

We want you to know that we cater to the trade

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made of heavy duck and covert cloth; warm comfortable and wind proof. We have them at

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Enormous stock of Men's and Boys' Underwear just opened up. Our fleeced garment at 50 cents is double back and front, fine and soft, and gives entire satisfaction. Better grades at \$1.00 and \$1.50 per garment.

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We sell the celebrated Rindge, Kalmback & Logie full stock Kip Shoes. The nearest weather proof that leather can be tanned. Kip Shoes at

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We handle the famous Ball Band Rubbers in every shape and size. No rubbers made better at any price.

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Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men.

The Cass City Grain Go.

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

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

Western Corn Have just received a car load of western corn which is for sale in small or large quantities.

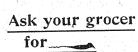
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We are better prepared to take care of you than ever. We grind every day in the week.



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These are the best flours on the market.

Prompt attention to all kinds of Custom

Free delivery to any part of the city. Call Phone No. 1.

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COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Must Be Reported to the Proper Officials of the Township.

Cass City has been very fortunate during the past few years having been troubled but little with dangerous communicable diseases. Much of the credit for their non-existence is due to Health Officer Deming, who is ever on the alert to prevent their introduction into the community.

This week Mr. Deming gave the Chronicle a circular issued by the State Board of Health which he desired published. It relates to diseases which householders are required to report. The gist of its contents is as

"The diseases declared, in October 1903, by the State Board of Health to be dangerous communicable diseases, arranged in the order of their importance as causes of deaths in Michigan in recent years, the most important ones first, are as follows: Consumption, pneumonia, cerebro-spinal meningitis, typhoid fever, dyphtheria, whooping-cough, measles, scarlet fever, smallpox, glanders, rabies (hydrophobia).

"The law requiring householders to report dangerous communicable dis-

eases, is as follows: "SEC. 4452. Whenever any householder, otel keeper, keeper of a boarding house, or enant, shall know, or shall be informed by a

"The use to be made of such reports is not the same for all diseases, because the manner of spreading and the best measures for the restriction are not the same for all diseases. Relative to each such disease these facts are published by the State Board of Health, and a pamphlet on any one of these diseases will be sent to any person interested who requests it from the office of the Board at Lansing."

MEETING OF DIRECTORS.

The Board of Directors of the Tuscola County Farmers' Mutual Insurance company met at the office of the secretary in Caro, Nov. 10, to look into the financial condition of the company and consider other important matters. Although the losses have been the greatest of any one year since their organization, they will not make any assessment this season. The advance premium collected at time of writing insurance will carry the company through this year without any special assessment. A large percentage of the losses during the season have been from lightning, nearly \$10,000 worth of property was destroyed from this cause alone and about one-half covered by insurance. The Board found everything in the secretary's office in good shape. The total amount paid for losses this year will be about \$10,000. The Insurance Commissioner paid the company his annual visit and after an examination of the books stamped his O. K. on the company and complimented them for the businesslike manner in which they do things.

THANKSGIVING DINNER.

The Epworth League will serve a dinner in the dining parlors of the M. E. church at twelve o'clock on Thanksgiving day. Preparations have been made to serve a large company and the following menu will certainly prove a drawing card.

Roast Turkey with Dressing Cranberry Sauce Mashed Potatoes Cabbage Salad

Butter Pumpkin Pic Mince Pie

TIMELY ADVICE.

When a man playfully points a pistol or gun at yeu, knock him down; don't stop to inquire whether it is loaded or not, knock him down. Don't be particular where you hit him, only see that it is properly done. If a coroner's inquest is held, let it be on the other fellow-he won't be missed.

Farm for Sale.

Forty acres on Sec. 21, Elkland, two miles north of Cass City. HAYES.

BRENNER STILL IN JAIL.

Samuel Brenner, of Harbor Beach, bankrupt merchant, has now been in jail over a month at Bay City for contempt of court and apparently he will stay there indefinitely. Brenner convinced Judge Swan, of the United States court, that he was lying and the court sent him. He has to account for considerable property, or cash equivalent, and refuses to do so. His story of what he did with \$1000 cash has been proven false and, as Brenner hangs on, he is remaining where the court put him. An attempt was made by relatives to raise sufficient money to make good the amount specifically wanted by the court, but only \$600 of \$1000 could be secured.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Contributed by Ora McKim. Nelson Wright visited the grammar

room Friday. Lena Fairweather acts as pianist

Daisy Bond entered the eighth

grade this week. The zoology class have started the

study of the vorticella. Mr. Weaver was a pleasant caller in

the Kindergarten room this week. Goldie Rosebrook and Eva Starr

entered the second grade this week. Buel Starr and Gladys Rosebrook entered the Kindergarten this week. John Reagh spelled down in this week's spelling match in the gram-

mar room. Jacob Anthes, a sixth grader, who has been visiting in Canada, returned

to school this week. The tardy roll in the second intermediate department presents a very lonesome appearance this week.

Anna Demode and Nelson Wright entered the second intermediate department this week making a total enrollment of 53.

The music class of the third and fourth grades have a choir made up of children who are able to read music, composed of Carolla Fritz, Jessie Duncanson, Don Pray, Gladys Parker, Ella Ball, Ella Wallace, Leone Kile, Eva Hutchinson, Archie McFail, Ray

Yakes and Seva Withey. The program for rhetoricals this veek is as follows: Declamation, Time" Florence Sweet; violin solo, 'Angels' Serenade," Joe Benkelman; debate, "Resolved, Japan is in the right." Affirmative, Dan Duncanson and Effie Wallace. Negative, Frank Utley, Cerlista Crawford. Piano solo,

'Ours," Ethel McGregory. The pupils of the high school were very much pleased to receive the information that the Cass City High school has been entered on the accredited list of the Chicago University, our school having 16½ points while the university required only 15. The university inspector will visit our school sometime during this year.

THE CHRISTMAS DELINEATOR.

The December Delineator, with its message of good cheer and helpfulness, will be welcomed in every home. The fashion pages are unusually attractive illustrating and describing the very latest modes in a way to make their construction during the busy festive season a pleasure instead of a task, and the literary and pictorial features are of rare excellence. A selection of Love Songs from the Wagner Operas rendered into English by Richard de Gallienne and beautifully illustrated in colors by J. C. Leyendecker, occupies a prominent place, and a chapter in the Composers' Series, relating the Romance of Wagner and Cosima, is an interesting supplement to the

Rooms to rent. Inquire of N Hill at the Marble Works. 11-18-to

COST OF LIVING

in Eight Years.

The cost of living is a household wages during this period of 16.6 per in 1896, when it was 95.5 per cent of cent. The inquiry into the cost of the average price from 1890 to 1899. living shows that living for working- The highest price was in 1902, when men's families having under \$1,200 in- it was 110.9 per cent of the average come per year, had an increase of 15.5 price of the period. The average cost per cent. In order to ascertain this of food per family in 1890 was \$318; in average increase, the labor bureau se- 1896, \$296; in 1902, \$344 and 1903, \$342. cured the income and expenditure in detail of 2,567 families in 33 states, re- at this office.

tail prices being taken. The statement shows that the 2,567 families Living Expenses Have Increased 11.5 Per Cent | consisted of an average of 2.31 persons and that the average income for the year 1901 was \$827, the average annuproblem the world over, and one that al expenditure for all purposes \$768 and has to be met successfully to keep the average expenditure for food, \$326 body and soul together. Mr. Carroll, per family. The principal items of commissioner of the government labor expenditure were: Food, 42.54 per bureau, in his 18th annual report gives cent of the total expenditure; rent, the results of a comprehensive inquiry | 12.95 per cent; clothing, 14.04 per cent; into the cost of living since 1896 and taxes, insurance, organization dues, into the average wage rate during religion, charity, books and newspathose periods. The showing so far as pers, amusements, sickness and death concerns wages has been made public and intoxicating liquors, 14.51 per heretofore, an investigation of 519 oc- cent. Each family consumed 349 cupations representing 67 industries pounds of fresh beef during the year, in 3,429 separate establishments hav- at the cost of \$50. The lowest avering shown an average increase in age price of food from 1899 to 1903 was

House for rent or sale. Enquire t this office. 11-18-4 or tf

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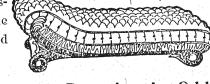
All of which we guarantee.

L. I. WOOD & CO., Druggists

For the next fifteen days I place on the market a shipment of

Couches direct from the Factory

Several new styles of adjustable Sofas along with a fine line of Velour, Plush and Leather Goods.



Some Great Bargains in Odd **Dressers and Commodes**

I have the finest line of Rockers that was ever seen in Cass City.

100 Different Styles

to select from. Our general furniture line is complete and our prices please them all. Ask to see the Prairie Grass Goods.

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.

HERE, MICH., Nov. 18, 1904.

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COAL, WOOD & COKE Dealers in FUELS TO BURN

TERMS: Quicker the Sooner.

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Your coal bill will figure out this way with a Retort Oak.

The \$8.06 represents the gas element which is wasted in any other stove. How long will it take to waste the price of a "Retort Oak?"

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CASS CITY, - - MICHIGAN.

THE GRIDIRON.

How the U. of M. and Chicago Fought

for Victory. During the four years that the U. of M. has held the championship of the west on the football field there has the swift and skillful playing of Ohiplayers the shivers. The errors made by the home eleven were costly.

Four touchdowns were made by the Ann Arbor eleven, all earned by hard played football, marked by a few brillint dashes through, but by one run Alle of any great length—that a sprint for 45 yards made by Heston—the ball being advanced generally by the onslaughts of Heston, Tom Hammond and Longman, varied at times, until his legs gave out and he was unable Bay Bay Bay to continue at this line of work by quarterback runs by Norcross, Three of these touchdowns came in the first half, and one, the one above referred Calh to, in the second. Chicago got one in Cass each half, the first being earned by Cha great exhibition of line bucking, after Che an error of judgment in the backfield had put the U. of M. within striking distance of the goal. The other was fluky in its nature, Eckersall snatching Cray the ball out of the air after one of Michigan's too numerous fumbles, and running unblocked for 35 yards for a Eato touchdown.

The second half was a hard-fought Gene and resulted in a score of 22 to 12 in Goge favor of Michigan. The attendance was not less than 10,000. Numerous special Gra trains brought in thousands from Chicago, Detroit and other parts of the

THE MARKETS.

Live Stock Prices.

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Detroit—Extra dry-fed steers and helfers, \$4 50; steers and helfers, \$1,000 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 75@4 25; grass steers and helfers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 50; grass steers and helfers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 50; grass steers and helfers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 25@2 75; choice fat cows, \$2 75@3 25; good fat cows, \$2 25@3; common cows, \$1 25@1 75; canners, \$1@1 50; choice heavy bulls, \$2 75@3 35; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$2@2 25; stock bulls, \$1 50@2 15; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$3@3 50; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$2 50@3; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$2 50@3; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs, \$1 75@2 25; stock helfers, \$2@2 15; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$40@50; common milkers, \$20@30.

\$20@30.
Milch cows and springers—Good grades strong, common steady at \$20 @50.

Weal calves—Market steady at Thursday's prices; best grades, \$6@6 75; others, \$4@5.
Hogs—Market active at about last week's prices. Light to good butchers, \$4 90@5; pigs, \$4 65@4 70; light yorkers, \$4 85; roughs, \$4@4 25; stags one-third off. ers, \$4 85; roughs, \$4@4 25; stags one-third off.
Sheep—Market active and 10@15c
higher. Best lambs, \$5 35@5 50; fair
to good lambs, \$5 35 25; light to common lambs, \$3 50@4 50; yearlings, \$3@
3 50; fair to good butcher sheep, \$3@
3 25; culls and common, \$1 50@2 50.

Chicago—Good to prime steers, \$6 10 @7; poor to medium, \$3 75@5 90; stockers and feeders, \$2 10@4 05; cows, \$1 75@4 50; heifers, \$1 75@5 50; canners, \$1 35@2 45; bulls, \$2@4 30; calves, \$3 50@7 15; western steers, \$3 75@5 15.

Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$4 95@ 5 20; good to choice heavy, \$5 10@ 5 20; rough heavy, \$4 80@4 90; light, \$4 90@5 20; bulk, \$4 95@5 10.

Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4 40@4 85; fair to choice mixed, \$3 70@4 25; native lambs, \$4 25@6 25.

4 25; native lambs, \$4 25@6 25.

East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5.25@5.75; few prime, \$6; best shipping steers, \$4.25@4.75; good, 1,050 to 1,000 do, \$3.25@3.75; best fat cows, \$3.25@3.50; fair to good, \$2.50@2.75; trimm ers, \$1@1.50; best fat heifers, \$3.32.25; medium heifers, \$2.50@2.75; common stock heifers, \$2.25@2.25; best feeding steers, \$3.50@3.75; best yearling steers, \$2.50@2.75; common stock steers, \$1.75; export bulls, \$3.25@3.50; bologna bulls, \$2.25@2.25; little stock bulls, \$2.25@2.25; little stock bulls, \$2.25@2.25; little stock bulls, \$2.25@2.25; little stock bulls, \$2.25@2.50; The trade on cows today was steady. Good to extra, \$40@50; medium to good, \$28@35; common, \$15@2.2 Calves, best, \$7.50@7.75; fair to good, \$5.75@7; heavy, \$3.24.50. Hogs—Pigs, \$4.90@5; yorkers, \$5.15.65.20; mixed, \$5.20@5.25; mediums, \$5.25@5.35; heavy, \$5.25@5.35; roughs, \$4.40@4.50. Sheep, top lambs, \$5.90@6; fair to good, \$5.55.65.85; culls and common, \$4.50@5.25; mixed sheep, \$4.04.25; fair to good, \$3.75@4; culls, bucks, \$2.03; yearlings, \$4.50@4.75.

Grain, Etc. Grain, Etc.

Detroit—Wheat—No. 1 white, \$1 21; No. 2 red, spot, \$1 22 bid; December, 5,000 bu at \$1 20½, 5,000 bu at \$1 20%, 10,000 bu at \$1 20%, 10,000 bu at \$1 20%, 5,000 bu at \$1 21; May, 10,000 bu at \$1 20%, 10,000 bu at \$1 20%, 5,000 bu at \$1 20%, 10,000 bu at \$1 21; No. 3 red, \$1 14 per bu.

Corn—No. 3 mixed, 60c; No. 3 yellow, 3 cars at 62c; by sample, 1 car at 60c per bu.

3 cars at obs, 2 per bu.
Oats—No. 3 white, spot, 1 car at 33c, 2 cars at 33¼c, closing nominal at 23¼c per bu.
Rye—No. 2 spot, 1 car at 87c per bu.
Beans—November, \$1 64 bid; February, \$1 66 bid.

