. struck the Russians by the Japanese, so far as loss of life is concerned. The left Japanese army during the week arrived at New York Wednesday from buried 4,100 Russian dead left in front of its lines. A village in front of the left wing contains many Russian dead, but the shell fire of the retreating Russians prevents the Japanese from reaching them. Conservative estimates place the Russian casualties at not ess than 25,000. Probably many more mates dashed out, they were met with dead are on the field in places not yet reached. The Japanese report their ly wounded. The proprietor says he total casualties at a little over 3,000 recently incurred the enmity of a sekilled and wounded.

having been unable to secure the \$20,-

Mrs. Nellie Furguson, burned to and are detaining them pending an indeath in a disreputable house in New York, left \$10,000 in cash, now claimed by her husband, who had not lived

with her for years. Fire destroyed the residence of Geo. Armstrong of Traverse City, causing were almost suffocated before they could escape.

### RUSSIAN WARSHIPS SINK

BRITISH FISHING FLEET.

ed by a Shot.-Apology Demanded A fleet of British fishing boats were fired on shortly after midnight Friday by the Russian Pacific squadron about two hundred miles off Spurn Head. The steam trawler Crane was sunk and Washington, Oct. 22.—The Japanese the decapitated bodies of her skipper egation today received the following and mate were brought to Hull. Two other boats of the fileet arrived at Hull

### RIGHTING OF WRONGS.

Varilla canal treaty in several important respects and the negotiation between the Washington and Panama mans hope to obtain as a result of Sec-Associated Press by Senor Obaldia, the

Panaman minister at Washington, Senor Obaldia says: "In the action of the president in accrediting to the Panaman government such a distin-A St. Petersburg dispatch says: While the Japanese evidently are determined to pursue the policy followed by them since the policy followed by the policy

### Revolution Nearer.

A dispatch from Colon says a rumor is current that a large body of armed Colombians has been concentrated near Culebra with the intention of making an attack there on Nov. 3, first anniversary of the secession of Panama from Colombia. The canal zone authorities are investigating the re-port, though not much importance is attached to the rumor, the origin of which is attributed to malcontents.

American marines will be retained on the isthmus for the present, pre-

also made known by a personal letter from an official now in Panama, and in The Chinese population in both the Russian and Japanese spheres of operation is suffaring convolve and the control of the ease with which revolutions are started in Central and South America it is the official original than the marines should remain there for the present.

### Princess Forbidden.

It is reported that the former priness of Saxony telegraphed to the new King Frederick of Saxony, from whom she was divorced after her flight with a French tutor named Giron, asking permission to attend the funeral of King George and see her children. The king, it is added, caused a refusal to be telegraphed to her.

### TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Jake Blum, New York, asks divorce pecause his wife gave an exhibition of

high kicking at a dance. Mrs. Fred Haha, Milwaukee, petitions the courts to change her name because people laugh at it.

Mary Scott, 16, Wabash, Ind., killed herself because her grandmother told her to scrub the kitchen floor, Bryn Mawr students (girls) have started a co-operative grocery store to aid the college building fund.

Lee Snyder, Indianapolis, shot a burglar, who was breaking into his restaurant. The robber was his brother, Urban Snyder. Artié Smith, Easton, Pa., has entered

the hero class by choking to death a bulldog which attempted to bite two pretty girls. Anthony Potitis, 26. Mahanoy City. Pa., hung himself while drunk. His mother cut him down and thrashed

Dora Meek, the Centralia, Ill., girl winter of 1901, is dead, as the result of a general decline, following an attack of measles last March.

Five members of the Santiago, Cu-

ba, provincial election returning board

him with a cane until he howled for

have been sentenced to 14 years and 8 months' imprisonment for falsifying returns in order to seat several gressmen belonging to the moderate coalition. Dr. Henry G. Hatch, of Quincy, Ill., in a paper read before the national

prison congress in that city, advocated

degenerates as a means of preventing the spread of degeneracy. James Hurret disappeared from Brooklyn, N. Y., 24 years ago. He has just written his aged parents from Portuguese East Africa that he is com-

Admiral Walker and other members of the Isthmian canal commission, who Panama, resumed their duties at Washington. The work in the Culebra

section will occupy the immediate attention of the commission. Incendiaries set fire to a Slav boarding house in Stubenville, O., early Sunday morning, and when the 17 in a volley of bullets. Several were slight-

not society of foreigners. With a Japanese sword, which they San Fatterson must remain in jail found hanging on the wall, murderers until she is tried for the murder of lacked Larkin Hall, a Boston milliner, Caesar Young in New York, her father to death in his rooms. The pair arrested Fred Watson and Eugene Sennott, two U. S. coast artillery privates,

vestigation. The Cuban congress has closed a seven months' session, in which practically nothing was done but wrangle over seats. Nearly all the moderates were finally seated, but the Nationala loss of \$2.000, with insurance of \$1,000. The wife of his son and her baby quorum by staying away. A few laws were passed without a quorum and are being contested in the courts.

Bliss Beyond Compare. Fond mother-You will be five years old to-morrow, Willie, and I want to give you a real birthday treat. Tell me what you would like better than anything else.

Willie (after thinking earnestly for five minutes)—Bring me a whole box of chocolate creams, mother, and ask Tommy Smith to come in and watch mo eat 'em.-Youth.

Couldn't Lose. "I've got a bet on to-day's ball

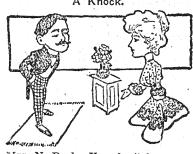
game. "Who do you want to see win?"

"I don't care:" "I thought you said you had a bet

on the game." "I have, but I can't lose."

"How's that?" "Why, I bet a kiss with my best

A Knock.



Mrs. N. Peck-You don't know now to appreciate a good wife. Mr. N. Peck-Well, I haven't had a

The Pleasures of Imagination. "It is not so much what a thing is as what we think it is that influences

chance yet.—Comic Cuts.

us," I insisted earnestly, for I believed in looking on the bright side of things. "True," said the unsentimentalist

'Nothing adds so much to the bouque? of the wine as the right label on the

Gaining an Emphatic Answer. "I beg, I beseech you to be my wife," he pleaded. "Oh, do not say

"Mr. Nervey," replied the fair girl, 'I had not thought of saying 'no' to you. I'm sure you wouldn't take that for an answer, and so permit me to say, 'Not on your life!' "-Philadelphia

Somewhat Different.

DeBorum-I hope you do not think I have prolonged my stay unnecessar.

of her life. Flusher-Well, that was encourag-

Gusher-Yes; but her father hap-

pened along just then and put the light out.

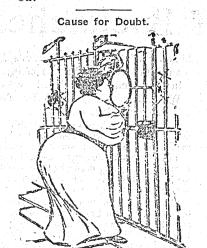
Went Out Through the Rocf. She-Jackson never goes out with his wife.

He-He went out with her this morning.

She-Your surprise me! He-Yes; the gasoline stove exploded.

Not Universal. Tommy Figgjam-Paw?

Paw Figgjam-Yes, my son. "Do they kick on the street railway services everywhere?" "No, my son; only where they have street cars."



The Passenger-Can I get through The Gateman-You may try it, madam, but I doubt it.

At the Seance. Widower-Is that my wife? Medium-It certainly is. Widower-Lord help me! And to think that I put ten tons of granite over her!

Always Something on Foot. "Chicago girls have to stand for a good deal from the joke writers." "Yes; but they have the broadest kind of feet to stand on."

### OVER THE FENCE.

Four Long-Termers Escape From Jack-

son Prison. Four convicts escaped from the Jackson prison Sunday night at 6 o'clock by simply picking up a ladder, placing it against the outer wall and dropping down and slipping out of sight. The quartet at liberty are Robbin Terry, the star pitcher for the prison ball nine, serving from six to ten years from Ingham county for assault; James McGee, in for eight years for burglary in Cass county; Mont Hard-ing, sent from Kalamazoo for nine years on the same charge, and Harry A. Gilbert, a forger from Calhoun county, doing from one to three years.

These men, with two others, have been engaged for several Sundays in painting the smokestacks of the factories within the prison walls, it being impossible to do the work on week days because of the heat from the furnaces. They were not closely watched, as it was not thought they could get over the walls under the eyes of the sentinels. But at 6 o'clock, when the guard was being changed, and there was no one to watch their movements. the quartet hunted up a ladder and were over the wall and away, taking their painters' suits, pails and brushes. The men are all young and are said to be smooth characters.

Eight prisoners have escaped from the Mason jail within the past six weeks, three getting away yesterday. The men are: Thomas Mowe, sent-enced to Jackson for from one to 14 years for forgery; Wilkam Brenner, awaiting trial on a charge of highway robbery, and William Sewell, colored. awaiting trial for burglary.

World's fair attendance last week, 939,774. The seventh \$500,000 payment on the \$4,600,000 United States loan has been made, which together with percentage payments, reduces the indebtedness to \$691,850 45.

### LIVE STOCK.

Detroit—Extra dry-fed steers and heifers (quotable), \$4 50; steers and heifers 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 75@4 15; grass steers and heifers 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 75@4 15; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 50; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs, \$250@2 75; choice fat cows, \$2 75@3; good fat cows, \$2 35@2 90; common cow,s \$1 50@2; canners, \$1@1 50; choice heavy bulls, \$2 75@3 25; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$2 25@2 50; stock bulls, \$1 75@2; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@2 265; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$1 75@2 15; stock heifers, \$2@2 15; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$30@50; common milkers, \$20@30.

Veal calves—Best, \$6 50@7; others, \$3 50@6.

Milch cows and springers—Steady; \$20@50.

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Hogs—Light to good butchers \$4 80@4 90; pigs, light yorkers. \$4 70@4 80; roughs, \$4 25; stags, 1-3 off.
Sheep—Best lambs, \$5 25; fair to good lambs, \$4 60@5; light to common lambs, \$4 60 60 5; light to common lambs, \$4 60 60 5; light \$4 00; fair to good butcher sheep, \$3@3 50; culls and common, \$2@2 50.
Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$5 50@7 00; poor to medium \$3 50@5 40; stockers and feeders, \$2@4; cows, \$2 50@2 45; helfers, \$5 25; canners, \$1 25@2 25; bulls, \$1 75@4 25; calves, \$3@6 75; Texas-fed steers, \$4 50@6; western steers, \$3 25@5.
Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$4 75@5 35; good to choice heavy, \$5 15@5 40; rough heavy, \$4 60@5; light \$4 75@5 25; bulk of sales, \$4 90@5 25.
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$3 75@4 50; fair to choice mixed, \$3@3 75; native lambs, \$3 50@5 85.

DeBorum—I hope you do not think I have prolonged my stay unnecessar ily.

Miss Caustique—Oh, no; it isn't your staying so late that I object to.
DeBorum—What, then?
Miss Caustique—To your early coming.

Drawing the Line.

"This world is but a vale of tears," said the sentimental landlady. "Even the beautiful rose has its thorn."

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"The common and medium kind soid about steady; good to extra, \$40.00 45: medium to good, \$28.035; common, \$15.022. Calves—Best. \$7.50.08; fair to good, \$5.50.07; heavy, \$3.04.

Hogs—Yorkers, \$2.50.05.65; the market closed weak on common grades; good many unsold.

