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#### NAMED THEIR CANDIDATES.

At the Republican Township Caucus Held Tuesday Afternoon.

A harmonious gathering of Elkland township Republicans assembled in the town hall Tuesday afternoon and placed the following ticket in nomi-

Supervisor-A. A. McKenzie.

Clerk-H. F. Lenzner. Treasurer-B. F. Benkelman.

Commissioner-P. A. Highway Koepfgen.

Justice of the Peace-E. B. Landon. School Inspector (to fill vacancy)ohn Gallagher.

School Inspector (full term)-Nolton Bigelow.

Member of the Board of Review-John Spurgeon, Jr.

Constables-C. D. Striffler, Henry Ball, J. D. Tuckey and John Wooley. The above ticket is a strong one and appeals to every voter in the township. Without a doubt it will be

elected as Elkland has polled Republican majorities for some years past. and this year it is expected that it will not fail to add to the majority it received in 1904. Mr. McKenzie, who leads the ticket,

is well and favorably known to the people of the township, and has made an excellent record as supervisor. He is public spirited and is in a position to give his undivided attention to the affairs of the township.

All the nominations in the caucus except those for highway commissioner and justice of the peace were made

ov acclamation. A. A. McKenzie was re-elected a member of the Republican township committee.

#### NEAR-BY NOTES.

Arnot & Mark of Deckerville have established a bank at Urban with R. J. Arnot as cashier.

A thrilling revival has been conducted at Yale with the result that during the evening kept everybody

Jas. H. Hallock of Imlay City last was exerutiatingly funny. "Daisy" ser week purchased the Imlay City Times vant of Mrs. Thornton, was splendidof Frank L. Gates, who has owned ly characterized by Miss Anna Adair, and published the paper for just one and her many encounters with Pete

Vassar, was sent to the Industrial Robinson, and "Helen Thornton," by School at Lansing last week after Miss Ethel McGregory, were both confessing to have stolen money from very pleasing. Roy McKenzie played the store till of the firm of Brett & a double part, "Pedro, the organ Beach.

Jacob Beck, a prominent resident of Sebewaing, died Monday morning from paralysis aged 69. He had lived there since 1863 and was the founder of the grape-growing industry in Hur-

on county. Remalt & Son's sawmill in Deckerville was destroyed by fire Thursday night and it is thought that the fire was of incendiary origin. The loss is about \$4,000. Two years ago another mill on the same site was burned.

William Drennan, a Michigan volunteer in Co. M. Thirty-third regiment, U. S. A., died at his home at took a prominent part was very touch-Yale Sunday, aged 20 years. Drennan ing. The play was one of the best enlisted in Detroit at the beginning of the Spanish war and contracted yellow fever in the Philippines, from the results of which he never re-

Smoke belching from nearly every window in the second story of Elijah Brown's house at Sanilac Centre, drove firemen back repeatedly in their attempt to locate the blaze, until eventually three men risked themselves in a bed room with rags stuffed in their mouths and located the fire, which was burning fiercely on the under side of a feather bed.

The Free Press says that a case of the inhuman brutality on the part of a husband toward his wife was brought to light Tuesday by the arrest of John Auerhammer, a German farmer Burg visited school Wednesday. living four miles from Vassar. After filling up on bad whisky until he was unable to consume more, he left for his home. Mrs. Auerhammer is in a delicate condition, and after entering the house, Auerhammer deliberately kicked his wife in the stomach, it is alleged, before his numerous children, and otherwise mistreated and pounded her. Officers arrested the man and took him to Caro where he was arraigned and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$100 with the alternative of spending ninety days in the Detroit the high school was a great success. house of correction. Auerhammer The proceeds amounted to \$150.10. was arrested once before for wife beating, it is alleged, but friends came to his rescue and secured his release.

With the passing of Michael Brencitizen whose greatest desire for a just preceding, for which we thank reasonably long terms of credit.

and five sons to celebrate the downfall of the Russian government as a result of its war with Japan, says the Detroit Tribune. Mr. Brenner was born within sight of the royal palace in St. Petersburg, 55 years ago, where he resided until 40 years old, or until 15 years ago, when the czar issued an order compelling a large number of the Jewish people to suddenly seek a more congenial clime. Brenner left an estate in St. Petersburg valued at \$5,000, which he had accumulated by many years of hard work, commencing by selling upon the streets of his native city the first matches ever put on the market in the Russian capital. The estate was confiscated by the government. When Brenner arrived in New York he was almost destitute. He was personally acquainted with Gen. Kuropatkin.

#### THE RECEIPTS WERE \$150.10

High School Play Friday Evening Was a Flattering Success.

The Cass City school scored another brilliant success last Friday evening, when the play, "The Deacon." was presented to a large audience at the opera house by the pupils of the school. Their ability as entertainers has already been recognized by the people in this vicinity and they always very liberally patronize their performances

The play last Friday evening was a comedy and the "actors and actresses" kept the spectators laughing and wondering what new nonsense would come next. The character of "The Deacon" was ably taken by Alex Duncanson, and his love affairs were appreciated principally for the extreme timidity with which he wooed "Miss Amelia," the latter character being taken by Miss Bertha Zinnecker in a pleasing manner. "Pete," the darkey, as played by Stanley Graham, won for him a warm place in the hearts of those who are partial to minstrelsy. The humerous tricks which he played over ninety converts have begun a laughing. "Billy, the Deacon's boy," as characterized by Harry Sansburn, furnished lots of amusement. "Mrs. Lyman Hines, a 14-year-old boy of Thornton," played by Miss Mabel grinder," and "Parson Brownlow." Of course a play wouldn't be complete without a villain and his accomplices, and Roy Houghton, as "George Darrah," assisted by Dan Duncanson as "James Reed," were the "desperit" characters. Roy's make-up and acting were exceptionally good and Dan was a good second. "George Graef," the man against whom the "villains" plotted was ably taken by Irwin Bradfield. "Mrs. Darrah," the wronged wife of George Darrah, by Miss Mamie Brooker and her daughter, "Nellie," by Marie Brooker, were very good. The street scene where little Marie

ever seen here. Music for the evening was furnished by the Cass City orchestra, and Miss Ora McKims also gave several piano

The receipts of the evening were \$150.10 and the proceeds will be used for a payment on the piano used in the high school and for the high school base ball team's expenses.

#### SCHOOL NOTES.

Contributed by Mabel Reagh. A senior class meeting was held on

Tuesday night. Mae McKichan and Tena McLean

visited school Monday afternoon. Misses Bessie Tanner and Emma

A meeting of the Athletic association was held Wednesday evening

after school. "The Showman's Ward" is now being rehearsed and will be given in

the near future.

Misses Mae Mulholland, Nina Karr, Lois Cleaver and Maude and Ethel McCrea have received third grade certificates.

"The Deacon" which was given last Friday evening by the members of

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

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expense and embarrassment. Goods bought by us are paid for in share in this arrangement, and unless thirty to sixty days without regard to there has been some positive arrangewhat crop fails or who disappoints us, ment to the contrary, items sold prewhile one buying from us has been vious to February 1st will be due allowed any reasonable time and in April 1st, and must be settled in cash Tuesday for burial, that place lost a considering the season and the ones many cases individuals have taken un- or bankable notes.

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Twenty-six bacteria can live month on a single penny. Lucky little chaps!

When a man tells you that he is wedded to his art, in most cases he is a widower.

The Boston baseball players call Mr. Jack Chesbro's famous specialty the expectoration ball.

Unfortunately, under the circumstances, Maxime Gorky can't exclaim: "What's exile but set free!"

Another victory for emancipated wemanhood! Our sisters will salute the flag hereafter just as we do.

A gigantic railroad merger with \$3,-000,000,000 capital? Well, well, how He had been hovering on the border-

Can you think of anything more delicious than roast rhinoceros, served hot, and garnished with sprigs from a jungle?

The Vanderbilts and the Goulds paid \$1,500 apiece for their places to see the inaugural parade-which is cheap for them.

