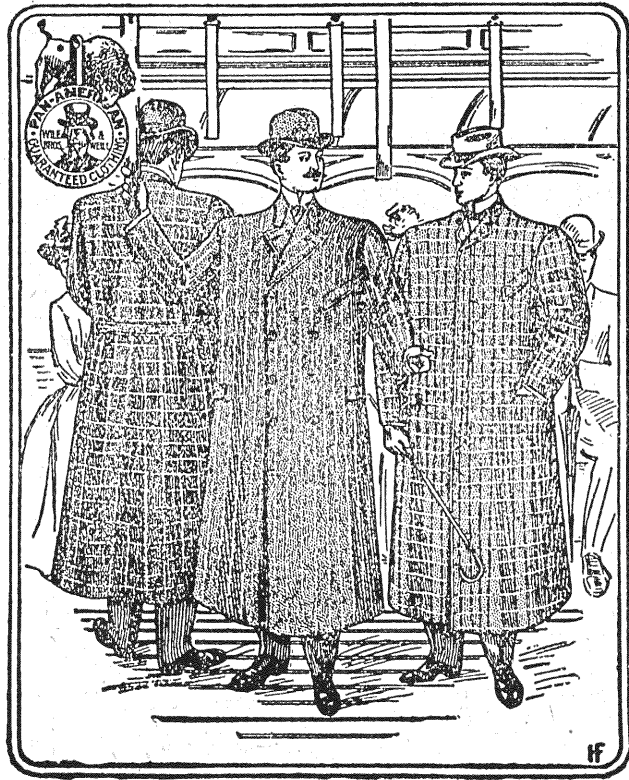


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Is the place to get your  
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We are better prepared to take care of you than ever.  
We grind every day in the week.

Ask your grocer  
for  
**WHITE LILY  
CERESOTA and  
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These are the best flours on the market.

Prompt attention to all kinds of Custom  
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Free delivery to any part of the city. Call Phone No. 1.

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## POLITICAL GATHERINGS

**Warner Rally at Gagetown Last  
Friday a Success.**

**Echo Hall Well Filled. Mr. Warner  
Spoke to Cass Cityites at the  
Depot Saturday.**

Quite a delegation from Cass City went to Gagetown Friday to attend the big Republican rally and pole raising. Fred M. Warner, the candidate for governor, was present and addressed the citizens on the issues, principally of the state, which are before the voters in this campaign. While Mr. Warner declared that he was a business man and cheesemaker, and not a speechmaker, his talk was listened to with much attention and he presented convincing arguments. He was followed by Congressman Smith of Pontiac, who though small in stature, lacks not in eloquence, and may be classed among the best campaign speakers that have visited this section for some time.

After the speaking, a Warner cheese was cut and served with other appetizing viands prepared by the good ladies of Gagetown. This proved to be an attractive feature of the program. Echo hall where the rally was held was well filled and the affair was a decided success and there was a good attendance for an afternoon meeting.

Mr. Warner went south on the Saturday morning train and spoke about ten minutes to a number who went to the depot at Cass City to see and hear him. His appearance is altogether favorable and he is a pleasant gentleman to meet. It is hard to believe that he really would be such a "scoundrel" when governor as the Scripp's organs at Detroit attempt to picture him.

Owing to illness, Hon. Geo. A. Farr was not able to speak at the opera house Friday evening as advertised. W. B. Sheehan of Vernon was sent as substitute. He arrived on the nine o'clock train and pleased his audience with an interesting address. Several of the county candidates who attended the Warner rally at Gagetown in the afternoon were present at this meeting.

D. L. Davis, the man who nominated W. N. Ferris for governor on the Democratic ticket, spoke at the town hall Wednesday evening and was greeted by a good-sized audience. His speech was devoted entirely to state issues.

## POLITICAL.

**John W. Gollan.**

The republican nominee for Register of Deeds, John W. Gollan, has for many years been one of the republican stalwarts of the township of Vassar, and an untiring worker for the success of the party and republican principles in every election for nearly a quarter of a century past. Mr. Gollan is a native of New York state, having been born in Niagara county, March 14, 1861. A year and a half later his father died when until 17 years of age he lived with an uncle and was reared on a farm near Niagara Falls. He then went to Lockport, N. Y., and for several years attended school, and finished his education at that place. In 1880 he came to Vassar and for several years following was a salesman in the dry goods store of McHose & Gage, and later in the large department store of Wm. Barrie in Saginaw. In the spring of 1888 he formed a partnership, under the firm name of Gollan & Stecker, and opened a large dry goods store in Vassar. Two years later his partner, Mr. Stecker, died, and Mr. Gollan continued the business alone until 1896, when he sold out to Mott & Stephen. He next accepted a position as traveling salesman for a wholesale dry goods house in Detroit, with whom he continued for some time. For the past two years he has been assistant postmaster at Vassar, and his time has been employed in the discharge of his official duties.

Mr. Gollan is pre-eminently a self-made man, having been deprived from infancy of a father's care and counsel. His widowed mother died three years since. During his residence in Vassar he has many times been honored with positions of trust and responsibility. He was a member of the city council for six years, treasurer of the township for two years, and supervisor one year. In all of these official positions he proved himself capable, pains-taking and courteous. He was married in 1890 to one of Vassar's estimable young ladies, Miss Birdell Garnum, and his family consists of his wife and one son ten years of age.

In the selection of Mr. Gollan for the important office of Register of Deeds, the republicans of Tuscola

county have made no mistake. He is particularly well fitted to intelligently discharge the duties of this office, by being careful, painstaking and correct in clerical work, familiar with land descriptions and details of realty conveyances. He is also affable and courteous, a well recognized fact to the hundreds of his acquaintances throughout the county. Mr. Gollan's election by as large a majority as anyone on the county ticket, is already a



JOHN W. GOLLAN.

foregone conclusion, and no candidate is more deserving of the united support of his party at the polls, or will more efficiently discharge his official duties, than he.

## SCHOOL NOTES.

Contributed by C. V. L.

Life is a grind.  
Work is a funk.  
You think, think, think,  
And you get nothing thank.

Many were sleepy Tuesday morning.

Arthur Cooley has returned to school.

Mary Gekeler of Novesta entered school Monday.

The geometry class are studying constructions again.

At the last rhetorical it was decided to have one every other week.

A game of football will be played at Caro Saturday between teams from Vassar and Cass City.

Those who attended the "at home" given by Miss Bellows last Friday report a very good time.

The ten weeks of word building have been completed and the class is about to take up orthoepy.

Florence Smith and Myrtle Mead have returned to school after an absence on account of sickness.

One of the members of the senior class can testify to the fact that "a sty on the farm is worth two in the eye."

A student being asked to decline skate replied "Skato, slippero, fallio, bumptm." The Professor replied, "Fallio, fallere, slunxi, suspendum."

Anyone wishing to breathe pure air will please come to the laboratory where the chemistry class will procure you as much oxygen as you need.

A class meeting was held last Monday night at which it was decided that the senior class would sell candy, coffee and wafers Saturday before Thanksgiving.

The program for rhetorical is as follows: Instrumental solo, Ora McKim; Debate "Women's Suffrage," Roy Phillips, Erwin Bradford and Lena Fairweather and Ethel McGregory; solo, Roy Phillips; declamation, Thecla Soldan; solo, Etta Schenck.

## CAST YOUR BALLOT.

Never mind the certainties you hear about as to Roosevelt's election. Do your part; cast your vote; rain or shine, mud, snow or dust, cast your vote!

☞ Buckwheat grinding every day at Cass City Roller Mills. 11-4-

## Notice!

When my office is closed I will be found at my new

**Residence, one  
block south of  
Opera House**

across the street from Dr. Morris.

**H. T. Elliott,  
The Undertaker.**

## Deaths of the Week

**Mrs. Wm. Spurgeon.**

After many months of suffering, Mrs. Wm. Spurgeon passed peacefully away Wednesday morning. She has been able to be around the house most of the time during her illness until last Friday when she was taken suddenly worse and gradually failed.

Her maiden name was Susan Ray and she was born in Suffolk, England, on December 17, 1842. At the age of seventeen she was confirmed in the Church of England, of which church she remained a member until 1878, when she joined the Baptist church as there was no church of her faith where she then resided.

At the age of twenty years she was united in marriage to William Spurgeon, of Norfolk, and they remained in England until 1864, when they came to Oxford, Oakland county. In 1881 they came to Cass City where they have made their home ever since, living on a farm northeast of town, part of the time.

To them were born five children, three of whom are now living: Miss Matie and Mrs. C. B. Young, of this place, and Mrs. Geo. Wright, of Hinsdale, Montana. The two sons, George, the oldest child, died in 1884, at the age of twenty-one years, and Arthur, in 1885, at the age of eighteen years. Mrs. Spurgeon was a lady of retiring disposition and well known in the community for her kindly deeds whenever she had an opportunity to lend a helping hand. The family has sustained an irreparable loss of a faithful companion and mother and have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement. The funeral services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock and Rev. E. Rushbrook, of Port Huron will officiate.

**Mrs. F. C. Lee.**

Mrs. Fred C. Lee, who has been ill about two years, died Saturday evening about six o'clock, at her home on Main street. She has been a resident of this community for many years and has been engaged in business until her last illness so that she is known to a large circle of friends. She was born in Fulton county, Ohio, on November 9, 1854, where she spent her earlier years. On November 23, 1874, she was united in marriage to Fred C. Lee in Cass City by Rev. Jas. Deming, where they have lived a greater part of the time since. To them were born three children, two of whom are living, H. Pearl, and Miss Leila, the former being a furniture dealer and undertaker in this village. Mrs. Lee was an endowment member in the Lady Maccabees and Lady Foresters, in both of which orders she held \$1,000 policies. She was a charter member of Kingston hive of the Lady Maccabees, afterward joining the hive at this place.

The funeral service was held at the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, Revs. R. N. Mulholland and Jas. W. Fenn officiating. The floral contributions were very beautiful, among others being a basket of chrysanthemums from the Foresters, a pillow of roses, lilies and carnations from the Maccabees, a wreath of carnations from the High School, besides many pretty offerings from friends.

Six young ladies, the Misses Lena Fairweather, Ethel McGregory, Lucile Schenck, Florence Hill, Nina Karr, and Lola Fritz, carried the flowers to the church. The pall bearers were H. S. Wickware, J. Renshier, J. C. Lauderbach, Jas. Tennant, W. J. Campbell and J. F. Hendrick.

The relatives from out of town who were in attendance were: Mrs. R. E. Adamson, a sister, of Toledo, Ohio; Mrs. Geo. Wilson, a sister, of Camden; Mrs. Levi Allwood, mother of the deceased, of Toledo, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lee, of Owendale; Mrs. H. S. Lee, of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee, of Caro.

## HERE MENTION.

By an order of the postoffice department each rural mail carrier is required to note the condition of the roads over which he travels and send in his report an accurate account of places that become impassible. On such reports the department will be able to judge whether the patrons of rural delivery, in the districts of bad travel, are doing the best; they can to merit the favor of government.

An exchange says that a smooth talker is traveling the country purporting to be getting up a directory of the rural routes. He gets ads from the merchants to help pay for the publication, promising them the support of the patrons in proportion to their help. Then he sells directories to the mail order houses, who flood the country with their catalogues. This is a neat scheme to get the home merchants to pay for a list, which is intended to benefit the mail order houses only, the natural enemies of the country merchants.

The severe weather of last winter proved very destructive to bees, hundreds of swarms succumbing to the cold. An Alpena county man, a lover of bees, says he did not lose a single hive and attributes it to the manner in which he housed them. He has a shed fronting to the south, boarded up tightly on the north, west and east sides, open on the south side, boarded down part way but not so low as to exclude the sun. He placed the hives of bees in the back part of this shed about two feet from the wall, two hives deep. Around them he packed straw, leaving the front of each hive clear. Over thirty swarms were thus saved.

## 20 WATCHES ON HIS PERSON.

Sunday night about midnight a colored man called on the constable at Owendale and asked for lodgings. He was immediately detained by the constable as a suspicious character and upon being searched 20 watches were found on his person. It is presumed they were taken from the store of Henry Hartmann of Sebawaing last Thursday night. The prisoner also wore a suit of clothes, hat and shoes, in fact, a whole outfit which was taken from the store of Wallace & Orr, of Bay Port, Friday night.

The man gave his name as C. C. Graham, and claimed to hail from Canada, but would not say what part. He was held until Sheriff Smith arrived, who took him to the county jail.