Sheep—Cholee native lambs, \$3.50.05.55; not 1.200 to 1.200 shipping steers, \$5.50.05.415; fair to good, \$2.75.20.415; common stock heifers, \$2.75.03.30; best feeding steers, \$2.20.215; common stocksers, \$2.25.20.2.75; little stock bulls, \$2.25.03. There was a good demand for top grade freesh cows and springers and they sold \$2.03 a head higher than last week. The common and medium kind soid about steady; good to extra, \$40.00 45: medium to good, \$2.50.07; heavy, \$3.00.00, \$1.50.00, \$1 closed weak on common grades; good many unsold.

Sheep—Choice native lambs sold generally on the basis of \$5.90@6, with a few selected ewes up to \$6.10; Canada lambs of top quality sold at \$5.75@5.90; best native lambs, \$5.75@6; fair to good, \$5.50@5.75; culls and common, \$4.75@5; mixed sheep, \$3.75@4; fair to good, \$3.50@3.80; culls and bucks, \$2.50@3; yearlings, \$4.25@4.50.

Grain. Etc.

Detroit—Wheat—No. 1 white, \$1 22; No. 2 red spot, \$1 23 bid; December. No. 2 red, 1,000 bu at \$1 25; December 5,060 bu at \$1 22,3,000 bu at \$1 22½, 10,000 bu at \$1 22½, 2,000 bu at \$1 22½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22, 10,000 bu at \$1 22, 10,000 bu at \$1 22, 10,000 bu at \$1 22, 2,000 bu at \$1 22½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 22½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 22½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 22¼, 10,000 bu at \$1 2½, 5,000 bu at \$1 21½, 10,000 bu at \$1 2 Grain, Etc.

Chicago—Whent—No. 2 spring, \$1 13 @1 17; No. 3, \$1 05@1 15; No. 2 red, \$1 174 @1 19. Corn—No. 2, 524c; No. 2 yellow, 56c. Oats—No. 2, 29c; No. 3 white, 29½ @31c. Rye—No. 2, 78c. Barley—Good feeding, 37c; fair to choice malting, 40@52c.

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Week Ending Oct. 29.
LYCEUM THEATER--Keller, the Magician. Mat. Wed. and Sat. Eve. 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c
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Prices, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Mat. Monday, Wednesday, Saturday; bestseats 25c.
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Standard Time Standard Time.

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Mrs. G. Mitts, Cincinnati, is suing J. B. Alexander for \$15,000 for stealing a

Mrs. Noah Smith, Indianapolis, wants her husband relieved of the duty of paying alimony to his first wife, because she has to take in washing to earn the money.

Isabel Zangwill declares there are too many Jews in America and will attempt to stem the tide of immigration. He has just arrived at New York, accompanied by his wife, Edith Ayrton, the English authoress, and will deliver several lectures in the interests of the Zionist movement.

### A VOICE FROM THE PULPIT.

Rev. Jacob D. Van Doren; of 57 Sixth street, Fond Du Lac., Wis., Presbyterian clergyman, says: "I had attacks of kidney dis-

orders which kept me in the house for days at a time, unable to do anything. What I suffered can hardly be told. Complications set in, the particulars of which I will be pleased to give in a personal interview to any one who requires information. This I can conscientiously say: Doan's Kidney Pills

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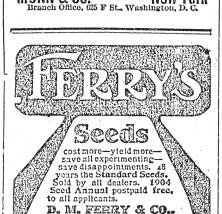
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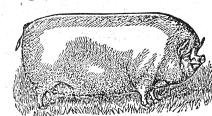
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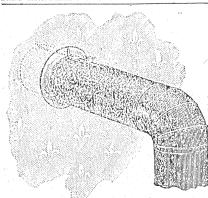
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### WILL FARMERS CHANGE?

The American farmer is, of all men, one who tries to think straight and to act in the same way. Abraham Lincoln doubtless had the American farmer, whom he understood so well, in mind when he made his famous declaration that "you can fool all the people some of the time; you can fool some people all the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time." It was true in his day; it is true now, and therefore the appeal of the Democratic party to change and reverse the whole current of administrative policies and forces is one which cannot commend itself to the sober second thought of the American farmers. Is easily adjusted to any size pipe and By the simplest rules of logic, the holds it securely in the chimney flue. burden of proof is upon those who ad-It is also serviceable for connecting vocate a change, and what have they loose joints or the cloow. Don't put to show? Everybody knows that up unsightly nails and wires to make times have never been better than in your stove pipe safe but get this sim- the last eight years. Bank clearances, savings bank deposits, life insurance investments, railroad extensions, commercial growth and development, all make a cumulative demonstration, and the proposition to overturn all this structure is about as sensible as to ask a prosperous farmer to discharge all his faithful help; to change his product from that which he has found profitable, and, generally, to reverse and cut up by the roots everything which has brought him a full pocket, a light heart and confidence in the future. The answer to the suggestion in each case is identical, and when November comes even the dullest politician, with his ear to the ground, will have no trouble in hearing the voice of the people.

> October is the latest month in the year in which Democrats win victories.

BOTH CLEAN, CAPABLE MEN.

The present campaign being carried on in Michigan is a remarkable one. Nothing so malicious or malignant has appeared in our state politics for many years. Fred M. Warner is a man against whose integrity in business not a word has ever been uttered. In private life he has been clean and pright. He has held positions of public trust, under the limelight of popular criticism, and yet his maligners do not pretend to touch a single spot in his official record where he has been recreant to the confidence reposed in him, or where he has been lacking in ability to meet every responsibility that has come to him. Yet they profess to see awful danger coming upon the people in the event of his election. As for us we are perfectly willing to go before the people in the state campaign on Fred M. Warner's private and public record. They profess to see in him the tool of of northern forces, that Grant fought the railroads, because a republican for union while Lee fought for the railroad commissioner was and is state, and that Grant outfought Lee. among his hearty supporters. It The second negative speaker told how would be fully as reasonable to charge Lee was a better man and did not use tities have been sold, especially for the Mr. Ferris with being a railroad tool stimulants, how he displayed greater destruction of prairie dogs and pocket because the chairman, of the convention in which he was nominated is the diers and respected by the north. attorney of the Grand Trunk Western, and Wellington R. Burt, one of said that personal love does not win tion in manufacturing the poison. From his chief spokesmen and supporters, is victories, that Lee had an easier vica director of the Wabash. The fact tory to win at Richmond than Grant ly infested with prairie dogs have been is, neither Mr. Warner nor Mr. Ferris did later on, that Grant did not use entirely reclaimed, while a partial de is owned by the railroads or anyone stimulants until at an advanced age else. Both are, we believe, clean, up- and that Lee fought at random, while

year against a clean, upright, capable, Grant was the twenty-second, and consistent republican like Fred M. Warner.-May ville Monitor.

one real issue, primary reform; and on that issue the republicans are well able and quite willing to meet their opponents. The republican position on primary reform is clear, it is rational, it is practical, and it is sincere. It proposes direct nomination of all officers in every division and district of the state where it is desired, and primary election of all the delegates to state nominating conventions and to any other conventions that the voters of the districts shall elect to hold. That is primary reform that reforms the primaries. In every primary election held in the state this year, the republicans have shown their sincerity by heartily and honestly participating in them.

The Republican party invites judgment on its record. The Democratic party asks power on the strength of promises.

A party fit to govern must have convictions and the courage to main-

There is no past tense in the Democratic grammar.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Contributed by C. V. L.

Dr. Bruske of Alma College spoke to the high school students Monday morning on "What Education Is For." Mr. Bruske said in part: "I have er; secretary, Clara Lenzner; ass't. come eighty miles to say 'thank you' and stayed away from home twenty- Margaret McArthur. four hours in order to come up here and say 'thank you' to you. You may ask what is the reason of such politeness. In answer I would say that you have been friends of Alma College. You have four representatives there and will soon have five. If every school in the state contributed as many as you have we would have to

enlarge the town as well as the college. "Let me congratulate you on your surroundings. Although I am visiting schools almost every Monday, yet within a year, I have not been in as modern, pleasant and healthful a do we need to sit in the school room pouring over miserable books instead of being out in warm sunshine? What is all this for? What is it all for?

"I found it out one day in college. I hadn't dared to ask before. I was sent up to the board to do the seventeenth example in trigonometry and have forgotten what the seventeenth problem is.' He said 'Take your seat.' I was mad, very mad for there is nothing so provoking as a college professor for he can be so outrageously cool when you are so outrageously hot. In my anger I blurted out 'What's it all for?. He answered, 'Mental drill, gentleman, mental drill.! Then I wanted to ask what mental drill was for but I didn't.

"What is mental drill for? It is to move as kings and queens in the midst of 75,000,000 other kings and queens. Some may, after time, become hewers of wood and carriers of If you wish to be a James Blain, a Chief Justice Fuller, an Oliver Wendell Holmes, or a Theodore Roosevelt, get a college education."

Preceding the address, Rev. Bradfield offered prayer and the school sang "America."

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The first of a series of rhetoricals was held Friday afternoon. One interesting number was the debate on the subject "Resolved that Grant was of the United States is the common a better general than Lee." Alexander Duncanson and Eliza Sommerville which has the long leaves near the composed the affirmative side and Leslie Koepfgen and Ethel Charlton spoke negatively on the subject. The first speaker on the affirmative side brought out the following points: 1 per and lower surfaces of the leaves Grant won more battles. 2. (a) Every demand an equal share of light, somecampaign Grant planned he gained a thing which can be said of but few victory. (b) Grant also planned Lee's known plants, the upper surfaces usucampaign's for him and Lee always ally being much more sensitive to both acted on the defense.

The first speaker on the negative side brought out these points: 1. Lee ner mentioned above. won the admiration of his troops. 2. He was better fitted. 3. He was a better organizer. The second affirmative speaker said that Grant was original, that he attained generalship military ability, was trusted by sol-

In rebutting the affirmative side right, capable men, worthy of their the negative side claimed that Lee struction of pocket gophers has been party's support. One is a republican won many battles, that Grant had the scattered areas, including some of the the other a democrat—and we are best advantage, having more men, best alfalfa ranches in the state. The sure the voters are not going to put a that Lee won by stratagem, that he poison is not sent outside the state.

democrat in the governor's chair this graduated second in his class while that Lee could not fight at random and win as many battles as he did.

The decision of the judges was in In this state campaign there is but favor of the affirmative, they having won by one-third point.

> Miss Violet Eno visited school on Wednesday.

> Will McWebb visited friends in school Friday. Stanley Wickware has entered the

> eighth grade. Fifth and Sixth grades are enjoying

> tests on all subjects. Did the German III class like their examination marks?

> Irene Tindale is absent from school on account of sickness.

> Spelling match in grammar room. Fern Stevenson spelled down. Spelling match in tenth grade in

Composition class. Ethel Charlton spelled down. Mabel Brian of the fifth grade was

absent for the first time this year on Wednesday. Ora McKim returned to school Mon-

day after a two weeks' absence on account of sickness. There is a great improvement in

the Fifth and Sixth grade room due to the decoration with autumn leaves. Many pupils are neglecting their work in the Fifth and Sixth Igrades,

owing to the busy season of apple

The Senior Class elected the following officers Monday: President, Rose F. Bixby; vice president, Jennie Millsecretary, May Mulholland; treasurer,

Novedists and Poisons.

We read very frequently how the hero or heroine had a chloroform soaked handkerchief pressed over the nose and became at once insensible. Chloroform does not act in that way. It causes excitement before anything approaching to loss of sensibility, and when insensibility has been reached the patient begins to kick and throw his arms about.