Philadelphia is placarded with bulletins which read: "The city is in lessly performed. When he retired danger, pray for the mayor." And from public life some years ago it was yet the mayor isn't grateful.

By all means sterilize the paper money, but don't kill the money-making germ in the process. Lots of people would like to be inoculated with

No doubt the "gorgeous effects with abrupt curves" which the milliners recommend for spring hats will put an abrupt crimp into hubby's pocket

A patriot, says President Woodrow Wilson, is a man who has a surplus of energy to spend for the welfare of the community outside of himself. That'll do.

Important to spring poets! The Berkshire County Eagle announces: Spring poems will be received and placed on file in this office on and after March 14."

Those New York doctors who are professing much excitement at having discovered a resident who has no brains are to be praised for their civic pride, anyhow.

A national law in Japan forbids boys under 20 years of age to use tobacco in any form. That secluded srot behind the barn must be especially popular in Japan.

A company has purchased the condensed milk factory at Winthrop, Me., and will convert it into an oilcloth manufactory at once. Now what is there funny about that?

Mr. James J. Jeffries mournfully observes that President Roosevelt might have made a great reputation as a professional pugilist. These fatal mistakes in the choice of careers are very

A Boston woman has invented an ingenious whipping machine for use or husbands who misbehave. We unones are being reserved for Mrs.

Senator Depew paid \$100 an hour for the privilege of monopolizing a spot from which the inaugural parade could be seen to advantage. It must have been a place that Platt didn't care for.

A New York paper criticises Buffalo because the men of Buffalo wear sack coats at dinners and dances. We have often wondered where the men who followed that abominable custom came from.

able features of our currency." will be hard to convince most persons that there is any disagreeable feature about money.

'That picture is beautiful, but it's not my wife," said the husband to the artist. What did that wife say to hubby?-New York Herald.

We haven't room to print more than a column of it.

The American Indian has endured many hardships and indignities with no further protest than a grunt of disapproval, but let those who are trying to fasten the name "Amerind" upon him have a care. There is a point at which Indian stoicism gives way to the war dance and the thirst for gore.

A lady writes from Nice that she has had three cats in succession stolen from her apartments by the poor people there, who are in the habit of stewing them for food. Apparently there's no rescue league on out of the building and ran for the the beautiful Riviera.

The literary man of the Cumberland, Md., Times thinks Swinburne's lines on the czar "read like the rant of a man maudlin drunk." That recalls the kindly definition of Swinburne's Venus as a "Hottentot wench inflamed with rum and cantharides."

# NEWS OF

EX-GOVERNOR CYRUS G. LUCE PASSED PEACE-FULLY AWAY SAT-URDAY.

THE INGHAM COUNTY JAIL, STEEL LINED, SEEMS EASY OF EGRESS.

ANOTHER WRECK ON THE ANN ARBOR RAILROAD KILLS THREE PEOPLE.

Death of Ex-Governor Luce,

Conscious almost to the last, Cyrus G. Luce died Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at his home in Coldwater. plentiful paper money is getting to land of life and death several days, and Mrs. Luce and their four children were all present when the final summons came

> Though descended from the best New England and southern stock, Cyrus G. Luce was a product of the stern school of pioneer life in the early days of the west, and throughout his long and active career he showed the beneficial effects of his early training. In the many public offices he was called upon by the people of his county and state to fill he was never found wanting, but left behind him in each a record of service well and fearwith the regard and high esteem of the entire state, and to the end of his life he retained—as he merited—these feelings of confidence and respect.

> Ex-Governor Luce was born in Windsor, O., July 2, 1824, afterwards lived in Ontario, Ind. Later he purchased a tract of new land in the township of Gilead, Branch Co., Mich., and turned his attention to its development into a home. This he occupied soon after his marriage to Miss Julia A. Dickinson in August, 1849. Here they lived until the death of Mrs. Luce in 1882, their union being blessed by the birth of five children. During this period Mr. Luce took a deep interest in public affairs and in the success of the Republican party and he was chosen many times to offices of a public nature.

> > Three Killed, Eight Injured.

An accident, the result of another a short time before, resulted in the death of one man and the injury of several others on the Ann Arbor railroad Saturday morning. The accident happened near Mesick, and Fireman Doyle, of Jackson, was the man killed, while two others were fatally and eight seriously injured. They are: Jenson, P. J., conductor, fatally.

Kress, Christopher, lost both legs, will die. Veit, Albert, engineer, Mt. Pleas-

ant, lost one leg. Bennett, Irving, freight fireman, badly scalded.

Rowles, Elmer, section man, scalded, dangerous.

Mesick, John, leg mangled, scalded. Frisbie, Roy, Leonidas, scalded.

Spicer, Paul, Mesic, arm broken. Masila, W. P., Cadillac, lineman, bruised. Heinshamer, Henry Chicago, pas

senger, severely bruised. Early in the morning a freight train had been thrown into the ditch four miles north of here through spreading rails. The engine was uncoupled and with the crew aboard started back. A flagman who had been sent back to warn north-bound passenger train No. 7 of the wreck, failed to stop it and the freight engine and train came together on the curve at full speed.

The injured were removed to a vacant store in Mesick and six physiderstand that four dozen large-sized cians from neighboring towns summoned to attend them.

#### Broke Jail.

Four more prisoners escaped from the Ingham county jail Friday night, after beating Sheriff Wm. A. Steele into insensibility. This is the fourth escape from this bastile in eight months, although the interior was recently lined with plate steel to prevent prisoners cutting or digging their way out. The steel, however, was no barrier in this case. The four men who got away are all from Lansing, and are as follows: Charles E. Miller. aged 33, awaiting sentence for forgery, to which he had pleaded guilty; Martin Goins, serving a sentence of 30 days for jumping a board bill; Lu-The Philadelphia Ledger refers to cius C. Mosher, awaiting trial on a "dirty paper as one of the disagree charge of criminal assault; Frank Jor It dan, 18 years old, awaiting sentence for burglary. Sheriff Steele went to lock up seven men who were in the corridor, shortly after 9 o'clock, Suddenly three of them pounced upon him from behind, bore him to the floor and pounded him into uncosciousness trio and another then grabbed the keys and made a rush for the door. Mrs. Steele attempted to bar their way out, but was swept aside as the fellows ran out into the darkness and disappeared.

> A Fenriul Race for Life. A masked man attacked John White, employed by the North American Chemical Company, of Bay City, and for half an hour White held his wouldbe murderer at bay, but was nearly cut to pieces with a big butcher knife. For five hours afterward he raved in delirium, caused by exhaustion.

His assailant came into the drying room about 10 o'clock at night and told White he was going to kill him. White jumped over chlorate of potash pans to escape him, but the man followed, and after half an hour's struggle the assailed man managed to get night watchman's room, followed about 300 feet by the madman, who finally slunk away.

South Range, a hustling town of over 1,000 inhabitants, has no postoffice and has sent a petition to Congressman H. O. Young to have one established there.

#### STATE NEWS CONDENSED.

entering her home, Mrs. McArthur, of Oakwood, dropped dead. She leaves a husband and six children.

George Byrnes, formerly of Ontonagon, burned to death in the Vail hotel at Ely, Minn., which was destroyed by fire Thursday.

The Michigan Peat Co., of Eaton Rapids, have installed about all the machinery in their new building and expect to commence the manufacture of peat about May 1. Martin Egelkroud, a 10-year-old Bat-

tle Creek boy, lost the sight of both eyes by the explosion of a toy cannon The physician says there are 1,000 bits of shot in his eyes and face. Mrs. Catherine Eagan died in Lan-

sing at the age of 104 years. She had used tobacco nearly all her life. She was born in Ireland, but had lived in Lansing for nearly 40 years. The will of the late Charles H. Hackley has been admitted to probate, and

30 days given for an inventory. The estate is estimated to be worth between \$6,000,000 and \$10,000,000. Daniel McPhail, the hermit of Eg-

gleston township, who has lived for 15 years in an old cabin, celebrated his 101st birthday on Friday. His only companions are his hunting dogs. The two children of a Finnish teamster at Jenks Spur, Marquette, in the absence of their mother, perished in a

fire which destroyed the home. It is

supposed they played with the kitchen George Hildreth, Michigan Central agent at Sterling, owner of the largest plant Kuropatkin after the Mukden poutry farm in this section, reports disaster, the decision to confer the getting 876 eggs from 25 hens in three task of saving the remainder of the months during the coldest weather this

winter. The Muskegon Cutlery Co., capitalwith the cutlery trust. The paid-in stock was \$66,500, largely held by

local people. A quantity of frozen dynamite, with two explosive caps lying near, was found on the tracks of the Houghton county street railway, supposed to have been placed there by strike vmpathizers.