**For Sale.**

New brick cottage, seven rooms, four lots, good well, cistern and cellar on south Ale Street. JOHN WOOLEY. 10-21-tf

## A FEW SEASONABLE ARTICLES

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Hot Water Bottles    Atomizers    Stock Foods  
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All of which we guarantee.

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100,000 POUNDS OF

## Poultry Wanted

AT CASS CITY

Highest Market Price Paid

For all kinds, on any day of the week until the poultry season closes. Coops furnished to customers.

**Comfort Produce Co.**

# Tri-County Chronicle.

KLUMPT-LENNER CO., PUBLS.

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

Life places no time limit on the doing of good deeds.

Football will have to do its best if it is to keep up with the railway accidents.

The Kaiser has a new war problem on hand. He is trying to get the rival art schools together.

You can't judge a woman's mind by the size of her pompadour or her wealth by the size of her purse.

"There is always a bar at the mouth of the Mississippi river," remarks a contemporary. No wonder its mouth waters.

A New Jersey man recently sold his baby girl for a cent. He must have been afraid she was going to take after him.

Countess Boni De Castellane has invented a new gambling riddle, but most any of the old ones will suffice the average pocketbook.

The wisdom of the rest cure is universally acknowledged, but the trouble is that most people do not take it until they die.

John L. Sullivan is reported to have signed the pledge, but probably on the Meredith marriage plan in an extremely modified form.

The authorities have not succeeded yet in getting on the track of the counterfeit patriot who tried to wreck the battleship Connecticut.

A very excellent quality of glass bricks is now being made. These bricks are even better than the famous and much more costly gold ones.

There are still a good many people who can see lots of bad ears in our big corn crop. These were born to tribulation, and they are acquainted with grief.

There is apparently no royal road for automobilists. The Duke of Connaught, brother of King Edward, was thrown from his machine by colliding with a cart.

Probably the offer of a suitable reward for the apprehension and conviction of that missing \$10,000 bill would result in bringing it forth from its retirement.

A banker advises those who want to save to hoard all they receive of a particular coin or piece of currency. Wherefore we have decided to spend no more \$1,000 bills.

A New York judge has decided that directors who sign a prospectus of a corporation are liable for the statements contained in it. This will be a sad blow to Wall street.

Can it be possible that the Hon. Seth Low, late president of Columbia university, actually made use of such an expression in his speech as "Why monkey with the system?"

It is curious to see how easily novelists work the same old advertising scheme. Every time one of them attacks the modern marriage system, the public takes him seriously.

As if divorced persons didn't have enough trouble with alimony and heartaches and a few things of that sort without having every church gathering that meets proceed to rub it in!

According to recent investigations it now costs Americans an average of \$17.42 a year for clothing, as against \$13.80 in 1897. This doubtless is largely due to the present style of women's sleeves.

Nevertheless, the man who swapped the parlor carpet for a drink of whisky may have just been preparing for fall housecleaning by getting rid of one casus belli and bracing himself to meet the others.

We feel quite sure that Miss Victoria Kopwicz of Newark, N. J., who is going to try to get rid of her asthma by not eating anything for two months, will not be troubled with asthma much longer.

William Rockefeller has been compelled to pay over \$100,000 for a side yard about forty feet wide in New York. At that rate even a Rockefeller might run out of cash before he succeeded in getting the earth.

In the discussion of "Who is the real American?" somebody answers that it was an Italian, anyhow, who first revealed this continent to the civilized world. But here again we enter the realm of controversy.

Perhaps the bishops will say that a mock marriage ceremony between five-year-old children, with elaborate details for exhibition, is not one of the things that conduce to increase solemnity in the popular view of marriage.

A Memphis man has gone bankrupt with liabilities listed at \$35,000 and assets at \$40, the latter consisting of an overcoat and a horse blanket. Ordinarily it would be supposed that such assets were sufficient to cover the liabilities.

# THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

## PERRY TRIAL.

A Detective Holds \$50,000 in Cash for Salsbury.

On Saturday the trial of ex-Mayor Perry, of Grand Rapids, developed some new matters. Lant K. Salsbury was hard pressed on cross-examination. Forced by Judge Perkins to reveal the name of the man who assisted him in securing the box in a Chicago safety deposit vault which was used in connection with the Barton \$50,000 transaction, Salsbury named his brother, Walter Salsbury, of Ham- over. It was also stated by the witness that the \$50,000 supposed to have been returned to the Bartons was still in the hands of a detective.

Witness was again asked if he did not pay back the \$50,000 to the Bartons on the express agreement that he would not be prosecuted.

"I will not discuss that matter," he answered.

Mr. Ellis insisted on an answer to his question and Prosecutor Ward objected. The court ruled that inasmuch as the Barton case had been drawn into the present case, witness must answer. Before answering the question Mr. Salsbury stated:

"I wish to make a statement on the record before I do so."

Attorney Jenkins objected to any record being made, but Judge Perkins told the witness to proceed with his statement.

"I wish to say," said the witness, "that in making this statement I may be implicating others, who may be prosecuted in Illinois, but I do not do it voluntarily. I left that \$50,000 in the hands of Detective McGuire, with the understanding that if prosecuted and convicted the money should be mine. The case is still pending against me and McGuire still holds the money."

## Passing of an Ex-Slave.

Mrs. Diana Corbin, daughter of the famous "Sojourner Truth," who enjoyed the distinction of being the only living person born a slave in the state of New York, died in the county house in Battle Creek Tuesday. Mrs. Corbin was bought, when a little girl, by John Dumont and placed at work in his fields with men, doing nothing but hard work, hoeing, plowing and picking up stones. She went to Northampton, Mass., after slavery was abolished, and joined her mother, who ran away from her master and became famous as "Sojourner Truth," an anti-slavery speaker. Later, Mrs. Corbin came to Battle Creek, where she lived many years, and where she married Jacob Corbin, who is now dead. She was the last of the family.

## 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.

## Mr. Pickles Still Missing.

Ex-Mayor Samuel Pickles, who disappeared from Jackson some six weeks ago, is still missing. He was last heard of in Chicago and Kansas City. He was sub-contractor for the stone work of the new Shawasssee county court house at Corunna, where he is said to have left his work without a word of explanation. Rickman Bros., the contractors, have taken the work in hand and will complete the contract. His friends say there is nothing in the affairs of the company to cause him to want to disappear, but it is thought he was in financial straits from having trusted his friends too fully.

## Both Killed.

As William Alden and his aged wife were driving into Battle Creek to visit relatives, their carriage was struck by a D. T. & M. train. They were carried about 60 feet by the locomotive, and thrown against a fence. Mrs. Alden died immediately, and her husband expired after being taken to Nichols hospital. At the place where the accident occurred the view of the tracks is obstructed by buildings. Coroner Merritt is investigating the case, but it is believed that the railroad will be exonerated from all blame. It is claimed that the train was running at slow speed.

## A Pathetic Case.

Pathetic indeed was the death of Mrs. Mary Stinson, at Battle Creek hospital. Rescued by the police from unsanitary rooms on Glenwood avenue, the woman was cared for until her paralysis showed the fatal turn. Then an attempt was made to find her relatives, but a 10-year-old girl was all that could be found. She sat at her mother's bedside when her only relative on earth passed away, and then, broken-hearted and alone, the little white girl sought refuge in the home of a negro family who had taken in the woman when she became too ill to work.

## Foul Play Suspected.

The coming to the surface of the body of James Sullivan, one of the three men supposed to have been drowned in Round lake about three weeks ago, led to the dragging of the lake to find, if possible, the bodies of the other two men. As no other bodies have been found, it is thought that perhaps Sullivan met with foul play at the hands of his companions. It is known that the other two men were intoxicated and quarreling when the trio were last seen, and that Sullivan was attempting to pacify them.

## WHERE IS MR. PHELPS?

Battle Creek Has a Mystery That Is Haunting.

The mystery surrounding the fate of Neil S. Phelps, the once millionaire, of Battle Creek, grows deeper every hour. That he has not committed suicide is confidently asserted by everyone engaged in the search, for they say that every nook and corner where it was possible for a dead body to be had been gone over.

It is equally certain that he was not out of his mind on Sunday afternoon when he disappeared, for he had spoken to a number of his friends during the day. He had gone to the office of the Ellis Publishing Co., where he had his office, with one of the firm to open his mail. He had answered such letters as called for immediate reply, and did his work as carefully as ever he had done it, and everything was left in good shape.

Shortly before 5 o'clock he was seen by several persons, and he was then in apparently normal state of health, physical and mental. Then he disappeared as completely as if the ground had swallowed him.

Now comes the most peculiar part of the whole affair. The Michigan Central train for Chicago pulled out at 4:57, just about the time he disappeared, and a young man asserted positively that when he was waiting at Main street for the train to pass he saw Phelps's face in a Pullman car window. None of the railway employees seen to have seen him, although he was well known to all of them.

A telephone message came to Mrs. Phelps from a Detroit woman, who said she had been in Chicago on Sunday. While she was dining with friends there a Mr. Hartley excused himself, saying he had to go to a train to meet Mr. Phelps. He left and did not return. The lady thought nothing of the matter until, on returning, she read that Phelps was missing.

## STOLE AWAY.

Four More Convicts Escape From Jackson Prison.

Four more convicts have exemplified how easy it is to escape from the state penitentiary in Jackson, making a total of 12 who have gotten over the walls within 12 weeks. This last bunch escaped in broad daylight, too. The name of this last quartet are: Thos. McGlynn, Detroit, sent to the prison for four to five years for larceny from a store in the day time, a recent arrival; James Wilson, Calhoun county, seven years for burglary, term to expire Dec. 1, 1903; Edward McPherson, Ionia county, 10 years for burglary, having served six years of his sentence; John Gabo, Emmet county, 10 years for assault with a robbery while armed with a dangerous weapon, term to expire in July, 1903. All four of the men were in the third grade, made up of the worst prisoners in the institution. McGlynn was captured at Leslie Saturday night.

## Lived a Century.

Dr. Joseph Rich, born in Hungary Sept. 18, 1804, died at his home in Saginaw on Sunday, conscious to the last. He was educated in the best European schools, and practiced his profession in Europe for 24 years, and in 1822 came to the United States. After a short stay in Detroit he came to Saginaw and has since lived here. He practiced his profession for the love of it and as a means of doing good, his benevolence being many.

On Sept. 18 he celebrated his 100th anniversary, surrounded by his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, all the descendants living in this country being present. There are surviving in this country the following children, all residents of Saginaw: Isaac, Adolph, Max, Martin, Julia, Hannah and Fannie Rich.

## Shower of Misfortune.

George Clark, a well-to-do farmer north of Lake Odessa village, lost his barn by fire, together with crops and grain and most of his farm machinery and harness. Clark is suffering from a badly sprained ankle received last week by falling from an apple tree, and was unable to get out of the house to direct the fight against the flames. The loss comes hard to him, as he is in debt considerable on some new property that he had recently purchased. The fire was caused by a spark from a thrashing engine. Loss \$3,000.

## Flint's Half Century.

Flint will be 50 years old next spring, and on the date of the completion of the new jail and court house, also the Carnegie library and the ground-breaking for the new government building, a week will be spent in general jubilation and celebration of the city's semi-centennial. Mayor Macdonald will appoint 12 residents of the city and county to conduct the arrangements for the celebration.

## Perry on Trial.

A jury was obtained in the trial of ex-Mayor George R. Perry, accused of accepting a bribe from Lant K. Salsbury in the Grand Rapids water deal. Tuesday afternoon, after 61 men had been examined and numerous peremptory challenges exercised by counsel, the trial began Oct. 6, but owing to alleged irregularity in the drawing of jurors, adjournment was taken till Oct. 24, in order for the jury commission to draw a new list. Two days were covered in obtaining a jury.

Mrs. Levi Wagner, of Monroe, narrowly escaped suffocation in the burning of their home. She was sleeping when the firemen went in to rescue her.

Benjamin Bayles, of Decatur, was convicted of assault with intent to murder in firing on Lamford Cole from ambush and wounding him in the hip.

## Spanish War Claim.

Deputy Attorney General Chase and Assistant Attorney General Wykes have returned from Washington where they were successful in presenting the claims of Michigan for the care of its soldiers in the Spanish war before the war department. Of the \$56,000 claimed, \$46,000 was allowed, and an appeal to the comptroller of the war department was taken toward securing the remainder. All these claims were once rejected.

## Died in Dentist's Chair.

As the result of a shock from having 12 teeth extracted shortly, Miss Matilda Benson, aged 24 years, of Escanaba, died in the office of Dr. A. S. Whinn, who had administered chloroform to extract the teeth. The dentist administered chloroform alone and was unable to revive his patient at the proper time and two other physicians were called, but their efforts were of no avail.

## MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Baptist state convention adopted resolutions in Port Huron protesting against the running of railroad trains on Sunday, especially against the Sunday excursion trains.

Mrs. Frances Stevens, aged 67 years, of Port Huron, while sweeping inhaled dust which started a hemorrhage of the lungs. She lay down on a couch to rest and died in a few minutes.

The Gallium supervisors passed a resolution requesting the next legislature to pass a law whereby cities under fourth-class charters may pay the justice a salary and do away with all fees.

The 6-year-old son of John Molenkamp, of Grand Rapids, fell from his father's wagon as it turned into an alley at his home, and his neck was broken. The father in his grief tried to commit suicide.

Mrs. E. A. Parker, aged 75, of Grass Lake, whose hip was fractured by a fall caused by the antics of a pet dog died from the injuries she received. She lived four days and was an intense sufferer during all that time.

An assault was made near the Lake Shore depot in Adrian Tuesday night on Thomas Dooley, aged 80 years. He was hit over the head with a club by some unknown person, and it is impossible to tell how serious his condition is.

Manual training, which for some years has been confined strictly to Kalamazoo city schools, will be pushed out this winter to the rural schools of the county, there being five outside districts in which it will be introduced.

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. 26.

F. M. Fowler, one of the best known divines in Michigan, is critically ill at his home in Kalamazoo. He is almost 90 years of age and has been preaching in the state for more than sixty years. He retired from the ministry about twenty years ago.

Jacob Soles, of Alger, was driving from West Branch to Alger when his team became frightened at a big black bear and ran away, throwing him out of his wagon and breaking his collar bone, one arm and injuring him internally. He is not expected to live.

E. T. Webster, the Green Bay, Wis., contractor who has the contract for building the \$50,000 sewer system in Coldwater and went into bankruptcy at Milwaukee, says he has made arrangements to carry on his work and will complete it in the prescribed time.

The third sudden death within a week occurred Saturday when Mrs. J. J. Baker, aged 70, died at her home in Hazar township. Mrs. Baker was a pioneer resident. She had done her household work and was eating an apple when she dropped dead from heart failure.

By an almost unanimous vote the members of the Grand Rapids battalion of Michigan National Guard decided to bar intoxicating liquors from the armory. Since the battalion was established liquors have been sold in the battalion cafe. The decision is effective Nov. 1.

A panic was created in a four-story Muskegon block by the explosion of 17 gallons of gasoline in the rear. There was a rush of black smoke to the upper floors and the fire escapes were black with people, the elevator shaft and stairway being cut off by volumes of smoke. No one was seriously hurt.

The Owosso Sugar Co.'s factory has started up for the season's campaign. The factory will run about twice as long as last year. About forty carloads are arriving daily from the company's land in Saginaw county, known as the "Prairie farm," where 600 acres of beets were grown this season.

Miss Elizabeth Devette, of Muskegon, has gone to Montana under romantic circumstances. Two years ago she sent her picture to a friend of hers there, and a ranchman, seeing it, succumbed to her charms. A correspondence resulted in Miss Devette leaving for Montana to become the ranchman's bride.

Benjamin Klingler, aged 83, was found dead near Riverside cemetery, Kalamazoo. He had gone after his cows and while returning home was seized with a fatal attack of heart failure. The cows were found quietly grazing near his body. He leaves one son, nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Jerry Wheelock, of Caledonia township, aged 72, was sentenced to 15 days in the county jail for assault and battery upon George McClellan, aged 69, of Owosso. They quarreled over work on a farm which Wheelock leases from McClellan. Wheelock, who has long white hair and beard, wept when sentenced. He was never arrested before and feels his humiliation.

Smallpox has broken out in the family of John Van Dyke, Sr. Father, mother and six children are down with the disease. The Van Dykes live just north of Holland. Another large family in the city has been quarantined, as they have symptoms of the disease.

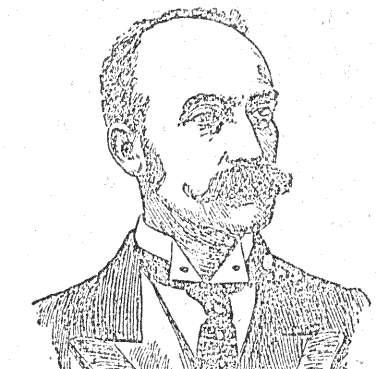
# NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

## WAR CLOUD PASSES.

The Hague Court of Arbitration to Settle Matters.

It is announced from London that the crisis threatened in the relations of Great Britain and Russia because of the North sea incident has been averted and a satisfactory settlement reached. A proposition to refer the matter to a mixed court of inquiry will be held at The Hague under the rules of The Hague convention. The appointment of the arbitrators will be discussed between Ambassador Benckendorff and Lord Lansdowne. In the meantime orders have gone from St. Petersburg to Vice-Admiral Ro-



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jestvensky to hold his squadron at Vigo, and Spain will be asked to permit those Russian ships concerned in the incident to remain there until the inquiry is completed. The remainder of the squadron is expected to proceed to its destination.

How near was the rupture is evidenced by the fact that Great Britain went to the length of conveying a strong hint to Russia that unless satisfaction was given, insuring an adequate inquiry and the punishment of anyone found guilty, the Russian squadron would not be allowed to proceed beyond Tangier. Even Saturday morning, in dispatching cruisers from Gibraltar, Vice-Admiral Lord Beresford, the commander of the channel squadron, is reported to have signalled them "Situation critical. Good luck."

Throughout the affair the influence of the recent Anglo-French understanding has been a potent element in settling the matter. It has been in fact, a diplomatic effort to bring about an honorable settlement.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Church property in New York exempt from taxation is valued at \$216,394,195.

Ben Gray, 56, Denver, met his sister Thursday for the first time in forty years. Dropped dead from joy.

Mayor A. M. Crotty, Montvale, N. J., is missing; also \$5,000 in village bonds. Citizens fancy Crotty eloped with the bonds.

John Steffler, New York, got married, in twenty-four hours "forgot," married another woman, and was arrested for bigamy by bride No. 1.

W. H. Yost, Greenville, Ky., 7 feet high, weighing 400 pounds, has just married Mrs. L. M. Meyers, under 5 feet in height and weighing 96 pounds.

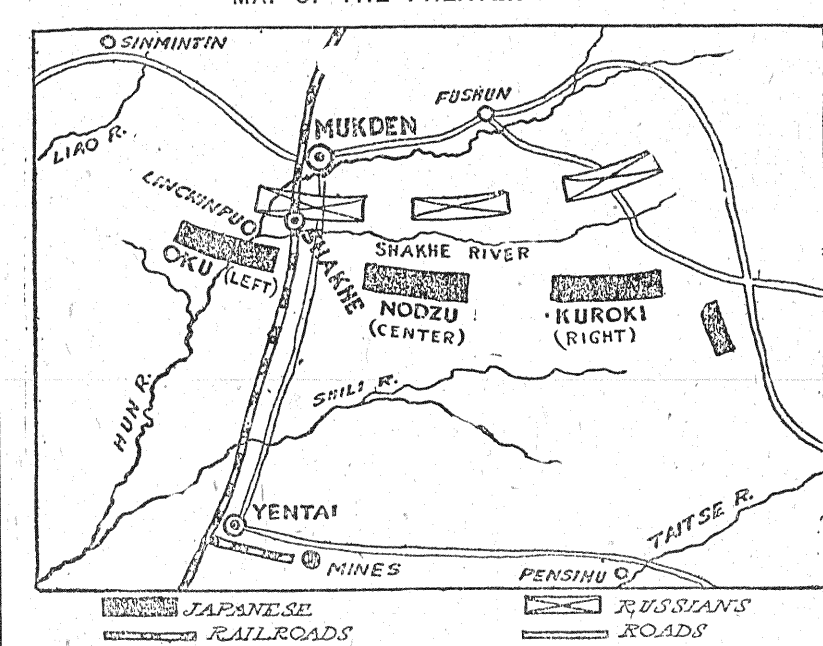
The board of supervisors passed a resolution asking Oakland county's representatives in the legislature to introduce a bill providing for a police court in Pontiac.

A warrant has been issued for Mayor Alfred M. Crotty, of Montvale, N. J., who has been missing for ten days, along with \$5,000 worth of street improvement bonds.

Ald. D. H. Redhead, Peterborough, Eng., claims that in 1834 his parents inherited the site of Chicago, but never proved up, because too poor to pay cost of court proceedings.

The annual report of the governor of Arizona to the secretary of the interior says the territorial population now is between 105,000 and 170,000. It expresses a desire on the part of the people of Arizona for statehood, but says they would desire that their commonwealth remain a territory in New Mexico.

## MAP OF THE THEATER OF WAR.



Alpine climbing cost 300 lives this year.

Wm. Kennedy was killed and Henry Wellman fatally stabbed during a political argument after church services at Mill Creek, W. Va., Sunday. Kennedy was one of the wealthiest residents of the community.

A Greater New York has over 700,000 voters registered. State registration also heavy. City increase over last registration exceeds 40,000. State Superintendent of Elections Morgan claims a plan is afoot whereby several thousands of fraudulent votes are to be cast if it is not spoiled.

## VODKA AND PANIC.

The Russian Fleet Officers Present a Sorry Spectacle.

Despite the gravity of the North sea incident and the feeling of horror over the act that obtains with every thinking person, there are a whole lot of people in St. Petersburg who are laughing at the ludicrous picture that Rojestvensky and his fleet presents. If the true story of the onslaught on the harmless fishing fleet were told it would be that Rojestvensky and every one of his officers and men were panic-stricken from the instant that the fleet left the waters of the Baltic sea. There had been drinking and carousing for days previous to the sailing and many of the officers of the fleet stood on the bridges of their vessels as they sailed away from land so intoxicated that they had to cling to the rail for support, so it is not hard to understand the firing upon the trawlers. The only wonder is that they did not complete the terrible affair by sinking the whole fishing fleet. The logical reason for their not doing so is the fact that there is not above a score of real gunners aboard the fleet, and the men who manned the guns on that memorable night undoubtedly did the best they could, and that was certainly bad enough.

## FOR PEACE.

Secretary Hay Negotiating Peace Treaties for the U. S.

Secretary Hay is negotiating treaties with the leading European countries which, if put into effect, will go a great way toward insuring against war between the United States and any of the nations of the old world. The proposed conventions are treaties of arbitration, which make provision for the peaceful settlement of international disputes that are not covered by the articles of agreement adopted at The Hague conference.

It is the expectation of Secretary Hay that he will have the new arbitration treaties finished in time to submit them to the senate for ratification on the convening of congress in December. No hitch has yet been encountered in the effort to make for international peace. The treaties are brief, containing merely two articles, and it is proposed that they shall be identical. They are made in pursuance of Article XIX of The Hague convention, which reserves to the contracting parties the right of making agreements among themselves for the independent settlement of controversies.

Thomas Mattimore, aged 36 years, was struck by a train on the Blackstone street crossing, Jackson, Wednesday evening, causing injuries which resulted in his death shortly after.

James F. Latimer, vice-president of the Latimer, Wis., bank, shot and killed himself in his bank with a revolver. He was 71 years old and was considered to be worth about \$400,000. He had been very ill for some time with brain trouble.

Tom Yates, 81, Toledo, thinks he is the only last survivor of the Balaklava charge of the 600 into the jaws of death now living in America, and on Tuesday he celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of "somebody's blunder" all by himself.

John Comely, aged 15 years, died at Pittsburg of gunshot wounds, said to have been inflicted by his mother. The boy was a somnambulist and was groping about the house early Sunday morning, when he was shot in mistake for a burglar.

The Sixth Michigan infantry held its annual reunion in Jackson with over 100 in attendance. Officers elected: President, Maj. Harrison Soule, Ann Arbor; vice-president, W. D. Brainard, Eaton Rapids; secretary, Dr. Chase, Otsego. The next reunion will be held at Eaton Rapids.

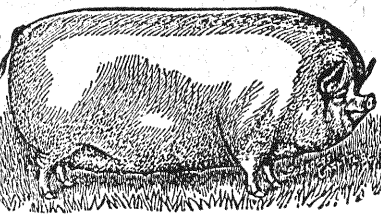
The statement of the year's loss of life and property in connection with the fisheries of Gloucester, Mass., shows that twenty lives have been lost and ten vessels wrecked since November 1, 1903. This is fewer men than have been lost from Gloucester vessels in any year since 1865. The financial loss is \$130,800, and is greater than in any but three previous years since 1820.