We are also told how he or she swallowed the drugged wine, gave a gasp and fell back senseless. The only senseless person in the business is the novelist. An absolutely poisonous dose school room as you have here. But of laudanum would not cause loss of why need there be any scholars? Why consciousness until several minutes

had elapsed after its being taken But the prize must be awarded to the writer who says that "the victim raised the glass containing strychnine, drank its contents and fell down dead." The victim would probably lie down sooner or later. Then he would writhe and twist, groan and cry aloud, for the strychnine would seem to be tying his when up there I forgot what the inside and his muscles into knots. problem was. So I said 'Professor, I | Death by strychnine poisoning is agonizing.

> To the Grave In Spectacles. At a recent funeral it was noticed that the face of the dead was adorned with glasses. Naturally the queer decoration occasioned surprise. Even the undertaker seemed hardly to know

what to make of it. "However," he said, "this is not the first time I have buried a man with glasses on. But the instances have been so few that I haven't got used to the idea. Certainly I never add that finishing touch of my own accord. It is always done at the request of the family. In every case I find that the deceased and his glasses were insepawater but others wish to be leaders. rable in life, and in order to preserve the likeness they are to be still undivided in death. Personally, I think the notion inartistic, but art is not my business. When anybody wants to be buried in glasses that's the way I bury him."-New York Times.

Compass Plants.

Several different countries-America Asia Minor, Tartary, Madagascar and Australia-have shrubs and flowers which are, locally at least, known as "compass plants." The compass plant rosin weed of our western prairies, ground set in a vertical position in such a way as to always present the edges to the north and south. This peculiar propensity of the rosin weed is attributed to the fact that both the uplight and heat than the lower. This demand for a share of Old Sol's attention causes the leaves to stand in the man-

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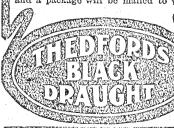
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### PINGREE.

men of Evergreen at the present time. big boy. -M. M. Stone of Sanilac Centre made calls in Pingree recently. -Willie McInnes is reported as improying.-Robert Craig made a business trip to Mayville recently.

### EAST DAYTON.

Mrs. E. Thompson of Mayville is visiting relatives here this week .-Wm. Plain, who has been very sick the past few weeks, is reported a little better. -Mr. and Mrs. J. Mathews called on relatives in Wells last Sun-159 acres, improved, Sec. 31, day. -Tolbert Plain of Mayville, is Sheridan township, Huron coun- caring for his brother, William.-Mrs. ty, near Greenleaf postoffice. Colver has been visiting relatives in Detroit the last two weeks. -James Dawson of Ann Arbor has been spend-

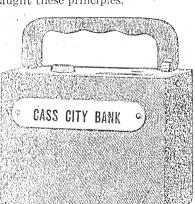
### WILMOT.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sole of Owosso, came Tuesday to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Trumen Chambers. -Mrs. Sylvester Snover is on the gain after a severe attack of grippe. -Miss Evelyn Kitley is working for Mrs. McCallum. -Matt Tallman moved his family into Wm. Huffman's house and he has gone to the lumber woods. -A farewell party at V. Graves' Tuesday evening as they are moving away. -Wm. Moulton was in Detroit Thursday on busi-

money and still not be well off. It is of Shabbona was the guest of Paul the W. C. T. U. how much he saves not how much he earns that counts when the trial balance is taken.

The man who is spending all he makes is a slave, and always will be. The man who saves a little out of his income, no matter how small it be, is squarely on the road to independence

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Good weather for fall plowing, the brick residence which he pur- this vicinity last week. -Robert -lsaac Agar is now one of the great chased of Mr. Hartt. -W. B. Wes- Brownley, of Detroit, is spending the terby and Frank Wood are packing week with friends in and around It's all on account of that bouncing apples for George Veit of Kingston.

### ELMWOOD.

Fred Smith on the 18th, an eight- day, October 23. pound boy. -The masons are at work putting the stone wall under Squash and Pumpkin Seeds wanted at Jas. Belknap's house. -The party given in honor of Will and Mattie McWebb Friday evening was well attended and a good time is reported. -Mrs. W. A. Lockwood and son, Homer, returned Thursday from a visit in Bay City, Auburn and Saginaw. -R. Webster has been sufferwood was on the sick list last week. -John Spittler was in Cass City Monfrom a little less than an acre of ground. Who can beat that? -Mrs. Hitchcock and son, Fred, of Wilmot attended church here Saturday.

FREIBURGERS. C. Peters made a business trip to Kingston one day last week. -James Freiburger has moved into A. Hunt's house. -Mrs. Ed Parso, who has been very ill, is dead. -Fr. Conus is attending the priests' examination in Detroit. -Mrs. Frances Cook of Pingree was the guest of Stephen Peter and wife one day last week. —Mary Mrs. Frank Gruber, has returned to side. —Jesse Cooper and family are her home at Hamburg. -County Surveyor Nicol has surveyed a ditch west and south of town. -Quite a number of the young people attended the wedding dance at Fred Franzel's last Wednesday. -Chas. Harrington ing of a class of eight conducted by Gates last Sunday. —A. C. Graham Good heavy work horse for sale called on friends in Cass City Sunday. cheap. A. A. McKenzie. 9-30-tf -John Freiburger intends to go to Detroit to work this fall. -Frank Hunt is working at Ubly at present. to his house on the Gray farm. -W. Franzel and wife have moved into the house recently vacated by Fred Fran--M. H. Schiestel of Cumber visited our burg last Saturday. —Jasper Clark is working at Yale at present.

### A GREAT SENSATION.

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had I endured insufferable agonies from asthma but your New Discovery gave bronchitis, and grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Guaranteed by L. I. Wood & Co., Druggist. Trial bottles free.

SHABBONA Fred Phetteplace is home from Grand Marais. —Mrs. L. Weeks, of Cass City, is visiting her parents, Mr. the mail carriers' convention at Caro and Mrs. T. Stephens. - John Tewks- | Saturdey evening. - Mrs. Lizzie Rae bury was called last week to attend and infant son of Gilford are the the funeral of his father at Clifford. | guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. iting at the home of T. Stephens. | chased the dray business from S. Mat-Mrs. H. Flanagan died suddenly last thews and has already taken possesweek of typhoid fever. She leaves a sion. -Baptist ladies' aid will serve husband and seven children to mourn. dinner in the church parlors this week called on friends in town Saturday the lecture course was a concert given and Sunday. -Mrs. Ethel Shaw, of last Wednesday evening at the M. E. Noko, visited her parents, Mr. and church and was very largely attended. Mrs, T. Colwell last Thursday. —A | Most of the audience was very much dance was given in Ehlers' hall on pleased with the entertainment. -E. Friday night and a good time enjoyed A. Randall and daughter, Wanda, by all present. —Owing to the illness | made a trip to Caro Tuesday. —Will of Grandma Wells, who is suffering Coltson is very ill. —E. T. Payne. with a stroke of paralysis John and formerly of this place, fell into a canbeen visiting relatives here the past taken from a Winstrom paper: "Brakeand Mrs. Paul Brown on October 18, a his railroading career to an inglorious girl. —Miss Ada Collins accompanied close last Friday morning near Man-Thursday last. -Mrs. Geo. M. Fer- west switch at Mannelico to run guson went to Sanilac Centre Satur- ahead and open the switch to the day owing to the illness of her daugh- siding. Owing to the fact that the Marlette called on friends in town the bridge and fell head first into the Saturday and Sunday. —Mr. and Mrs. | ravine. Fortunately he experienced near Marlette. -Lewis Allin and than a broken thigh and a badly wife of Sanilac Centre, passed through | bruised and lacerated face. Payne town Saturday evening enroute to was taken to Albuquerque and is now Cass City. -Jesse Bullock had the in the hospital there and injuries are misfortune to lose a valuable sheep doing well." last week, someone being kind enough to kill it and skin the hind quarters, and carve off the meat. The bones were left hanging in a tree to show John Oliver of Philadelphia, as folwhat had happened. —B. F. Phetteplace is suffering from a bruise on the leg where he was kicked by a horse.

J. P. Granger has rented the farm weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised of Mrs. E. A. Phillips and son. —John Hamilton has purchased the farm belonging to Jas. Morgan. -Maggie improvement. I continued their use McQueen spent Saturday and Sunday for three weeks and am now a well

ness. -Mr. Slickton is moving into Dawson, of Marlette, was through Shabbona, -M. M. Stone of Sanilac Centre was a pleasant caller in town one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendrick was in Cass City Isaac Agar are rejoicing over the Friday. -Born, to Mr. and Mrs. arrival of a son at their home on Sun-

> 10,000 pounds of True Hubbard G. A. Stevenson's. 10-21-4

WEST GREENLEAF. A number of Harry LeePla's friends spent Friday evening with him. -John Ballagh made a business trip to Ubly Tuesday. —Mrs Fred Wright ing with a lame back. -W. A. Lock-spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kolb. -A. B. Wright and family spent Friday with friends day with a load of apples. -L. Huff- in Minden City. -Miss Nellie Shagman harvested 216 bushels of potatoes ena has been visiting Miss Mayme McClorey this week. -Mrs. Glen Denning of Unionville is visiting friends in this vicinity.

### For Sale. Bay mare 9 years old, weight 1100.

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### TOWN-LINE.

R. Warner labors for B. Sharp. -E. Niles has purchased a horse of Frank Lester. -Elisha Allen has finished siding his house. -Jesse Sole and family Sundayed in Wilmot. -Clarence Lowe is moving on J. Curtis' farm. -Misses Anna and Josie Reth-Young, who has been working for erford have gone to Cass City to revisiting in Oakfand county. -Mrs. Sole is visiting at the home of Andrew Osborne in Koylton. -At the Leek schoolhouse on the evening of Nov. 4 there will be a contest consist-

### A THOUGHTFUL MAN.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind., Drain Commissioner Smith was in His wife had such an unusual case of town inspecting the drain south and stomach and liver trouble, physicians east of here. —Wedding bells are could not help her. He thought of ringing. —Era Morrell, who has been and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was working in Detroit, has returned home. —Fred Franzel has moved in- & Co.'s drug store.

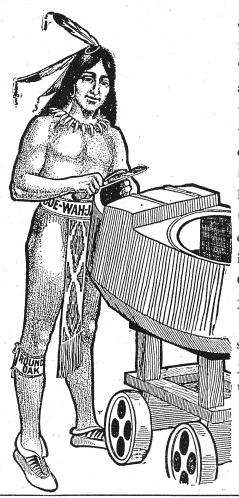
### DEFORD.

D. A. Valentine is visiting his parental home at Oxford this week.-Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Stowell, on Oct. 24, a son. -Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robinson of Oxford are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. R. G. Robinson. -Miss Leora McCain came home on Saturday from Port. Huron, where his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. He writes: Mrs. Pug!. —George Spencer moved Mrs. Pugh. -George Spencer moved onto the B. Daugherty farm the first me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Simi- Howell visited friends in Cass City lar cures of consumption, pneumonia, last Sunday. —Miss Helen McCallum is the guest of friends near Caro this week. -The Sunday school gave a necktie social last Tuesday night for the purpose of adding to their new library. Proceeds \$15.15.