Chicago—No. 2 spring wheat, \$1 10 @ 1 15; No. 3; \$1 04 @ 1 12; No. 2 red, \$1 16 % @ 1 18; No. 2 corn, 56 % @ 57c; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 oats, 31 % c; No. 3 white, 30 % @ 31 % c; No. 2 rye, 80 % e; good feeding barley, 38 @ 38 % c; fair to choice malting, 41 @ 52c.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending Nov 19. LYCEUM THEATER-"Paris by Night." Mat. Wed. and Sat. Eve. 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c. LAFAYETTE THEATRE-"Michael Strogoff."

Prices, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50: Mat. Wednesday, Saturday; best seats 25c. WHITNEY THEATER. -- "The Waif's Paradise" Crime: Mat., 10e, 15e, 25c. Eve. 10 20 and 30c. TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND--Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50. AVENUE THEATRE-- Vaudeville--Afternoons 15 25, and 50c. Evenings, 25, 35, 50 and 75.

Russian Losses.

A corrected casualty list of the tenday battle of the Shakhe river issued by the Russian war office places the total of killed or wounded at 33,250. of whom 900 were officers. The first returns, it is explained, contained duplications, and some of the men were so slightly wounded that they returned to the ranks in a few days.

Chicago had 43 suicides in October. King George of Saxony leaves \$40,-000,000

Nine presidential tickets are in the field this year.

Showing What's Doing In All Sections of the State

SCHOOL MONEY.

Number of Scholars.

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rlevoix		12,650
boygan		14,008
ppewa		17,783
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Mackinac Macomb Manistee 9,664 Marquette 13.429 Mason 6,664 Mecosta 6,843 Icnominee -9.800Midland . . . 5,070 Missaukee 3,330 Monroe 10,260 Montcalm 10,180 Montmorency ... 1,113 Muskegon 12,943 Newaygo 6,067 Oakland 11,230

Ogemaw 2.879 Ontonagon 1,871 Osceola 6,181 Oscoda Otsego Ottawa 13,714 Presque Isle.... 3,281 Roscommon Saginaw 27,020 St. Clair..... 17,706 St. Joseph..... 5,983 -8.820

Oceana 5,463

Shiawassee Tuscola 11,342 Van Buren..... 9,693 Washtenaw 11,893 Wayne109,740 Wexford 5,475 Totals743,330 \$1,895,491 50 Militia Officers. Commissions have been issued by the adjutant-general to Otto Kettner. second lieutenant, Co. F. Second infantry, Manistee; Loren Christoffersen. second lieutenant, Co. F, Second infantry; Guy A. Jimerson, first lieutenant, Co. L., Second infantry, Battle Creek; Amos R. Oxley, first lieuten-

> McCullagh, first lieutenant, Co. F. Third infantry, Saginaw.

> ant, and Fred N. Ciement, second lieu-

tenant, Co. K, infantry, Cheboygan; George A. Pettys, second lieutenant.

Co. A. Third infantry, Flint; Frank M.

Hold-up Men Are Busy. A reign of terror similar to the one Detroit experienced some months ago, by hold-up men, seems to be again the ity's fate. Three hold-ups were committed Saturday night and appear from the description to have been perpetratby the same two men who were responsible for those of Friday night. They make their victims deliver with a coolness that is startling, using revolvers as persuaders and taking everything of value, even to cheap watches

and pennies. Hydrophobia from Cattle.

James Foster and Edward Jones, of Ann Arbor for Pasteur treatment, hav- to trace the course of the bullet. health has ordered four cattle and two dogs killed.

The bodies of James H. Foote and Alfred Gaines, the two Detroit electricians who disappeared while hunting ducks in Goose bay, at the Flats, Sunday morning, were found Monday, in water four feet deep, near Chene Point, a short distance from the place they were last seen by Alexander Lempke, the other member of the party who was in the boat when it shipped water and went to the bottom. Foote was in a stooping position, his head but a few inches under water, while Gaines was lying flat on his They were but ten feet apart, back.

and 150 yards from Chene Point.

DEER! DEER!

The Semi-Annual Apportionment and The Gentle Deer Ruins a Farmer's Crops and He Wants Pay.

The semi-annual apportionment of A farmer at Fibre, Mich., a postoffice primary school interest money totals in the upper peninsula, has a grievance been a feeling that Trainer Fitzpatrick \$1,895,491.50 among the counties at which he has laid before the secretary and Coach Yost could and did and the ratio of \$2.55 for each of the of state. In a letter to the department would make the team invincible, but children of school age in the state. he says: "I want to explain to you Together with the apportionment last that the deer has eaten all my turnips. cago University's eleven was a sur- May, the total is \$3.10 for the year. I had two acres of turnips and now I prise, and for a time in the first half The amount each county will receive have not got a turnin, and they have gave the backers of the Ann Arbor and the number of children in each destroyed two acres of my peas. They have made a complete sweep of both and I can prove it if necessary. Now, gentlemen, if you are gentlemen, as I 85 suppose you are, you will act like men with me and pay me for their damage. 30 I value the peas at \$15 an acre and \$60 the turning at \$20 an acre. Now, gentlemen, if you do not pay me something for the grain and roots I will put an end to more deer than all the hunters from the lower peninsula. Now, I would like to explain the matter to you. They do not mind a scarecrow in cannot be killed only in November. Do you suppose a man has got to let his crop be destroyed in front of his eyes and cannot do anything about it? Now I have nothing to feed my hogs.'

New Electric Line. The Columbus, Marshall & Northeastern railroad has been revived and the construction from Montpelier, O., through Coldwater, Union City, Tekonsha, Marshall, Olivet, Lansing, to Bay City is assured. Two years ago John Seymour, of Hudson, graded the 15 road from Marshall to Olivet, and it is now practically ready for the steel. Work was stopped on account of a scarcity of funds, but L. M. Shute, of the firm of Shute & Arnold, contractors from New York, after having made a survey, says he can get the 00 cash and has signed a contract with H. E. Holton, president of the C., M. & N. E. railroad company, and will begin work at once. He says he will have the road ready for operation from Marshall to the point where the Grand Trunk runs two miles north 102,504 90 of Olivet within sixty days, but no 2,774 90 farther work will be done until next

Boy Hunters Shot.

spring.

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34,970 70

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31,780 65 Arthur Froydh, 17 years old, of 12,604 65 Grand Rapids, was shot and instantly 1,795 20 killed Sunday morning near Berlin, Ot-6,607 68 tawa county. Froydh and a compan-26,833 65 ion were hunting and while crawling 24,643 20 through a barbed wire fence the trigger of Froydh's gun caught in the 34.243 95 16,993 20 weeds and the full charge entered his 17,499 65 breast, piercing his lung and lodging 17,499 65 24,990 00 under his right shoulder blade. Ex-12,928 50 claiming, "I'm shot!" he sank to the 8,491 50 ground and expired before his compan-

25,959 00 ion reached him Fred Snyder, aged 16, of Mecosta, received injuries while hunting Sunday 33,004 65 from which he died later. He was standing on a fence with his gun rest-28,636 50 ing on a log at his feet and had his left 13,930 65 arm over the muzzle. The gun slipped from the log, striking a hammer the log, exploding the gun. Snyder's arm was blown completely off. He was removed to his home, but died late

that night. Died of His Wound.

As the result of his two wounds from the revolver of Manley Shears, Harley Hilliker, of Cadillac, died Tuesday. Evidence shows that Hilliker was drunk and endeavored to quarrel with Shears in the afternoon, but the latter left the pool room where Hilliker was. Again in the evening Hilliker entered the pool room and tried to quarrel with Shears, but the latter again started out and Hilliker followed him. When they had gone about a block they were heard apparently in a quarrel and in a short time a re-Shears volver report was heard. claims he did not shoot Hilliker, and all the evidence against him is cir-

cumstantial. Boy Needs Correcting.

Bertha Wolfe, 14-year-old daughter of David Wolfe, residing south east of Niles, was shot in the face by a boy, and according to her story the shooting was intentional. The bullet entered the girl's face on the right side of the nose a little above the mouth and she pulled it out herself. The boy who did the shooting in company with another youth was hunting and it is said went through the house defyin; the girls when they protested, and ordered them to go away. "Go on, I'll shoot your big nose off," said the boy and, taking aim, he fired his rifle. The bullet crashed through the window behind which Bertha was standing and struck her in the face. The boys, realizing what they had done, turned and fled.

Murderer Took Poison.

Mrs. Katherine Dorfs of Grand Rapids was shot in the mouth Wednesday night by Joe Adamski, and is probably fatally injured. The shooting occurred at the woman's home and is supposed to have started over a quarrel about some money matters. Mrs. Dorfs was taken to St. Mary's Rives Junction, have been taken to hospital. The physicians are unable ing been poisoned by cattle with hy- amski escaped. He has served time drophobia. Foster treated cattle in ab- here for theft. Adamski was found sence of a veterinarian and Jones unconscious Thursday morning on skinned an animal which died from Kalamazoo avenue by the police. He the disease. The cattle contracted the was at once taken to St. Mary's hosdisease from dogs. The board of pital, where he died a few hours later, health has ordered four cattle and two He had taken a large quantity of strychnine.

As the result of a boiler explosion on the Toledo tug Warnick, lying at the Great Lakes Engineering plant at River Rouge, Clarence Corey, aged 25, of Toledo, Ohio, fireman of the Warnick, died at the Solvay hospital at Delray. He was almost cooked alive. George Morris was also terribly scalded and will probably die. Louis Verne was also scalded, but the doctors at the Solvay hospital say that he will recover. Another deckhand whose name was not learned was also injured, but did not receive treatment at the hospital or by Dr. Belanger, who was called to attend the injured

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Flint will celebrate her fiftieth anniversary next spring.

The first snow in the lower counties came last year about the middle of Oc-

tober. Mrs. E. H. Pierce, a widow, of Trav erse City. lost her home by fire Saturday; loss \$1,200, with \$700 insurance. She and her invalid daughter will be

cared for by friends. The Coldwater old soldiers have or ganized a monument association and will endeavor to raise funds enough to purchase a bronze memorial tablet to

place in the cemetery. A Colon man has had a nice income from a bed of strawberries which has been yielding constantly since the last of September. He has picked and sold hundreds of quarts since that time.

The Kearsarge lode was encountered by the drill operated horizontally at the Allouez shaft. Houghton, at a depth of 1,090 feet. The ore extracted contains an excellent showing of cop-

Mrs. Tauner, of Benton Harbor, died from scalds received from the overturning of a pail of water heated by the child's mother for giving him a bath. So many applications have been made

you. They do not mind a scarecrow in for deputy sheriff jobs in Battle Creek the least. Now, the game laws say deer that Sheriff Charles B. Furner has issued an announcement that he will consider no applications until after December 15.

The daughter of William Alexander, of Traverse City, was taken ill Saturday in school. The doctor calls it

Benjamin F Bayles, of Decatur-heretofore convicted of assault with intent to murder one Sylvester Cole, of the same place, was sentenced by Judge Carl to from five to ten years at Jackson state prison.

The dedication of the Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind in Saginaw will occur on December 22 The buildings are nearing completion and it is thought they will be opened before the first of the year. A combination heating and lighting

franchise has been granted by the Morenci council to Dow and Fisher, who agree to light with gas or electricity, and to heat houses and business place: with gas, steam or hot water.

A jail delivery was frustrated by Sheriff Shepard of Adrian Wednesday night. Being allowed the run of the corridor the prisoners had tampered with the bolt of a door leading to a cell occupied by a dozen prisoners, fixing it so ft would not hold.

William Fulger, aged 15 years, of Lansing, was instantly killed Saturday while hunting with some young companiens. A rifle in the hands of Ro Chambers was accidentally discharged and the bullet passed through Fulger's head. All the parties lived in Lansing.

The public school system of Lansing was further crippled by fire in the Ce dar street building, due to an over-heated furnace. The loss is \$1,500. One of the schools is now conducted in a church, the building which housed it having been discovered to be unsafe

John Havens, aged 60, of Plainwell committed suicide by shooting himself through the temple. He was a prominent harnessmaker and implement dealer. He leaves a widow and son. Havens was injured last spring by a falling roof and suffered greatly

The total number of tons of coal mined in Michigan during the six months ending September 30, was 559,835; total cost of mining, \$915, 283.99; average cost per ton \$1.64. The total output was 16,395 tons less than the output for the four preceding months.

Attorney Alex. Moore has petitioned the United States court at Detroit to declare the Port Huron Steel & Screw Co. bankrupt. The company was or ganized about four years ago. The liabilities are said to be about \$75,000 and the assets one-third of this amount.

Two more of the convicts who escaped from Jackson prison last week were captured Wednesday. They are James Wilson, sent from Calhoun county on Sept. 8, 1900, for seven years for burglary, and Edward McPherson. of Ionia, sentenced Nov. 19, 1900, for

ten years for burglary. The body of Frank Boyer, aged 27. of Garden River, was found on the Canadian Pacific track about two miles from Sault Ste. Marie Saturday with the head completely severed from the body. It is supposed he was struck by a train which he did not see approach-

ing. He was recently married.

The University of Michigan union has been incorporated with President Angell at the head of the incorporators. The object of the association is "to promote the Michigan spirit by all possible means, to promote social intercourse among members, and to provide for them the conveniences of club house."

While duck hunting in a boat up the Pentwater river, William Hilliard in reaching for his gun to hastily shoot at a duck, discharged the weapon, frightfully mangling his right leg below the knee. His brother, who was with him, took him to the nearest physician, and the leg was ampu tated. He may not recover.

The first action in the Jennie Leaver and Myrtle Smith poisoning case was taken on Wednesday, the father of the Leaver ,girl instituting proceedings in court against Devan Bros., prorietors of the Lion saloon, and Geo Bridgeman, manager of the Gore block lrug store. The charge made is ilegal selling of liquor to the girl, Mrs. George Fischer, of Montrose

was badly burned about the face and hands Monday. She was pouring a quantity of gasoline from a can into a boiler which was upon the stove, when the heat caused the gasoline in the can to explode, throwing it into her face. In endeavoring to extinguish the blaze upon her clothing her arms and hands were frightfully burned.

One of the youngest electors in Michigan and probably the smallest in stature and weight in the United States, voted in Three Oaks Tuesday Theodore Roosevelt. His name is Clifford Green, 21 years of age, weight 56 pounds and 46 inches in hight.

Brief Chronicle of AH Important Happenings

KUROKI IS DEAD.