Locked in each other's arms, two young men lay down on the tracks of a railway near Athens, Tenn., and let the train run over them. There was nothing on their persons to indicate their identity. It is believed they were brothers.

President Roosevelt directed the appointment of Mrs. James Longstreet to be postmaster at Gainesville, Ga., to succeed Col. Henry P. Farrow, removed, on the report of an inspector that Col. Farrow is not a resident of the community in which the postoffice is situated. Mrs. Longstreet is the widow of Gen. James Longstreet.



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Do your eyes blur at times? Do they hurt after reading? Are there frequent headaches? Are the muscles around the eyes drawing wrinkles and crow's feet?

They are Nature's Danger Signals.

Only when sight is gone is the terrible danger realized. It costs so little to help the eyes, if done in time. I can give the early help and my advice is free.

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Why patronize travelling opticians when you can get your eyes fitted at home and have it done right.

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Will take smaller farm as part payment

Balance on time to suit purchaser. Interest at 5 per cent.

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### WICKWARE.

Harry Sansburn spent Saturday at his home. —Jessie Sackett is on the sick list. —N. Bigelow and Mr. Collins are putting in a furnace for Geo. Burt. —Belle Burt of Cass City was a pleasant caller at Wm. Bennett's last week. —Mr. Gibbins moved on his place last week which he recently purchased from Anna Oliver. —Jos. Wedge made a business trip to Saniac Centre last week.

### MADE YOUNG AGAIN.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again," writes D. H. Turner, of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at L. I. Wood & Co's. Drug Store.

### ELMWOOD.

An unknown man passed through this vicinity the latter part of last week asking for a cup of tea or coffee at every house. He acted very strange. —L. Huffman took a load of apples to Cass City Friday. —Bay Crane was in Cass City with a load of apples Friday. —J. P. Hendrick returned here from their summer home Monday. —Cyrus Hall of Ellington has bought the Thos. Dagg farm north of here

and is moving thereon. —H. Dodge returned to the north woods Saturday morning. —L. Hiser has secured employment in the Caro sugar factory. —Doc Hiser returned home last week Tuesday. —R. Webster took a load of sheep and lambs to Gagetown Saturday. —Frank and Bert Hendrick started for the bay Sunday to move their father and mother home.

### EAST DAYTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roberts of Deford spent Sunday with friends here. —Mr. and Mrs. Elias Plain of Orion were called here Friday by the death of the former's brother, William. They returned home on Tuesday. —William Plain died on Friday afternoon at the age of 24 years and 24 days. The funeral was held at the Stone church on Sunday, conducted by Rev. Terhune and the remains were interred in the Wells cemetery. —The Ladies of Bethel Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Stillman Robinson on Nov. 10 for dinner. —Louis Crittenden and wife of Caro spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green. —Mr. and Mrs. Tolman Plain of Mayville and John Plain of Silverwood were in attendance at the funeral of Wm. Plain on Sunday.

### ALMER.

Beet hauling is the order of the day. —Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson and little daughter, Ruth, visited at Dan Street's Saturday and Sunday. —Mrs. Anna Brown visited friends in Elmer Saturday. —Mr. and Mrs. J. England visited their daughter, Mrs. Sheppard at Juniata Monday. —Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mulholland were in Caro on business Friday. —Mrs. Bourn and daughter, Mary, were in Caro Saturday. —Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McNeil, who have been working for Alva Phelps the past few months, moved back on their farm Saturday. —Mrs. Greenwood is quite poorly at this writing. —Mrs. Geo. Bates is quite sick. —John Greenwood had a very sick horse Sunday. —J. W. Mulholland called on friends at Fairgrove Monday returning home by way of Akron. —Herman Zigler of Unionville called at Mr. Mulholland's Monday. —J. J. England and wife were in Caro Monday. —Mr. Sitzer is the guest of S. McNeil. —John VanConant has rented A. Hall's farm for the coming year and expects to move there soon.

### QUICK ARREST.

J. A. Gullede, of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c. at L. I. Wood & Co's., Druggists.

### HOLBROOK.

Indian Dave predicts "no much winter this time." —John Clelland has gone to the woods. —Chas. Hill, Will Smith and Thos. Mann each took a load of goods to Tyre for Mrs. John Henderson Monday. —Mrs. John Henderson and daughter, Orpha, left for Pt. Huron Tuesday. They will be greatly missed in this vicinity. —It is reported that J. T. Jones donated a new organ to the West Greenleaf Sunday school. —Florence Mann spent Sunday at her home. —Wm. Marshall of Hay Creek called on friends in this vicinity Sunday. —Mr. Graham and son, Charley, returned from Onaway last Friday. —Mrs. John Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Brown. —Peter Decker intends to move to Pt. Austin in the near future. —Thos. Mann is moving into the house vacated by Mrs. John Henderson. —Born, to Wm. Kivel and wife Oct. 30, a daughter. —Revival meetings are in progress at the town hall, conducted by Rev. Leonard and Rev. Andrews.

### SHABBONA.

Hallowe'en was quietly celebrated in and around town. —Mr. McCaren was in town one day last week looking after his political boom. —Mrs. E. A. Phillips moved Wednesday into her brick residence in town. —Geo. Fisher and wife have moved in the house owned by A. Brown. —Myrtle Guy of Decker spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Winters. —A number from here attended the dance at Snover Wednesday evening and a high time was enjoyed by all. —Ehlers & Nique will have a cooking exhibit on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 4 and 5. Everybody come and get a free cup of coffee and a warm biscuit. —Miss Helen King has again accepted a position in W. F. Ehlers' store. —Chas. Keyworth attended the lecture course at Cass City Thursday evening. —Delbert Boyd and family moved Monday to their new home near Saniac Centre. —W. Winters had his house remodeled and moved in Monday last. —Otto Nique and Chas. Keyworth attended a hallowe'en party at Cass City Monday evening. —Relatives from Virginia were visiting Israel Hall and family last week. —Floyd Phillips returned home Saturday evening from northern Michigan, where he has spent the past two months with a traveling company.

—A shadow and box social in connection with an entertainment and debate will be given by the Shabbona school at Mr. Ehlers' hall one week from next Friday night, Nov. 11. The subject for discussion is "Resolved that the traffic in strong drink has been a greater curse to U. S. during the same period of time, 1619 to 1863, than slavery." Affirmative, Mrs. Truesdell. Negative, E. G. Gilbert. The proceeds to be used for a school library.

### WILMOT.

J. Heartt's baby sprained his wrist Friday. —Mrs. C. Molton was in Caro Tuesday. —Truman Chamber's baby died Saturday and was buried in the Moshier cemetery. —Mr. and Mrs. Marsh visited her sister Sunday.

### EAST NOVESTA.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Youngs of Novesta, a boy, on October 25. Mother and child are doing well. —Mrs. Robert Brown, of Novesta, who has been very ill the past two weeks, is gaining slowly. —Mrs. Rowley, of Evergreen, is very ill. —Miss Ida Agar, of McHugh, returned to Lapeer on Thursday, where she holds a position in the Lapeer Michigan Home.

### For Sale.

Span of horses, double harness, double wagon and one cow. HENRY L. KNIGHT, five and one-half miles north of Cass City. 10-21-4\*

### PINGREE.

Shabbona Tent of Modern Maccabees will have a special meeting Nov. 9. —An important land and stock deal took place in the office of Notary McNaughton at Argyle between Celestia J. Peter of Austin and Chas. I. Cooke of Evergreen Oct. 27. The notary is an obliging gentleman and the business visitors enjoyed their trip, while at the same time the occasion permitted of taking a wagon load of beautiful winter russets from Austin to Pingree. —Lylo Fox had by accident one of her fingers pierced while playing with the sewing machine this week. No serious results are anticipated.

10,000 pounds of True Hubbard Squash and Pumpkin Seeds wanted at G. A. Stevenson's. 10-21-4

### WEST GREENLEAF.

Miss Ethel Brooks of Cass City and Miss Alice Horton of Holbrook spent Sunday with Miss Clara Lee Pla. —A. B. Wright made a business trip to Saniac Centre last week. —Misses Emma Seeger, Alice Wright, Edith Kolb, Gertrude Wright and Mrs. Laura Wright visited the stone school Thursday. —Miss Edith Kolb spent the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wright. —Mrs. John Smith of Bad Axe is visiting friends in this vicinity. —Stewart Ballagh and Misses Mayme McCleary and Jennie Hunt spent Sunday at Freiburger.

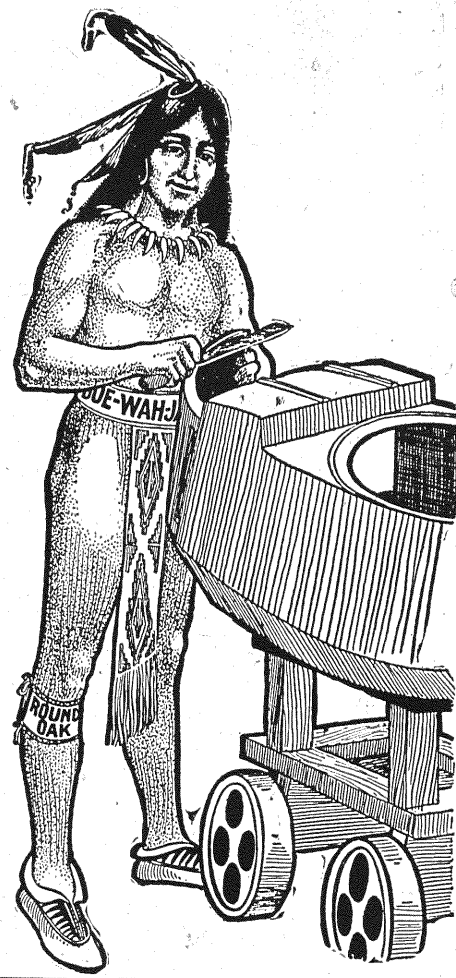
### KINGSTON.

L. Threehouse of Mayville was a caller in town Monday. —Hon. Fred Warner gave a five minutes' speech at the depot while passing through this place Saturday morning. —Mrs. J. Jeffery, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. T. Everett and Misses Lillie Allen and Mable Elliott and Roy Moore were attendants at the W. C. T. U. convention at Akron last week. Roy Moore was one of the contestants in the gold medal contest. —Mrs. Dickson and Mrs. Swails returned home Saturday from visiting friends at Pt. Huron. —Mrs. Rich. Griffin was in town Saturday trying to find a house for sale as they would like to buy and move here. We have not heard that she succeeded in buying. —Farmers complain of poor crops but at the rate produce is coming into town, someone must have raised something. —Rev. Currie occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening owing to the pastor's absence to the state convention at Sparta. —E. A. and M. L. Randall drove to Rochester Friday to see their brother who is very ill. They returned home Sunday. —The new lighting plant was placed in the Baptist church last week by N. H. Burns. —Mrs. J. O. Pattan was called to Pontiac last week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. I. L. Moyer. She is expected to return home this week as Mrs. Moyer is reported better. —Miss Madge Stewart entertained a company of her young friends by giving a hallowe'en party at her home Monday evening. A most enjoyable time is reported. —News came here Sunday that Mrs. F. C. Lee, formerly of this place, died at her home in Cass City Saturday evening.

### A STARTLING TEST.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of North Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at L. I. Wood & Co's.

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### TOWN-LINE.

Very nice weather. —J. Hildebrandt is on the sick list. —Miss Addie Sole is working for Mrs. R. Brown. —Geo. Pratt's family are moving to Deford. —Fred Campfield of Avoca called on relatives here last week. —Relatives from Armada are visiting at the home of Geo. O'Rourke. —Jas. Whale of Gagetown was a caller on the town line last week. —John Nye has returned home from a two weeks' visit in Oakland county. —O. A. Niles and wife of Cass City visited at E. Niles' Monday. —John Perry of Troy, Oakland county, visited friends here last week. —Miss Jennie Leek, Mrs. Geo. Martin, Mrs. John Retherford and Mrs. Eli Leek were among those who attended the W. C. T. U. convention held at Akron last week.