KINGSTON. D. Ross and B. Franklin attended -Mrs. Shepherdson of Armada, is vis- Rossman. -Arthur Scott has pur--Calvin Simmons of Downington, Wednesday. -The first number of Pearl Wells of Temple, arrived here on at Mannelico, New Mexico. The Thursday. —Mrs. H. Cargill, who has following account of the accident is week, returned to her home near Clif- man E. T. Payne on Conductor ford on Thursday last. -Born, to Mr. | Thompson's crew, came near bringing her mother home to New Lothrop on nelica. He dropped off the engine at ter, Mrs. Wm. Phetteplace. —Geo. engine was blowing steam he could W. Ferguson made a business trip to not see the bridge over the canon at Saginaw last week. -May Fitch of that point and as a result he ran off Dan Wait spent Sunday with friends no damages from his 45 foot fall other

ROBBED THE GRAVE. lows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided with Ethel Meredith. —Harry Willis of Deckerville was the guest of Ethel Meredith on Friday evening. —T. U. teed, at L. I. Wood & Co.'s drug store.

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### DR. SPINNEY 290 WOODWARD AVE., DETROIT, MICH.

ARGYLE. Martin Weitzel of Detroit visited nis parental home here last week. Council Rooms, Cass City, Oct. 17, '04. -Maitland Stone of Sanilac Centre transacted business in town last week. -Miss Ella O'Hara visited her home at Palms last Sunday. -T. U. Dawson, Republican nominee for judge of probate, of Marlette transacted business it town Monday. —Mr. Reader and daughter, Mrs. Crawford, of Grant visited at the home of S. W. Striffler accounts: Tuesday. —John Cole has sold his farm east and south of Argyle and R M. Moore will move to Ubly. Bills are out announcing a sale on Nov. 2. —While Angus McGillyray " Mr. Whitefoot's little two-year-old Henry Ball daughter was playing on a pile of Emerson Harphauling coal,..... 6 50 poplar poles last Friday morning one instantly. The funeral was held in N. Bigelow & Sons sundries,...... the Freiburg church, Fr. Conus officiating. -Andrew Kroetsch of De- bills as read. Moved by Clarke suptroit is visiting relatives here. -Miss ported by Striffler that the report of Ruby Proper visited friends in Deck- the committee be accepted and orders erville this week. —James McLean drawn for the several amounts. Carand wife were callers in Cass City last ried. Saturday. -Messrs. Benedict of Bond for building, moving and erect-Worth and Sanilac Centre were call- ing, of Frank Sykes as principal and one day last week breaking his arm ried. and leg. At this writing the little fellow is doing nicely.

### MAKES A CLEAN SWEEP.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures A startling incident is narrated by burns, sores, bruises, cut, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by L. I. Wood & Co., druggists.

### DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

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### Village Council.

Regular meeting of the council called to order by the president. The following trustees were present: Clarke, Campbell, Striffler and Elliott. Minutes of previous meeting read

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

G. W. Ensley F. C. Lee C. D. Striffler three meals to tramps,..... Committee reported favorably on all

ers here Tuesday last. —Will Brown E. W. Keating and A. H. Ale as sureof Ubly had a cloak sale in Striffler ties in sum of \$1000 and for a term of Bros. store last Tuesday and Wednes- ten months, was read. Moved by Strifday.-Little Harry Shagena had the fler supported by Elliott that the bond misfortune to fall from a load of grain | be accepted and placed on file. Car-Moved by Striffler supported by

Campbell that matters of placing meters be taken from table. Carried. Moved by Striffler supported by Campbell that the question be laid on the table. Carried.

Proposed ordinance entitled "An ordinance relative to fast driving of animals, self propelled vehicles, etc. was read. Moved by Striffler supported by

Clarke that the ordinance be adopted. The motion was lost by the following vote: Yea-Striffler, Clarke, Mc-Dermott. Nay-Campbell, Elliott. On motion of Clarke supported by

Elliott council adjourned. C. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

Second-hand six-octave organ, nearly new, for sale. Lenzner's Furniture Store. 9-16-tf.

"What's that to you?"

"Considerable. I am about to marry

"Then she is provided for-amply."

Thank you for your information.

Glad to hear it. And now, excuse the

apparent impertinence of the ques-

"Here," replied Mr. Maddox, laying

"Suppose you give it to me to take

"It might become misplaced," ex-

"I'll keep it myself," said Mr. Mad-

"Then just leave a memorandum on

"Give it to you! Why, pray?"

tion, but where is your will?"

his hand on it.

plained Guy.

dox, in a rough tone.

"Good heavens!"

the table," said Guy, earnestly, "to

"Get out!" cried Mr. Maddoz, an-

"Ah, I see!" said Mr. Cheevers,

coolly; "in a hurry to begin. Well, I

won't detain you; but I have a little

"Well?" said Mr. Maddox, impa-

"It is this," said Guy. "Miss Silver

informs me that you have made sev-

eral previous efforts to cut short your

troubles and your breath, and always

unsuccessfully. Now, it seems to me

you don't go the right way about it.

This box"-and here he opened the

box before alluded to-"contains sev-

eral little plans that I think might

please you. Here's one"-and he

"What's that?" asked Mr. Maddox,

"This," said Guy, "is an article that

you can place round your neck like a

collar, then, by striking your hand on

the left side of your neck, a sharp

spike is driven right into your jugular

"But that would kill me!" said Mr.

"Well, isn't that what you want?"

demanded Guy, sternly. "Now, here's

wheel, you observe; you place this

band around your neck, pass it round

the wheel and give it two or three

turns-then let go. The recoil will

twist your head almost off your shoul-

Mr. Maddox stared at him with un-

"Then," went on Guy, coolly, "here's

a little package, a torpedo. It contains

nitro-glycerin. You place it in your

mouth, snap your teeth on it, and off

goes your head, smashed into a mil-

"Good heavens!" exclaimed Mr.

"Not at all." said Guy, soothingly.

"Beautiful invention-I quite pride

myself on it-scientific suicide, you

see! Now, if you should use all three

of these inventions at once-why, I'd

"What!" cried Mr. Maddox, fiercely,

"do you think I'm crazy? Do you

think I'm going to use any of your

infernal inventions? Leave this room,

you cold-blooded villain, before I

Maddox, fearfully. "What a terrible

ders-kill you to a certainty."

another," he went on, "Here's a

showed a little steel instrument.

Maddox fearfully.

suggestion to offer."

idea!"

grily.

tiently.

curiously.

vein-

Maddox, staring.

feigned horror.

lion of atoms."

thank you."

idea!"

perhaps."

exclaimed Mr.

"What a terrible

care of?"

Miss Silver; so her interests are nat-

A young girl running down the gar- | to ask you a few questions. Have you den path, her hair flying in the breeze, provided for your niece's welfare?" stumbled head first into the arms of a gentleman who was just entering the

"Oh, Guy, is it really you?" she urally mine." gasped. "What do you think? Uncle Cyrus has vowed that he is going to kill himself at 12 o'clock to-morrow." "Indeed!" mused young Mr. Cheevers, not at all excited. "And what

does he want to kill himself for?" "Why, he says he is a miserable man-a burden to every one, and that life has no joys for him, and that he

is weary of this world---' "And so he would like to try the next?" said Guy. "What an unreasonable man he must be! I dislike any scandal or excitement. A coroner's

jury would cause both; therefore we must balk his little game." "But how?" asked Lizzie, curiously.

"A prudent general," said Guy, haughtily, "never confides his plans to his army, particularly when the army is of feminine gender: so excuse me. mum's the word. But rest assured, my dearest Elizabeth, that unless your worthy uncle shuffles off this mortal coil in a surreptitious manner before 12 o'clock to-morrow he will not do afterward-of course I mean illegally. Farewell till to-morrow."

The next morning Mr. Maddox made his appearance, very saturnine and gloomy, and ate his breakfast with a mournful air that was terribly impressive. Having finished, he then took leave of his niece in a feeling man-

"I am about to leave you," said he, mournfully. "I am about to end this life of misery. I hope that you may be happy."

"Oh, don't go!" said Lizzie, tearfully clinging to him and looking into his face pleadingly.

"It's useless," said Mr. Maddox firmly. "My mind is fixed, and nothing you can do can persuade me to relinquish my purpose. But you, my dear child, shall not be unprovided for. I intend to make my will in the few hours that are left me, and you will not be forgotten. Good-bye, my dear child, farewell!"

And then, after embracing his niece fervently, he rushed from the room and securely locked himseslf in his own room, and began to prepare himself for his last journey.

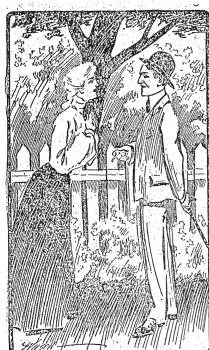
"Nine o'clock!" he said to himself, looking at his watch. "Three hours yet! How slow the time passes, to be sure! Now, what shall I do until 12, for I am determined not to die until :noon-

A knock at the door. "Go away," cried Mr. Maddox, angrily; "you can't come in!"

"I am very sorry to disagree with you," said a voice outside, "but I can

Mr. Maddox rose and unlocked the door savagely, and Guy Cheevers stalked into the room, carrying an ob-

long box under his arm. He placed the box on the table and



For?'

and stared blankly at him.

"Oh, I know," said Guy, "what you am going to interfere-not at ali. But eningly, "I'm going. But I'll leave this box here, and before you get rid of yourself, just make a memorandum of what you will use and leave it on the table, because, you know, there will probably be nothing left of you to draw conclusions from, and so-

cut short by Mr. Maddox seizing his visitor and hustling him out into the passage.

"I think it's all right," said Guy, grinning. "Get the luncheon ready.

And sure enough, so he was; and raciously of everything on the table.

"Never, that I know of," said Lizzie. "Why do you ask?" "Because just look at me and you'll

Up to the present writing Cyrus Maddox is still alive, enjoying remarkably good health, and he seems to be on friendly terms with Mr. Cheevers and his wife, Lizzie.-Chadwick

HAD A JOB FOR HIM.

Employment That Fitted In With Automobile Costume.

Harlan W. Whipple, president of the American Automobile association, tells this story at the expense of an enthusiastic "autoist" who last fall made a tour of the White mountains:

"The tourist, who was accompanied by his wife and two other women,' says President Whipple, "was clad in a long brown duster considerably the worse for being spotted with axle with the business. The method orgrease and having been torn in several places. He wore the regulation gog and tackle, which is always very cumgles and a visored cap. One day he met a typical New England farmer driving to the village behind a slow moving steed. Thinking he would have some fun with the rustic, he pulled up alongside of his wagon and said:

"'Say, friend, do you suppose I could get work anywhere in these parts to tide me over the winter?" "Loking sharply at him and his out-

fit for a moment, the native replied: "'There ain't much dewin' 'round here when the snow flies, but if ye'd a got here a month ago I cud hev gin ve a job as scarecrow in my cornfield, and I reckon ye'd hev made a pesky good un, tew, in that ere git-up o' yourn.'"—New York Times.

cisure for Children

Do not try to keep children continually occupied. Occasionally the little ones will come to you for ideas, but as a rule they will make their own amusements. Children require plenty of change and rest and if left alone when tired of one thing they will either drop to sleep or find some new occupation. Parents often make the mistake of occupying all the child's time, but this is not only wearying for the little one, but it is distinctly unfair; a child cannot be expected to fill up every moment as a grown person would do. Let the children romp and play as long as possible and when it is necessary for them to begin study or even to take up certain duties, still recognize the playtime, and see that the boy or girl has as much recreation as possible. They will work ever tell where it is. It will save trouble, so much better if the work time be interspersed with play.-Exchange.

Again the Canny Scot.

The following story of the canny Scot is attributed to Andrew Car negie:

Sandy entered a smoking car and asked each of his immediate neighbors for a match. All happened to be without them, however, and a look of disappointment came over the Scotchman's face as he remarked resigned-

"Aweel, I'll e'en hae to use one o' my ain."-New York Times.