Blind Dan Watkins, who sells cigars on the street corners in Battle Creek, was robbed of his day's earnings by having beer checks substituted for his money by a man under pretense of making change. Ex-Gov. Cyrus G. Luce was very

near to death Wednesday. He has long been feeble, and but for the providential presence of the family physician when he was seized with a sinking spell he would have died. Helpless from paralysis, except in

tion alive. A few farmers in Calhoun county have already commenced the shearing

of their sheep and citizens of that county are very indignant over the fact. The sheep suffer greatly at this time of the year if bereft of their wool and the practice of early slicaring is a cruel

The law and order league of Escanaba has laid out an extensive program of activities to be used as a factor in the coming spring election. The league has sent letters to the saloon- July. keepers of the city calling their attention to the laws governing the liquor

Within the last six months 234 of died, and enough more have dropped out of the G. A. R. organization on account of phylsicial inability to attend to deplete the membership by 663 in Michigan. The total membership is now 12,282.

The prospects are good that the state encampment of the M. N. G. will be held in Ludington this summer, as the board of trade is willing to accede to all the demands made by Adjt.-Gen. that peace prospects, although recent-McGurrin, who was here Tuesday look-ly considered bright, now seem to ing after camp grounds and making known his wants.

M. A. Talbot Co., of Logansport Ind., have been awarded a verdict of \$3,677 10 in the United States circuit court at Grand Rapids against the city of Charlotte, the amount being the balance due on a sewer contract. The city refused payment because the sewer was not built according to contract,

At the annual meeting of the Upper Peninsula Agricultural association held at Marquette and attended by delegates from nine counties, it was decided to dispense with the proposed plan of a northern Michigan fair this year, and instead to collect an exhibit of various crops to be shown at the state fair in Detroit.

The Moore Co., of Port Huron, and W. A. Boland, of Jackson, have not reached a compromise over the construction of the new electric road between Jackson and Lansing, both claiming the right to build the road and both are making surveys and getmay result in the building of two

Prosecuting Attorney Martin has stated his conviction after a searching investigation that there is no proof of foul play in the case of young William S. Goodspeed, who died in Flint. so suddenly the evening of March 8. No motive has been shown for any attempt at murder, and if Goodspeed was really poisoned there is nothing to show it was done intentionally. The prosecutor says he will take no further action until he has something on which to base a belief that the boy was murdered.

It is just about one year ago that Coleman suffered severely from fire and another heavy loss was inflicted by a blaze which broke out about 10 o'clock Wednesday night in the Deul bakery and burned all frame buildings in the Commercial House block. The loss will reach \$20,000, with small insurance. The only building saved was the cement block of George F. Gorton, but it was badly damaged.

Robert Kidney, an aged miser living near Port Byron, N. Y., was murdered in his lonely cabin. The assassin overlooked \$1,800 in gold and several hundred dollars in bills.

# JAP-RUSS

KUROPATKIN IS HARSHLY DISMISSED IN DIS-GRACE.

OYAMA SAYS HE WILL ENTER HARBIN ON APRIL 10TH.

THE CAPTURE OF VLADIVOSTOK IS PREDICTED BY THE 1ST OF JULY.

With the Japanese hanging on the heels and flanks of the remnants of the broken, defeated acussian army, Gen. Kuropatkin, the old idol of the private soldier, has been dismissed and disgraced, and Gen. Linevitch, commander of the First army, is appointed to succeed him in command of all the Russian land and sea forces operating against Japan. The word disgrace is written in large letters in the laconic imperial order gazetted, which contains not a single word of praise, and also disposes of the rumor that Kuropatkin had asked to be relieved. The Russian military annals contain no

more bitter imperial rebuke. While it was known that the war council had already decided to suparmy on Linevitch in the very midst of its flight, came as a surprise. It transpires that Emperor Nicholas uplzed at \$107,500, has suspended busion the advice of Gen. Dragomiroff and ness because it could not compete War Minister Sakharoff, determined that the step was necessary when it became apparent that Kuropatkin, while concentrating for a stand at Tie Pass, seemed unaware that the Japanese had worked around westward again and practically allowed himself to be

#### Harbin and Vladivostok.

Kuroki's advance guard has reached Mian Huakai, on the Kirin road, about twenty miles northeast of Tieling, while the Japanese western flanking column is almost at Chantufu to the west of the railroad on the Mandarin road, Both Kuroki and Nogi, who commands the western columns, are pushing their troops toward the railroad, with the idea of cutting off as great a porportion of the Russians as possible. The heaviest fighting since Mukden is in progress at Kai Yuen, portions of several Russian corps havone arm and hand, scated in a low long been brought to bay there and rocking chair, Jacob Pratt, of Three being practically cut off from retreat Rivers, has started for Eureka, Cal, to make his home with his daughter. It is doubtful if he reaches his destination alive. the operations in Manchuria received here today, partly from official and propriate \$15,000 for the completion of partly from unofficial, but reliable sources.

Oyama's dispatches, so far as they have been made public, indicate that there is a constant addition to his list of prisoners, as isolated parties of Russians are picked up, and that a munitions and stores have been cap-Tieling. It is predicted that both Har-ment from Lansing to Detroit. bin and Vladivostok will either be in Japanese hands or invested beyon! the hope of relief before the 1st of

How far or how rapidly Field Marshal Oyama will be able to continue the pursuit remains to be seen, but the Chinese at Harbin expect him I think the joint resolution will pass the veterans of the civil war have there April 10 and if this opinion proves to be founded on a Japanese proclamation many persons in Petersburg, remembering the fulfillment of Oyama's asurance regarding the ocupation of Mukden March 10. will be inclined to accept three weeks as the limit.

#### A Momentous Epoch. The view of the war in France is

have disappeared. The officials say this is due mainly to Japan's insist-The officials sav ence that Russia shall sue for peace, whereas Russian pride prevents her from taking the initiative. Therefore it is believed that the war will be indefinitely prolonged with the prospect Detroit, county of Wayne." of a steady series of Japanese successes above Mukden. Japan's approach to Siberia is considered one of the momentous epochs of the war and as marking the first Japanese posses sion of Asiatic territory hitherto held by a European power. The effect of Japan's advance to Harbin will be to control the Trans-Siberian railroad and the entire sweep of eastern Siberia including Vladivostok. It is said that this possession of Russian territory may prove an important factor in support of Japan's claim for a money indemnity.

#### Will Continue War.

The Russian government declares the war will be pushed with energy, even if the entire army of Linevitch ting material on the ground. The fight is captured by Oyama and the Japs secure all eastern Siberia. More armies will be raised at once. Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's orders to try issues with Vice-Admiral Togo have not and we will save \$2,000,000." been canceled, preparations for the mobilization of a new army are continuing, and the finance department is busy with measures to provide necessary funds.

> Less than twenty-four hours after his marriage to Miss Minerya Fugua. Ernest W. Dubbert, of Ottumwa, Ia., unaccountably killed himself with carbolic acid, dying in the arms of his bride.

A writ of habeas corpus seeking the release of Johann Hoch, the multibigamist, was withdrawn in court at Chicago, Counsel for Hoch stated that the reason for the withdrawal was that there was apparently nothing to gain by the writ. Hoch was present during the proceedings.

More serious results than was anticipated may come from the stabbing affray incident on the "hair cutting" campaign between the freshmen and the sophomores of the U. of M. It has been disclosed that the two students stabbed by the as yet unknown freshman are H. H. Corson, of Birmingham, and L. A. Warren, of Edmore.

#### THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Senator Jones has introduced a bill calling for an appropriation of \$50,000 for the erection of a reformatory for women. The measure does not specify where the institution shall be located, but Senator Jones wants it put up somewhere in St. Clair county. Representative Eichhorn, of Port Huron, has a similar bill in the house.

The bill providing for a bounty of

2 cents a head on sparrows was passed by the house. It applies in only those counties whose boards of super visors vote for it.

The house military committee has eported favorably the bill to double the annual appropriation for naval reserves, in order that three new divisions may be formed and that two tured. cruises may be arranged for on the Yantic. There is talk of forming new bodies of reserves at Bay City, the Soo and on Lake Michigan. The bill,

however, must still go to the commit

tee on ways and means. Senator Brown's primary election bill for the whole state will probably be introduced early next week. It will provide for the direct election of delegates to state conventions and for uniform caucus days, but the people are not under its terms to vote utrectly on the nomination of any state candidate. One of the most interesting features of the bill will be a provision that saloons must be closed on primary days as they are now supposed to be on election days.

At the session of the house Monday evening the nomination of Speaker Master for circuit judge of the Ninth circuit was observed by handclapping and a resolution expressing high esteem, etc. As speaker Master will vacate his present position in case he is elected circuit judge, there is already some speculation as to his successor in the chair of the house. In this talk the name of Representative George Loud, of Detroit, is being used a great deal, as he retired from the race at the beginning of this session with the good will of Master's friends.

Another bill to amend the general liquor law has been introduced by Representative Stockdale, of Allegan. It provides that all druggists who sell liquor must pay the same tax as sat to him or lose his friendship. loonkeepers.

There is a provision in a bill introduced by Representative Jerome, of Detroit, that liquor shall not be sold in lrug stores.

Representative Beal, of Ann Arbor, has a bill which provides that the pharmacy board shall be appointed from the membership of the State Pharmaceutical association and requires a high educational qualification for applicants for certificates. The Jerome bill makes no such restrictions as to the members of the board and is more liberal as to the education necessary for druggists.

the physchopathic ward in the hospital grounds of the U. of M. and for the appointment of a "pathologist of the state asylums for the insane and associate professorr of neural pathology,'

Representative Duncan Wayne, of number of guns and large quantities of Bradford, Midland county, introduced a joint resolution Tuesday afternoon tured since the fall of Mukden and to move the seat of the state govern-

> "Detroit is the natural capital of the state," said Mr. Wayne. "All railroads and street railways lead to Detroit. Get on any railroad, and you can reach the metropolis. Hotel accommoda tions, living accommodations, recreaton, everything is superior in Detroit. the house." Representatives Gordon, of Mar-

quette, and Turner, of Muskegon, declare in favor of change. The title and text of the resolution follow:

"A Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to Article II of the Constitution of the State.

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendment to the constitution of this state be and the same is hereby proposed, that is to say, that Article' II of said constitution be amended to read as follows: 'Article II-The seat of government

shall within three years after the adoption of this amendment be located at Then follows the provision to submit

the matter to the people in the fall of 1906. The resolution, if carried out, would take effect about 1908. The sum of \$2,000,000 at least may

be cut from the appropriations asked this year by the state institutions by the senate committee on appropria-tions composed of Senators Smith, Doherty, Lindsay, Jenks and Hayden. All warmly support Gov. Warner's economy policy. The appropriation bills now before the senate total \$9,218,044.07. Two years ago \$6,956,-717.80 was appropriated and the amount this year might be cut down close to, if not below, those figures. "One million dollars," said Chairman Smith, "can be cut off without leaving our seats. A \$450,000 addition to the capitol is asked for, \$250,000 for a prison twine plant, and \$40,000 for buying White Cloud hospital and sanitarium. Fads and extras will be cut down

An increase of \$30,000 a year in salary alone is the modest contribution of the four state normal schools in the line of "economy," and these increases have been approved by the state board of education.

Gen. Von Meyer, American ambassador at St. Petersburg, has leased the famous Kleinmichel palace formerly occupied by Prince Pio, the Spanish ambassador,

Charles H. Singer, a Grand Rapids mail carrier, who collects mail with a cutter, was caught between two cars and probably fatally crushed.

Considerable 'ill-feeling' is manifested in congress over the failure of the senate to pass the pure food bill. Its untimely death is ascribed to the whisky trust, otherwise known as the "bot-

tled in bond board." The body of William Barney has been found, frozen stiff, in his shanty near Hougton lake. He lived alone, was one of the oldest residents of the section. The coroner decided he came to his death from heart discase.

#### RUSSIANS IN ST. PETERSBURG ARE APPALLED BY GREAT DIS-ASTER AT MUKDEN.

The magnitude of the castastrophe in Manchuria is now apparent to all. Where the curtain has been slightly lifted the picture of the awful retreat makes the flesh creep, recalling the scenes depicted in Tolstoi's "War and Peace," or Zola's "Le Debacle." The war office admits that the remnants of

the army are still in danger. Field Marshal Oyama holds a magnificant strategic position. Japanese flanking columns are in touch above Tie Pass and there may be a Sedan there. No adequate estimate of the losses has been furnished, but with the units captured on the left unaccounted for, the killed or wounded already total 65,000. The war office does not even know accurately what units were cap-

Gen. Linevitch's army, although scattered and confused, got off with the few losses. Gen. Kaulbars was the heaviest loser, leaving 28.000 prisoners in the hands of the Japanese. Kaulbars himself, with the remnant of his army, had a narrow escape.

#### The Retrent Described. Kuropatkin's dispatches to St. Pe-

tersburg say: "The retreat of the army was very dangerous and especially trying for those corps which were some distance from the Mandavin road. Our troops from the Mandarin road. Our troops

are very brave. "The Japanese penetrated far into the mountains in the direction of Ta-wan. They threatened our troops but thanks to extraordinary efforts our armies are out of danger.

"The enemy cannonaded the route of our retreat from the east and west." The eastern Mandarin road was bombarded at two points near Tawan and the Pu river.

"The reason the Japanese advanced so easily from the south is that the Hun river, which covered our position at Mukden, was frozen over

"Gen. Zerpitsky is wounded but remains at the front." The losses at the defeat at Mukden are moderately placed at 200,000 men on both sides.

When a man asks you for your honest opinion you sometimes have to lie

#### THE MARKETS.

Detroit—The cattle market was active, with light butchers' grades 10c to 20c higher and all other grades steady. Milch cows and springers dull and \$3@5 per head lower. Best grades, \$30@38; others, \$18@25. Veal calves—Market fairly active and about 25c higher. Best grades, \$5@6 50; others, \$3 50@4 75. Hogs—Light to good butchers, \$5 10 @5 15; pigs, \$4 90; light yorkers, \$4 95 @5; roughs, \$4 25@4 50; stags, one-third off.

(f); roughs, ex 200 third off. Sheep—Best lambs, \$8@8 50; fair to good lambs, \$7 25@7 75; light to com-mon lambs, \$6@7; fair to good butcher sheep, \$4 50@5 75; culls and common, A bill introduced by Representative \$3@4 50.

> Chicago @6 25; poor to medium, \$3 75,04 \$5; stockers and feeders, \$2 50@4 60; cows, \$2 75@4 50; canners, \$1 50@2 50; bulls, \$2 50@4; calves, \$3@5; Hogs-Good to choice heavy, \$5 10@

5 22½; rough and heavy, \$4 90@5 05; light, \$4 85@5 12½; bulk of sales at \$5 ## 15.
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4 60
@6 10; fair to choice mixed, \$4 75@;
5 40; native lambs, \$6@7 60.