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

### BEAULEY.

Our presiding elder, Rev. Steal, will conduct quarterly meeting service in Beasley Sunday afternoon. —Mrs. Chas. E. Hartsell attended, as delegate, the Epworth League convention at Crosswell on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. —John R. Brown is moving to Cass City this week. —Mrs. Duncan McDonald has forty music pupils at present. —Lachlan Gilchrist of Otter Lake is visiting F. P. Thompson this week. —Wesley Young has sold his Fair View farm to D. McAlpine. Consideration \$3000. Mr. Young will move to Seattle, Wash., and resume his business there. —Miss Anna Boner of Gagetown spent Sunday here. —Bean threshing has about drawn to a close and the farmers are now busy caring for their roots and husking corn. —Beasley people enjoyed the music given by the Juvenile Orchestra of Cass City, who assisted in the program Oct. 21. —The Ladies' Aid will hold their annual Thanksgiving supper in the parsonage followed by a program in the church on Thanksgiving evening.

Buckwheat grinding every day at Cass City Roller Mills. 11-4

### A SURE THING.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdstown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia, and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by L. I. Wood & Co., Druggists. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes, 50c, \$1.00.

### NOKO.

Too late for last week. Mrs. Gooden of Deford was a business caller here Monday. —A. Shaw is adding a new woodshed to his dwelling. —Mr. Simons is spending a week with friends in Marlette. —Several of our young people attended the box social held at the home of Chas.

Thomas Thursday evening. —Mr. and Mrs. P. Fox and family spent Sunday at the home of S. Moore at Elmer. —Dr. J. A. McKenney, who has been in Ontario for the past six months, arrived home Tuesday, Oct. 25. —Miss Cassie Philpot has a new organ from the firm of Clough & Warren of Detroit. —P. Fox being absent on Sunday, the Sabbath school was conducted by J. Cook assisted by H. Foster. —The death of Mrs. H. Flanagan occurred Wednesday, Oct. 19. The attending physician pronounced the cause of death typhoid fever. The deceased had been a consistent member of the Mennonite church for a number of years. The funeral services took place on Saturday and the remains interred in the Johnson cemetery. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord; they rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Old papers for sale at the Chronicle office.

### L. I. L. NOTES.

The program last Friday was as follows: Reading by Miss Anderson, "A man with a wooden arm"; recitation by Iola Wilson, "Tom Jones"; reading by Sadie McCallum; instrumental solo, Ina Pray; recitation, Seva Withey; reading, Edith Withey. —The question of changing the time of meeting from Friday to Tuesday will be discussed and voted on at our next meeting. —We hope there will be a good attendance next Friday for the election of officers and other important business.

### THE YOUTH'S COMPANION IN 1905.

It is impossible even to summarize in a single paragraph the many and varied attractions which The Youth's Companion announces for the coming year.

A series of articles planned to interest especially the forty-five millions of Americans who look directly to the soil for their subsistence will treat of "New Fields for Young Farmers," "The Sanitation of the Farm," "The Future of American Cotton," "How Women Make Money on the Farm," etc.

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Full illustrated announcement describing the principal features of The Companion's new volume for 1905 will be sent with sample copies of the paper to any address free.

The new subscriber who sends \$1.75 now for a year's subscription to The Companion receives free all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1904, also The Companion "Carnation" Calendar for 1905, lithographed in twelve colors and gold. The Youth's Companion, 144 Berkeley Street, Boston, Mass.

Orders taken at the Chronicle office for The Youth's Companion.

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Mrs. Effie Bates, Muncie, Ind., R. F. D. No. 1, says: "When a girl I suffered death every month when I came around, even my hands seemed to swell, and I seemed almost blind at times and I was irregular. I would feel as though I would fall backwards and didn't feel safe by myself at my monthly periods. I used some few bottles of Zoa Phora and that brought me regular and so that I didn't suffer scarcely any and the queer feelings left me."

Write the Zoa Phora Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial bottle and copy of their illustrated medical book, "Dr. Pencil's Advice to Women." The doctor will gladly give free special advice when needed. Zoa Phora is for sale at \$1.00 a bottle by

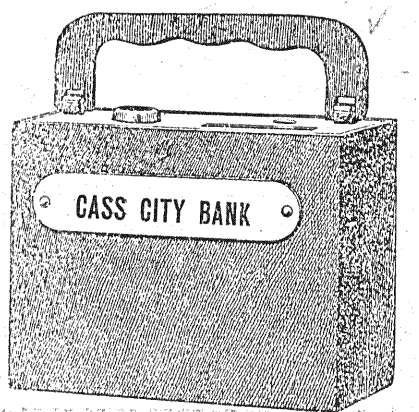
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## EARNING AND SAVING

A man may earn a great deal of money and still not be well off. It is how much he saves not how much he earns that counts when the trial balance is taken.

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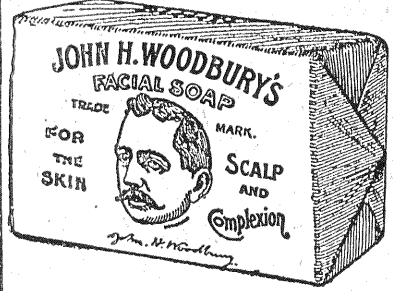
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### A GRUEL PARENT.

"No parent would willingly or knowingly be cruel to their children," said L. I. Wood & Co., the druggists, in a conversation with the editor of this paper recently. "Yet they are cruel when they fail to keep some reliable remedy in the house to use in case of emergency. How often when little ones get badly burned or scalded or are taken with a sudden attack of croup, cramps or colic, they suffer untold agony while the doctor is being sent for, and if the doctor is away from home they suffer for hours before relief comes. We have secured the agency," said L. I. Wood & Co., "for Dr. Colwell's Magic Egyptian Oil, a most remarkable household remedy, which we not only recommend but guarantee to give satisfaction. It gives immediate relief to a burn or scald, colic, cramps, stomachache, diarrhea and dysentery. It cures all sores, cuts, wounds, sprains, bruises, and soreness or pain of any kind. It is unequalled for headache, toothache, rheumatism, neuralgia, colds, croup and sore throat. We will refund the purchase price to any customer that is not satisfied after using it."

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**A Country Breakfast Room.** A bright and cheery breakfast room in a country cottage has broad, low windows of leaded glass—pale amber and green. The wall paper is a soft-clear green which is cool and refreshing in effect and harmonious with the weathered oak furniture. The frieze above the green paper has large poppies in shades of deep tan with natural green foliage on a ground of the same tone as the paper.

**Marriage a Matter of Business.** The average Japanese girl rarely knows that her hand has even been sought until all the arrangements have been made between her father and her suitor. The latter, however, does not manage this in person, but leaves all the arrangements to some trustworthy emissary, generally an intimate friend.

**STOMACH ON FIRE**  
ONLY A SKELETON CROUCHING BY A STOVE.

Mrs. Doherty has an Extraordinary Experience and Undergoes a Marvelous Change.

Mrs. E. Doherty, of No. 115 Coates street, Moberly, Mo., is today a picture of robust health, and yet five years ago, she barely escaped death from progressive emaciation. To a reporter she told the following story:

"In 1896 I began to have distressing attacks of indigestion that continued for two years. My stomach was constantly sore and burned as if it was on fire. It became finally so delicate that it would not retain even plain water. My inability to take food reduced my weight to ninety-eight pounds, and faintness and dizziness kept me in bed most of the time. I was really starving to death and besides I was extremely nervous. The doctor was perplexed. He gave me tonics which did me no good, and prescribed exercise which I was too weak to attempt.

"One day when I was so faint and chilled that I could do nothing but crouch down on the floor by the fire, my father brought me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I found on trial that they would stay on my stomach unlike everything else. I really felt better after three doses and I kept on using them. Food began to taste well and to stay down. The pain and the burning in the pit of my stomach lessened and at last went away altogether. My weight began to increase until it reached 105 pounds and my neighbors, who were convinced that I was wasting to death before, were astonished at the change. I resumed my housework and have hardly had occasion to call a doctor since. I have recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to several friends, and I say to the pale, thin ones particularly, if you want to get strong and well take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People."

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**JEST-NUTS**



**Sensible Idea.**  
He—"Do you believe in long engagements?"  
She—"Sure thing."  
He—"And why, pray?"  
She—"Because a woman should allow her prospective husband to pose as her ideal as long as possible."

**One Objection.**  
He—"I'd enjoy Wagner's music but for one thing."  
She—"What is that?"  
He—"It's so noisy one can't hear it."

**Wisdom of Experience.**  
"Say, pa," queried little Johnny Pumpernickle, "what is meant by the 'tongue of liberty'?"  
"It is a term used in referring to the tongue of a married woman, my son," answered the old man with a large, open-faced sigh.

**It Works Both Ways.**  
He—"You've got to have a pull to get ahead."  
She—"Yes, and you've got to have a head to get a pull."

**Patriotism.**  
Johnny (studying civil government)—Pa, what is the party in power?  
Father—The party in power is composed of those patriots who have the offices.  
"What's the party of the opposition?"  
"The opposition party consists of those patriots who want the offices."

**Wouldn't Run Into Debt.**  
"Did you get your bill from Dr. Price-Price yet?"  
"No, but I think he's going to let me off easy."  
"Why do you think so?"  
"He asked me, and I told him, how much money I had in bank, which leads me to believe that he's going to be satisfied with that."

**One Occasion.**  
"There was one occasion," said the enthusiastic fisherman, "when we turned the tables."  
"When was that?"  
"When the whale that swallowed Jonah had to return and tell his incredulous associates how he caught a remarkably big man, but let him get away."

**Almost.**  
Huntley—Yes, I've got back from the Maine woods.  
Ascum—Did you get any moose, or did you see any?  
Huntley—Well, I saw several vamoose after I shot.  
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**Willing to Help Some.**  
"I'm going to try and prove that excessive drink will weaken a man's mental faculties."  
"I'll help you."  
"Good. How?"  
"You furnish the excessive drinks and I'll be the horrible example."

**An Expert Opinion.**  
"Do you think that perpetual motion will ever become known to the world?"  
"No," answered the engineer. "If anybody should discover perpetual motion he would be so afraid of being sent to an insane asylum that he would keep it a profound secret."

**Just a Faint Reminder.**  
"What's the matter, Mr. Crabbe?" asked Mrs. Starvem. "The way you sip your soup and stare up at the ceiling in that faraway manner it would seem it reminds you of something."  
"Yes," replied the sarcastic boarder, "it reminds me of soup, faintly."

**Not Interested in the Matter.**  
Upton—Did you ever wonder how it is that man should live after death, while a dog, with substantially the same physical organism, should not?  
Downing—Can't say I ever did. Fact is, I don't consider it any of my business.—Boston Transcript.

**Historical.**  
Little Red Riding Hood had just met the wolf.  
"Let's go and get a soda," said the wolf.  
And, having thus tempted her beyond all resisting, the wolf—but the story is an old one.

**NO WONDER.**



"What did you shoot the dog for? Was he mad?"  
"No, but the man was who owned him."

**Both Sides of It.**  
"Get a divorce if you want to!" exclaimed the angry husband. "I can easily get another wife, and I've been on earth long enough to know that one woman is just as good as another, if not better."  
"And I," coldly replied his better half, "have been on earth long enough to know that one man is just as bad as another, if not worse."

**It Reflects Action.**  
"It's simply unaccountable the way Kit Garlinghorn is carrying on with that stupid young Sorreltop."  
"Oh, I don't know. Her father told her that as long as she had anything to do with that fellow her pocket money would be reduced one-half, and it's natural that she should try to make the crime fit the punishment."

**Threw Him? Not a Bit of It.**  
Draper—They tell me your horse threw you 'tother day.  
Crupper—Nothing of the kind; the story arose from a little event that happened while I was out riding. It was in the nature of a coincidence. At the very moment my horse kicked up his hind feet I dismounted over his head.—Boston Transcript.

**Waiting His Turn.**  
"Well, Jack," said his chum, after Jack had proposed to the most popular girl in town, "is it all right?"  
"Well," said Jack, ruefully, "I can hope—that's all."  
"What did she say?"  
"She said she'd file my proposal with all the others and consider it when she got down to it."

**On the South Side.**  
The officer had rolled the hobo over in the street.  
"You are a good officer," commended the roundsman.  
"I don't think so," replied the officer, as he seated himself on the prostrate hobo.  
"Why not?"  
"I am on the bum."

**Only One Kind Abandoned.**  
"Doc," inquired the jocular invalid, "modern physicians have stopped bleeding their patients, haven't they?"  
"They have practically discontinued the use of phlebotomy, if that's what you mean," replied the medical man, cautiously.

**Time to Be Suspicious.**  
"That politician said you were a responsible man."  
"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum doubtfully, "but his idea of a responsible man is one who will respond every time the campaign collector calls."—Washington Star.

**What He Sees.**  
"What illusions," asked the professor, "has a patient suffering from delirium tremens?"  
"He sees lizards, snakes, policemen and other reptiles," promptly answered the youthful medical student.