Killed by a Shell. Nemirovich Danchenko, the well known Russian war correspondent, tel-egraphing from Mukden on the 12th, says the reports of the death of Gen. northern Democracy against the Re-Kuroki are confirmed. According to his publican party, the south to east its version, the splinter of a shell struck vote independently in the electoral col-Gen. Kuroki, tearing out a pertion of lege." How far-reaching it will be,, his breast and abdomen. He died Oc- whether it will ever amount to what tober 4 at Lao Yang and his body was its advocates hope, is too far ahead to sent to Japan. A rumor is persistently say, but it is known that plans are on circulted that a kinsman of the mikado, foot for serious consideration of the Siaosanai, literally "Little Third future independent course of the south-Prince," has been appointed to succeed Gen. Kuroki, but the actual command cils. of the army has been entrusted to Gen.

Harry, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and ed. The Japanese positions at several points are only 800 paces distant from lows will be offered by a southern conours and must be considered to be definitely occupied by the enemy. The latter's fortifications are acknowledged by the south do not send delegates to native south delegate constructed. Their trenches in many electors from the southern states main-places are so cleverly concealed as not tain their old constitutional privilege to be noticeable a short distance away, and vote in the electoral college for the urday in school. The doctor calls it the earth removed being carefully smallpox and the school has been fumigated. Ten cases of smallpox exist general position causes a great tension by the offer to the south its greatest advised by the carefully presidential candidate, regardless of politics, who seems to them most like-greated. The cases of smallpox exist general position causes a great tension by the offer to the south its greatest advised by the carefully presidential candidate, regardless of politics, who seems to them most like-greatest advised by the carefully presidential candidate, regardless of politics, who seems to them most like-greatest advised by the carefully presidential candidate, regardless of politics, who seems to them most like-greatest advised by the carefully presidential candidate. on both sides.

PEACE PROPOSED.

Japan Offers, but Russia Rejects the

Propoxal.

Japan unofficially has made reprosentations to Russia looking to peace. This action has resulted in failure and such representations even private-Japan.

Although the suggestion of a pacific settlement was made unofficially, it and at Sinchinpu, on the Shakhe actually had behind it all the weight of an offer by the Japanese government. It was direct to Russia. No power acted as an intermediary. The proposition was put forward tentative—the Russian center has thrown advance by any mofficielly, so that the Japanese and Russians occupy the extreme ends of the Russian center has thrown advance by any mofficielly, so that the Japanese and Russian center has thrown advance by any mofficielly. ly and unofficially, so that the Jap posts across the Shakhe river. Both anese government would be in a posi- armies are still strengthening their potion to deny any report that it was sitions all along the line.

Evacuate Manchuria.

A dispatch from Washington conthe statement that Japan indicated her willingness to entertain peace suggestions from President Roosevelt or King Edward created much interest in London. Baron Hay

ashi, the Japanese minister, said: "After the fall of Port Arthur. treat for peace on no higher essential basis than that Russia should evacusimilar evacuation. The two great difficulties in the way of any suggestion of peace are, first, the apparent opposition of Emperor Nicholas's present advisers to a settlement of any kind; second, the preservation of Russian prestige. When a nation's prestige, if not gone, is severely impaired, it is a difficult matter even with the best of intentions to preserve it."

Mrs. Grover Cleveland performed the ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new building of the Hebrew Technical school for girls, now being erected in New York. Former President Develand acted as presiding officer of the exercises and delivered an ad-

TO STAND ALONE.

The Brave and Skillful Commander A New Political Move for the Southern

States. Several southern Democrats will, if

According to the present arrange-Nodzu, who is reviewing operations.

The advances for five weeks have closed, but the present lines of defense must be considered permanent in view talk over the south's political future. of the strong fortifications construct- Should this peaceful conference mater-

all competent persons to be skillfully tional Democratic conventions, that the vantages.'

Should such a resolution be passed it would be referred to the several state committees and by them to the people of the states for ratification.

Within Stone's Throw.

The Russian and Japanese armies, extending from Bentsianutze east to the Liao river west at places are ally, are not likely to be repeated by most within a stone's throw of each other. At Bentsiaputze, not more than 400 yards separate the advance posts.

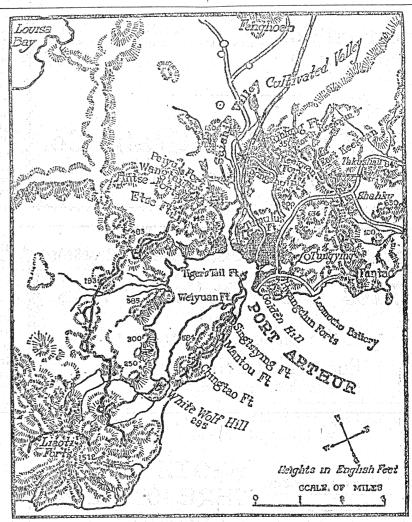
suing for peace

The failure of these direct negotiations, however, resulted in bringing intervention within a measurable discontinuous discon The slightest movement on either of the Russian outposts in considerable force, but the Russians had been warned and the Japanese were repulsed. They were not able to take away all their killed or wounded, leaving 28 bodies on the field. The Russians lost only nine men.

Slaughter of Russians.

Instructions have been sent to Gen. Nogi, in front of Port Arthur, to use Japan would, I believe, be ready to all possible means to restrain his men when his final assault on the Russian fortress has been successful. Grave ate Manchuria, Japan also agreeing to fear is felt that, should the Russian commander insist on fighting to the last, all that can be done by the Japanese officers will not prevent a slaughter of the Russians. The Japanese troops are wrought up to a high state of tension by cruelties practiced by the Russians on their wounded, and by the useless slaughter of their comrades, and the feeling is intensely bitter among the Japanese privates. The officers, also, have this feeling of bitterness, but can be depended upon to doall possible to restrain their men.

> Joplin, Mo., contains so many hobos that a convention is supposed to be on. Denver is to have a fish hatchery, capacity 25,000,000 trout yearly. This is a fish story.



Map showing the direction from which the Japanese made their great effort to take Port Arthur.

The new armored cruiser West Vir-22.14 knots per hour in her official to be served on election day. speed trial over the Cape Ann course. The contract called for 22 knots.

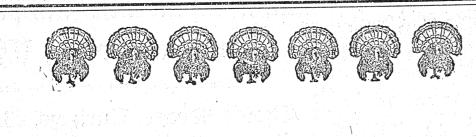
The home of Julius Weber, a wealthy resident of Aurora, Cal., has Master Paul Weber perished. It is thought also that the remains of Mr. Whitehall this year, and the hunters Weber will be found in the debris. Suspicious-looking wounds were found on the little boy in the shape of cuts on the head and a bullet wound was found in the mother's breast.

Thousands of warrants for alleged ginia developed an average speed of illegal voters are ready in New York Alex. Kiss, hanged in Newton.

Mass., for wife murder, was one-eyed, one-legged and one-armed. F. T. Hanshaw has returned to New

been burned to the ground, and Mrs. York from Klondike with \$100,600, Weber, Miss Bertha Weber and made since last February. Ducks are unusually plentiful near

> are quite successful in securing them. Agnes Green, schoolma'am in Nevada, Ia., fed soap to little boy pupil who said naughty words in school. Boy nearly died. Agnes resigned.



THANKSGIVING ON THE FARM

ts pumpkin heaps in the rambling shed,
And its apples brown and green and red,
And in its cellar its winter store
In bins that were filled and running With all the things that a farm could keep,
In barrel and bin and goodly heap,
Hung to the rafters and hid away—
Oh! the farm was a goodly sight that
day!

And here and there were the Jersey stock, The sheep and horses—old Prince and The sheep and horses—old Prince and

Jock—
The turkeys and geese and awkward
calf,
And the goat that made the children
laugh,

And the goat that made the children
laugh, calf,
And the goat that made the children laugh,
A pair of mules that a friend had sent
Out to the farm on experiment;
Pigeons and fowls and a guinea-pig.
Dogs that were small and dogs that
were big, Chickens that were white and black and gray—
Oh! the farm was a pleasant place to Oh! 'twas a glorfous sight that day!

Out back of the house the orchard stood.
Then came the brook and the chestnut wood,
The sawmill where the children play,
The fodder barn with its piles of hay.
The walnut grove and the cranberry bog.

Oh, the farm was bright than and corn.
The sun shone clear on the hay and corn.
The guests came early with laugh and shout.
And the boys and girls scattered about, Seeking the pets they had known before. Climbing through window instead of door. The woodchuck hole and the barking dog,
The wintergreen and the robber's cave
(Wherein who entered was counted
brave),

Oh! the farm was bright, Thanksgiving The skating pond with its fringe of morn,
With its stacks of hay and shocks of Oh! the farm was a pleasant sight that
corn.

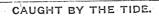
day!

The big home-barn was a place of joy For the romping girl and the climbing

For the romping girl and the chimons boy,
With beams and mows and ladders to mount,
Horses and oxen and sheep to count;
Hunting of nests of sly old hens,
Tunnelling hay and fashioning dens,
Helping the men to do up the chores,
Shutting windows and locking the doors,
Letting some work come in with the Oh! the farm was a jolly place to stay!

quince,
Cranberry sauce and puddings and rice,
The dessert dishes that look so nice,
Vegetables, breads and bonbons sweet.
A great brown turkey and plates of

Oh, the farm was bright Thanksgiving door,
Racing from barn to corn-crib or mill.
Shouting and laughing with glee, until
The dinner horn sounded. Oh, I say
"Twas pleasant upon the farm that day!



Thief Had to Give Himself Up or Be Drowned.

"Honest John" Corbett, the veteran city jailer, has probably arrested as many criminals in his time and engaged in as many desperate fights as any man in the police department Last night while seated in the police station he told of one of the first burg lars he ever arrested in Seattle.

"In those days," said Corbett, "we didn't have any uniforms, or anything like that. I was walking a beat away down where the Grant street bridge is now. I saw a burglar, as I believed, with a bundle under his arms. I took after him, and he ran.

"The tide flats were just as muddy then as they are now, and that thief ran out into the mud. The tide was clear out. I didn't want to get ali over mud, so I shot a few times at the burglar. I shot away all the shells had and missed every time. I quit then. I waited there on the beach, keeping even with the burglar when he moved, until the incoming tide drove him in and I got him. It was either jail or drowning, and that fellow went to jail.—Seattle Post-Intelli-

Explains Colors of Eyes.

Prof. Wallaco of the School of Mines, Kimberley, says, Mr. Vincent Napier of the latter place suggested to him the possible explanation of the difference in color of the light reflected from the iris of the eyes of different people, and that it was in accordance with the natural law of protection against external influences. He pointed out that people hailing from regions where blue light is predominant-Swedes, Norwegians and sailors, for instance—have blue eyes, while near the equator or in sandy climes, such as South Africa, where intense yellow light is experienced, the eyes take a rich dark yellow hue, as those of the Kaffirs and Malays, Italians and Spaniards. The Scotch have blue, the English gray and the French dark eyes, generally speaking,

Practicing Medicine at 90.

Longevity of Irishmen is proverbial. but even in that country for a doctor to be in practice at the age of 90 is unique. Dr. Woods of Birr has that distinction, and at the last meeting of the district board of guardians it was decided to grant him a full superannuation allowance.

Popular with his patients, whom he visited on a bicycle, the venerable practitioner strenuously objected to retiring when the proposal was first brought forward. He urged that he was willing and able to earn his salary, and did not wish to take money from the public that he did not earn

Marienbad in Silhouette.



A clever silhouettist thus recorded his impression of King Edward's visit

to the picturesque watering place. Lucky Find of Chopin's Music. The twentieth Nocturno of Chopin was lately discovered by the merest accident, and it is said to be finer than all the known pieces of that composer. Jacob Tobanja, a well known Venetian, traveling in Switzerland, bought of a music dealer a volume of musical compositions in manuscript. The dealer had no idea of its origin and Tobanja was only interested in the curious handwriting. Coming home, he examined the quarto, and a couple of pages that had been folded up attracted his attention. With the aid of a magnifying glass he deciphered the signature and title "Nocturno, opus 20, Chopin."

Mexico's Fat Indian Girl. Mexico can boast of one of the fat-

test women in the world. This remarkable personage is Chicha Alvarez, a young Indian woman, 18 years of age. She is a native of a small village in the state of Chipas.

Her weight is at present 598 pounds and she is still growing. Her present rate of increase is 50

pounds annually. She is normal in intellect and is actively awake to all that is around her, although she moves about but little. Woman Not Easily Daunted.

A few miles from Big Rapids, Mass., resides a woman who cultivates a truck farm and hauls her produce to the city. The roads on her route are not the best, nor even second best at this season, and so she takes an axe, and whenever her wagon hits a root, or any obstruction that can be removed by cuts or blows, she stops her team and, getting out, whacks

Sharks Turned to Good Use. Gradually uses are being found for the sharks. Now jelly and soup are made from their fins, fine machinery oil from their liver, walking sticks from their backbones, and leather

A SPINSTER SAYS THAT-

The wise man who boasts of his wisdom is a fool.

The more horse sense a man has the less he bets on the races.

A' man is seldom any better than the law compels him to be.

Most men who have nothing to do are fully qualified for doing it.

It is unwise to judge a man's wisdom by the size of his silk hat.

The man who does his fighting in his mind always comes out victorious. No man who paints his nose cught

to kick if his wife paints her cheeks. A man loses confidence in his

friends when they refuse to lend him

money. It's a pity the self-made man wasn't in a position to select a better grade

of material. When a man of mature years acquires the cigarette habit it is easy

to see his finish. A bachelor always feels sorry for a pretty girl who throws herself away on some other man.

A tea-kettle sings when it is merely full of boiling water; but man, proud man, is no tea-kettle.

It takes lots more religion to hold a man level in a horse trade than it does to make him shout at a camp meeting.

Some men are so busy telling what they would do if they had an opportunity that they let the opportunity slip by unobserved.

GROWLS OF A DYSPEPTIC.

Some people spend all their lives looking behind them.

It doesn't make a lightweight any

heavier to put on airs. Lots of excuses are so thin that you

can see through them.

Falling in love is largely the result of a vivid imagination.

The charity that begins at home doesn't need a press agent.

Some men's idea of economy is to buy two drinks for a quarter.

Blessings often come disguised, but

you can tell trouble a mile off. The fellow who makes the most

money isn't always the one who dies

Many a man consents to argue with his wife bescause she has so few other pleasures.

Advice is generally wasted, especially, if it comes from a bachelor to a married man.

A poor excuse is better than none, but the same rule doesn't apply to poor relations.