6 10; hair to enoice mixed, \$4 19.00 
5 40; native lambs, \$6.07 60.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$5.25.06.5.75; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb shipping steers, \$4.65.06.5.15; 900 to 1,000-lb shipping steers, \$4.15.04.65; best fat cows, \$3.50.04.10; fair to good, \$2.50.03; trimmers, \$1.40.01.60; best fat heifers, \$4.25.04.75; medium heifers, \$3.25.05.50; common stock heifers, \$2.50.03; best feeding steers, 900 to 1,000-lb dehorned, \$3.75.04; best yearling steers, \$3.50.00; common stockers, \$2.50.03; export bulls, \$3.75.04; best yearling steers, \$3.50.00; common of stockers, \$2.50.03; export bulls, \$3.75.04; bologna bulls, \$3.03.25; good fresh cows sold steady and common ones dull and draggy at last week's prices; there is no use shipping common cows here expecting any decent price for them; buyers will not buy them; good to extra, \$40.05.0; medium to good, \$22.032; common, \$15.00.00; calves: Best, \$7.75.08.25; fair to good, \$5.50.07.50; medium, \$4.05. Hogs: Mixed and mediums, \$5.35.05.40; heavy, \$3.25.05.50; torkers, \$5.30.05.40; pigs, \$5.25.05.50; coughs, \$4.60.04.70; stags, \$3.03.50. Sheep: Native lambs, choice, \$8.50.08.65; fair to good, \$8.08.40; culls and common, \$6.75.07.25; best westerns, \$8.00.04.50; yearlings, \$6.75.07.25; best westerns, \$8.00.04.50; yearlings, \$6.75.07.25.

#### Grain, Etc.

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Detroit—Wheat—No. 2 red, spot, \$1 16 asked; May, \$1 16; July, 10,000 bu at 95½c, 10,000 bu at 95½c, 5,000 bu at 95½c, 10,000 bu at 95½c, 5,000 bu at 95½c; No. 3 red, \$1 10; No. 1 white, \$1 16 asked.

Corn—No. 3 mixed, 51c; No. 3 yellow, 52c per bu, both nominal.

Oats—No. 3 white spot, 4 cars at 34c, closing nominal at 34½c; May, 35c bu.

Rye—No. 2 spot, 88c bid.

Beans—March, 1 car at \$1 75, closing \$1 72 nominal; May, 1 car at \$1 82; June, \$1 86 nominal; July, 2 cars at \$1 90 bu.

Clover seed—Prime spot, 250 bags at \$7.85; April, 100 bags at \$7.70; by sample, 200 bags at \$7 30, 60 at \$7 50 per bu; prime alsike, 20 bags at \$7.60; No. 2, 10 bags at \$7 20; by sample, 15 bags at \$140 per bu; Timothy seed—Prime spot, 60 bags at \$1.40 per bu; Timothy seed-Prime spot, 60 bags at

\$1 40 per bu. 48½c. Oats—No. 2, 32½c; No. 2 white, 34c; No. 3 white, 31¾ @34c. Rye—No. 2, 78½c. Barley—Good feeding, 38@40c; fair

o choice maiting, 43@47c. Flaxsced—No. 1, \$12 75; No. 1 north-cestern, \$1 37. Clover—Contract grade, \$13 35.

#### AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending Mar. 25/ DETROIT OPERA HOUSE.—Mar. 20, 21 and 22, William Collier.

LYCBUM THEATER.—Billy Van in the Errand Boy. Mat Wed. and Sat. Eve. 15c, 25c, 502, 75c. LAFAYETTE THEATHE—The Byron Douglas Company. "The New Magdalen."

Company. "The New Magdalen."
WHITNEY THEATER—A Prisoner of War. Mat., 10c, 15a, 25c. Eve. 10c. 20c. 30c.
TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND—Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50. AVENUE THEATHE-- Vaudéville -- Afternoons 15 25, and 50c. Evenings, 25, 35, 50 and 75.

Henry Stadlander and wife were found dead in their home in Saginaw Wednesday by the police. It is believed to be a case of double suicide. Stadlander was a traveling agent for Ondahy Bros. of Milwaukee, and it is said he was short in his accounts. J. C. Buckland, the company's agent, was here to have him arrested on a warrant taken out in Alpena, and on going to the house the officers discovered the bodies. The couple may have been dead some days, as Buckland visited the house on March 13 and found it closed up and there was no response to his

knocking and ringing at the door.

BY ZOE RINEHART (Copyright 1900 by Damy Story Pho. Co.)

down the world trying to stifle and

kill, sprung up, full-sized, and took a

But there was no wrong in it then.

Any man had a right to woo her, for

But I didn't woo her. I couldn't

Asked her to be my wife.

I loved her better than the very life-

blood in my veins, but I didn't seek

her out. I saw she loved him still-

him who had been her husband, for

whom she had borne children.

Though he was dead and gone, she

been the other man-aye, dead, as he

She was poor. More than that, she

She was proud, too, proud as Luci-

fer. She chose to suffer in silence

rather than accept anything that sav-

ored of charity. I saw it all, her pride,

I had money. I hadn't had anybody

to spend it on during all the years the

woman I loved was married to another

man. You'll never know the hours,

the days, I spent thinking of schemes

to help her without her finding me

out. But she saw through all pretexts

sooner or later, and she wouldn't let

She had a long spell of sickness,

and got up from it paler and weaker

than she had ever been. Then I went

to her-I knew I couldn't help her in

any other way-I went to her and

And she promised. She promised

with tears of gratitude to marry me,

Told me looking into my eyes that

she didn't love me, but only respected

and honored me. But for the sake of

the children-his children-she would

be my wife. Heavens, man, can you

But I loved her. You may not un-

derstand me, you may sort of pity me,

or worse yet, you may feel a contempt

for me, when I tell you that my heart

fairly burst with the wildness of its

Fifteen years is a long time to love

a woman, to love her hopelessly, to

hunger for the sight of her face and

I said it was queer the way a man's

life works out. A man may fail in the

purpose of a lifetime through a stupid

little blunder of some fellow he has

never seen. To-morrow I would have

married Sue, but to-day a chump for-

Yet I don't say I have any kick com-

No, there's nothing you can do for

me; I'm quite comfortable. Thanks

just the same. I haven't long to wait.

ing against fate. Still I think I could

die a little happier if I'd only been-

got to flag a train.

the other man.

you know. Good-bye.

put yourself in a place like that?

me help her in any real way.

asked her to be my wife.

and her sorrow, and her poverty.

was frail, and didn't know how to do

things that bring in money to buy

was, but loved-by her.

dren, still too young to help.

she's been a widow for three years.

mighty hold on my soul.

enough left of me to feel much pain, been a widow for three years. Her blows-and the wind blows often-I guess. There's nothing of me below pink cheeks were faded, and there sweeps over the scorching and barren the belt but pulp. A fellow in a fix like that is past feeling, I reckon, and his children were around her. But, the Sahara, which, by the way, they that's something to be thankful for, if a fellow has anything to be thankful hope that I'd been wandering up and southwest, across the lofty mountain for in a time like this. It's only a question of a few hours, they say.

No. 6 and the Coast Limited came together like-well, like nothing this side of perdition, I guess. I was in the chair car, and the first thing I knew after the crash, I found myself in closer quarters than I was ever in before, or ever will be in again. They finally got me out and brought me

There's one thing. I've no folks to be cut up over this affair. It'd be mighty tough for a fellow to be taken home to his family all mashed in like this. I've some friends that have been notified, and they'll see, I'm put away decently and in order, so to speak,

It'll be a little hard on Suc. Do you know, as I've been laving here. waiting for the end of this business. I've been doing a little bit of thinking.

It's queer the way a man's life turns out, after all. Three hours ago I was on my way as fast as steam could carry me, to Sue and the kids. She's got three, and everybody says they look more like Mart than like Sue. I was happy, if that's what you'd call the feeling a man has when he's about to get what he's been hankering after in his waking hours and in his dreams for fifteen years. And now look at

me. I was going to marry Sue. Yes, tomorrow was to have been my wedding day. You see, Sue's been a widow for five years now. And since Mart died of typhoid, she's had a pretty tough time getting along with the youngsters and all. Sue wasn't raised to work, that is, to work to earn her daily bread. But Mart didn't leave her much.