**Beat Him to It.**  
Longman—Your friend Cunningham is a pretty smooth article, isn't he?  
Shortun—You bet he is. Why, I went to his office to borrow \$5 last week and before I could get away he had borrowed ten from me.

**Comparing Experiences.**  
"Yes," said the giraffe, "I've got a sore throat. Can you imagine anything worse than that?"  
"Well," replied the centipede, "I had my feet frostbitten once."

**Moral Suasion.**  
"I don't see how little Penniman manages to get so many of his tommyrot verses accepted by the magazines."  
"It's easy. Haven't you ever seen that big tough mug he associates with so much? Well, he pays the tough a commission to take his poems around to the editors and pretend he's Penniman."

**Settling a Difficult Task.**  
"Jack, dear, I do wish you would get another photo taken."  
"How often have I told you I will not?"  
"But why not?" (Then, thoughtfully, after a pause.) "Are you afraid of being asked to look pleasant?"

**Not Up to the Mark.**  
Bragg—No man can call me a liar with impunity. I'd fight him if he was seven feet high.  
Quarles—I said you were a liar. What are you going to do about it?  
Bragg—Huh! You're not seven feet high.

**Setting Him Right.**  
"I wonder where I can get the best stock quotations," inquired the small speculator, with an important air.  
"From Shakespeare," replied the man who knew him; "his works are full of them."

**Even the Undertaker Sorry.**  
"And so he's dead? And he was a very popular man, wasn't he?"  
"Yes, indeed; why, even the undertaker was sorry to see him go."

**A FAMILY FAILING.**



He—I see by the paper that a girl has just awakened who was asleep ten days.  
She—She must be a sister of our cook's.

**Just How It Happened.**  
Fisher—Where did you get that black eye?  
Hunter—Well, it was this way. I told Skinner he was a liar, and he hadn't a word to say in reply. That's all.—Boston Transcript.

**A Better Wish.**  
Thirsty Tanks—Ge'e' wouldn't yer like ter have a glass o' beer?  
Parched Peters—Naw! I'd rather have a glass of ale. Dere wouldn't be no room wasted wid froth den.

**Professional Courtesies.**  
The Doctor—You certainly handled me very gently during the cross-examination.  
The Lawyer—Yes; you see, I didn't know how soon you might have me up for a postmortem examination.

**Set Him a Tough Task.**  
Farmer's wife—Why have you left that piece of steak I sent out for you?  
Tramp (indignantly)—I didn't ask for work, ma'am; I asked for something to eat.—Illustrated Bits.

**WASTE AND RUIN IN MOROCCO.**

Beautiful Dwellings Erected and Allowed to Decay.

In Morocco they build and make, and they do both things beautifully and well, according to one who has been there. But they seldom finish. "In a house dainty with fountains and arabesques and colored tiles," he says, "you will still find a corner uncompleted, a pillar which lacks the delicate fluting of the other pillars, an embrasure for a clock half ornamented with gold flagree and half left plain. And, if they seldom finish, they never by any chance repair. The mansion is built and decorated within; artists fit tiles together in a mosaic of cool colors and carve and gild and paint the little pieces of cedar wood and glue them into the light and pointed arches; the rich curtains are hung; and the master enters into his possession. There follows the procession of the generations. The tiles crack, the woodwork of the arches splits and falls and the walls break and crumble. The householder sits indifferent and the whole house corrodes. So, in the narrow streets, holes gap and the water wears a channel where it will and the mud lies thick and slippery on the rounded stones; the streets run steeply up and down the hills, wind abruptly round corners and dive into tunnels."

**Temple of Serpents.**  
The small town of Werda, in Dahomey, is celebrated for its temple of serpents, a long building in which the priests keep upwards of 1,000 serpents of all sizes, which they feed with birds and frogs brought to them as offerings by the natives.

**Cured Her Rheumatism.**  
Deep Valley, Pa., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—There is deep interest in Green county over the cure of the little daughter of I. N. Whipkey of Rheumatism. She was a great sufferer for five or six years and nothing seemed to do her any good till she tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. She began to improve almost at once and now she is cured and can run and play as other children do. Mr. Whipkey says:

"I am indeed thankful for what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for my daughter; they saved her from being a cripple perhaps for life."  
Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved that Rheumatism is one of the results of diseased Kidneys. Rheumatism is caused by Uric Acid in the blood. If the Kidneys are right there can be no Uric Acid in the blood and consequently no Rheumatism. Dodd's Kidney Pills make the Kidneys right.

**How Tibetans Make Tea.**  
Tea forms one of the principal articles of commerce throughout Tibet and Mongolia. The native is miserable without it, and when it cannot be obtained is willing to cheat himself by various expedients, such as boiling dried onion heads, herbs or even an infusion of chips of woods in water, in order that he may not be without at least a suggestion of his favorite beverage. The tea imported from China is pressed into small oblong shaped bricks, made up into cases of nine bricks securely sewed in rawhide, and not only is used as a beverage, but in fact forms a staple of currency as negotiable as the Bank of England notes or American currency.—Outing.

**The Present the Only Time.**  
"Now," is the constant syllable ticking from the clock of time. "Now," is the watchword of the wise. "Now," is on the banner of the prudent. Let us keep this little word always in our mind, and whenever anything presents itself in the shape of work, whether mental or physical, we should do it with all our might, remembering that "now" is the only time for us.—Dr. Parr.

**Village Without Government.**  
In the village of Altenburg, on whose borders three countries meet, there are no soldiers, no police, no taxes, and its people are ruled by no monarch. The inhabitants speak a queer jargon of French and German combined, and spend their time cultivating the land or working the valuable calamine mine, which is the boast of the village.

**BY PROXY.**  
What the Baby Needed.  
I suffered from nervousness and headache until one day about a year ago it suddenly occurred to me what a great coffee drinker I was and I thought may be this might have something to do with my trouble, so I shifted to tea for awhile but was not better, if anything worse.  
"At that time I had a baby six months old that we had to feed on a bottle, until an old lady friend told me to try Postum Food Coffee. Three months ago I commenced using Postum, leaving off the tea and coffee, and not only have my headaches and nervous troubles entirely disappeared, but since then I have been giving plenty of nurse for my baby, and have a large, healthy child now.  
"I have no desire to drink anything but Postum and know it has benefited my children, and I hope all who have children will try Postum and find out for themselves what a really wonderful food drink it is." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Both tea and coffee contain quantities of a poisonous drug called Caffeine that directly affects the heart, kidneys, stomach and nerves. Postum is made from cereals only, scientifically blended to get the coffee flavor. Ten days trial of Postum in place of tea or coffee will show a health secret worth more than a gold mine. There's a reason.  
Get the book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

**HAPPY WOMEN.**

Mrs. Para, wife of C. B. Pare, a prominent resident of Glasgow, Ky., says: "I was suffering from a complication of kidney troubles. Besides a bad back, I had a great deal of trouble with the secretions, which were exceedingly variable, sometimes excessive and at other times scanty. The color was high, and passages were accompanied by a scalding sensation. Doan's Kidney Pills soon regulated the kidney secretions, making their color normal, and banished the inflammation which caused the scalding sensation. I can rest well, my back is strong and sound, and I feel much better in every way."



For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents per box. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

**THOUGHT SHE WAS WARM.**

Imagination as Good as Fire to Absent-Minded Lady.

It was a cold, drizzly afternoon, in spite of the calendar's assertion that the month was August. Mrs. Parker, who was much interested in one of the latest novels, decided that a grate fire would add materially to her enjoyment of the book.

It was the maid's day out, so the chilly woman, who was rather proud of her ability along practical lines, proceeded to build her fire. First she crumpled a newspaper and thrust it deep into the grate. Next, she carefully built an Indian tepee of slender sticks of kindling. To this, with a practiced hand, she added a selected piece of hardwood and two neat chunks of soft coal. Then, surveying the arrangement with pride, she drew her chair before the fireplace, placed her feet on the fender, and with a pleasurable sense of warmth and comfort stealing over her began to read.

Two hours later Mrs. Parker's sister bustled in.  
"My!" she exclaimed. "Isn't it wretchedly cold? I'm just chilled through."

"Draw up a chair," urged Mrs. Parker, without taking her eyes from her fascinating book, "and do let me finish this page—it's the very last one. It's delightfully warm here by the fire."  
"Fire?" exclaimed the visitor. "I don't see any fire."  
"Why, bless me!" cried Mrs. Parker, suddenly coming to life. "Here's the match in my hand! I forgot to scratch it."—New York Tribune.

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**  
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.  
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**TIMES MUST HAVE BEEN HARD.**

**Limit of Financial Embarrassment Humorously Described.**  
Two society women were talking together a few days ago, each having run up to town on some important business matter. They were sitting in the station waiting for the special Long Island train on which each was to make her return home.

The first to speak was a large, florid, handsome blonde, who, hurrying into the waiting room, was accompanied by her maid laden up to the skies with bundles of every kind, sort and description. Noting her friend already seated and absolutely bundleless, she at once began her discourse, volubly extolling the charms and amazing cheapness of some of the midsummer bargains of which, as the maid bore ample evidence, she had so plentifully availed herself.

The bundleless one listened in rather pathetic silence until the first full period. Taking advantage of it with a deep, pathetic sigh, she turned and gazed covetously at her friend's spoils of war.  
"My dear," she said, "if macaroni was a cent a mile I couldn't afford enough this season to lace my shoes with!"—New York Times.

**Stay in Bed.**  
There is something exceedingly satisfactory in the statement of an eminent London physician that "criminals are always recruited from the early rising class." There is usually something dark and devious in the ways of the man who rises before sunup.—Boston Transcript.

**Value of Pure Air.**  
Cultivate air hunger. We should learn to be as hungry for fresh air as we are naturally thirsty for pure water. The old-fashioned ideas concerning stuffy living or bed rooms are now, fortunately, out of date and should never be revived.

**Attributes of Beautiful Woman.**  
A beautiful woman is a practical poem, planting tenderness, hope and eloquence in all whom she approaches.—Emerson.

**Store Whisky in Church.**  
Thorverton church, Devon, England, was recently used as a storehouse for whisky which had been taken from the village inn during a fire.



Young women may avoid much sickness and pain, says Miss Alma Pratt, if they will only have faith in the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel it my duty to tell all young women how much Lydia E. Pinkham's wonderful Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was completely run down, unable to attend school, and did not care for any kind of society, but now I feel like a new person, and have gained seven pounds of flesh in three months.

"I recommend it to all young women who suffer from female weakness."—Miss ALMA PRATT, Holly, Mich.

**FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO YOUNG GIRLS.**

All young girls at this period of life are earnestly invited to write Mrs. Pinkham for advice; she has guided in a motherly way hundreds of young women; her advice is freely and cheerfully given, and her address is Lynn, Mass.

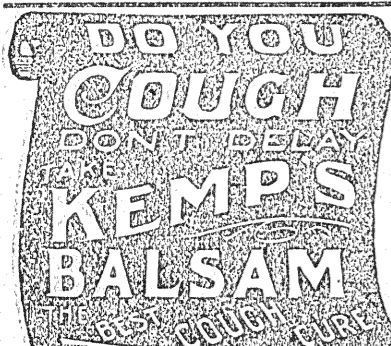
Judging from the letters she is receiving from so many young girls Mrs. Pinkham believes that our girls are often pushed altogether too near the limit of their endurance nowadays in our public schools and seminaries. Nothing is allowed to interfere with studies, the girl must be pushed to the front and graduated with honor; often physical collapse follows, and it takes years to recover the lost vitality,—often it is never recovered.

**A Young Chicago Girl Saved from Despair.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to thank you for the help and benefit I have received through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills. When I was about seventeen years old I suddenly seemed to lose my usual good health and vitality. Father said I studied too hard, but the doctor thought different and prescribed tonics, which I took by the quart without relief. Reading one day in the paper of Mrs. Pinkham's great cures, and finding the symptoms described answered mine, I decided I would give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. I did not say a word to the doctor; I bought it myself, and took it according to directions regularly for two months, and I found that I gradually improved, and that all pains left me, and I was my old self once more."—LILLIE E. SINCLAIR, 17 E. 22d St., Chicago Ill.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the one sure remedy to be relied upon at this important period in a young girl's life; with it she can go through with courage and safety the work she must accomplish, and fortify her physical well being so that her future life may be insured against sickness and suffering.

**\$5000 FORFEIT** if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of the above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.



Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

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"A good many years ago I bought a FISH BRAND Slicker, and it has proven a valued friend for many a stormy day, but now it is getting old and I must have another. Please send me a price list."