Some men get so used to looking for work that a mere needle in a haystack would be a cinch.—New York Times.

THE BACHELOR CYNIC.

A lovers' quarrel often serves to

break the monotony of happiness.

It's a mistaken idea to suppose that he laughs best who laughs loudest.

A woman is never too old to flirt, and a man is never too old to learn.

The girl who is "out of sight" isn't

generally the one who is out of mind.

When a girl has freckles she sympathizes with the leopard, who cannot change his spots. It is better policy to depend upon

your own strength rather than upon your enemy's weakness. The difference between firmness and stubbornness is merely the differ-

ence between a man and a woman. It's hard luck to be on your uppers,

but no man would care to be as completely broke as the Ten Con.mandments.





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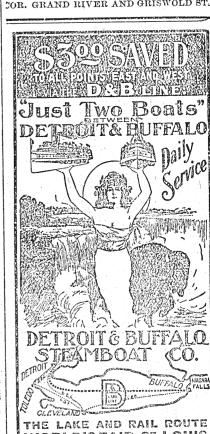
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Uncle Isaac's Matchmaking

Ejanthacouth Winters, "I never did see a turkey fat up nicer'n that one! I tell you, Pa, it's too good for jest you an' me to set down to. Hadn't we ought to invite somebody to help eat Thanksgivin' dinner?" Aunt Nancy paused in her task of stripping the feathers from the turkey in question, and

beamed placidly upon Uncle Isaac through her gold-bowed "specs." Uncle Isaac Winters rubbed his hands together gleefully, and a genial smile overspread his face. "Jest like you, Nancy, to think about somebody sharin' your blessin's. To be sure, to be sure, have somebody in to help dispose of that feller. Who'll you in-

"Well," said Aunt Nancy, reflectively, "I've a notion to ask Marietty Peabody, poor, lonesome old maid! I don't know as there's a soul in the village that would enjoy a nice piece of breast meat an' sage stuffin' an' Hubbard squash an' mashed potaters an' gravy an' mince pie an' pumpkin pie better'n she would. I do believe she lives pretty slim sometimes."

Aunt Nancy sighed a motherly sigh, and looked thoughtfully at the big turkey lying across her lap. "'Pears to me Marietty done a foolish thing when she give Silas Plummer the mitten the way she did years ago. I wish she was married an' settled down in a home of her own. Silas would be a good provider an' Marietty she's a neat housekeeper-neat as wax-an' seems to me they could be real happy

together." Uncle Isaac sat down on the edge of the wood box and looked at Aunt Nancy's kind old face. "S'pose we try an' make a match betwixt 'em," he suggested. "It's high time that old spat of their'n was cleared up. Let's see-it's as much as ten year, ain't it, since they quit speakin' to each other? I say let's ask 'em both here to dinner to-morrow an' see how it'll

turn out." Aunt Nancy stared at him in amazement. "Isaac Winters," she said, "be you clean gone crazy? Why, the very idee! A pretty Thanksgivin' it would be, wouldn't it, with them two glarin' at each other an' never sayin' a word! My! my! you don't know Marietty Peabody, I guess, or Silas Plummer either, if you think you could pacify 'em at this late day."

"Well," said Uncle Isaac, meekly, "you know best, Nancy! you always know best. I thought mebby it would work all right, but that's all a fool man knows about sech things. Think I'd best hitch up an' drive down to invite Marietty? Jest as soon if you want I should." Aunt Nancy turned the big turkey

over laboriously. "Why, yes, Pa," she

said, "you better go. Give Marietty

my compliments an' ask her to spend

Thanksgivin' with us. If she's goin'

to meetin' to-morrow she'll likely ride home with you in the cutter." When Uncle Isaac returned, an hour later, he remarked: "Marietty seemed awful tickled about your invite, Nancy, an' she said she wa'n't goin' to meetin'-she hadn't a new

"Well, I declare!" said Aunt Nancy | early an' help fix things for dinner | hospitable soul was filled with conan' then you an' her could visit long-

er, she said." "Well," said Aunt Nancy, "that's real good of Marietty. There'll be quite a lot of work fixin' the vegetables an' such, an' I guess she can help me quite a little. I'm real glad

she's comin', poor soul!" The next morning when Uncle Isaac, in his Sunday clothes, came into the kitchen and lifted his chin high so Aunt Nancy could adjust his collar button and necktie, the dear old lady said: "If I was you, Pa, I'd look all over the meetin'-house an' pick out the lonesomest-lockin' person there—anybody you think ain't invited nowhere to Thanksgivin' dinner-an' ask 'em to come along home

with you." "Anybody." asked Uncle Isaac.

'Did you say anybody, Nancy?" Aunt Nancy started swiftly toward the oven door. "Land sakes! I believe that turkey's boilin' dry," she said, as she opened the oven door with a clang and poured hot water into the sizzling roasting-pan. Her

rosy face peered into the big, savorysmelling oven. "Yes," she said, "ask anybody you

think looks lonesome." Uncle Isaac drove off to meeting with a merry jingling of sleigh bells. He chuckled to himself as he drove along. "I shouldn't wonder if Silas Plummer would be lookin' kind of lonesome to-day," he said. "Great guns! Who'd ever think I'd take to

matchmakin' at my time o' life?" When the Thanksgiving sermon had been preached and the last hymn sung, the congregation moved toward the doors. Silas Plummer buttoned his overcoat and prepared to go his lonely way. But Uncle Isaac, unhitch-

ing the old white horse, called to him. "Hold on, Silas," he said, "don't you want to ride along with me? An', say, by the way, Nancy said she'd like first-rate to have you eat Thanksgivin' dinner with us."

Silas Plummer hesitated-and was "Much obliged, Uncle Isaac," lost. he said; "you and Aunt Nancy are very kind, but I was calculatin' on goin' to the restaurant for my din-"Restaurant nothin'!" cried Uncle

an' we'll be goin'. Nancy'll be jest tickled to death!" But privately Uncle Isaac wasn't so sure of that. "Merciful Moses!" he thought, "mebby I've gone an' put my foot in it. But we'll wait an' see how it turns out. If Nancy scolds, I'll tell her the poor fellow looked lonesome, an' sure enough he did."

Isaac, jovially. "Come, pile in here

The cutter stopped at the side door with a jingle of bells. Aunt Nancy came to the window and looked out. "Of all things!" she said to herself, "what in the world possessed Pa to go an' do that! My land! what shall do? Here's Marietty an' there's Silas, an' they won't speak-I know they won't!"

Marietta was in the kitchen chopping cabbage, and did not see the newcomer, who was ushered into the thing to wear-an' she'd come over sitting room by Aunt Nancy, whose

flicting emotions. She resolved upon a desperate move. "Marietty," she said when she returned to the kitch en, "I guess that cabbage is chopped fine enough now. Won't you jest step into the settin'-room an' put some

wood in the stove." Marietta stopped chopping cabbage and filled her arms with wood from the wood box. She looked very nice in her best black dress and lace trimmed apron. The warm kitchen had given a flush to her cheeks and

the pink ribbon at her throat was very becoming. She went through the dining-room and into the sitting-room. Aunt Nancy, listening intently in the kitchen heard the sudden dropping of the armful of wood. "My sakes alive!" she said, "whatever shall I do. They'll both get mad an' go home most like-

ly. Dear, dear, what did Pa go an' ask him for?" In the sitting-room the wood lay on the rag carpet at Marietta's feet. She stooped to pick it up, but Silas was already gathering the sticks together. In some awkward way their

hands touched, and they looked at each other. "Marietty," he said, "can't we overlook the past? Can't we be friends again?" His earnest dark eves were looking into hers with the old look. Marietta held out her hands, and he caught them in his. The next mo-

ment his arm was around her and she was crying softly upon his shoulder. He was smiling at her in the old way which used to be so pleasant to her until that misunderstanding came between them. He took her hand and led her into the sunny kitchen where Aunt Nancy was about to take

Uncle Isaac to task. The good old people started in astonishment as Marietta and Silas entered hand in hand. The lovers look-

ed ten years younger.

"Aunt Nancy," said Silas Plummer, von an' Uncle Isaac have made a real Thanksgiving for me." "An' me too!" chimed in Marietta, with blushing cheeks. "Oh, Aunt

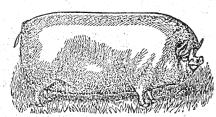
Nancy, we've made it up an' we're as good friends as ever!" She looked proudly up at the tall figure at her side. Love was in her eyes-love and pride. And in the face of Silas Plummer was a look of happiness which had long been a

stranger there. The dinner was a great success The big turkey was roasted to a delicious brown, the cranberry sauce was rich crimson, the mashed potatoes white as snowdrifts, and the Hubbard squash a golden yellow. The mince pie was Aunt Nancy's best. and the coffee was of her famous brewing. It was a glorious dinner, and Uncle Isaac said so after the guests were gone.

two wouldn't have known the difference if it had been plain salt pork an' johnny-cake. My! my! to think what a good matchmaker I am. It's just amazin', ain't it?" And Aunt Nancy smiled serenely

and said it was.

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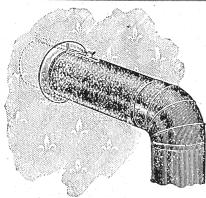
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THE CIGARETTE.

Victims of Cigarette Habit Lose All Honor and Self Respect. By Mrs. John A. Logan.

I have watched victims of the cigarette habit of mature years descend the scale of morality and ambition until honor, family and laudable aspirations were sacrificed to the demoniac indulgence of the habit that could not be given up, though everything else had to perish.

Stained fingers, offensive odors, nervousness, irritability, stupidity, infidelity and many other ills can be placed to the credit of cigarettes, but no good things can be enumerated that can be said to come from the use of cigarettes.

One has only to go to Turkey, Egypt, Russia, Spain and Spanish American countries to be impressed with the power of cigarettes to dwarf a people mentally, morally and physically.

If Americans do not listen to the pleadings of the benefactors of the nation and institute some measure whereby the cigarette mania shall be arrested and cured, the next generation will demonstrate the fatal work the cigarette is doing for the Amer-

Go into the prisons and poll the prisoners and see how many began their downward career by smoking clandestinely; see how many will confess to petty larceny from their parents and friends to buy cigarettes!

Not long since I happened to see two lads about twelve years of age smoking cigarettes in a drug store. Their manners were so bad and their cigarettes so offensive that I spoke to one of them, saying: "My boy, are you not afraid to smoke cigarettes?"

He took a long pull at the cigarette smoked since I was five."

His companion laughed immoderately. They were well dressed and looked as if they were sons of well-to do people. They were pert and had been addicted to the vicious habit long enough to seem like old dwarfs.

There is not a human being, young or old, who can smoke cigarettes and avoid the deadly consequences to district. They will be taken to their long and wide as the bed is to be, with their minds and bodies. They may be homes in Nebraska. smoked for years, but the insidious poison that permeates every fibre of the human body will do its work ef-

If they have no effect, why is it the victims of the habit are so seriously affected if they happen to be without them for a little time? The effect of cigarettes is not only physical, as everyone knows who has paid the

least attention to cigarette smokers. ettes may be sure of the deadening of per ton for beets testing 12 per cent or a cane setter. The latter is prefertheir moral sensibilities.

are influenced only by the meaner and the holier things of life.

WISE WOMEN SAY.

Don't, imagine that quantity of lovers makes up for quality of love.

Don't take the heroine of fiction as a working model for every-day life. Don't trample on a faithful lover or

condole the faults of a neglectful one. Don't wander into the quagmire of a platonic friendship with a married man.

Don't offer your love until it has been asked in all sincerity and rever-

Don't imagine that smart dressing will conceal an ill-groomed, badly car-

Don't put anything on paper you would be ashamed to have read aloud

Don't run down other girls to your men friends, or gush over them to your girl friends.

Don't pour your confidence into your friends' ears as though they were

bottomless cisterns. Don't fail to be as pretty as you can be through not exercising, bath-

ing and sleeping enough. Don't think that because you are engaged the entire family machinery should come to a standstill.

Don't forget that men will discuss and criticize your actions just the same as you and the other girls do Don't lose sight of the fact that a

gentlewoman is always more genuinely 7 00 9 25 12 35 caseville 2 45 6 45 6 15 gentlewoman is always more genuinely P. M. P. M. Ar. Lv. AM A. M. A M. attractive than any other kind of a Don't forget that the cook book and the thimble are more important in

tances as anything but friends until they have unmistakably shown themselves as something more.

Don't persuade yourself that those queer, melancholy feelings you are a prey to, are anything more than the "grow-ing" pains of heart and mind.

Don't disappoint your mother and father by treating home as a lodging place and themselves as persons to be worked for all you can get out of them, without any return in love or or consideration or companionship.

DROWNED ELECTION NIGHT.

H. Prestige, formerly of Gagetown, who has been living near Beacon Hill. was drowned election night while returning to his home in company with a young man, Wm. Kale. Part of the journey to Mr. Prestige's homestead in going home the two missed the with some pine. landing place and in turning the boat around to go back it was capsized by the heavy wind which was blowing. When Mr. Kale returned to consciousness he was lying among the rocks on the shore. At daylight he had recovered so that he continued his journey to the farm where he secured some dry clothing and procured something to eat. He then went to town and told his story. A crew was sent in search of the missing man as soon as the wind ceased, but they found only his mitten and the wreckage of the boat, and gave up the search as bodies are very seldom recovered from Lake Superior. On the 11th his body was found at Elm River near Ontonagon. Mr. Prestige leaves two children, a son, Clarence, of this place, and also a daughter. The remains were interred at Houghton.

L. T. L. NOTES.

Eva Johnson gave a recitation.

Ina Pray gave an instrumental solo. Cora Dingman gave a very pretty

Guy Lamb gave an instrumental solo, "The Pansy Waltz."

Ina Pray acted as organist last week n the absence of Edith Withey.

On Thursday we will have a debate before taking it out of his mouth, the subject of which is: "Which is to letting the smoke come out of his blame the saloon keeper or the drunknose, and replied: "Lord, no! I have en man for the crime the latter com-

MERE MENTION.

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Sugar Beet Prices.

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station will be placed at Cass City. The company will pay at the rate per cent and over of sugar, delivered by wagon and unloaded in its beet

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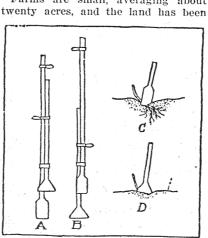
VINELAND SWEETS.