Say, man, if you know-as you more'n likely don't-what it is to see a woman you've loved with a heartbreaking love for fifteen years-I say if you know what it is to see that woman having a hard time to live, suffering and pining and maybe starving in secret, and know that you've no right to comfort her, and that there is no way to make her take of your plenty-God! If you know what that is, you know something of what the pains of hell must be like.

I loved her long ago. I worshipped the ground she set her dainty feet on fifteen years ago, when we were all three-Sue, Mart and I-young people together in the old neighborhood.

Sue knew it, of course. But I wasn't a good-looker, nor a bright talker, as Mart Day was, and he got the inside track, and came in under the wire ahead of me.

They were married. Well, of course, when a thing like that happens there's nothing for the fellow that gets left to do but "grin and bear it," as I've



Suc.

heard my old mother say. Some may think differently, but I've never held it's a sin for a man to love a woman even if she's married, provided he loves her in the right way, and lets her alone. For I take it that if a man has loved a woman with all the mind and heart and soul the Lord has given him, he can't very well pull his love up, root and all, in a minute, and throw it away, just because she's

To live in the hearts we leave begone and married another man. I never saw Sue after she married.

SKULLS

GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF PIECE OF CALIFORNIA LAND.

One Million Acres, Recently Thrown Open to Entry, Worthless to the Settler-Strewn with the Skeletons of Prospectors and Bones of Settlers

On June 15, 1903, 1,000,000 acres of land in California were thrown open to entry. This may be taken up either under the desert land act or as homesteads in ten-acre tracts. The strip stretches from Mojave to the Colorado

We wish to warn all intending settlers to let this land alone. There is a good deal of talk about "making the desert blossom as the rose." Some deserts blossom, but not this one. Nobody will ever do more for his desert than Mother Nature has done. The only blooming nature has brought about there is that its freckled bosom blossoms with large alkali postules or pimples, punctuated with sage brush and cactus. This sums up the flora of the new promised land. The fauna includes jack rabbits, horned toads, Gila monsters and venomous snakes.

The soil is coarse gravel, and on tor of the coarse gravel there is a fine Suffering much pain? Oh, no; not | Mart. Never saw her again until she'd alkali powder which, when the wind were gray streaks in her hair, and land like the dreaded sandstorms of my God! I loved her still. And then a much resemble. Even far to the ranges, these desert sandstorms sometimes sweep, reaching the favored dwellers in southern California in the midst of their orange groves. Even this distant touch of the desert winds causes trees to wither, grass to scorch and men and animals to suffer keenly. Over this dreadful desert the sun moves like a ball of fire across a sky of brass. Rarely does a cloud break

the intensity of the pitiless rays. Those credulous persons who may believe that this is the kind of desert which, by irrigation, may be turned into a garden are doomed to disappointment. There is no water on this desert strip. The waters of the Colerade may be led on the lands of the Yuma desert, but that is far lower in Mojave strip is at an elevation of 2,000 or 3,000 feet. As for artesian water, the writer personally knows of one well which was bored for nearly 2,000 feet, ending in igneous rock and producing nothing but profanity.

They may ex ist there. We do not say they can not be found. But we know that the land has been prospected by experienced miners for half a century. If a tenderfoot can find a gold mine where an ternoon smart tenderfoot. But we doubt his success.

We warn all eastern people not to be deluded by false, even if well-meaning, representations concerning this strip of land between Mojave and the Colorado river. It is strewn with the skeletons of prospectors, the bones of loved him still. God! If I had only animals. It is a place of skulls,-San Francisco Argonaut.

The Nose Key. "It is considered an insult and extremely indelicate in India to refer to daily bread. And there were the chil- a woman's nose ring, but so many ask me, 'What is that flower they hold in the mouth?' that I must tell what I shouldn't," says Edmund Russell. "It is the badge of wifehood, even more sacred than our wedding ring-set always with the costliest and most beautiful jewels a woman possesses and the last she will part with. A ruby with two pearls is the favorite, as symbolizing a heart between two guardians of purity. This is somewhat going out of fashion under English influence; the Somaji ladies and Zoroastrian sisters do not wear them, but every orthodox Hindoo woman has her pak-chabl, or 'nose-key,' as it is also called; usually two, one of precious jewels and falling pearls, the other a little plain gold safety pin which is slipped in just as the great circle is being drawn out, for the nose must never for a moment be left free."-"The Jewel Crafts of India," Everybody's Magazine.

When the Baby Came Along.

For all the dreary winter—for all the skies so dim,
I seemed to see my mother in the twink—lin' eyes of him;
An' a thousand sweetest flowers in descrits seemed to throng,
An' I heard the birds a-singin' when the Baby came along.

the touch of her hand, and yet know that they belong to another. Now she was to marry me. True, she didn't love me. But that wasn't her fault. I suppose I couldn't have all of heaven I suppose I couldn't have all of heaven the love me. But that wasn't her fault. I suppose I couldn't have all of heaven the love me. But that wasn't her fault. I suppose I couldn't have all of heaven the laby came along!

—Atlanta Constitution. Lord bless that little Baby-the best one

Expensive Eye of a Potato.

The potato boom has not yet run its course in Lincolnshire, and a wellknown cultivator, Mr. T. A. Scarlett visiting Spalding weekly market, underwent much heckling as to the single tuber he paid £20 for to Mr. Findlay, the originator of the Northern Star and El Dorado varieties. Mr. Scarlett said he had since been offered £25 for this potato, but had refused the offer. As, however, the would-be purchaser was very pressing, he allowed him to cut out a single eye for the sum of £5. This is probably the first time in the history of the potato that a single eye from one has had a hind is not to die.—Thomas Campbell. bank-note value.—London Tit-Bits.

THE NATION

MRS. READER PROMISES THAT SHE WILL AS-TOUND THE COUN-TRY.

SPECIAL SESSION OF THE SEN-ATE IS OVER AND NOTHING DONE.

BY PEABODY'S RESIGNATION COL ORADO HAD THREE GOV-ERNORS IN A DAY.

Mrs. Reader Is Angry. . Mrs. Ella Rawles Reader, the young Alabama woman, who says that she prevented a civil war in Peru, worsted old world diplomats and that she had almost concluded an agreement with the president of Santo Domingo to run that republic for several years, when President Roosevelt put an end to the negotiations by arranging a treaty with the West Indian government, declared today that she has not yet revealed everything she knows concerning the alleged American-Dominican plot, and that when she publishes documents and facts in her possession

the country will be astounded. Mrs. Reader says that she has negotiated innumerable great international suffer from headache, constipation, tional arrangements and that is the biliousness, etc. The only sure, safe gotiated innumerable great internafirst time she has failed. And she is and permanent cure for this condition angry. She says that she would have is Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup succeeded and would today be the Pepsin. It has a gentle action all its Dominican fiscal agent if some one had not betrayed her secrets to President Roosevelt and thus led to the flasco which cost her much moneyand her first failure as an interational

Peabody Resigned as Agreed. The bargain made by leaders of the opposing Republican factions of Colorado to take the governor's chair from Alva Adams and to seat in it Lieut.Gov. Jesse F. McDonald after permitting James H. Peabody to hold it for one day, was carried to a con-

clusion Friday afternoon.

In fulfillment of the agreement which he made before the general assembly decided the gubernatorial contest in his favor, Gov. James H. Pealevel than are these. Much of this body resigned the office in which he was inaugurated Thursday afternoon. His resignation, of which W. S. Boynton, of Colorado Springs, had been custodian since it was written, was filed in the office of the secretary of state at 4:20 p. m. Friday. James Cowie, secretary of state, immediately The last hope for the settler on this certified Gov. Peabody's resignation barren land would be the discovery and Lieut-Gov. McDonald was then sworn in as governor by Chief Justice Gabert. There was no further cere-

mony. Gov. Adams was ousted and Gov. Peabody installed by the general assembly about 5 o'clock Thursday afand Gov. McDonald old California miner fails he is a sworn in before 5 p. m. Friday. Thus in a space of less than twenty-four hours Colorado had three governors.

Secretary Hay Very III.