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**CONSUMPTION**

**ARE NO WHITE ELEPHANTS.**

Circus Man Explains How the Idea Was Originated.

"White elephant" is a term that oughtn't to exist," said a circus man. "White elephant" is an error—a mis-translation. "Sin pyu" is the Burmese phrase that has been translated white elephant, but "sin pyu" means light, a blonde elephant. Sin means elephant, pyu means paler, or lighter-hued, than the average.

"On account of this error everybody was disappointed when a sin pyu was brought to America by Barnum. The people expected to see a white instead of a blonde elephant. They looked for an animal with a skin like a white rose petal.

"A sin pyu is a light brownish red, with pink eyes, and with the nails and the interior of the ears and trunk white. It is thought to be sacred, and is worshiped like a god.

"When they catch a sin pyu they tie him with ropes of silk, and he is tamed by priests. After his taming they build a palace for him, and they put a gold crown on his forehead, and they make him a wardrobe of silk and velvet and gold embroidery, such as princes wear.

"The sin pyu's house is built of rare woods, and it abounds in gilding, in carvings, and in silken banners. The sin pyu has a prime minister, a hundred slaves, nine priests and a corps de ballet. He never lives long. The luxuries heaped upon him soon crowd him into the grave.

**PLAYED ALTOGETHER TOO WELL**

Reginald De Koven Not a Success at Dismissing Congregation.

"Reginald de Koven was touring the country with one of his operas," said a New York musician, "and a certain Sunday found him in the town of Dayton.

"They told Mr. de Koven that an Episcopal church in the neighborhood had a superb organ. Accordingly he went to that church, ascended to the organ loft, and sat beside the organist during the morning's service.

"You seem to know something about music," said the organist in a condescending way. "I'll tell you dismiss the congregation if you'd like."

"Why, yes," said de Koven, "I would like that very much."

"Accordingly, at the end of the recessional, he exchanged places with the organist and began to play Mendelssohn's 'Spring Song.' He played beautifully. The Dayton people, enraptured by the wonderful music, refused to depart. They sat in rapt enjoyment, and after the 'Spring Song' was finished Mr. de Koven began Chopin's 'Funeral March.'

"Suddenly a heavy hand was laid on his shoulder and he was pushed off the music stool.

"You can't dismiss a congregation," said the organist impatiently. "Watch and see how soon I'll get them out."

**Caper Sauce.**

Caper sauce is one of the most delicious and healthful of sauces. It is served with boiled mutton and boiled fish, such as halibut and fresh cod.

Never use a drop of water in its making. Put two heaping tablespoons of butter in a sauce pan over a very slow fire. In another sauce pan over the fire put a pint of rich milk. When the butter begins to bubble in the sauce pan, stir in briskly two heaping tablespoons of flour that has been sifted twice. Keep stirring the butter and flour until it is as smooth as cream; then pour in a little at a time the hot milk, stirring the sauce constantly to keep it from sticking or lumping. When the milk is all in and the sauce has boiled gently till it is very thick and very smooth, stir in another tablespoonful of butter, then remove from the fire and stir in a small bottleful of capers, then juice and all. Serve the sauce in a separate dish.

**Keep the Faith.**

Roun' en roun' de ole worl' go—  
Keep de faith, believers!  
Summer heat on winter snow,  
Keep de faith, believers!  
Trouble come lak a railroad train—  
Toss you higher dan a hurricane;  
Peace'll come wen you done wid pain—  
Keep de faith, believers!

Keep right on in de way you gwine—  
Keep de faith, believers!  
De blackes' sinner kin rise en shine—  
Keep de faith, believers!  
Keep de faith 'twel de trumpit soun',  
En de big stars fall, en de sky come down.  
En you'll git to glory wen de worl' turn roun'—  
Keep de faith, believers!  
—Atlanta Constitution.

**The Truthful Fisher.**

"Yes, sir," said the unburned man; "yes, sir, on my last trip I caught—"

"I caught the—" said he again, when he checked him by the same means.

"Ding dong you!" shrieked he, out-hawling us at last. "I was going to tell you clumps that I caught the darndest cold that I ever had, but I'll be everlastingly jiggered if I'll tell you anything now!"

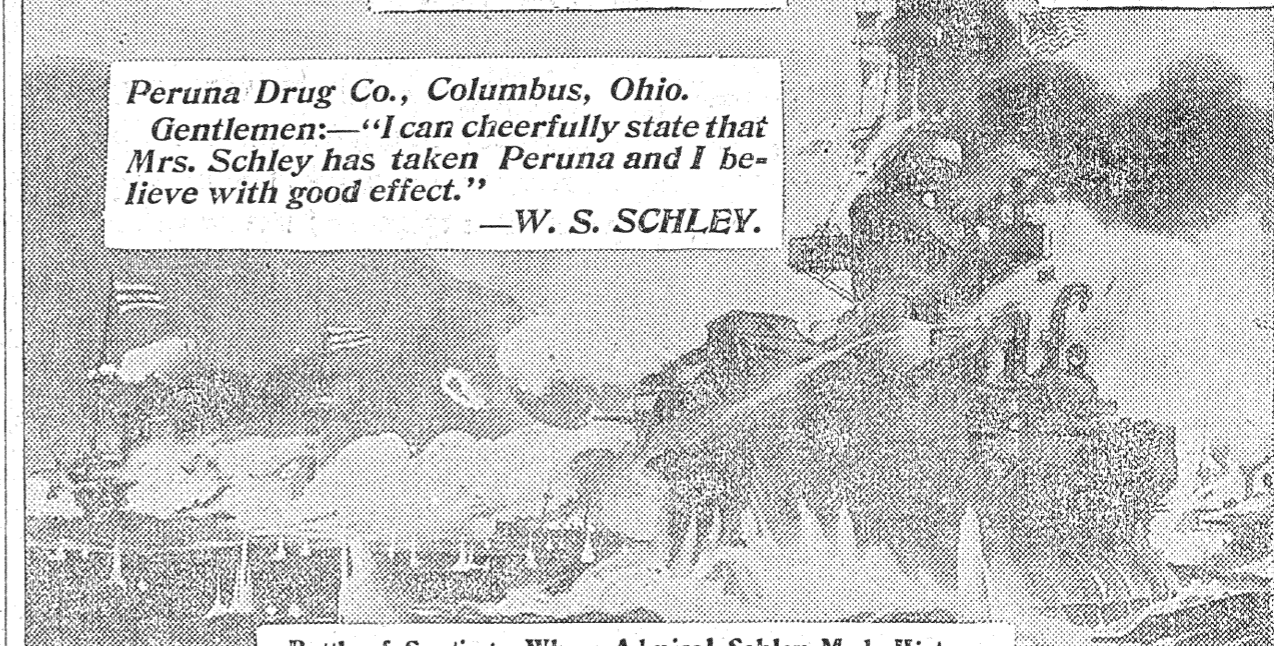
**Electrical Conductor Gauge.**

The French Society of Manufacturers is offering a prize of 6,000 francs for the invention of an apparatus for gauging the current of an electrical conductor. The competition closes on December 31, 1904, and particulars can be obtained from M. Le President, Association des Industriels de France, 3 Rue de Lutèce, Paris.—London Engineer.

**Reform in Penal Institution.**

Following the abolition of the lock-step and the cropped head in New York state prisons has come the doing away with the stripes on convicts' clothing and 3,000 suits minus the stripes are being made.

**Admiral Schley Uses Pe-ru-na In His Home.**



Battle of Santiago, Where Admiral Schley Made History.

Peruna Drug Co., Columbus, Ohio. Gentlemen:—"I can cheerfully state that Mrs. Schley has taken Peruna and I believe with good effect."

ONE of the greatest naval battles in the world was the Battle of Santiago. Never since the dispersion of the Spanish Armada has there been a such a great naval battle. A multitude of great themes clamor for notice. A man must take sides for or against by intuition, rather than logical deduction. One day this fighting admiral, Schley, happened to be in company with others who were talking on various topics of popular interest. The subject of Peruna was raised,—its popularity as a catarrh remedy, its national importance, its extensive use. One asked his opinion. Without a moment's hesitation, he said: "I can cheerfully say that Mrs. Schley has taken Peruna and I believe with good effect."

**PROUD DAY FOR FATHER.**

Four of Frenchman's Children Married on Same Day. It is not every father who can see four of his children married on the same day, so no one need feel surprised if M. Girard, a farmer of the village of Huguetiere, in the Vendee, France, on such an event occurring in his own family, determined to celebrate it in style. On the day of the weddings Huguetiere gave himself up to rejoicing, as did numerous guests from the surrounding countryside who had assembled to see the four couples and the imposing procession which accompanied them. At midday a banquet was held, at which more than 400 guests sat down.

**NEW TRAIN SERVICE, CHICAGO TO ST. LOUIS.**

The Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad now runs night and day trains to the Exposition City, which represent the highest type of railroad construction. When you go to the World's Fair be sure your ticket is made good over this line, and you will enjoy every mile of the short trip. Your local ticket agent will gladly make your ticket good this way if you request it.

**ROUSED HER ENTHUSIASM.**

A tiny girl riding in a car became deeply interested in a baby held by a woman seated beside her, frequently calling to her mother to join in her enthusiasm, culminating with: "And see its dear little hands, and its fingers, and its cute little nails; and oh, mother, isn't this too cunning, there's dirt in them!"

**FRENCH IN GREAT BRITAIN.**

There are 26,600 French in Great Britain and Ireland, more than three-fourths of the number being in London. The business most followed among these is cookery.

**IMPORTANT TO MOTHERS.**

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.**

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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**W. L. DOUGLAS**

W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's \$3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world. The reason W. L. Douglas shoes are the greatest sellers in the world is because of their excellent style, easy fitting and superior wearing qualities. If I could show you the difference between the stand why W. L. Douglas shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe on the market to-day, and why the price for the year ending July 1, 1904, were \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00.

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# Important Purchase and Sale of Sample Shoes



Better than usual

**AN IMMENSE PURCHASE OF SAMPLE Shoes has been received this week. The values are most remarkable, as the goods are in the latest styles and the prices represent a saving of one-third to one-half. There are innumerable styles, but just what you want in Women's, Men's, Boys', Youths' and Children's Shoes.**

We also wish to particularly call attention to the New Brand of Rubbers—THE ROYAL BLUE. We have them in all styles and they cost you no more than inferior brands.

**A JOB LOT OF PANTS FOR "FAT" MEN AT HALF PRICE....**

## THE MODEL



Better than usual

### 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 AMMUNITION**

**G. W. Goff**

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In a recent number of McClure's Magazine is a story in which the facts relating to the profits of a baking powder were brought out through litigation in the courts. It was shown that the company manufacturing the powder was capitalized at \$100,000. The profits amounted to \$17,647 in 1876, and they continued to grow until they reached the enormous aggregate in 1887 of \$725,162, the income that year being four times the amount of the capital invested. The profits since 1887 have steadily increased, but the feature of particular interest in this connection is that the company spent \$17,000 for advertising in 1876 and \$291,084 in 1887.

The baking powder may or may not have been superior to others put on the market, but the business was made to pay the immense returns noted through liberal and judicious advertising. Another feature in this matter is that the company has advertised almost exclusively in the newspapers.

The men behind that baking powder realized the value of the newspaper press in reaching the public, and to it they owe the marvelous results.—Newspaperdom.

If you want to increase your profits, advertise in this paper. No better medium to reach the buyers of this community.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Hunting time. Thanksgiving, Nov. 24. Be sure and register Saturday. Miss Gilbert is on the sick list this week.

Roy Gage of Gagetown spent Sunday with friends in town.

F. W. Gilmore of Detroit was in town on business Saturday.

Miss Ruth Striffler spent Sunday at her parental home at Argyle.

J. A. Colton of Kingston was in town Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. J. W. Macomber of Caseville has been visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore spent Sunday with friends in Greenleaf.

Miss Edythe Wilson was the guest of friends in Marlette over Sunday.

Miss Eliza Sommerville spent Sunday at her parental home at Appin.

Rev. W. T. Wallace of Kingston called on friends in town Wednesday.

A. R. Anderson of Caseville is the guest of his cousin, W. A. Anderson.

Vote early next Tuesday and see that your neighbors and friends vote, too!

Miss Mable Clements, who has been ill for three weeks, is again able to be out.

O. Stebbins and H. Donprier of Bad Axe spent Sunday with friends in town.

Jas. Starr of Argyle is moving into the residence vacated by Hersey Young.