A Famous Crop In New Jersey and

How It Is Grown. Many years famed for the excellence of its sweet potatoes is the town of Vineland, N. J. Vineland sweets generally command 50 cents to \$1 per barrel more than those grown farther

The Vineland soil is gravel with some sand and is inclined to bake in dry weather. The subsoil is of similar nature, but sometimes contains some clay. Scientists call it sassafras gravelly loam. It is fairly retentive of moisture as land goes in south Jersey. is made by boat on Lake Superior and and the native wood is mostly oak,

Farms are small, averaging about



TOOLS FOR SETTING PLANTS. A, cane setter with tamp elevated; B, ditto lowered; C, pushing plant into soil; D, tamping plant.]

long under cultivation. Sweet potaloes are grown as a commercial crop on the great majority of Vineland sarms. The fields range from one to ten or twelve acres, but generally from five to ten acres. The standard variety is the Yellow Nansemond, but the Big Stem Jersey is grown by some and is more productive, says an American Agriculturist writer, from whose complete story of the Vineland sweets

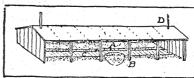
this brief account is adapted. The crop is principally grown upon commercial fertilizers, though a few farmers mix their own chemicals and some use manure in part. The popular grade contains about 3 per cent ammonia, 8 per cent phosphoric acid and 10 per cent potash and costs about \$28 cash or \$30 on time.

Plants are started in beds either with manure or by a bottom are. With a fire bed a hole for the fire Tuesday over the Pere Marquette six feet deep across the middle of the carrying the Russian laborers and space to be occupied by the bed. On their families, who have been at work each side of this fire hole the earth is in the sugar beet fields of the Thumb dug out about a foot deep, nearly as banks sloping inward. The space is The Yale schools have a cabinet in the fire with sheet iron and chinked the postoffice where meritorius work with sods. When this is framed in by of the scholars is placed on exhibition. side boards the loam is added, seed spread, covered and glass or cloth addfore the eyes of the public constantly ed as with a manure bed. At each end and thereby awaken a keener interest of the bed a section of stovepipe or large draintile is placed which extends into the smoke chamber and acts as flues. A bed 12 by 50 feet will make

> Beds are usually made about the 1st of April, but plants are not often set

in the field before May 15 to 20. From 9,000 to 10,000 plants are set It is simply two light canes, with a

tipped with a small spadelike face edged with rubber; the other ends in a flat iron presser about as large as the heel of a man's shoe. The root of the of \$5.00 per ton for beets testing 12 plant is pressed into the soil with the



SIDE VIEW OF FIRE BED. [A, bed; B, fire hole; C, covered passage for smoke; D, smokestack. The roof is covered with cloth or glass.]

spade cane and firmed with the other. The operation is very rapid, a man using his two hands and pushing down and pulling up at once. Two rows are set at once by shifting from one to the other, and a setter keeps up with two droppers. In fact, the droppers must move lively to keep ahead. A skillful operator can set 20,000 plants per day with this implement.

Potato Rosette Disease.

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PINGREE

Too laté for last week. Oscar Chambers moved to Pingree Robert Craig made a business trip

to Deckerville recently. Samuel Wheaton is doing some car-

penter work for John Fox. O. Summers of Grant is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J.

Chas. I. Cook is making some improvements on his farm south of Pin-

Stephen Chambers and wife called it Walter McFarlen's near Deford the

John Connel moved one mile north of Cass City to the Campbell farm to rumor to be false. work for the coming year.

SHABBONA.

Mrs. Burt Loucks and children are tussling with la grippe.

Wm. E. Haney is employed in the sugar factory at Caro.

Work has commenced on the Latter Day Saint church sheds.

to A. L. Johnson 32 32

CORRESPONDENTS

Correspondents are requested to send in their copy one day ture "A journey on four continents" Thanksgiving.

Miss Anna Lorentzen has left the employ of W. F. Ehlers.

Herb Ferguson and wife have again moved to their home at Coleman. Sabie Hyatt is assisting Mrs. W. F.

Ehlers with her household duties. Mrs. Alice Leslie of Cass City is

visiting old friends and relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. James Hilliker lost their little babe. The remains were are invited. interred in Riverside cemetery Thurs-

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Travis on Tuesday evening in honor of the

A yearling heifer has strayed from the premises of Wm. Meredith. Any information as to its whereabouts will be thankfully received.

John McAsh and little nephew, Kenneth Hamilton, left Saturday morning for a brief visit at his par-

ental home in Varina, Ont. Died, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Haley. The funeral services were held at Greenbank church and interment was made in Novesta

cemetery. The K. O. T. M. M. held a special meeting Wednesday night. A deputy cure. He writes, "a patient was atcommander of Port Huron gave a school of instruction to the members of the tent.

the proceeds of which were to be for the establishment of a school library. Proceeds \$11.50.

word on Monday morning by some unknown person that the latter's mother, Mrs. Orrin Stowell had dropped dead at her home near Deford. They started immediately but upon reaching there they were happily surprised to find her healthy and well and the

QUICK ARREST.

J. A. Gulledge, 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.,

KINGSTON.

Cletus King is not as well as usual. Mrs. Addie Weldon spent last week

The Swailes children were visitors n Clifford Saturday. Chas. Swailes and S. Mathews have

gone north hunting. Mrs. Pelton has been visiting friends at North Branch.

The Epworth League will serve oysters Saturday evening.

M. R. King of Reese was a visitor here the latter part of last week.

Merchants began Monday evening to close their stores at eight o'clock. O. M. Carpenter was in town last week looking after his elevator busi-

The first snowstorm of importance of the season occurred Sunday morn-

Mrs. Maynard and Walter have returned home from visiting friends in

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark and infant son of Wilmot visited friends in

town Sunday. Mrs. Pattan, Mr. Stopher and Mr.

Hinzman attended quarterly meeting at North Branch. Rev. Rundell of Caro gave his lec-

earlier next week on account of at the M. E. church Tuesday evening. L. Bartholomew and Chas. Meidlein

have purchased Mr. Purdv's livery and took possession last Friday. Mr. Purdy will move to Caro. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Payne returned

home from an extended visit with friends in York State last Thursday. They report a very enjoyable time. The Junior A. C. F., assisted by

the seniors will render a Thanksgiving program next Sunday at three o'cleck at the Baptist church. Reports from Albuquerque hospital

state that Brakeman E. F. Payne is fast recovering from injuries received of Mrs. Maria Hover. a few weeks ago at Maurielito .- From a Winslow paper.

their eleventh anniversary at the home of Mrs. F. Rossman. Twentytime is reported.

Mrs Wm. Collins returned home Monday from visiting friends at Lapeer. She attended the F. Baptist quarterly meeting at North Branch over Sunday on her way home.

A STARTLING TEST.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of North Mehoopany, Pa., made a starttacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters ex cellent for acute stomach and liver A shadow and box social was given troubles so I prescribed them. The in Ehlers' hall by Shabbona school, patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guar-Proceeds \$11.50.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Patch received

Are destroy guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles.

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TOWN-LINE.

Snow storm on the 13th.

Bert Lester is working in Caro. Geo. Alwood is putting down a well. Mrs. Clark is numbered with the

M. Braidy was at Hurd's Corners last week.

Lewis Slickton is moving onto his father's farm. John Hicks has moved onto his Darr's house. farm in Evergreen.

Geo. Retherford of Almont is visiting his son William.

Farnk Lester is doing a land office ousiness in cutting wood.

On Thanksgiving night at the home of John Retherford there will be a New England supper conducted by the W. C. T. U. There will be a good program in connection. All are invited. Supper 30 cents a couple.

WICKWARE.

Amos L. Sansburn will soon have he foundation of his house completed. Miss Maude Gracie began duties in the Chamber school, the former teacher resigning.

Chas. G. Putney, commissioner of schools of Sanilae county, made a pleasant call at this place Monday.

Miss Celia Lewis has returned to

ew weeks with Mrs. Giles Fulcher. Rev. McCallum of Deford will breach in the M. E. church Sunday evening. Everybody invited to come and hear a good sermon.

Miss Nettie Robinson, of Cumber, and Earnest Miller, of Port Huron, were united in marriage on Friday, the eleventh. Congratulations.

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.

That was quite a blizzard Sunday. John Spittler was in Cass City Mon

Glen Lockwood drove to Caro Mon-

Wm. McWebb was quite sick last W. A. Lockwood was in Cass City

Monday. One of Mat Parker's horses was sick Sunday.

P. W. Stone did business in Cass City Monday.

Florence Webster was on the sick list last week. Mrs. R. Webster was numbered

Mrs. E. F. Stone's brother and his this favor, mankind has despised him

ng to visit her.

DEFORD. Miss Edna Bruce is on the sick list

this week. Listen! perhaps you will hear wed-

ding bells in the near future. Albert Curtis is home from Eames where he has spent the summer.

for the northern country in the near Miss Edna Spencer of North Branch

Bertie Curtis expects to leave here

is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Spencer. The Ladies Aid will have a New England supper on Thanksgiving night. Supper served from to five to

EAST DAYTON.

A. Adams is still at work on his

Sam Anderson left last Wednesday

Mr. Simmons has moved back onto his place here.

or Gaylord for the winter. Arthur Cunningham is moving his family into the house lately purchased

Frank Watters and Nelson Colyer started Monday for Gaylord where The Lady Maccabees celebrated they will work in the lumber woods.

The Ladies of Bethel Aid will give a Thanksgiving dinner at the parsontwo were present and a delightful age. Bill 25c a couple, 15c a single

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. Thou-sands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdtown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis 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 from Co., Druggists. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes, 50c, \$1.00.

ARGYLE.

Henry Pettinger of Canada, visited his father a few days last week. Lant Hillicker and family have

moved into Jake Vatter's house,

Mrs. Amasa Walker went to Manistee on Tuesday to visit relatives. Mrs. Langenburg, who has been very ill, is much better at this writ-

Jake Vatter has taken possession of the Vatter house and is now its pro-

Mr. Eickenburger and family, of Wheatland have moved into Henry

Andrew McLachlan and son, Archie attended the funeral of Mrs. Lowe of Cumber on Tuesday.

Henry Anderson and Hattie Seeder were married in Sanilac Center on Tuesday. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Muellerweiss of Sebewaing visited at the home of Samuel Striffler a part of last week.

Ezra Hilliker had a plowing bee on

Tuesday. Mr. Hilliker has been sick the past week but is convalescent. The young people of Argyle gave Alex McCarty a pleasant surprise on Tuesday evening and report a good

Minnie Meredith and Grace Striffler attended the county Sunday school convention at Sanilac Center last

Thursday and Friday. Jake Freiburger, who has been spending a few days with relatives her home at Appin after spending a here, has gone to Bad Axe where he

has secured employment.

NEAR-BY NOTES.

The Reese Review has been enlarged to a six column quarto. It enjoys a liberal amount of advertising,

hence the increase in size. Chas. Reed, a young son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed, living near the sugar factory, was accidently shot by a 22 caliber rifle Friday last, the ball passing through his hand and entering his thigh.—Sebewaing Review.

Most of the wires on the old system of the Moore telephone lines at Caro have been removed from the vicinity of State street and the absence of a maze of overhead lines greatly improves the appearance of the business

Geo. Schweitzer, a farmer living near Linkville, was returning home from Pigeon last Friday night when his team accame frightened and ran away and threw him out breaking several ribs and injuring him internally, resulting in his death Monday.

–Elkton Advance. At last a good word is being spoken for the English sparrow. While the bug and the beetle department has been trying for months to find some means of destroying the "brown tail" and "gypsy moth" the English sparrow, it is discovered has been eating the pest by the million, thereby dowith the sick the fore part of the ing the incalculable good. And all the time the sparrow has been doing

wife of Newaygo came Monday even- and put a price on his head .- Ex. A probably fatal stabbing affray took place at Vassar Thursday night. H. Rohrer of Tuscola, aged 70, becoming intoxicated, was taken to the room of Giles Dennis. Dennis came back in about an hour, when Rohrer sprang from the bed yelling murder. and with a huge knife stabbed Dennis, the blade cutting a gash over four inches long and fully three inches deep, just below the heart. Rohrer was immediately placed under arrest.

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The First Umbrellas.

Those who suppose that the umbrella is a modern contrivance will be surprised to learn that umbrellas may be found sculptured on some of the Egyptian monuments and on the Ninevah ruins. That umbrellas bearing a close resemblance to those of to-day were in use long before the Christian era is shown by their representation in the designs on ancient Greek vases. The umbrella made its first appearance in London about the middle of the eighteenth century, when one Jonas Hanway, it is said, thus protected himself from the weather at the cost of much ridicule.-Harper's

Value of Eucalyptus Tree.

The Australian eucalyptus tree is being grown on a large scale in southern Europe and northern Africa because of its tendency to drain swamps. This was formerly supposed to be due to abundant exhalation of watery vapor from its leaves, but it has been shown that actually the transpiration of the eucalyptus is only one-half or one-third that of willows, birches and other trees, and It is therefore assumed that the phenomenon in question is due simply to the rapid growth of the eucalyptus,

An Honest Opinion.

Mineral, Idaho, Nov. 14th.—(Special.)-That a sure cure has been discovered for those sciatic pains that make se many lives miserable, is the firm opinion of Mr. D. S. Colson, a well known resident of this place, and he does not hesitate to say that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. The reason Mr. Colson is so firm in his opinion is that he had those terrible pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:

"I am only too happy to say Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me lots of good. I had awful pains in my hip so I could hardly walk. Dodd's Kidney Pills stopped it entirely. I think they are a grand medicine.

All sciatic and Rheumatic pains are caused by Uric Acid in the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make healthy Kidneys, and healthy Kidneys strain all the Uric Acid out of the blood. With the cause removed there can be no Rheumatism or Sciatica.

Kitten Nursed by a Pigeon. In a cottage near the village of Newcastleton, Roxburghshire, pigeon has evinced great friendliness for a kitten. With the consent of the old cat the bird has been sitting on the kitten and helping to look after it and play with it. The three constitute an incongruous but happy

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one drended disease that science has been able to care in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Curo is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Curo is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have comuch faith in its curative powers that they offer Ono. Hundred Doilars for any case that it falls to cure. Send for list of testimonials, Address F. J. CHENISY & CO., Toledo, O. Soid by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Washington was noted for his fondss for hickory nuts, and the amount could consume.

LANDSLIDE FOR ROOSEVELT

ELECTION BY SWEEPING MAJORITY WAS CONCEDED EARLY.

EARLY RETURNS SHOW THE REPUBLICANS SWEPT MICH-IGAN FROM END TO END---LIST OF SUCCESS-FUL GONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES.

RESULT IN MICHIGAN.