John Hay, secretary of state, collapsed on the White Star pier, New York, shortly before noon Saturday as he was going aboard the steamship Cretic for a Mediterranean trip. He sailed on the Cretic, nevertheless, a very sick man, the necessity being imperative of his seeking a long rest at

That Mr. Hav's health is seriously impaired has been concealed from the public, and every effort was made to keep secret the name of the ship on which he was to sail. His name does not appear on the passenger list, and he did not reach the pier until close to the advertised hour of sailing.

The itinerary of the secretary of state calls for a trip lasting six weeks, but it may be extended. If his health is not improved by his vacation, it is considered probable that he will be compelled to retire from the cabinet. But if he shows even a trace of improvement, it is said he will remain it the head of the department of state.

No Santo Domingo Treaty.

The special session of the senate was at 3:39 Friday adjourned without day. All of the nominations sent in were confirmed, with the exception of five, the most important of which was that of Judge James Wickersham to neighbors, simple pleasures, habits, succeed himself as judge of the district court of Alaska. Several unimportant treaties were ratified, but beyond these matters no legislative business was transacted.

Most of the session was devoted to the Santo Domingo question and the When the Baby Came Along.

I thought 'twas hard—the tollin', the tide a-pullin' strong,
But I shouted "Hallelula!" when the Baby came along.

He coaxed me back to youth time, made my life a livin' song—
I was nappy, folks, I tell you, when the Baby came along.

Solution of a treaty under which it was proposed that the United States should take over the control of the financial affairs of the Dominican government in order to pay its indebtedness. Democratic opposition prevented the ratification of the consideration of a treaty under which it was proposed that the United "I have been using Grape-Nu's for States should take over the control of about six months. I began rather sparthe fiancial affairs of the Dominican ingly, until I acquired such a liking treaty.

Senator Hawley Dead.

Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, for nearly twenty-four years United States sen ator from Connecticut, died at 1:50 o'clock Saturday morning at his residence in Washington, D. C. Death came peacefully after a stupor lasting with but slight interruption since Wednesday afternoon. At his bedside when the end came were Mrs. Hawley, her three daughters and Maj. Hooks, for a long time the messenger to the committee on military affairs of the senate. The remains will be taken to Hartford, Conn., for interment.

David Strother, the negro who east the first ballot ever voted by a memis dead in El Paso, Ill.

Lawrence, Mass., has the most unique strike in history. The "bug chasers," employed by the state and city to clear the parks of the nests of brown-tail moths, want \$3 a day instead of \$2.50.

Mamie Powers, aged 18, of East St. Louis, who became hysterical after an encounter on the street with a footpad who robbed her of \$10, is dangerously ill, unable to recognize anyone and is quieted only by singing.

A QUICK RECOVERY.

A Prominent Topeka Rebecca Officer Writes to Thank Doan's Kidney Pills for It.

Mrs. C. E. Bumgardner, a local offi-

cer of the Rebeccas, of Topeka, Kans., Room 10, 812 Kansas Ave., writes: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills during the past year for kidney trouble and kindred allments. I was suffering from pains in the back and headaches. but found after the use of one box of the remedy that the troubles gradually disappeared, so that before I had finished

a second package I

was well. I therefore heartily endorse your remedy " (Signed) Mrs. C. E. Bumgardner. A FREE TRIAL-Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents.

A spinster says getting married is almost as serious as remaining single. Some men find it easier to get drunk than sober.

Orders Disobeyed. The orders of General Health have been disobeyed, when you feel under the weather, weak, tired, irritable, and own, superior to that of rills, powders,

and cathartic waters. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails. The man of good memory occasionally lapses into tedious ways.

Most of Your Neighbors will take advantage of the offer made by the Vernal Remedy Company, of Le Roy, N. Y., to send free a trial bottle of Vernal

Palmettona (Palmetto Berry Wine), the household remedy that is attracting the attention of physicians and the public at large, for the reason that it is the best specific known for the quick and permanent cure of all diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, and urinary organs. Only one dose a day. Sold by druggists.

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Hospitality offered to the stranger under the roof is almost a religion with the Syrian householder, although to be the "stranger" is a difficult matter. Except among her own neonle the young Syrian girl is kept in haremlike seclusion. There is one way only in which the curious American can get into one of these homes, and that is in the guise of a buyer.

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THE SIMPLE LIFE.

Ways That Are Pleasant and Paths That Are Peace. It is the simple life that gives

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"I have been using Grape-Nu's for for it that for the last three menths I have depended upon it almost entirely for my diet, eating nothing else whatever, but Grape Nuts for breakfast and supper, and I believe I could eat it for dinner with fruit and be satisfied without other food, and feel much better and have more strength to do my housework.

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#### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Council Rooms, Cass City, Mich.

March 20, 1905. Regular meeting of the council called to order by the president. The following trustees were present:

Campbell, Elliott, Bigelow, Striffler and Clarke. Minutes of previous meetings read

nd approved. favorite hymn, "The Bird with a troit on Monday.

The following bills were read and Broken Wing." A large concourse of R. Yakes of De and approved.

and accounts:

Prid Ross,
Brian, hauling coal.
lump-Lenzaer Co., printing, etc...
ed Smithson, freight and cartage...
bin A. Renshler, platform scales and Striffler, salary and sundries.....

Geo. Perkins. 1 1-2 tan board.

H. T. Elliott, 1 1-2 days registration board; 11-2 days election board.

J. H. Striffler, deed for street, \$10; 2 1-2 days settling with treasurer \$5. 1 4.2 days settling with treasurer \$5. 1 1-2 days registration

At this time Trustee Renshler took

counts reported favorably on all bills as read, except bill of A. D. Gillies which they recommended be returned to Mr. Gillies to be collected from the

Moved by Clark supported by Striffler that the report be accepted and

Report of Commissioner Straube for month of February, 1905, was read. Moved by Striffler supported by and placed on file. Carried.

At this time the retiring president and trustees were succeeded by the newly elected president and trustees. Co., 413 E. 26th St., Chicago, 111. Moved by Campbell supported by-Striffler that a vote of thanks be tendered to the retiring president and trustees for the efficient and impartial manner in which they had discharged the duties of their respective offices. Carried.

Moved by Campbell supported by Clarke that the village treasurer's bond be fixed at \$8,000 with two sure-

ties. Carried. Moved by Clarke supported by Striffler that the village clerk's bond be fixed at \$500. Carried.

President Ale appointed Trustee <del></del> Striffler to be president pro tem for the coming year. Moved by Campbell supported by Frutchey that the appointment be confirmed. Carried. On motion of Striffler supported by

Clarke council adjourned.

CHAS. MATZEN, Clerk.

#### THE BROKEN LINK.

life at her home in Novesta, Monday, was the seventh and youngest daugh- raised there. ter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moshier, and in June, 1904, she was married to George Hicks. She leaves her aged Mr. Mills has had years of experience daughter, Ethelyne, nine days old, ing to furnish free information about two brothers, George S. Moshier of this growing industry. Mrs. C. C. Hall of Missouri; Mrs. Robt. his customers farm and garden imple Novesta; and Mrs. J. H. Coulter, Mrs. tory prices. A. Sangster and Mrs. E. Allen of

All that loving hands and hearts

Zeal and enterprise.

The Vegetable Contest described in could do was done to save her life, but | Seed Book is characteristically originof no avail. She was the cherished al and we consider it a splendid plan babe of the family and the main stay in the household cares for her dear mother. She lived a Christian life This Seed Book and sample of corn since a little child and was always may be had for the asking.

patient and gentle. friends can hardly bear, but they re-

joice to know that it is well with her soul and that she is resting sweetly in Beautiful words of comfort were spoken by Rev. R. A. Emerick of Deford at the Crawford school house on Thursday afternoon and the choir sang in sweetly solemn tones her

referred to the committee on claims sympathizing friends were present at business in town Tuesday. the funeral and the remains were laid Novesta cemetery to await the resurrection morn. The family have the sympathy of all in their great loss.