John Renshler was in Gagetown Thursday where he repaired the grist mill boiler.

J. S. McArthur was in Imlay City and Port Huron on business the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lamb now occupy their new residence on south Seeger street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Karr now occupy their new residence on south Seeger street.

Louis Krehling of Canboro attended the party given for Rev. L. V. Soldan last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hendrick spent the latter part of last week with friends in Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dennis have moved into the residence owned by Dr. J. H. Hays on Seeger street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hunt expect to move into their new residence on Leach street next week.

Mrs. (Colonel) Birch of Chicago was a guest at the home of J. W. Murphy part of last week.

Mrs. Alvers, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Wickware, is in very poor health.

N. Bigelow & Sons installed a furnace in the farm residence of Geo. Burt at Wickware this week.

Rev. E. Rushbrook of Pt. Huron will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fairweather and Mr. and Mrs. B. Clapp spent Sunday with relatives in Marlette.

Mrs. J. Harris and daughter, Helen, of Colling spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. G. A. Stevenson.

Mrs. E. Yarrington and Miss Vina Springstead of Kingston attended the funeral of Mrs. F. C. Lee Wednesday.

Myron Hanson of Silverwood spent part of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Moore are moving to Sanilac Centre this week where Mr. Moore has leased a blacksmith shop.

W. A. Anderson has been elected a delegate to attend an Orangeman meeting of this district at Carsonville today.

Bryce Aldrich of Fairgrove attended the hallowe'en party given at the

home of Miss May Landon Monday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Dean and daughter, Doris, of Vassar are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. G. A. Stevenson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Challis are taking up their residence in the house recently vacated by E. Yakes on Garfield avenue.

The P. O. & N. road bed is good enough says the North Branch Gazette; all that is needed is some new passenger coaches.

Miss Clara Wilson of Clifford, who has been a guest at the home of John Crane west of town returned to her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Houghton of Novesta left Wednesday for Orion, where Mr. Houghton will undergo a course of treatment for cancer.

E. B. Landon has moved into his new residence on south Seeger street. H. L. McDermott now occupies the residence vacated by Mr. Landon.

Perry L. Fritz of Caro is the guest of relatives in town this week. Mr. Fritz expects to go to Pigeon next week where he will open up dental parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brooks now occupy the residence owned by Mrs. Beards at the corner of Houghton and Leach streets, having moved there this week.

"It's all over but the shouting," sounds well, but the fact remains that no election is decided until the ballots are cast. Don't forget to vote early on November 8.

The following are the unclaimed letters remaining in Cass City postoffice for the week ending Oct. 29: Mrs. Minnie Jones, Jacob Almos, John Gulrick and B. Land.

Ed Pettit is moving into his new residence on south Seeger street this week. Marvin Eastman, who has rented the former's farm, will probably move next week.

The time for talking is over. Next Tuesday is the time to vote. Every citizen should go to the polls and exercise his privilege as an American citizen and cast his ballot. Don't forget it.

Fred Hunt of Detroit is the guest of his brother, H. L. Hunt, this week. Mr. Hunt has been employed on the Detroit Free Press as an artist for a number of years and is now enjoying a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hersey Young have moved out of the residence at the corner of Houghton and Ale streets and expect to go to Alberta, N. W. T., in a couple of weeks, where they will make their future home.

Having rented the farm, Thomas Ritter will have an auction sale of stock and farm implements at his home, two miles south of Greenleaf, on Tuesday, Nov. 15. Striffler & McKenzie are the auctioneers.

A company of little folks gave Miss Lola Wilson a surprise at her home last Saturday evening previous to her leaving for her home near Deford. They presented her with a gold ring as a memento of the occasion.

Duncan Morrison sold his forty-acre farm, one and one-half miles west of town, to Frank Hoagland. The consideration was \$2300. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison expect to move to Gagetown where they will take up their residence.

The K. O. T. M. M. are preparing for a large attendance at the "blow-out" in Odd Fellows' hall this (Friday) evening. A good time is anticipated and every Sir Knight and Lady Maccabee in town is expected to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinhauser, who were the guests of the former's father, north of town, returned to their home in Seattle, Washington, Monday. The former's father is in very poor health and is falling quite rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Blinn and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham of Marlette were called here Sunday on account of the death of Mrs. F. C. Lee, the ladies coming in compliance with a request made by Mrs. Lee that they would assist in caring for her after her death.

E. R. Hunt writes from Vassar that one of the prosperous farmers in Tuscola township planted two and one-quarter acres of cucumbers and picked 545 bushels from the vines; with about ten or twelve per cent of number twos. The largest picking at one time was 52 bushels.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilson were surprised by a number of their neighbors and friends last Tuesday evening previous to their departure for their farm home near Deford. A jolly time is reported. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have made many warm friends in Cass City during their residence here and the best wishes of the community go with them.

Bert Phelps, who has been connected with J. Cornelius in his grocery store here, has gone to Rochester where he has opened a grocery store. Mr. Cornelius went to Rochester last week and assisted Mr. Phelps in getting things ready for business, returning home Tuesday evening. Mr. Phelps moved his household goods last week.

The members of the Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church gave Rev. L. V. Soldan, pastor of that church, a surprise at his home last Friday evening in honor of his birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent and refreshments were served. A handsome Morris chair was presented to Mr. Soldan during the evening, a gift from the Y. P. A.

Work is progressing rapidly on the Mrs. McGillvray and Young & Benkelman blocks. Masons are busy plastering the walls this week and the workmen expect to have the building completed in time for occupancy for the holidays, if they are favored with good weather. These blocks and the remodeling of the Stevenson store make a decided improvement to Main street.

Next Wednesday evening, Nov. 9, at seven thirty o'clock, Rev. E. H. Bradford will be installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place. Rev. J. A. Adair of Marlette will preside. He will propound the constitutional questions, preach the sermon and offer the installation prayer. Rev. A. Urquhart of Caro will give the charge to the pastor and Rev. F. E. Davy of Akron will give the charge to the people.

While playing with his children Tuesday evening just before the supper hour, W. J. Grigware fell and broke one of the bones of his right ankle. The injury will probably lay him up for some time. Mr. Grigware is rather unfortunate as not very long since he sustained severe injuries to his left ankle while working on the railroad from which he has not entirely recovered. It is hoped he will have a speedy recovery.

Hallowe'en pranks were very scarce this year, the only one of any consequence being a fire set by some mischievously inclined individuals on the fair grounds between nine and ten o'clock Monday evening. A fire alarm was given and quite a crowd turned out to assist in the extinguishing of the fire, and were quite indignant when they found that some of our smart Alecks (and we are compelled to admit we have a number in town) had tried to play a practical joke. A joke is appreciated by the majority of citizens but it is carrying things with a high hand when anyone stoops to such means for pleasure's sake.

The first number of the season lecture course was given in the opera house last Thursday evening by the Glaziers' Chicago Ladies' Concert company and was enjoyed by an appreciative audience. The audience was well pleased with the several numbers and the ladies responded to several encores during the evening. They give a high class entertainment in every respect and conduct themselves with ease and grace. Each of the four ladies is an artist and it is difficult to say which one did her part best. The next number of the lecture course will be given on the evening of November 17, by Captain Arch C. Snow, impersonator, humorist and entertainer, a man of rare ability.

#### AMONG THE MERCHANTS.

The Model announces an important purchase and sale of sample shoes. The line has been received this week and is worthy of your inspection.

The big question is again settled in Ostrander's shoe ad this week. This question mark attracts attention.

C. W. Heller in a new ad for the roller mill says that they are now prepared to grind buckwheat every day.

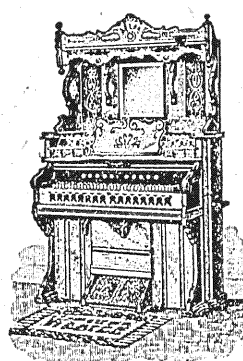
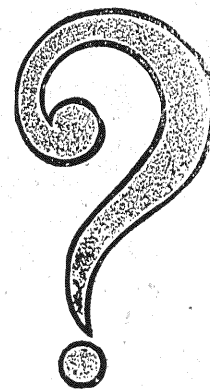
Lost on Saturday, Oct. 22, between Freiburgers and Cass City, small pasteboard box containing three hat tips. Box has name of "Mrs. William Smith, Wickware," written thereon. Finder will leave at this office or at Wickware postoffice and receive reward. 11-4-1\*

A man's feet are better judges of shoes than he is.

When you tuck yours into a pair of "Keith's Konqueror" shoes they'll tell you they're comfortable at last.

At this Store, \$3.50 and \$4.00

**OSTRANDER'S**  
Up-to-date Shoe Store



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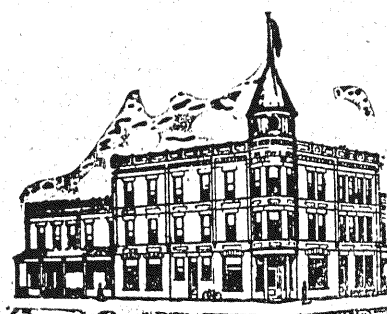
One second-hand 6 octave and one second-hand 5 octave Organ for sale cheap.

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-to-date in all of its equipments.

\$2.00 PER DAY.

#### HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

On Monday evening the members of the W. T. B. Club gave a hallowe'en party at the home of Miss May Landon. There were twenty-six young gentlemen and young ladies present who enjoyed the occasion to the fullest extent. The pretty parlors were decorated in a fitting manner with corn stalks, fruits, etc, while jack-o'-lapters gave forth a weird light. The guests upon their arrival were received at the door by a "ghost." The evening was spent in fortune telling and in playing hallowe'en games, a great deal of fun being derived from the attempts to pin the head onto the picture of a black cat. In the dining room was erected a pretty booth where refreshments were served by two young ladies. The time passed all too quickly and it was the midnight hour before the guests dispersed to their homes. The occasion was one of the most pleasant affairs of the season and was heartily enjoyed by all.

#### THE TWO BANDS.

The band at Washington, D. C., in cadences that sweep and swing. And wake the waltz in merrily. "Hail to the Chief" is practicing. The little band at Esopus. Knows that it will not have to roam. And so with very little fuss. It practices on "Home, Sweet Home."

#### Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us during our bereavement, especially the pastors and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bigelow.

F. C. LEE AND FAMILY.

#### Farm for Sale.

Forty acres on Sec. 21, Elkland, two miles north of Cass City. W. F. HAYES. 11-4-1\*

Buckwheat grinding every day at Cass City Roller Mills. 11-4-

Lost on Sunday, a gold pin with the initial "B." Finder will please return to this office. 11-4-

One small white pig strayed from S. P. Brown's farm, one mile south and two miles east of Cass City. 11-4-2\*

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.

G. A. Stevenson is in the market for True Hubbard Squash and Pumpkin Seeds. Bring all you have.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand buggies, one new buggy, single harness, good as new. Inquire of A. D. MEAD. 7-1-1\*

#### Animals That Lay Eggs.

There are two animals in Australia that lay eggs after the manner of birds and reptiles. They are those quaint creatures the ornithorhynchus, or duck billed platypus, and the echidna, or porcupine ant eater. The former lays its eggs in burrows, which it scratches out on the banks of rivers. The latter carries them until hatched in a pouch somewhat like the kangaroo's. In many respects these animals have an anatomical affinity to reptiles, but their mouths are toothless and beak-like, resembling those of birds, while the feet of the platypus are webbed. The platypus is a semiaquatic animal, and the porcupine ant eater is much like the ground hog in appearance.

#### Dead Men's Teeth.

Before artificial teeth were created deficiencies had to be made good by the real article, so body snatchers ravaged the cemeteries at night, breaking up the jaws of the dead to extract their teeth to sell to dentists for insertion in live men's mouths. An army of these ghouls followed Wellington's army. They were licensed as sutlers, but once night fell out came their nippers, and they prowled over the battlefields extracting the teeth of the dead or dying.

#### "Orang Outang" Incorrect.

The large anthropoids of Borneo and Sumatra are usually called orang outangs. This form, it seems, is not correct. Orang signifies man and outang, or utang, debt, something owing; so that orang outang would simply mean a man in debt. The correct Malay name is orang utan, or outan. This signifies the forest man in distinction to orang dusun, or village (civilized) man.

#### Not the Same Meaning.

Nervous Old Lady (in saloon of steamer)—Oh, steward, where do I sleep? Steward—What is the number of your berth, ma'am? Nervous Old Lady—I don't see what that has to do with it, but if you must know it is third. There were a sister and a brother born before me.

#### A MATTER OF HEALTH



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