Harsh Employer Is Fined. A Whitechapel seamstress stated in a London court that on Friday, July 1, she started work at 8 in the morning and worked until 9 Saturday morning. She was dismissed because she refused to work after midnight the following Friday. Two other girls who worked the same hours were also dismissed for a similar reason. The employer was fined \$106.50.

Humility. The loaded bee the lowest flies,
The richest pearl the deepest lies;
The stalk the most replenished,
Doth bow the most its modest head;
And thus humility we find
The mark of every master mind;
The highest-gifted lowliest bends,
And merit meekest condescends;
And shuns the fame that fools adore—
The puff that bids a feather soar.
—Anonymous.

A Bad Word.

"Did you send Mr. Nobley the samples he asked for?" inquired the tailor. "Yes," replied the clerk, "I'm just shall I say, 'Trusting to have your order, I am' or 'we are'." "What! Cut out that 'trusting' and

make it hoping."-Exchange.

His Regular Line.

"Dr. Post is at work on a collection of poems now." 'What! Why, he's a stolid old doctor of medicine."

"Yes, but he's also coroner. He's examining the poems to see what there was in them to induce the editor to shoot the writer of them."

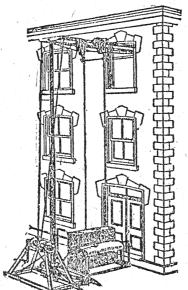
All Have Troubles. "Everybody worries about money."

"That's just it. Poor men worry because they can't get money, and the rich man worries for fear it will get



Statistics on Coal Supply. According to Statistician Edward W. Parker of the United States geological survey it will be from 180 to 230 years before anthracite coal will be exhausted in this country, although were the present rate of exhaustion and waste to continue the end would come in eighty years. But while he anticipates some increase in this direction in the next decade, after that he looks for a marked tendency to economize the supply. He notes the interesting fact that, although the production of anthracite has not kept pace with that of bituminous coal, it has increased faster than the population in the region where most of it is consumed. In 1880, he says, 1.82 tons of anthracite were produced for each inhabitant of the anthracite using portion of the country. This was increased to 2.47 tons per capita by 1890, and in 1900 to 2.53 tons. Using the entire population of the United States as the basis the per capita production of bituminous coal was .85 ton in 1880, 1.76 tons in 1890 and 2.76 tons in 1900. In 1860 two-thirds of the coal produced in the United States was Pennsylvania anthracite, while in 1870 anthracite constituted one-half the total, and for the last five years it has amounted to about one-fifth.

Moves Pianos Without Jar. Hoisting large and bulky articles to the upper floors of a building takes skill and experience, and is seldom attempted except by those acquainted dinarily used is to put up a block bersome and in which heavy timbers



Moves Piano Without Jar.

are necessary. A Canadian has devised the very useful apparatus shown in the illustration. It is designed for the purpose of hoisting and putting through windows in the upper stories of buildings large, heavy and bulky articles. The apparatus is so con structed that it can be set to communicate with the first, second and third stories of buildings and when the work is done it can be quickly taken down and compactly put together for transportation. One of the chief advantages is that large articles can be put through the windows, as the parts take up little space. Piancs could be hoisted with little or no strain to the instrument, with no danger of scratches. It would also do away with the trouble of getting up sharp corners. The article to be hoisted is placed on the carrier, which is raised by the usual rope run over pulleys and attached to a roller turned by a crank. Riggers could use this apparatus to advantage, as could also piano movers or movers of safes. done. Lorenzo D. Frazer of Toronto, Ont., is the patentee.

New Process in Alloys. A Philadelphia man claims to have overcome the difficulties besetting those who have attempted to make alloys of copper and iron, and to have discovered a process of alloying these metals perfectly homogeneously. The process consists of melting copper with a mixture of oxide iron and is fixed by the Infinite and will not be calcium carbide. Any oxide of iron, either hematite or the black oxide, of man's methods. can be used. A mixture of three parts of oxide of iron and one part showing how nature checks too rapid calcium carbide is made, and, if it is advance. Illinois raises phenomenal desired to obtain a 50 per cent alloy of copper and iron, eighteen parts of this mixture should be used to eight her farmers would advance in wealth parts copper. The copper is melted in a crucible and the mixture added, a little at a time, the bath being stired and the temperature raised gradually. When the operation is completed the alloy is found in ingots of any other desired form. If an alloy containing as much as 85 per cent of iron is required the process is refinishing our letter to him. Which versed, a bath of iron being substituted for the bath of copper and a mixture of oxide of copper and calcium carbide being aded. The inventor claims that, on account of the fact some other form. The intent and purone of the metals is presented to the other in a nascent condition, a perfect evolving too far ahead of the masses. union is formed.

First Knowledge of Ice.

There is a small ice plant at Jerusalem which has been in operation for three years. An oil engine of three horse power furnishes the power, while the freezer is of French manufacture. The sale of ice amounts to 700 pounds a day, and the capacity of the works is 1,400 pounds daily. The demand is increasing among the in-"Oh, I don't know; some men are habitants, who, until this plant was established, had never seen ice.

> Good health and good sense are two of life's greatest blessings.

Note-The following article has been widely published and is one of the most remarkable illustrations of the value of careful marshalling and analysis of facts in presenting a subject to the public.

LEVELERS.

The Mission of Whisky, Tobacco and Coffee.

The Creator made all things, we believe. If so, He must have made these.

We know what He made food and water for, and air and sunshine, but why Whisky, Tobacco and Coffee? They are here surs enough and each performing its work.

There must be some great plan be-

hind it all; the thoughtful man seeks

to understand something of that plan and thereby to judge these articles for their true worth. Let us not say "bad" or "good'

without taking testimony. There are times, and conditions when it certainly seems to the casual observer that these stimulant narcot-

ics are real blessings. Right there is the ambush that con-

ceals a "killing" enemy. One can slip into the habit of either whisky, tobacco or coffee easy enough. but to "untangle" is often a fearful

It seems plain that there are circumstances when the narcotic effect of these poisons is for the moment beneficial, but the fearful argument against them is that seldom ever does one find a steady user of either whisky, coffee or tobacco free from disease of some kind.

Certainly powerful elements in their effect on the human race.

It is a matter of daily history, testithat Whisky, Tobacco and Coffee are smiling, promising, beguiling friends on the start, but always false as hell itself in the end. Once they get firm hold enough to show their strength, they insist upon governing and drive the victim steadily towards ill health in some form; if permitted to continue to rule, they will not let up until physical and mental ruin sets in.

A man under that spell (and "under the spell" is correct) of any one of these drugs frequently assures himself and his friends, "Why, I can leave off any time I want to. I did quit for a week just to show I could." It is a to that stage. He wiggled through a week, fighting every day to break the spell, was finally whipped, and began his slavery all over again.

The slave Tobacco and Whisky) daily reviews his condition, sees perfectly plain the steady encroachments of disease, how the nerves get weaker day by day and demand the drug that seems to smile and offer relief for a few minutes and then leave the diseased condition plainer to view than ever and growing worse. Many times the Coffee slave realizes that he is between two fires. He feels bad if he leaves off and a little worse if he drinks and allows

the effect to wear off. So it goes on from day to day. Every night the struggling victim promises himself that he will break the habit and next day when he feels a little bad (as he is quite sure to), breaks, not the habit, but his own resolution. It is nearly always a tough fight, with disaster ahead sure if the habit wins.

There have been hundreds of thousands of people driven to their graves through disease brought on by coffee drinking alone, and it is quite certain narrow stairways and passing around that more human misery is caused by coffee and tobacco than by whisky, for the two first are more widely used, and more hidden and insidious in the effect on nerves, heart and other vital organs, and are thus unsuspected until much of the dangerous work is

> Now, Reader, what is your opinion as to the real use the Creator has for these things? Take a look at the question from this point of view.

There is a law of Nature and of Nature's God that things slowly evolve from lower planes to higher, a sturdy. steady and dignified advance toward more perfect things in both the Physical and Spiritual world. The ponderous tread of evolutionary development quickened out of natural law by any

Therefore we see many illustrations crops of corn for two or three years. If she continued to do so every year far beyond those of other sections or countries. So Nature interposes a bar every three or four years and brings on a "bad year."

Here we see the leveling influence at work.

A man is properous in his business for a number of years and grows rich. Then Nature sets the "leveling influence" at work on him. Some of his investments lose, he becomes luxuricus and lazy. Perhaps it is whisky, tobacco, coffee, women, gambling or pose is to level him-keep him from

A nation becomes prosperous and great like ancient Rome. If no leveling influence set in she would dominate the world perhaps for all time. But Dame Nature sets her army of "levelers" at work-luxury, overeating and drinking, licentiousness, waste and extravagance, indulgences of all kinds-then comes the wreck. Sure, Sure, Sure.

The law of the unit is the law of the mass. Man goes through the same Weakness (in childhood) process. gradual growth of strength, energy thrift, probity, prosperity, wealth, comfort, ease, relaxation, self-indulgence luxury, idleness, waste, debauchery,

disease, and the wreck follows. The "levelers" are in the bushes along the pathway of every successful man and woman, and they bag the majority.

Only now and then can a man stand out against these "levelers" and hold his fortune, fame and health to the end.

So the Creator has use for Whisky, Tobacco and Coffee to level down the successful ones and those who show signs of being successful, and keep them back in the race, so that the great "field" (the masses) may not be left too far behind.

And yet we must admit that same all-wise Creator has placed it in the power of man to stand upright, clothed in the armor of a clean-cut, steady mind, and say unto himself, "I decline to exchange my birthright for a mess of pottage.

"I will not deaden my senses, weaken my grip on affairs and keep myself cheap, common and behind in fortune and fame by drugging with whisky, tobacco or coffee. Life is too short. It is hard enough to win the good things without any sort of handicap, so a man is certainly a 'fool trader' when he trades strength, health, money and the good things that come with power for the half-asleep condition of the 'drugger,' with the certain-

ty of sickness and disease ahead." It is a matter each individual must decide for himself. He can be a leader and semi-god if he will, or he can go along through life a drugged clown, a cheap "hewer of wood or carrier of water.'

Certain it is that while the Great Father of us all does not seem to "mind" if some of his children are foolish and stupid, he seems to select others (perhaps those he intends for some special work) and allows them fied to by literally millions of people, to be threshed and castigated most fearfully by these "levelers,"

If a man tries flirting with these levelers a while, and gets a few slaps as a hint, he had better take the hint, or a good solid blow will follow.

When a man tries to live upright, clean, thrifty, sober and undrugged, manifesting as near as he knows what the Creator intends he should, happiness, health and peace seem to come to him. Does it pay?

This article was written to set people thinking, to rouse the "God within," for every highly-organized man and woman has times when they feel a something calling from within for sure mark of the slave when one gets | them to press to the front and "be about the Father's business." Don't mistake it; the spark of the Infinite is there and it pays in every wayhealth, happiness, peace and even worldly prosperity-to break off the habits and strip clean for the work

cut out for us. It has been the business of the writer to provide a practical and easy way for people to break away from the coffee habit and be assured of a return to health and all of the good things that brings, provided the abuse has not gone too far, and even then the cases where the body has been rebuilt on a basis of strength and health run into the thousands.

It is an easy and comfortable step to stop coffee instantly by having wellmade Postum Food Coffee served rich and hot with good cream, for the color and flavor is there, but none of the caffeine or other nerve-destroying elements of ordinary coffee.