Warner, Congressional Delegation and

Legislature by Large Majorities.

HON, FRED M. WARNER

and legislative candidate, was elected,

according to the latest returns.

The Wqlverine state gives Theodore

Roosevelt an unprecedented majority, which will exceed 150,000 when the returns are in. It was a landslide as-

tonishing to even the most sanguine Republican. Michigan will have a solid Republican delegation in congress, as

every Republican candidate for re-elec-

tion was victorious by good majorities, and Edwin Denby in Detroit defeated

Alfred Lucking, the only Democratic

State Officers.

Lieutenant-Governor—Alex Maitland

Secretary of State-G. A. Prescott

State Treasurer-Frank P. Glazier

Auditor-General-J. B. Bradley (R.)

Attorney-General-John E. Bird (R.)

Land Commissioner-W. H. Rose

Superintendent of Public Instruction

Member State Board of Education-

Justices of Supreme Court—Russell

Returns by Counties.

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President. Governor.

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-P. H. Kelley (R.)

(R.), A. V. McAlvay (R.)

L. L. Wright (R.)*

Governor-Fred M. Warner (R.)

member of the present delegation.

(R.)

THE NATION'S VOTE.

Great Victory-Congress

Goes With Him. President Roosevelt probably will have 343 electoral votes as the result day's election were, Michigan added to about 7,000 majority. of Tuesday's balloting. Late unofficial them. Fred M. Warner was elected carried the county by about 5,000 this returns give a basis for this estimate. governor by a majority estimated at was from 5,000 to 10,000 less than was The small plurality for Parker in New 50 per cent larger than that of Aaron predicted for him. York city, about 40,000, caused great T. Bliss over L. T. Durand two years disappointment, the lowest preliminary ago, and the entire Republican state ante-election estimates having figured ticket, including every state senatorial that he would go to the Bronx with 100,000 or more. The Parker plurality in the city was 35,000 less than was given Herrick, Dem., for governor. In Brooklyn the Republican managers thought Parker might lead Roosevelt, but reports from all but 37 districts give Roosevelt 424 plurality. His total vote fell 16,000 short of Bryan's.

There was a great surprise in the proportion of the vote for Higgins, Republican, for governor, he running far ahead of the Odell vote in the counties and winning by about 85,000. His plurality above the Bronx was probably 100,000, while Herrick's in the Greater New York aggregated about 75,000. Herrick did not carry Albany, his home county, nor did Parker carry Ulster, in which he lives. Roosevelt has approximately 206,000 outside of the Greater New York, while Parker's plurality in the city is less than 38,000. A tabulated statement of the indicated

résults is as follo	ws:	
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	Idaho 25,000
	Illinois200,000
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-	Ransas
	Maine 37,000
	Maryland 1,000
	Massachusetts 80,000
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	Montana 2.000
	New Jersey 50,000
	Nebraska 40,000
	New Hampshire 20,000
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r	New York185,000
	North Dakota 25,000
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	Vermont 30,000
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	Washington 30,000
•	Wisconsin 60,000
	Wyoming 10,000
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Total electoral vote
Parker and Davis.
Alabama75,000
Arkansas 40,000
Florida
Kentucky 10,000
Louisiana 35,000
Mississippi 50,000
North Carolina 50,000
South Carolina 25,000
Tennessee
Virginia 25,000
11.8

Majority in Congress. The president is assured of the cooperation of a Republican congress. The present Republican majority in that body is 34. The new house probably have a majority of 100, or close to that number. In practically all districts the Republicans have held their own, while in some significant instances the Democrats have lost. Probsecutive the property of these cases. close to that number. In practically are the fourth and fifth districts of California (San Francisco), now represented by Representatives Livernash and Wynn, Democrats, which have been gained by the Republicans.

The most surprising of all the reports, however, came from the fifth and fifteenth Missouri districts, both strongly Democratic, and the former represented by Mr. Cowherd, chairman of the Democratic concressional camerical both districts.

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Branch 1200
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that body, 57 are Republicans and 33
Democrats, The terms of 30 senators
expire March 4 next. Of these 23 are
Republicans, and they or their successors will be Republicans. Of the seven
Democrats, two, Cockrell, of Missouri,
and Gibson, of Montana may be rethe Republicans.

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Fifth—William Alden Smith (R.)*
Sixth—Samuel W. Smith (R.)* Seventh-Henry McMorran (R.)* Eighth-Joseph W. Fordney (R.)* Ninth-R. P. Bishop (R.)* Tenth-George A. Loud (R.)* Eleventh-A. B. Darragh (R)* Twelfth-H. Olin Young (R.)*

*Re-elected

Swiss, Austrian and German makers will exhibit 1,749 varieties of sausage in Berne in 1905. Twenty-three persons, mostly wom-

en, have gone over Niagara Falls to death since Jan. 2, 1903. Prince Tnyat Oullah, 15 years old, heir to the Afghanistan throne, is shortly to marry a girl of 9.

Fourteen years ago St. Louis city hall was dedicated by smashing a bottle of supposedly champagne on the foundation. Now it has leaked out that just before the ceremony Larry day night. The cruiser was uninjured Finnegan drank the wine and substituted water.

Washington, Pa., finds 150 high school girls addicted to cigarettes. Football lessons are to be made part of the public school curriculum in Chi-

| Neweenaw | 400 | Lake | 500 | Lapeer | 1350 | 1 | Leelanau | 1200 | Lenawee | 4600 | Livingston | 500 | Luce | 300 | Mackinac | 500 | Mackinac | 500 | Maromb | 1200 | Maromb | 1200 | Maromb | 1200 | Maromb | 1200 | Maromb | 1000 | Marom | 1000 | Marom | 1000 | Mecosta | 1300 | Midland | 500 | Menominee | 1500 | Menominee | 1500 | Monroe | 1000 | Monroe | 1000 | Monroe | 1000 | Monroellm | 1800 | Montallm | 1800 |

Mason 1000

Mecosta 1300

Midland 500

Menominee 1500

Missaukee 900

Monroe 1000

Montcalm 1800

Gen. Jesse Finley, one of the four surviving generals of the Confederate army, is dead at Lake City, Fla., aged He had held many offices in Florida, and was in congress three terms.

The U.S. cruiser Olympia crashed into the stern of the British schooner Elizabeth in the Mediterranean Saturer into Gibraltar for repairs.

Otsego 900 Ottawa 4000 Presque Isle 1000 Roscommon 200 Saginaw 3000 Sanilae 2500 Schoolcraft 800 Shiawasse 1800 St. Clair 2500 St. Joseph 200 Tuscola 2000 Van' Buren 3000 Wayne 15000 Wexford 100 200 325 1597 1000 *431 5000 150 *****

Warner's plurality over Ferris, 48620. In Wayne county the only Democrat elected was William B. Thompson for treasurer of Detroit, and his majority was reduced. George P. Codd, who opposed Mayor Maybury, made a phenomenal run, his majority being about 6,000. Edwin Denby, candidate for congress, defeated Lucking, Democrat, by Surprising as' the results of Tues-Though Ferris

According to complete and incomplete returns, Warner's plurality in Michigan Wednesday afternoon was 60,000; Roosevelt's 150,000. These figures, it was said, will be swollen by later returns.

The Legislature.

For the first time in the history of Michigan the Republicans Tuesday seem to have elected every member of both houses of the legislature; complete returns, though, may let in a few Democrats. The nearest approach to a unanimous party house was 10 years ago, when 131 Republicans were elected and one Democrat, John Donovan,

Senate.

First district, F. C. Martindale.
Second, John D. Mackay.
Third, Noble Ashley.
Fourth, Seneca C. Traver.
Fifth, Simeon Van Akin.*
Sixth, E. B. Linsley.
Seventh, James T. Hayden.
Elighth, Jason Woodman.*
Ninth, Jesse R. Cropsey.
Tenth, A. J. Peak.
Eleventh, George N. Jones.*
Twelfth, T. D. Seeley.
Thirteenth, J. F. Rumer.
Fourteenth, A. B. Cook.*
Fifteenth, C. L. Glasgow.
Sixteenth, Andrew Fyfe.
Seventeenth, Huntley Russell.
Eighteenth, Walter Yeomans.
Nineteenth, T. A. Ely.
Twentieth, B. W. Jenks.
Twenty-first, W. E. Brown.*
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Twenty-sixth, A. Sheldon.
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Thirty-first, M. H. Moriarty.
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Thirty-second, Charles Smith.*

**Re-elected.

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**House.*

Allegan, first, A. W. Fisher.*

Allegan, second, David Stockdale.

Alpena, I. S. Canfield.

Antrim, D. V. Oviatt.*

Barry, W. H. Schantz.

Bay, first, James E. Brockway.

Bay, second, Adam Walker.

Berrien, first, Samuel H. Kelley.

Berrien, second, Nathan V. Lovell.*

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Bernen, second, Willard Knight.

Cass, T. T. Higgins.*

Challevolk, A. J. Stroud.

Cheboygan, Fred R. Ming.

Chippewa, N. R. Adams.*

Clare district, L. L. Kelley.

Clinton, L. P. Partlow.*

Delta, Ole Herricks.

Dickinson, James B. Knight.*

Eaton, L. D. Dickinson.

Emmet, James L. Morrice.*

Genesee, first, H. H. Prosser.

Genesee, second, M. W. Fairbank.

Gogebic, James S. Mouroe.*

Grand Traverse, James H. Monroe.*

Gratiot, John W. Holmes.*

Hillsdale, O. B. Lane.*

Houghton, first, W. J. Galbraith.*

Houghton, second, J. C. Dunstan.*

Houghton, third, A. D. Petit.*

Huron, Leonard Thomas.*

Ingham, first, D. M. Nottingham.*

Ingham, second, Martin Hanlon.

Ionia, J. C. Watt.

Iosco district, J. J. McCarthy.*

Iron district, William C. Standard.

Isabella, Oliver H. Adams.

Jackson, first, Arthur McCain,

Jackson, second, J. R. Fisk.*

Kalamazoo, second, J. R. Fisk.*

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Kalamazoo, second, G. M. Hudson.

Kent, first, George E. Ellis, Carl E.

Mapes, Henry T. Heald.

Kent, second, W. T. Shafer.

Kent, third, Frank Ladner.*

Lapeer, W. E. Ivory.

Leelanau district, A. F. Bunting.

Lenawee, first, Warren J. Parker.

Lenawee, first, Warren J. Parker.

Lenawee, second, A. G. Stone.*

Livingston, Charles Van Kuren.

Macomb, William F. Nanik.

Manistee, J. Herbert Read.*

Marquette, second, C. H. Byrns,* J. H.

Mortley (Ind.).

Mason, M. L. Agens.

Mecosta, H. A. Tiffany.

Menominee, Michael B. Harris.

Midland, Duncan Wayne.

Missaukee district, F. L. Decker.

Monroe, H. H. Herkimer.*

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Monroe, Millard Durham.*

Presque Isle district, Thomas E.

Ocaland, first, H. N. McCracken. House.

Presque Isle district, Thomas E. Double,
Saginaw, first, Henry Vance, Thomas G. Baillie.
Saginaw, second, Cameron Speers.
Sanilac, Robert Atridge.
St. Clair, first, Philip Eichborn.*
St. Clair, second, Thomas McColl.
St. Joseph. A. W. Scidmore.
Schooleraft district, J. B. Clark.
Shiawassee, Charles E. Ward.*
Tuscola, William McKay.
Van Buren, N. T. Simpson.
Washtenaw, first, J. E. Beal.
Washtenaw, second, A. J. Waters,
Wayne, first, Fred A. Hunt.* Joseph
Greusel,* J. E. Bland, James D. Jerome,
Walter C. Robinson,* Charles Manzel,
mann, A. Merritt, J. H. McAuley, S. O.
Smith, George Lord, George W. Duncan.*

Wayne, second, L. W. Snell.
Wayne, second, Cassius R. Benton.
Wayne, fourth, George G. Scott.
Wexford district, Earl Fairbanks.*

*Re-elected.

Thirty Years a Detective. Lieut. Parker Owen, Saginaw's well known police detective, has completed thirty years of service. He received numerous congratulations and was given a surprise at his home, a large number of friends gathering in honor of the occasion.

May Locate in Flint. Stewart Manufacturing company is desirous of locating in Flint if arrangements can be made with the city authorities. They, however, seem rather backward about the matter.



Statistics which have been collected relative to the wheat acreage of England show that whereas in 1868 it was 3,500,000 acres, in 1904 it was only 1,375,000 acres, the shrinkage since 1903 being 13 per cent. Under these circumstances it is not surprising that England is the heaviest importer of wheat and wheat flour in the world. Heretofore this trade has largely been held by the United States which had until 1903 furnished more than half the British imports of wheat and three-fourths of their imports of flour. But in 1903, though Great Britain imported 164,505,380 bushels, the United States supplied only 45,167,991 bushels, or about 27 per cent. During the first eight months of the present year or up to August 31st, the United Kingdom imported from all sources 113,390,350 bushels, or about 9,000,000 bushels more than during the same period last year, and of the total the United States furnished less than 16 per cent, the balance being obtained from Russia, Argentina, British India, and Australasia. This independence of the biggest buyer of wheat of the United States as a source of supply only deepens the mystery of the present extraordinarily high price of wheat in this country. True the crop is under the average and much of the Northwestern wheat will-rank below milling grade, but unless the supply is insufficient for home consumption, and that is not claimed, it is difficult to account for abnormal values on any other basis than speculative manipulation of the market High prices are of course factors in the decline of wheat exports.

Nut-Bearing Trees. Most of our people take little inter est in the growing of nuts, and it is rather remarkable that in the light of this we should still have the amount of nuts on the market we do -nuts sufficient to supply the de mands of a large population. But with the increase of population we must expect to see the demand for nuts increase. That there will al ways be a good market for nuts is without controversy. An increase in the price is not going to stimulate production to the point where there will be an over-supply. It takes too many years to bring a nut tree to the point of bearing for us ever to

have a very great over-supply. But just at this time the question of reforesting many plots on the farm is being considered. Why not plant groves of nut trees as well as other kinds of trees. The woods of some nut trees are quite valuable. The planter will have the satisfaction of seeing a grove of beautiful trees growing up on his farm and may live to reap the fruit of them. Where single trees are to be planted in pas tures it will be hard to find trees more suitable than some of those that bear nuts.