On the contrary, the most powerful rebuilding elements furnished by Nature are in Postum and they quick!y set about repairing the damage. Seldom is it more than two days after the change is made before the old stomach or bowel troubles or complaints of kidneys, heart, head or nerves show unmistakable evidence of getting better, and ten days' time

changes things wonderfully. Literally millions of brain-working Americans to-day use Postum, having found the value and common sense in the change.

C. W. POST. Generous Deed of Elks.

Through the generosity of the Bridgeport lodge of Elks, Peter Markoon of Wallingford, Conn., will profit by the unfortunate accident which he met with while witnessing the Elks' banner raising. A runaway horse ran him down and dislocated his collar

The bone was not fractured as at first reported. Markoon was here looking for work, and when the Elks heard that he had a wife and family dependent upon him for support they sent a committee out to investigate.

Markoon, as a result, was sent back to Wallingford to-day, after the Bridgeport lodge of Elks had paid his medical expenses, secured his ticket, given him money for incidental expenses, and told him to calculate upon \$8 per week for the next four weeks.

The Elks went further. They notified the Wallingford lodge to take care of Markoon and help him to get employment. Markoon is not a member of the order, never was, and the Elks were not in any way liable for the accident.—Boston Globe.

The Eternal Feminine. He-Will you-O, will you be mine

forever? She-Mercy, no! I just accepted Chelly Saphedde last night.

He-What! Has all your encouragement to me meant nothing of affection?

She-Oh, I assure you it has meant a good deal. In fact, I don't know how I'd have managed without you. You see, until you came along and I began to be so nice to you, Cholly didn't seem to have any serious intentions at all.—Baltimore American.

This One of the Years. Johnny-Pa, when was the year of

the big wind? Father-Any year when there was an election.



then took a seat opposite Mr. Maddox

latter fiercely. "Don't you see I am

"What do you want?" asked the

"But I have a great many more to show you," remonstrated Guy, "and are about to do! Don't think that I | you see I want you to try as many as possible. Well, well," he added, as before you make your quietus I wish | Mr. Maddox grasped the poker threat away from him."

throw you out of the window!"

Here any other further speech was

"Well?" said Lizzie, anxiously. Your uncle will be down."

though he spoke not, he ate most vo-"Lizzie," said he, suddenly, after an hour's pause, "did you ever see an infernal old fool and an idiot?"

see one," said Mr. Maddox, grimly,

and he stalked upstairs. Jones in Chicago Journal.

### BLOOD WILL TELL Tribu

A THEORY SUPPORTED BY FRESH, CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE.

A Recent Instance Proves That a Woman's Happiness Is Largely Dependent on the State of Her Blood.

When the blood is disordered every organ of the body is affected unfavorably and fails to discharge its functions properly. In the case of every woman nature has made special provision for a periodical purification of the blood, and so long as this occurs her health and spirits unfailingly reveal the beneficial results. So slight a cause as a cold or a nervous shock may produce a suppression of this vital function, and until it is restored she is doomed to misery. The remedy that has proved most prompt and effective in all disorders peculiar to the female sex is that which brought such great relief to Miss Mattie Griggs, of No. 807 Indiana street, Lawrence, Kansas, concerning which she speaks as follows:

"In the winter of 1902, from some unknown cause, there was a cessation of functions peculiar to my sex for a period of four months. I became very weak and could not get up stairs without help. I had nausea and pain and a constant headache. I was under the care of a physician for three months, but he did not succeed in curing me. Then a lady friend told me about the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which she had used in her family, and she induced me to try them. It was in May when I first began to use them, and in June I had fully recovered my health, and have since remained perfectly well."

In all cases of delayed development of young girls; in anemia or weakness due to impoverished blood and showing itself in pallor, lack of ambition, despondency and nervousness; also in the great constitutional /disturbances attending the period known as the change of life, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are invaluable for women, whose health is always closely dependent on the state of the blood. They are sold by all druggists. A booklet of valuable information relating to the care of a woman's health at all important periods, and entitled "Plain Talks to Women," will be sent free in a sealed envelope to any one who chooses to write for it to the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

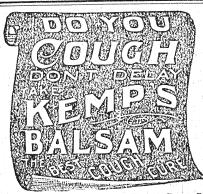
### No National Russian Drama.

It is curious that in a country so verflowing with loyalty, despite the Nihilists, very few of the stage performances have any national flavor, out so it is. An American resident of some time in Moscow says that furing all his stay there did he see out one play with Russian characters, nor did he hear one stage song appeal to Russian sentiment as the 'Bowery Girl" or "Dixie Land" appeal to popular sentiment in this country

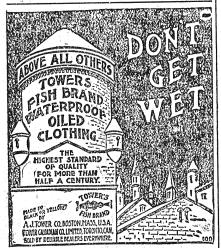
### A Financial Misfit.

We have been asked if marriage is a failure. We have not found it so We don't know what our better half thinks of it. Our opinion is that only when a man marries a sealskin woman on a coonskin income does he find marriage a failure.-Lewiston (Pa.)

Half the fun of being rich must be in not having to spend money you can't afford to make people think you



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we gaze around with scornful eye. We seize a fork with steady hand and calmly eat a piece of pie.

Oh, pie! Oh, faithful apple pie! Oh, ever ready steadfast friend; In summer, winter, spring, or fall, we always can on thee depend!

Oh, plodding, humble apple pie! No frills are thine—no manners high. Thou art the John Smith of them all. Ch, unassuming apple pie!

And luscious peach, with mellow juice to trickle slowly down my chin. And fruit so oozy and so sweet, it gives delight to tuck it in.

Oh, peach! We hasten to the shelf with glowing face and eager strides. What ecstasy to find a piece with fruit exuding from the sides.

Oh, pie! Man's noblest, truest friend! When pilgrims cross the ocean blue, how tenderly you fill their thoughts! How soon they pine away for you!

Afar off in the Philippines, our wounded soldiers often cry in happy sweet delirium: "Oh, say! Just see that deep dish

Ah, cocoanut! Your fragrant taste eludes my baffled palate still. Oh, are you wraith or are you real? And how you make

The Harman Linear

When foes assail and woes prevail, my senses thrill! I cut a piece off with my fork. I open my mouth and close my eyes. The pie goes in. A rapturous grin. And I-I dwell in par-

And huckleberry, brimming full, to cheer the heart and stain the tongue. I'd dally with you any day. Dally oft and dally long.

They say that in that torrid place where devils laugh and lost souls sigh, a plaintive moan is often heard for a cool refreshing piece of pie.

Oh, pie! Oh, comforter! They say (and to its truth I testify) that China could be civilized by the noble help of home made pie. And pumpkin pie! Ah, there's a

pic of merit great and much renown! What joy to sift the sparkling sugar over that celestial brown!

And gulp it down! And feel then that you own the town! And lemon!

When thou art meringue, full crowned as with a coronet, thou art a sight for kings and men. Thou art courage on the part of a Church or a sight I can't forget. And then there's mince—a mystery.

it hot. You get it cold. But either the most fashionable suburb of Mel way you take a chance.

loves! In parting let me say that I care not who makes a nation's laws as yielded their assent to the preacher's long as I can eat its pie.

### Society Aid Have Crooks

wendered when some crook, caught in the act and without friends in the place in which he came to grief, could give bond," said Frank G. Miller, an ex-convict, to a Journal reporter with whom he had previously become acquainted.

"There is nothing strange about it," continued Miller, "for we have an organization for mutual protection, and this has representatives in every large city and in some of the smaller ones of the United States and Canada. Usually in the smaller places these are lawyers, and if the crook is pinched in a place where he has no friends he knows who to send for.

"Should the case be an aggravated one, and the crook in good standing ety is notified to send enough to could save them." hondsmen. square a couple of crook disappears, the bondsmen setfor looking after our business than any ordinary practice pays."

Miller went on to say that the organization had its regular officers,

"I have no doubt that people have I who are better paid than those of legitimate societies, and that almost all of them are well respected in the communities in which they live. Miller stated that the amount paid for membership and yearly dues was large and that only "square" crooks were allowed to become members.

When asked if they were not afraid employers and rob the treasury he the surface is reached, it is probably replied that such a thing had never occurred but once. That man was afterward found on the streets of Constantinople with a knife sticking under the fifth rib, and no one had

seen fit to follow his example.
"Why," said Miller, "they know that if they should try to 'do' us they would have a thousand men, keener with the organization, the amount of bond required is learned and the sociboral society of the s

The crooks, according to Miller, have their clubrooms in Chicago, New tle and tell how they would like to York, New Orleans, San Francisco bring the fellow to justice, while all and several other cities, and he dethe time they are wishing for another | clared that these clubrooms or houses job of the same sort, for they are well are fitted up regardless of expense. paid and the lawyers get better fees | To be able to use them however, one must belong to the crook aristocracy, and must also pay extra dues that would make the club man of the cities blink -Ohio State Journal.

### Ancients Oi the Lamps

teenth century without discovering even the tallow candle," says a writer. "The expression, Mankind was plunged in darkness during the early ages,' is true in every sense. It was perhaps the accidental burning of a bit of fat of some slain animal that suggested its use as a luminant, while the hollow shell from the sea, a concave rock or a mold of sun-baked clay held the fat, which was burned by placing a rush in the fat, with the lighted end projecting over the edge of the rude dish. Step by step the lamp was fashioned into a thing of beauty, though barely a joy forever. Admirable specimens of lamps in terra cotta, in stone, in brass and in bronze have been found on sites of Hebrew cities and in the temples of Hindoostan. From the tombs of Egypt; from the tumuli of Assyria and ancient lettered Babylon; from the opened graves of Chaldean sages, came examples of household lamps, revealing a general use many centuries before the Christian era.

"So, from the fat of slain animals, the resinous products of the forest trees and the wax of the wild bee animals."

"This world groped until the thir- | came those lights which gleamed upon fair women and brave men at Belshaz zar's feasts. From Rome the oil lamp passed successively into Germany, Gaul and Britain. In these countries torches, rushes dipped in grease and a very odorous fish oil were the methods of artificial lighting until the Roman conquest. The rush light of that day consisted of a notched wooden stick set to a wooden base. Stalks of the rush were peeled to the pitch save for one strand and husk, and passed through hot grease. Sometimes three or more were twisted together and when cold were placed in a notch of the standard, to be pushed up when the fire neared the wood.

"These rush lights emitted a strong flame and a similar odor. You may make one of these and enjoy for an hour the ancient light of Britain and that which to this day dispels the gloom of night in remote Irish cabins. The candle of the common people was the rush light of our ancestors. It burned where candles made from wax were too dear and before Chevreul and others found a way to refine a cheap candle grease from the fat of

I sometimes crossed the Delaware, And always found Columbus there. And as to cables—what d'you think? We laid one in the kitchen sink!

We learned a little now and then, But soon forgot, and learned again; They laughed at our mistakes, and so. They didn't scold us, don't you know?

We once got Pocahontas mixed With William Penn, till they were fixed; And Queen Bess was a Hottentot, And Eve said, "Shoot him on the spot!"

### Golden the

The golden days were ours of old, If we but did as we were told; And when night came, we knew "next Would come in time for us to play.

Our world, wherever we might be, Down stairs, or in the nursery, We changed at will—all things became Quite different, or were just the same.

Then I could make a chair a horse, Or steam car, as a thing of course; The lounge a ship, or a mule train, Which took us "there" and back again.

Maybe to Chile—if it snowed, Or up the rocky Yonkers road, Or off to India's coral strands, And all the bad, but lovely lands.

An Alpine Heroine. One of the bravest deeds in Alpine annals was performed a short time ago on the mountain Paray de Tardevant in Haute Savoie, by Mlle Marianne Delachenal, a French peasant girl 18 years of age. At great risk she saved her lover, Joseph Robin, who is of the same age as Marianne, from

certain death. According to the Paris correspondents of the London Daily Chronicle, the young couple were returning home at sunset, driving their goats before them alongside a strong couloir, when Robin noticed that some goats still remained near the summit. In spite of the entreaties of Marianne, Robin took a short cut up the couloir, instead of going around it. He had reached a point half-way up the couloir when an avalanche of stones rush- not serious.

No wonder golden days are past, For they were far too good to last; And so I climb, to crest the hill, For gold is in the sunset still. —John Harrison in New York Times. ed down, sweeping him off his legs and hurrying him toward the precipice. Mlle. Delachenal for a moment stood rooted to the spot with horror; the next instant she ran into the middle of the couloir right in the way of the avalanche of stones, and caught her lover in her arms. Both were carried downward, but the brave girl managed to stop at the brink of the abyss, over which the avalanche thundered. The young girl half-dragged, half-carried her unconscious burden out of danger and, hurrying to the Resides a village, obtained help. severe wound in the hand, Robin had two ribs broken, and sustained other internal injuries. It was only discovered later that Marianne had also been injured, having received some nasty cuts on the arms, but they were

FEVER THAT AFFECTS SAILORS

Epidemics Constantly Occurring in Mediterranean Fleets.

The great curse of the Mediterranean station is the fever epidemics that now and again sweep through the fleet. Maltese fever, as it is common ly termed, is a disease that sends many good men out of the service, for f a sailor gets it very badly it never eaves him. It is the tideless nature of the Mediterranean that largely accounts for the unhealthiness of Malta and the bad ventilation of the ships is responsible for many cases of the disease. To this is due the fact that the proportion of sickness from this cause is much greater among officers than it is among the men. The cabins are cramped, stuffy and unwholesome, and no ventilating fans are provided. The welfare and comfort of the people who have to live in our men-of-war receive less attention from the architects who design the vessels than anything else -Pall Mall Gazette.

Preached Sermon on "Kissing." It must require no small amount of England clergyman to preach a ser mon on "kissing." The deed was re A riddle, yet a sustenance! You get cently done in an Anglican church in bourne. Naturally, a good many gig And here's "Good By" to thee, my gling girls were in evidence among the congregation. They doubtless preliminary proposition that "a kiss is one of the most pleasant of earthly things," and that "a kiss is not perfec unless it is expected and reciprocated." The bulk of the sermon was de voted to Scriptural forms of the prac tice—the kiss of peace, the kiss of reconciliation, the kiss of consecra tion, etc.

### Strange Effect of Diving.

A professional diver says that one of the strange effects of diving is the invariable bad temper felt while working at the bottom of the sea. As this usually passes away as soon as lungs, and through them the brain. The exhilaration and good temper of the mountain climber are contrary feelings, from an opposite cause.

Sailors Spend Liberally.

When the British Mediterranean squadron, of forty-three warships, visthan any detectives, on their trail, and ited Smyrna at the end of last March, sailor, at the end of his day, found he men at 25 cents each to row him out to his ship, and arrived there in style.

### Six Doctors Failed.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 24 (Special) -After suffering from Kidney Disease for three years; after taking treatment from six different doctors without getting relief, Mr. J. O. Laudeman of this place found not only relief but a speedy and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Speaking of his cure Mr. Laudeman says:

"Yes, I suffered from Kidney Trouble for three years and tried six doctors to no good. Then I took just two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they not only cured my kidneys, but gave me better health in general. Of course I recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to others and I know a number now who are using them with good re-

Mr. Laudeman's case is not an exception. Thousands give similar experiences. For there never yet was a case of Kidney Trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills could not cure. They are the only remedy that ever cured Bright's disease.

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"I am glad that I followed her advice, for every ache and pain is gone, and not only this, but my general health is much improved. I have a fine appetite and have gained in flesh. My earnest advice to suffering women is to put away all other medicines and to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Miss Nellie Holmes, 540 No. Division St., Buffalo, N.Y.

Miss Irene Crosby, prominent in Social Life in East Savanah, Ga., adds her testimonial to the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



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ties and menstrual pains.

"Much suffering could be spared if we only paid more attention to proper living and diet, but as long as women do not do this, your Vegetable Compound has come to the front as a true friend in need. I have been grown placed with the relief it. been very pleased indeed with the relief it been very pleased indeed with the relief it has brought me. I find that I have perfect health now, and that my mind is also more clear and active since I used your Vegetable Compound. It has been of great benefit to me, and I gladly recommend it. Very sincerely yours, Miss IRENE CROSHY, 313 East Charlton St., East Savannah, Ga."

Remember that every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her case or symptoms she does not understand. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and is cheerfully given to any ailing woman who asks for it.

FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment cures Cuts, Burns, Eruises.

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For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have

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In the two continents of America there is no more charming and delightful country for a vacation trip than Old Mexico. At every turn some nevel sighter sound claims the traveler's attention, everything is new and different.

From St. Louis to Mexico City, the M. K. & T. R'y operates a Pullman sleeper running through without change. This sleeper leaves St. Louis at 8:32 p. m. every day on the "Katy Flyer." Rates are low now. Write for particulars and copy of headers of Sights and Seenes in Old Mexico," to

ST. LOUIS, MO.

Strawberry and

Vegetable Dealers The Passenger Department of the Illinois Central Railroad Company have recently issued a publication known as Circular No. 12, in which is described the

best territory in this country for the growing of early strawberries and early vegetables. Every dealer in such products should address a postal card to the undersigned at Dubugue, lowa, requesting a copy of "Circular No. 12." Circular 'No.' 12."
J. F. MERRY, Asst. Gen'l Pass'r Agent.

WESTERN GANADA'S Magnificent Crops for 1904.



Western Canada's Wheat Crop this Year Will be 60,-000,000 Bushels, and Wheat at Present is Worth \$1.00 a

The Oat and Barley Crop Will Also Yield Abundantly

Splendid prices for all kinds of grain, cattle-and other farm produce for the growing of which the climate is unsurpassed. About 150,000 Americans have settled in West-ern Canada during the past three years. Thousands of free homesteads of 160 acres each still available in the best agricultural dis-

each Still available in the very last tricts.

It has been said that the United States will be forced to import wheat within a very few years. Secure a farm in Canada and become one of those who will produce it. Apply for information to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to authorized Canadian Government Agent—M. V. McInnes, No. 6, Avenue Theatre Block, Detroit, Mich.; C. A. Laurier, Sault Stc. Marie, Mich.

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You wouldn't half believe us if we told you half the good things we could about "Keith's-Konqueror" shoes.

But you'll believe the shoes!

Better try one pair.

For men, \$3.50=\$4.00

### Ostrander's

Up-to-date Shoe Store

### Ready for You

Wilson Harrison has opened up his tailor shop in the Wm. Anderson Block on Main street east and is now ready to please you with up-to-date tailoring.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER \$10.00 up

400 Samples to select from

Wilson Harrison.

Anderson Block. 

# Largest Line of Fur Coats

Ever shown in Cass City

LARGE LINE OF

# **GUNS AND**

G. W. Goff

Registration Notice.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ELK-LAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF

LAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF MICHIGAN:
Notice is hereby given, That a meeting of the Board of Registration of the Township above named, will be held at the Town Hall within said Township, on Saturday, November 5, 1904, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid. Dated this 24th day of October, 1904.
By order of the Township Board of Registration.

Clerk of said Township.

### Notice of Election.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE TOWN-SHIP OF ELKLAND: SHIP OF ELKLAND: You are hereby notified that at a general lection to be held in this State, on Tuesday, the eighth day of November next, the following officers are to be voted for in your ing officers are to be voted for in your county:
Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary

county:
Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Commissioner of the State Land Office, Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Member of the State Board of Education, Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December thirty-first, 1907, Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December thirty-first, 1909, and Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December thirty-first, 1909, and Justice of the Supreme Court for the term ending December thirty-first, 1911; Representative in Congress for the Eighth Congressional District, of which your county is a partification of the United States, Senator for the Twenty-first Senatorial District of this State, comprising the counties of Lapeer and Tuscola; and a Representative in the State Legislature for the Tuscola Representative District, comprising the Counties of Lapeer and Tuscola; and a Representative in the State Legislature for the Tuscola Representative District, comprising the County of Tuscola.

You are hereby notified that there will be submitted to popular vote in your county at the general election to be held in this State on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, nineteen hundred four, as required by act No. 32 of the Public Acts of 1903, the question of calling a convention for the purpose of making a general revision of the Constitution.

You are hereby further notified that there

making a general revision of the Constitu-tion.

You are hereby further notified that there will be submitted to popular vote in your county at said general election, as required by Joint Resolution No. 2 of 1903, the question of the adoption of a proposed amendment to Article Four of the Constitution of this State by repealing Section Twenty-eight of said article, which section limits the time for the introduction of bills in each house of the legislature.

introduction of bills in each house of the legislature.
In addition to the above you are hereby notified that at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November eighth, next, the following officers are to be elected, viz:
Judge of Probate, Sheriff, Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, Register of Deeds, Treasurer, Two Circuit Court Commissioners, Surveyor and Two Coroners.
By order of the board of election inspectors of said township.

H. F. LENZNER,

Clerk of the Township of Elkland. . Dated October 24, 1994.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Isaac Hall is on the sick list. Mrs. R. Dixon, west of town, is ill. Miss Aura Schenck is spending the veek in Gagetown.

Rev. L. V. Soldan spent part of the veek with friends at Pigeon.

H. Clapsaddle of Urban was the guest of friends in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Elliott were the guests of Kingston friends Sunday.

Miss Addie Murdock spent Sunday

it her parental home in Minden City. Miss Edythe LaFave spent Sunday it her parental home near Gagetown. Mrs. Geo. Aplin of West Bay City s a guest at the home of John Wooley. W. H. Ruhl was in Port Austin Friday and Saturday on a business

Mrs. A. N. Treadgold and Miss Carcoll were in Detroit Friday and Sat-

Thos. Walters has gone to Millersburg where he has secured employ-

Cecil and Harold Karr of Kingston were the guests of relatives here over

Miss Anna Zinnecker went to Bad Axe Thursday to visit friends for a

Rev. E. H. Bradfield was in Ann

Arbor the first of the week on a busi-John Miles has gone to East Jordan where he will spend some time with

John Ealy, Ralph and Claude Riley and Roy McDougal of Caro spent Sun-

day in town. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cridland of Wickware visited with friends in

town Tuesday. Miss Edythe Blinn of Marlette has been spending part of the week with

friends in town. The W. T. B. Club met with Miss

for a social time. Mrs. B. Wilkinson of Kingston has in about two weeks. moved into the H. Seed residence on east Third street.

guest of his brother-in-law, W. A.

Lamb, over Sunday. Mrs. Geo. Lee and daughter. Merle

home of M. L. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Allin of Sanilac Centre were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

H. Pearl Lee Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Harp intend to nove to Flint next week where they will make their future home.

R. M. Moore has returned home from Northville and is in Sanilac lum as attendants. Centre on business this week.

Mrs. Ed Eno and daughter, who have been visiting in Kingston, Ont., are expected to arrive home this week. The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church will meet with Mrs. J. H. Striffler next Thursday, November 3.