Poultry House Floors. It is much easier to build good walls to a poultry house than it is to build a floor that will be satisfactory. A with earth floors. These, however have the great detriment of being damp, especially in cold weather. As a result of damp floors come rheu matism, colds, roup and digestive dis orders. Cement floors also develop more or less dampness. This damp ness, however, might be obviated by laying the cement on a thick layer of broken stone. Generally our builders to the observer. get back to the board floors raised a short distance, say a foot, above the earth. If it is desired to make this particularly good it should be double with tarred paper between. In the use of boards for flooring it should be seen that the ventilation is good and that the floor is not approachable by rats. If the rats cannot get a foot hold they cannot gnaw a hole through the floor.

Bulk of Rough Feed.

Nearly all kinds of rough feed contain the nutrients the cow must have The straw of grain contains the very things the cow needs out of which to make milk and butter-fat. But we started in on Grape-Nuts and cream have to consider the bulk. One hundred pounds of oat straw would fur nish enough nutrients to make ter quarts of milk with a richness of 4 per cent. But no cow could digest more than a third of that amount in a day. Therefore straw is of very of milch cows. We must have more concentrated roughage, such as clover in my life. hay or corn stalks. It is of course different with oat hay. That is cut at a time when the grain is in the dough stage and much of the substance is still in the stalks and leaves.

Hand Separator Cream.

Hand separator cream needs to be kept as carefully as any other kind of cream. Progress in this has been made but slowly since the introduc tion of the gathered cream system, or indeed since the introduction of the hand separator. Considering the small volume of gathered cream compared with the whole milk system there seems little reason in every farmer not having a perfect arrangement for keeping it. But it must be acknowledged that so far as we are able to learn by far the greater part of the cream from hand separators is still kept in cellars with vegetables Creck, Mich. and all kinds of things that have an odor that is not an addition to the little book, "The Road to Wellville." flavor of the cream.

ANOTHER LIFE SAVED.

Mrs. G. W. Fooks, of Salisbury, Md., wife of G. W. Fooks, Sheriff of Wicomico County, says: "I suffered with kidney complaint for eight years. It came on me gradually.

felt tired and weak, was short of breath and was troubled with bloating after eating, and my

limbs were badly swollen. One doctor told me it would finally turn to Bright's disease. I was laid up at one time for three weeks. I had not taken Doan's Kidney Pills more than three days when the distressing aching across my back disappeared, and I was soon entirely cured."
For sale by all dealers. Price 50

cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y.

Washing Soda Adulterated.

One of London's official analysts has called attention to the adulteration of washing soda with Glauber's salts, which is useless for cleansing purposes. "It is a disgrace," he says, "that poor washerwomen should toil fruitlessly through the use of such materials, wasting time and money on such frauds, without any remedy.

Mother Cray's Sweet Powders for Children Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S.Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Coffee Known for Centuries.

A pamphlet published by an Arab sheik in 1566 sheds light upon the origin and early use of coffee. This Arab sheik asserted that coffee was introduced into Arabia from Abyssinia about the opening of the fifteenth century and that it had been known as a beverage in the latter country from the most remote period. Its peculiar properties were taken advantage of by the Mohammedans in connection with their prolonged religious ceremonies, but its use as a devotional antisoporific stirred up the fiercest opposition on the part of the orthodox element of the priests. Coffee was declared to be an intoxicant and was accordingly prohibited in the koran, but in spite of this the coffeedrinking habit spread rapidly. For two centuries the world's supply of coffee was obtained from the province of Yemen in southern Arabia, where the well-known Mocha is still cultivated.

Mirrors Used by Anglers.

Rather a quaint idea comes from France, where anglers are in some waters using a tiny mirror attached to the line near the baited hook. The idea is that the fish, seeing itself reflected, hastens to snatch the bait from its supposed rival. Very successful results have been obtained through the employment of this simple device.

Makeshift Wedding Rings.

Recently five couples of gypsies were to be married at a church in Surrey, England, but only two gentlemen had the necessary ring. The church warden, however, came to the rescue by cutting off the rings from the good many people try to get along kneeling hassocks and the ceremony was satisfactorily performed.

TILL NOON.

The Simple Dish That Keeps Cne Vigorous and Well Fed.

When the doctor takes his own medicine and the grocer eats the food he recommends some confidence comes

A Grocer of Ossian, Ind., had a practical experience with food worth anyone's attention.

He says: "Six years ago I became so weak from stomach and bowel trouble that I was finally compelled to give up all work in my store, and in fact all sorts of work, for about four years. The last year I was confined to the bed nearly all of the time, and much of the time unable to retain food of any sort on my stomach. My bowels were badly constinated continually and I lost in weight from 165 pounds down to 88 pounds.

"When at the bottom of the ladder I changed treatment entirely and for nourishment. I used absolutely nothing but this for about three months. I slowly improved until I got out of bed and began to move about.

"I have been improving regularly and now in the past two years have little practical value in the feeding been working about fifteen hours a day in the store and never felt better

"During these two years & have never missed a breakfast of Grape-Nuts and cream, and often have it two meals a day, but the entire breakfast is always made of Grape-Nuts and cream alone.

"Since commencing the use of Grape-Nuts I have never used anything to stimulate the action of the bowels, a thing I had to do for years, but this food keeps me regular and in fine shape, and I am growing stronger and heavier every day.

"My customers, naturally, have been interested and I am compelled to answer a great many questions about Grape-Nuts.

"Some people would think that a simple dish of Grape-Nuts and cream would not carry one through to the noonday meal, but it will and in the most vigorous fashion."

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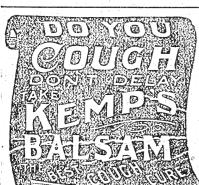


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MAGIC IN THE ZUNI TRIBE.

Priest Apparently Lifted a Jug of Water with a Feather.

"The most startling feat I ever saw." said a guest at the Diller last night, who has made a study of Indians in various parts of the United States for his own edification, "was performed by the priests of the Zuni tribe in Arizona, or, as they were called, 'The Ancients of Creation.' They seat themselves in a circle on the clay floor, around a jar that will hold perhaps a gallon, an ancient and sacred earthen vessel, which is filled with water. The chief priest carries in his hand two ordinary eagle feathers, which are tied together at the quill ends so that they make a fork. Behind the circle of the priests are other members of the tribe and the musicians with their drums and gourds, who join in the chants with emotion.

"The incantations continue for several hours and when the participants and spectators are brought up to a proper pitch of excitement the priest dips the feather tips into the water lifts the jar with them and holds it suspended for a minute or two at a height level with his face or breast. Then he lowers it slowly to the ground. This feat is repeated several times during the perfomance. Apparently there is nothing in the hand of the priest but the feathers and they appear to be inserted into the mouth of the jar only two or three inches. Of course, there is some trick about it, but I was never able to discover it."-

Seattle Post-Intelligencer. 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

Kabo Corsets Get Grand Prize.

request it.

St. Louis, Oct. 16.-It has been announced that Kabo Corsets, made by the Kabo Corset Co., Chicago, have been given the Grand Prize and highest award by the board of judges at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

No man is so strong or so great that he is not afraid of somebody, and in nine cases out of ten that somebdy wears petticoats.

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Don't leave them too much with the

LATEST IN HOUSE DECORATING

All Rooms Done in Various Tones of One Color.

A fad of the moment, says the Brooklyn Citizen, is to decorate all the rooms of a house in various tones of one color. This has been done in as many as eighteen rooms under one roof, with wonderfully fine effect. The mistress of this house made a point of getting variety of designs and treatment in the one ever-pleasing colorgreen.

The successful decorators, like the most artistics dressmakers, are those who are copying nature's color cards and combinations.

There must be a warming note in every room before the decoration is complete. It may come from a lamp shade, or a sofa cushion merely, but there it must be to give the full complement of colors into which the white

In the present era of rug popularity for floors, extra care must be taken that wall coverings harmonize or contrast successfully with them. It is owing to the many colors and patterns of rugs that very often a plain wall background is the best. If figured walls are selected draperies at doors and windows and upholstered furniture should be in plain colors. It is the West and Southwest. ture should be in plain colors. It is the unfortunate mingling of incongruous designs, quite as much as colors,

that offend the artistic taste. Plain papers in dull finish and others simulating tapestry are taking well this fall. In bathrooms and kitchens there comes a tile glazed paper that may be washed with water and a sponge, hence its sanitary useful-

IRVING'S WELL-TIMED SARCASM.

Judge's Sleepiness Was Easily counted for by Actor.

At the Players' club the other day an elderly English actor described the hardships that attended on Sir Henry Irving's youth.

"Up to middle life," the doctor said, "Irving was so poor that I remember a Christmas when one of his friends."

For rates and information address a Christmas when one of his friends gave him a Christmas gift of two suits of winter underwear, and the gift was heartily appreciated.

"With Irving, as with the rest of Mo. us, it was uphill work at the start. The things most counted on turned out the greatest failures.

"Once I was touring with him, and in a certain town our hopes were raised by the news that a prominent judge had taken a box.

Aha!' he said The judge will enjoy the performance and recommend it to his friends. The newspapers will note his distinguished presence in a lodge. To come to see us play here will become both fash-

ionable and popular.' "Alas! the judge came and occupied the box, but at the beginning of the second act he fell asleep. The audience tittered as his head nodded in slumber. Irving stood in the wings awaiting his cue. I hurried to him and told him how the judge was dis-

gracing us. "'Shall we awaken him?" I asked. "'No,' said Irving bitterly. Let him sleep. He thinks he is on the bench.

It Puzzled the Expert.

The customs official was greatly puzzled. He knit his brow and frowned darkly. He even tapped his foot nerv

ously on the polished floor. "What seems to be the difficulty? inquired a sympathetic subordinate. The chief turned to him with a troubled stare.

"I'm bothered," he growled. "I'm badly stumped. And yet I am the very man who classified frogs' legs as 'dressed poultry,' and admitted a colt from Canada as 'household furni-

ture.' "And what's the question now?" the subordinate respectfully asked. The chief ran his hand through his natted hair.

"I'm worried to death," he cried, over a proper classification for a three-legged stool. It isn't a biped and it isn't a quadruped—and there you are!"-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Patience. Let patience have her perfect work.-James i, 3.

Lord, give this grace of Thine to me, That I may live aright; However dark the path may be, Let patience bring me light.

When my heart fails me in the storm, And there is none to save. Let this friend put her hand in mine, And patience make me brave.

When strife and turmoil are around, And weak has grown my will, Let patience like an angel come And teach me to be still.

Let quiet patience help my soul Beneath the scourge of wrong. And check my angry words of wrath And turn them into song.

Lord. I am very weak and frail, And am not good or great, Yet shall I worthier be if Thou Wilt give me grace to wait.

And so I pray, whatever come
Of trouble, pain or care,
Bid patience my companion be
Beside me everywhere.
—Marianne Farmingham.

His Diplomacy. "How did you work father so beau-

tifully?" "With diplomacy, my dear, pure diplomacy. I told him I wanted to marry one of his daughters. He glared at me and asked me which one of the six. I said Myrtle." "You said Myrtle?"

"Uh-huh. All diplomacy, my dear. He flew into an awful rage and said I couldn't have her. He said she was too good for me. I insisted. He grew madder. I still insisted. Then he roared out:

'You can't have Myrtle, you knownothing! Grace is plenty good enough for you! "And that's the way I go you, Grace,

dear. Wasn't it beautiful diplomacy?" throughout the world.

QUEER OLD FUNERAL CUSTOM.

Ceremony in County Wexford, Ireland, Is Centuries Old.

In the district known as "the barony of Forth," in County Wexford, Ireland, is to be found a race of hardworking, industrious peasants, living in thatched cottages with clean whitewashed walls, which by their perfect whiteness at once arrest the attention of the visitor. These people differ in many respects from the inhabitants of the other parts of the same county and have habits and customs peculiar to themselves. They are strong believers in the efficacy of prayers for the dead. When a funeral takes place two wooden crosses are provided. On the way to the cemetery a halt is made at a certain spot by the side of the road. Here prayers are said for the deceased, after which one cross is deposited in a hawthorn bush or under it. The procession then goes on its way, and after the interment the other cross is fixed at the head of the grave. This strange custom dates from time immemorial, as the great pile of crosses by the roadside indicate.

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The Blind and the Deaf.

Some persons allege that blind persons are usually cheerful, while deaf persons are usually gloomy and suspicious. The reasons for these characteristics were recently given, in reply to inquiries, the deaf man saying: "When anyone speaks to me, I am reminded of my infirmity." The blind man said: "As soon as any person speaks to me I forget my misfortune."-New York Tribune.

Broad-Minded Scotch Sectarian. A Scotch gamekeeper, a great light in one of the kirks, was asked the difference between the Free and the United Free churches. "Give me the actual difference in a simple form," the inquirer requested after a long lecture from the gamekeeper. "Well, sir," said John, "if you want it plainly it is this: We'll all be saved and they'll all be damned."

Measure Children for Fares.

Swiss steamboat companies, to avoid disputes as to the age of children, have established measurement rules. Under 2 feet in height go free; children under 4 feet 4 inches, and dogs pay half fare.

THIS YOUNG WOMAN APPEALED IN VAIN FOR HELP.

When Hope had Almost Settled Into Utter

Despair Relief Came from an Unexpected Source,

Mrs. Emma Heidebreder, of No. 1323 Joy street, Burlington, Iowa, whose husband is an employee of the Rand Lumber Co., tells a story of pitiable suffering: "For about five years," she says, "I had a host of physical ills that kept mean invalid and puzzled the doctors. Some of them thought I was going into consumption. At times I was so weak that I could not comb my hair or even wash my face. Then excruciating pains ran suddenly up my thigh and I had to be carried to bed screaming in my agony. I could no longer do my work and the drain upon my husband's purse was very heavy. I craved food but what I ate only gave me discomfort. My liver was torpid, and often I had to be carried to the door for air to save me from suffocating.

"The worst was the pain which seemed as if my thigh were being pushed out of my body. The best doctors could do was to deaden it by narcotics. Once they thought I could not live for more than two days. In one of my worst attacks, a friend said: 'Why don't you try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills? They are the only thing that ever helped my rheumatism.