### AMMUNITION At the Old Standstill



Some are born great, some have greatness thrust upon them-others advertise. The merchant who sits down and waits for business to come to him will find himself among the left over baggage when the Empire State ex-

press of business success pulls out. Business success needs three things -knowledge, push and good adver-

Advertising isn't an art; it's just applied common sense. Advertising is naturally a creative force. Since it has been applied to modern commerce there have been created dozens of commodities and branches of trade that did not exist before its advent. The \$600,000,000 spent annually in this country for publicity has set many hundreds of millions of dollars running into wholly new channels.

Business is warfare-in a sense, s hard, constant fight to the finish. Advertising is the business man's most modern, most effective, weapon

Once in awhile we hear some old fellow saying, "I have never advertised and am still doing business at the old stand." He means that he is doing business at the old standstill .- M. L. Corey in Retailer and Advertiser.

The most successful merchants in

M. Graves of Vassar spent Monday on his way to Bad Axe to visit rela-

Miss Carroll, who has been a guest at the home of Dr. Treadgold, returned to her home in Pt. Huron on Tuesday.

Miss Luanna Bellow will entertain the graduating class of 1905 and their friends at an "at home" this (Friday)

Carl Palmer and Joe Walton and the Misses Jessie Stevens and Addie Atwood of Caro were Sunday callers

Wilsey, of Caro, were the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. C. Dingman, on Wednesday. The Ladies' Aid society of the M.

E. church will meet with Mrs. John Ball next Wednesday. Tea will be served as usual. Misses Bertha Benkelman and Bertha Maier returned home Monday

friends in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moran of Detroit have been the guests of the lat-

ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Houghton, the past week. Fred Ball of Novesta raised 1375 bushels of saleable potatoes from a

seven and a half acre plot this season. Who can better this record? Next Monday the Presbyterian church will undergo a thorough clean-

ing and every member is urged to be present and assist in some way. Miss Mamie Marshall has secured a position as attendant at the asylum at

Kalamazoo and expects to leave for

that city next Monday morning. Dr. Bruske, president of Alma colege, gave two interesting lectures in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and evening to large congre-

Mrs. H. P. Deming of Oxford spent Sunday in town. The Deming farm Lottie Bradley on Monday evening south of town has been rented to Oxford parties, who expect to move here

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Seed, of Rochester, spent Sunday with relatives in J. K. Gardner of Rose City was the town. Mr. Seed is making preparations for a trip/to Montana with a view of locating in that state.

W. H. Ruhl, the tailor, is so busy

where they are employed at the asy-

Isabella MacArthur writes that she has been appointed as school examiner for Presque Isle county. There were five contestants and she received ducting for the past several years, was twelve votes out of eighteen members of the board of supervisors.

The banquet given by the Eastern Star last Friday evening was well attended. A bountiful repast was served and \$20 were realized. The evening was spent in sociability and games and a good time is reported.

Mrs. Trumen Chambers of Novesta died Sunday morning at the age of twenty-four years. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Soles of Wilmot and the funeral was held at the church at that place on Tuesday at one

John Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Seed and her daughter, Aletha, went to Akron Sunday to visit friends, Mr. Fisher returning home Monday. Mrs. Seed remained for a week's visit with relatives at that place and Columbiaville.

An anniversary supper will be given at the Church of Christ, three miles south of town, by the Ladies Aid Society on Wednesday, Nov. 9. A program consisting of speaking, singing He has an up to-date apparatus for and a history of the church will be given. The price is 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinhauser, of Seattle, Washington, have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinhauser, and other relatives the past week. They also visited the exposition at St. Louis and expect to return to their home this

James Hopper, who continues a most realistic and exciting football story to the November McClure's, was himself a famous college football player a few years ago, at the University of California, where he is now serving as graduate coach during the present season.

Rev. Monroe of Grass Lake, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday morning and evenng. Rev. E. Rushbrook of Pt. Huron, a former pastor here, will occupy the pulpit next Sunday at both services. He will also preach at the Elmwood church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilson, who have resided in Cass City for a couple ket for True Hubbard Squash and of years, have decided to return to Pumpkin Seeds. Bring all you have. their farm home in Novesta. Mr. Wilson is a member of the firm of Wilson & Caldwell, who conduct an this town advertise regularly in this implement business here. They expect to move next week.

On Friday evening. November 4, at the home of G. A. Stevenson the members of the Maccabee Tent will entertained the Lady Maccabees in Odd Fellow hall. Each Sir Knight is requested to be present and bring along a pumpkin pie. All Lady Maccabees are invited to come and spend the evening for a good time awaits them.

Hon. George A. Farr, regent of the University of Michigan, will address the people of Cass City and vicinity on the issues of the day at the opera house this (Friday) evening. Mr. Farr's reputation as a public orator is said to be an excellent one and all should avail themselves of the oppor-Mrs. Parcell and children and Mrs. tunity of hearing him. Ladies are

especially invited. W. W. Bender of Gagetown has disposed of his hardware business to Wm. Golley of Gagetown and Clark S. Bixby. Mr. and Mrs. Bender moved to Cass City this week where they will make their home with Mrs. Bender's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Traver, for the winter. Mr. Bender evening from a few days' visit with is now agent for the F. P. lighting system in this section of the country.

D. M. Houghton attended the second meeting of the Tuscola Coun-R. F. D. Association held at Caro on Saturday evening at which time the county organization was completed. H. P. Bush, county commissioner of schools, was present and gave an address. At the conclusion of the business session the members repaired to the Caro House where a banquet was served and a general good time enjoyed by all.

While picking apples on Tuesday afternoon, Palmer Karr, who lives near Bethel church was badly hurt. He had climbed out onto a limb of a tree which gave way under his weight and he fell a distance of twelve feet to the ground. He struck on his back fracturing the back bone. Dr. A. N. Treadgold was summoned to care for him and at present the patient is as comfortable as can be expected considering his condition. Mr. Karr is an elderly gentleman and his condition is grave but hopes are entertained for his ultimate recovery.

The following item concerning Stanley Schenck, a former Cass City boy, now in attendance at Alma college where he is captain of the foot ball team, will be of interest to Chronicle readers: "One feature of of Novesta spent last Friday at the these days with an extra rush of fall Alma's football this year is the splenorders that he found it necessary to did kicking of Capt. Schenck. His have extra help. He has secured the punting, both for distance and effect, services of Miss Gracey of Wickware. is the best that has been developed in William and Miss Mary McWebb, an Alma player for years, while his who have been spending some time at goal kicking is unsurpassed. Out of at their parental home here, returned sixteen tries at goal in games this to Kalamazoo Wednesday morning season Schenck has kicked fifteen and some of them have been extremely difficult ones."

> The Times of Harbor Beach says: 'During the week the barber shop which G. A. Gillem has been consold to Geo. Trescott, who took posession Tuesday morning. George is a Harbor Beach young man who learned his trade in the city, and has been away for some time working at various places about the state, coming here from Cass City. The shop has lately been refurnished and is now as swell a three-chair shop as can be found anywhere in the state. George is well liked and there is no question about his success in the business.

Farm For Sale. Thirty-nine acres under good state of cultivation; well fenced and under drained; good well, barn and orchard; comfortable house. One and a half miles west of Cass City on main road, quarter mile from schoolhouse. Easy terms. Inquire of DUNCAN MORRI-10-28-4\*

W.J. F. Hendrick has decided to give his attention more fully to optical work on Tuesday and Saturday hereafter, although he will give his attention to that work on any day. testing eyes and fitting glasses and will be pleased to receive your pa-

TWENTY Girls wanted to pick beans at the Cass City Grain Co's. elevator. Will pay 3 cents a pound for culls. Board can be secured at \$2 per week.

### Wanted.

A place to work for his board and lodging by a young man eighteen years of age, who wishes to attend

G. A. Stevenson is in the mar-

# AUCTION SALE!

## One mile north of Cass City

The undersigned will sell the following property at auction on

# Tues., November 1

At one o'clock: 4 Yearling heifers

2 Work horses Two-year-old colt well broke 12 Spring calves

Three-year-old colt well broke Bull

20 Sheep

2 Sucking colts 9 Milch cows in calf 2 Sows with pigs

New milch cow 12 Shoats

milk 3 Yearling steers

8 two-year-old heifers giving Mower Horse rake Spring tooth harrow

Buggy

### TERMS:

All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount 12 months' time on good approved indorsed notes with interest.

# L. B. Lauderbach,

PROPRIETOR.



### Organs sold on Easy Payments

One second-hand 6 octave and one second-hand 5 octave Organ for sale cheap.

Organs cleaned, tuned and repaired.

Picture Frames made to order Over 100 samples from which to select.

### LENZNER'S FURNITURE STORE



### THE NEW SHERIDAN M. SHERIDAN, Prop.

Handsome New Brick Building. Centrally located and up-todate in all of its equipments.

L. T. L. NOTES. Ina Pray gave an instrumental solo, of officers will be on Nov. 4. —The New Rye No.2...... 79 boys are showing much interest in their base ball nine. -Edith Withey mental solo was rendered by Guy Lamb. —The following members were recently taken into our society: Ralph Mulholland, Leslie Ellis, Ray 

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR HON. GEO. A. FARR Speak on the

Wright and Margaret Duncanson.

ISSUES OF THE DAY

AT THE OPERA

This Evening, Oct. 28

Notice of Election.

HOUSE....

Vears of age, who wishes to attend Cass City school. Address Rev. R. A. Emerick, Deford, Mich. 10-28-1\*

All sales promptly attended to by Striffler & McKenzie, Auctioneers. Phone 70, Cass City, Mich.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand buggies, one new buggy, single harness, good as new. Inquire of A. D. MEAD.

7-1-tf

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

Sales of Election.

Notice is hereby given, that the proposition of borrowing two thousand six hundred dollars (\$2.600.00) on the faith and credit of the Township of Novesta, and for the issuing bond of the said township board of said township, for the better improvement and care of the highways thereof, and particularly for the construction and maintenance of two bridges on the said highways of said township, one across Cass river, between sections three (3) and four (4). and one across White creek, between sections in inteteen (19) and twenty (20) will be submitted to the legal voters at the general election to be held in said township.

By order of the Township Board of the Township of Novesta.

Dated October 17, 1904.

WM. W. KELLEY.

10-21- Clerk of the Township of Novesta.

Ret for True Hubbard Squash and Pumpkin Seeds. Bring all you have.

For Sale.

Span of horses, double harness, double wagon and one cow. Henry L. Knight, five and one-half miles north of Cass City.

NANTED—Quickly, few persons to represent long established wholesale house among retail merchants and agents. Local territory of few counties. \$18 salary and expenses, commission extra. Permanent engagement. Business successful. Previous experience not essential. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Address, Superintendent Travelers, 325 Dearborn St., Chicago.

# CASS CITY MARKETS.

New White oats No. 3.... Choice Handpicked Peans.... Peas..... Butter.....Potatoes, new, per bu..... Live hogs, per cwt..... Freddie Parker, Ora Hulburt, Clayton | Sheep live weight, per 15...... Lambs.... Dressed Hogs..... Dressed Beef... . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 00 5 00 

Hides, green..... White Lily, per bbl..... 6 00 Economy per bbl...... 5 00 Graham flour per bb. ...... 5 80 Granulated meal, per cwt..... 200 Meal per cwt.....

Bran per cwt..... 1 00

Middlings per cwt.....

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