"I took his advice. After using one box I felt better, and I continued to uso the pills for three or four months with steady improvement until I was well. For four years I have been able to do all my household work, and no longer have to take medicine for any serious trouble. I gave one box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to a man on crutches because of rheumatism and advised my market woman to buy a box when she was complaining of the same trouble. I heard that he was soon able to throw his crutches away, and she told me she had got rid of the rheumatism by the use of one box and could not thank me too much." Testimony multiplies as to the mag-

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have left me. Life seems new and sweet to me, and everything seems. pleasant and easy. "Six bottles brought me health, and was worth more than months

under the doctor's care, which really did not benefit me at all. I am satisfied there is no medicine so good for sick women as your Vegetable Compound, and I advocate it to my lady friends in need of medical help."—Mrs. B. A. Blanchard, 422 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn. When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset

with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

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good that I purchased another, and the result was so satisfactory that I bought six more bottles, and am now feeling like a new woman. I shall never be without it. I hope that my testimonial will convince women that your Vegetable Compound is the greatest medicine in the world for falling of the womb or any other female complaints."—Mrs. May Copy, 2660 Birch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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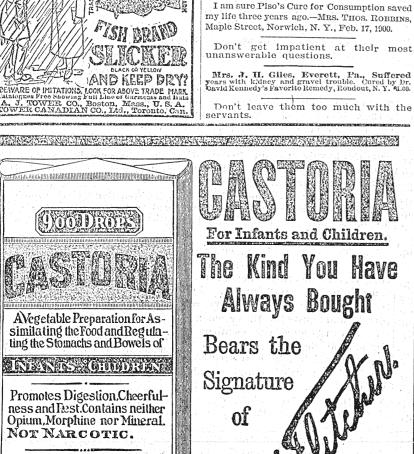
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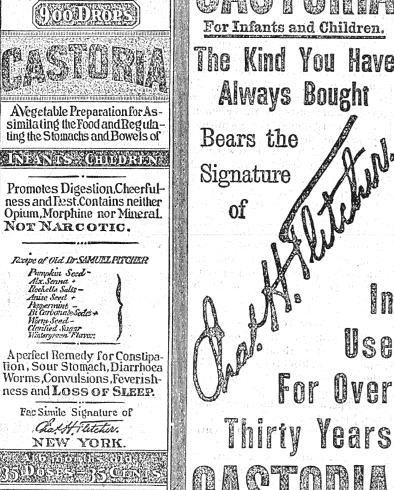
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Read What the People Say

Mrs. J. Beemer, Vassar, Mich., says: I wish to publicly express my gratitude to Dr. W. C. Waiker of Detroit for the great good I have received through his treatment. Many in the vicinity of Vassar know how miscrable I have been for years, suffering with a complication of troubles. Nothing seemed to do me any lasting good. Hearing of the many cures performed by Dr. Walker, I decided to try his treatment. Suffice it to say, the Docton helped me right along, never had any treatment that acted like it before. I offer this testimony voluntarily, hoping many others may be restored to health as I have been.

Mrs. J. BEEMER.

Mr. A. McLachlan, Reese, Tuscola Co., Mich., cured of lumbago and nervousness says he can now saw wood which he has not been able to do in five years.

Catarrh of the Stomach Cured.

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Mrs, Frank Marshall, Valley Centre, Mich., says: I had suffered almost continuously for eight years from catarrh of the stomach. Had doctored a great deal but found no lasting help. I saw the advertisement of Dr. Walker in the papers and concluded to go and see if he could do anything for me. I took three months' treatment of the Doctor and I want to say that he has entirely cured me. I most cheerfully recommend the Doctor to all similarly afflicted. Signed,

MRS, FRANK MARSHALL,
Valley Centre, Sanilac Co., Mich.

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Read what Mr. Frank Perry (one of Shiawassee county's well known and most respected citizens) has to say:

In behalf of those who have been unable to find a cure I feel it a duty to inform all such regarding my case and where I found a cure. Abont eight years ago I was taken down with nervous prostration, and only those who have thus suffered can know the horrors of that trouble. I had consulted many prominent physicians in the state, including treatment at Ann Arbor, all of which afforded only temporary relief. I had about given up all hope of being cured, but fortunately I met some people who had consulted Dr. Walker, the Specialist, who makes regular visits to Owosso and had been successfully treated by him after all else had failed.

After talking the matter over with my wife I decided to consult Dr. Walker myself and get his opinion, anyway, for after so many failures I confess I had but little faith in getting help anywhere. The Doctor gave me a thorough examination and the way he explained my case impressed me very much. Think of it. In just four months' time under Dr. Walker's treatment I was made a well man, and have enjoyed good health ever since. My case, doubtless, was more difficult to cure on account of there being complications to deal with. To say that I feel very grateful to Dr. Walker for his skilful treatment of my case, is indeed, putting it quite mildly. Signed, FRANK PERRY, Judd's Corners, Shiawassee County, Mich.

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Remember Dr. Walker has made a specialty of chronic diseases for many years and his success is well known.

Table 1. The state of the cases and to cases other physicians have failed to cure. Bank references.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Mary Leitch is quite ill. Mrs. D. Schnider is on the sick list. Miss Merle Gale is ill with typhoid

E. A. Jones was in Detroit on business last week.

Fee Grigware expects to leave this week for Alpena.

Miss May Landon spent a few days with friends in Caro.

Attorney W. L. Doyle, of Elkton, was in town Tuesday.

Sheriff Daugherty of Caro was a caller in town Wednesday. Mrs. J. D. Brooker has been visit-

ing with friends in Akron. Rev. F. Klump, of Detroit, called

on friends in town Thursday. George Bond has entered the employ of the Cass City Grain Co.

Mrs. Clyde Quick, of Novesta, has been quite ill, but is improving.

Mrs. M. J. McGillvray has been on the sick list, but is better again. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McKenzie spent

Sunday with friends in Bad Axe. Arthur Fitch has gone to Gaylord where he expects to find employment. Mrs. Glendenning of Unionville is the guest of Mrs. C. Schwaderer this

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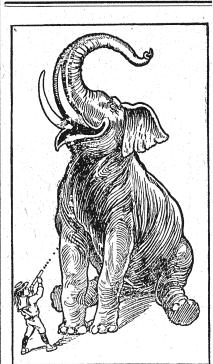
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M. Seeger fell from his wagon one day last week and broke one of his

Miss Mattie Jondro of Lapeer is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Travis have moved into their residence on Church

The little 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mis. Fred Sherwood broke his arm on Miss Ethel Brooks has been spend-

ing a few days at her parental home J. B. Cootes has completed the

plumbing in the new residence of Jas.

Tennant. C. D. Striffler and M. Anthes left Tuesday for Bear Lake on a hunting

expedition. Miss Lucile Schenck is suffering during the winter. from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

C. W. McKenzie and Miss Maude Anderson were the guests of Caro friends Sunday.

A. Frutchey, who has spent the proved unsuccessful. summer in Alpena, has returned to his home here.

guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Rice this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware spent

Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. King, at Caro. Emon Cooke, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Chas. I. Cooke, of Pingree, broke his right arm on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Janes expect to move into their residence on west

Main street next week. Mr. and Mrs. Hersey Young left yesterday for their new home in Al-

berta, N. W. T., Canada. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler entertained a company of friends at their home last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hill of Ingersol. Ont., are guests at the home of Mr. anc. Mrs. N. Hill this week.

C. R. Montague, formerly of Greenleaf, has purchased a livery stable at Imlay City where he now resides.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Challis have moved into the residence formerly occupied Thanksgiving sermon. by E. Yakes on Garfield avenue.

corner of Houghton and Ale streets. Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock left Monday

purchase a stock of winter dry goods. The Misses Aura and Etta Schenck and Lucretia Campbell were the guests of friends in Ellington Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Janes enter-

day evening. Mrs. H. Cole and Miss Lou Parr are expected home from Chicago this

week where they have been visiting for some time. Miss Mabel Clement expects to leave this week for Park Hill, Ont.,

where she will assist in caring for her aunt who is ill. Mrs. Mahoney and daughter, Kate,

have been quite ill but are both improving. Mrs. Julia Dann has been caring for them.

The Misses Ethel Meredith and the guests of Miss Alva Phillips the first of the week.

Mrs. E. McKim entertained the Senior Class of 1905 and their friends at her home Saturday evening. A

good time is reported. her daughter, Miss Mattie, who is re-

ported improving nicely now. D. Hinkley, and grandson, Roy Titus,

returned to her home Tuesday. Clara and Stewart Baker and Vera and Stewart Messer all of Marlette

were the guests of Miss Lena Fairweather from Friday until Monday. Mrs. John R. Brown, who lives

north and west of town, is expected home this week from an extended visit with relatives near Toronto, Ont.

The I. O. O. F. lodge will have their regular nominations for officers at their meeting next Wednesday evening. Algood attendance is requested. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Livingston of

Wickware have moved into the rooms in the Hitchcock block recently va- success to you, gentlemen! cated by W. J. Grigware and family. Services in the Evangelical church next Sunday morning and evening.

Next week there will be services held

on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

evenings. P. A. Schenck, John Morrison and foot ball game that day, returning

home Monday. W. J. Grigware, who sustained a proken ankle a few weeks ago, recompelled to use crutches yet.

We are always glad to have your forget that it is news we want.

E. McKim has purchased the farm west of town known as the "Gordon farm" of A. Harris of Detroit. Mr. McKim will probably build a residence on the farm some time next summer.

A Mr. Heign, formerly of Bad Axe, has moved into the residence recently vacated by L. E. Karr on south Seeger street. Mr. Heign purchased the property from A. H. Ale some time

T. H. Hunt left Tuesday morning by via Caro to visit friends in New York, after spending some time with relatives here. From New York he will return to his home in Dundee,

M. Seeger, W. I. Frost and Jas. and A. Oathout left Monday for Black River, where they will be employed for a few weeks in shipping "Christmas" trees; and may possibly remain

Samuel Crane, son of John Crane, living west of town, became suddenly blind in his right eye about two weeks ago and all efforts towards the restoration of the sight have thus far

Leonard Robb, formerly of this place, but now of Croswell, was the Miss Martin of Sandwich, Ont., is a guest of friends in town over Sunday. Mr. Robb has discontinued his agency for musical instruments and is now

living on a farm near Croswell. Mrs. Mary McPhee, who has been visiting in Kalamazoo for some time, returned to her home here Wednesday evening. Her daughter, Miss Mary McPhee, who has been in Chicago, also returned home with her to remain for some time.

At a recent meeting of the school board, it was decided to engage another teacher who will assist the present instructors in the first, second, third and fourth grades. An increase in attendance in the above mentioned grades makes the change necessary.

According to the usual custom in this village there will be union Thanksgiving services held in the Evangelical church next Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock, at which time Rev. E. H. Bradfield of the Presbyterian church will preach the

Rev. R. Weaver of Williamston, a Jas. W. Heller is moving into his former pastor at this place occupied recently purchased residence at the the pulpit in the Baptist church last Sunday morning and evening. He was greeted at both services by quite afternoon for Chicago where she will large congregations. Mr. Weaver also spent a few days visiting with former friends before returning to his home.

Last Sunday was celebrated as Old People's Day in the M. E. church and in the morning Rev. R. N. Mulholtained a company of their friends at land preached a sermon especially for their home on Seeger street Wednes- old people and a collection was taken for superannuated preachers. On account of the storm not many of the older people were able to be present but the services were enjoyed by the

congregation. The Ladies of the Presbyterian church, who have been conducting a rummage sale in the DeWitt building on Main street this week, are enjoying a good trade. They have a large supply of good serviceable articles such as wearing apparel, furniture, etc, which they are offering at reasonable prices. They also have a supply of new articles which are very useful. Anna Lorentzen of Shabbona were Call in and look over their stock and don't go away without buying some-

Rev. E. D. Rundell of Caro will give a lecture in the Baptist church on on the evening of Tuesday, Nov. 22, on the subject "A journey on four Mrs. Carless of Yale was called here continents." Mr. Rundell was a dellast week on account of the illness of egate to the World's Fourth Sunday School convention at Jerusalem last a young man who would write such good as new. Inquire of A. D. MEAD. spring and since his return home he Mrs. Corson of Romeo, who has has been delivering lectures on his been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. trip. His lecture will be very interesting and entertaining and no doubt he will be greeted by a large audience. Price of admission, adults, 15c; children 10c.

> The Central Meat Market which has been conducted by John Schwaderer for a number of years, was sold this week to A. L. Johnson and N. J. Johnson and will probably be known hereafter as "Johnson's Market." The new firm takes possession Monday. The former member of the firm is well known in Cass City having been in business here for several years while the latter has been employed in both markets for some time and is well versed in his occupation. Here's

About thirty Lady Maccabees went to Caro last Friday afternoon to attend a school of instruction given by the deputy commander of this district, Mrs. Mary Lockhead of Flint. The occasion was a happy one and enquet of carnations, a gift from Caro floral tribute. Maccabees. The ladies from Cass sumed work as road master on the P. City were highly pleased with the O. & N. this week, although he is manner in which they were entertained during the evening.

daughter saw she could have sport and p. m. sharp.

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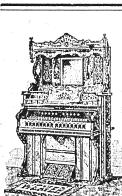
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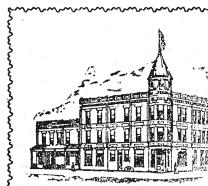
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read them to her mother, substituting her own name for that of her mother and a fine young man for her or time, or exchange towards good father. The mother jumped up and driving horse. Dr. WICKWARE. down in her chair shifting her feet, terribly disgusted and forbade her daughter having anything to do with buggies, one new buggy, single harness, sickening nonsensical stuff to a girl. When the young girl handed the letters to her mother to read, the house became so still you could hear the grass grow in the back yard.

Last Thursday evening an enjoyable by Striffler & McKenzie, Auctioneers. time was spent by the Gleaners at Phone 70, Cass City, Mich. their regular meeting when a class of fourteen was initiated into the mysteries of the order. A deputy was pay at once. present and assisted in the ceremonies and also instructed the members in the several degrees. A contest for new members has been instituted in the local organization and captains appointed. They are Mrs. Geo. Davenport and Walter Anthes who have & Sons. chosen sides among the membership to assist them. At the close of the contest which will be December 31, the losing side will entertain the society with a supper and social time. Much enthusiasm is being shown and the contest will undoubtedly be a warm one.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere joyed by about 150 ladies. At the thanks to the friends and neighbors J. H. Hays were in Ann Arbor Satur- close of the meeting a banquet was who were so kind to assist us during day to witness the Michigan-Chicago served by Caro hive and a social time the illness and at the time of the During the evening Mrs. death of our wife and mother, also Lockhead was presented with a bou- the Baptist friends for their beautiful

WM. SPURGEON AND FAMILY.

Dr. Walker's Next Visit.

Dr. Walker, the well known special-A young girl of this city found a ist, will be at the Sheridan House on news items. We can't get around to package of love letters that had been Wednesday, Nov. 23. Consultation all to find out what is going on, but written to her mother by her father free. Bear in mind the date. His hope our readers and friends will not before they were married. The office hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 For Sale or Exchange.

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