The coreless apple has at last arrived. It is called the world's greatwonder of the age. In color it is red, friends in town last Friday. dotted with yellow. It is without substance makes its appearance at the of his death. navel end." But this can be obliterated by culture. Coreless apples have been known before but the presentspecimen is the first that can be propboard \$3; t 1-2 days registration board \$3. 11 00 specimen is the first that can be propagation could be board \$3. 11 00 again and color board \$3. 11 00 again and color board \$3. 11 00 board the ordinary apple will grow. There are now 2,000 coreless apple trees in The committee on claims and ac- from five trees which bore the seedexistence. They have been obtained less fruit. It is estimated that by 1906 there will be 25,000,000 of these trees bearing fruit in the orchards of the world.

Exery American boy is a king,' is the title of a new patriotic song by orders drawn for the several amounts. Tom Beston, author of "A Little Rag Doll" and several other well known The publishers will send a copy of this song to readers of this paper upon receipt of 15 cents and Moved by Strifler supported by will also place your name on their Renshler that the report be accepted mailing list which is sent to some of the leading publishers, who have authorized them to supply names of 3-10-2

#### A GREAT SEED FARM.

F. B. Mills, the Seedsman, of Rose Hill, New York, is now distributing more than half a million copies of his greatest Seed Book, and with each one he sends free of charge a sample packet of his New Early Sweet Corn a wonderful novelty being sent out this year to test in all parts of the

country. The book itself is a beauty, giving many fine views of his immense establishment which has been enlarged year by year to fit the requirements of a rapidly increasing business until it now comprises in addition to the Fairview Seed Farms and Greenhouses, three departments each of un-

usual interest to the public: Mills' Thoroughbred Poultry Farm is up-to-date in every respect; the main house is 550 feet long, fully equipped with electric heaters which Orpha Alice Hicks departed this give complete protection from frost in winter. A special Poultry and Incu-March 13, 1905, at the age of seven-bator Catalogue explains about this teen years and nine months, after a poultry farm and illustrates the many R. F. D. did not go Saturday on acdistressing illness of nine days. She breeds of popular fowls that are

The Ginseng Farm is another very interesting feature of the business. parents, a young husband, a little in ginseng culture and is always will-

the state of Washington and Walter | A Supply Department was added re-T. Moshier of Alaska; also six sisters, cently with the object of furnishing voyage through life. Brown and Mrs. Bertha Dewey of ments, household goods, etc., at fac-

Mr. Mills has, through years of per-Evergreen township. She was the sistency in strictly honest business first to be taken from a family of nine methods, gained a reputation from thousands for reliability as well as for

ARGYLE.

Stella Darr is sewing at Elmer this

Mr. Boenke is very ill at this writ-Philip Kroetsch has returned from

the north woods. Grace Striffler returned from De-

R. Yakes of Deckerville transacted

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. to rest amid beautiful flowers in the Geo. Morley died on Tuesday of last

> Undertaker McNinch of Sanilac Centre was a caller in town one day

Arthur and Ethel Meredith and est discovery in horticulture and the Kittie Brown of Shabbona called on

Mr. Rowley died very suddenly seeds and resembles the seedless while sitting in his chair last Sunday orange in that a "slightly hardened evening. Heart failure was the cause grippe.

> . WEST GREENLEAF. D. Preston called at G. Caldwell's

The well diggers are at John he has been employed all winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz visited at Daniel social at the Leach school house Fri-McClorey's Sunday. Earle Sommerville spent Sunday

with Willie Wright. Mrs. Wm. LeePla called at A. B. Wright's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauderbach called at Jas. Pryke's Thursday. Mrs. Caldwell and son, Fred, attend-

ed the play, "The Deacon" at Cass City Friday evening and report it fine. Fresh fish every day. Orders delivered in any part of town. F. C. GRIGWARE, Moore 'phone, No. 52.

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#### ELMWOOD.

Jas. Belknap was in Cass City Fri

L. Huffman was on the sick list

P. W. Stone made a trip to Caro on business Monday. Frank Hendrick was in Cass City

Tuesday of last week. Will Webster was taken with a sore throat the latter part of last week.

count of the bad roads. The dance held at Mr. Streeter's east of here, was quite well attended

The mail on the stage line and the

and a good time is reported. Married, on Wednesday of last week L. Z. Hiser and Florence Webster.

They will begin housekeeping on the Nash farm, northwest of Cass City. We join in wishing them a happy PECULIAR DISAPPEARANCE.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his pain ful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at L. Wood & Co.'s drug store, price 25c.

#### HOLBROOK.

Charley Graham left on Friday for Port Huron.

Albert Birdsell left on Wednesday

# The BEST MEATS

That's the kind you want, That's the kind we have.

Fish on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

W. G. SCHWADERER

for Chatham, Ont.

Walter and Albert Hill made a busiless trip to Gagetown Tuesday.

L. E. Cameron of Detroit was renewing old acquaintances, here last winter.

Dan Chrisholm, who is employed on the Tanner farm, is suffering with la

A large crowd attended the dance at Henry Kittendorf's Wednesday evening. Charley O'Brine returned home Bri-

day from northern Michigan, where A sleighload from here attended the

WICKWARE

J. Jackson's Friday. Miss May Sommerville visited at

Mrs. J. Jackson's last week. Mrs. Wm. Bennett returned home from Pontiac Tuesday, where she has Lambs... been sick but is improving nicely.

ARE YOU ENGAGED?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage many quarrels can be avoided by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely with dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she | Economy per cwt..... lost her strength and vigor and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters which helped her at once and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." L. I. Wood & Co., druggists, sell and guarantee them at

#### WILMOT.

50c a bottle.

Willis Roberts has gone to Flint to

M. Hunter was in town on business Tuesday.

A Republican caucus will be held March 24.

A Prohibition caucus was held in the hall Tuesday, March 21. Nora Moshier hasgone to Detroit to eceive medical treatment.





E. Teskey was in Detroit Monday

ordering goods for his new store.

L. Chambers has returned from the woods where he has been working alk Eugene Heartt has returned from

Detroit where he has been attending

John Moshier returned from the state of Washington where he has

been for some time. CASS CITY MARKETS Cass City, Mich., Mar. 23, 1905. Wheat, No. 1 white ...... Wheat, No. 2 red..... Rye No.2. . Choice Handpicked Beans.... Barley.... Corn. Butter... Potatoes, per bu.... Live hogs, per cwt....... 4 50 4 75 Beef, live weight......3 00 3 50 Sheep live weight, per b...... Dressed Hogs..... . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5 00 5 50 Chickens....

> Hides, green..... White Lily, per cwt.....

Ducks .....

Turkey....

Geese

Ceresota, per cwt..... Graham flour per cwt Granulated meal, per cwt..... Feed per cwt ..... Meal per cwt..... Bran per cwt Middlings per cwt.... Buckwheat, per cwt..... Oil Meal per cwt .....

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Because the liver is neglected people suffer with constipation, biliousness, headaches and fevers. Colds attack the lungs and contagious diseases take hold of the system. It is safe to say that if the liver were always kept in proper working order, illness would be almost unknown.

Thedford's Black-Draught is so successful in curing such sickness because it is without a rival as a liver regulator. This great family medicine is not a strong and drastic drug, but a mild and healthful laxative that cures constipation and may be taken by a mere child without possible

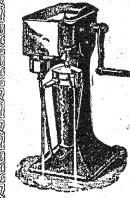
The healthful action on the liver cures biliousness. It has an inrigorating effect on the kidneys. Because the liver and kidneys do not work regularly, the poisonous acids along with the waste from the bowels get back into the blood and virulent contagion results.

Timely treatment with Thed-ford's Black-Draught removes the dangers which lurk in constipation liver and kidney troubles, and will positively forestall the inroads of Bright's disease, for which disease in advanced stages there is no cure. Ask your dealer for a 25c. package of Thedford's Black

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Backache

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

### Cured of Backache.



Member of the Businsss Men's League and one of the best known business men in St. Louis, Mo. Read what Mr. Wand has to say about Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure:

"I know what it is to be afflicted with backache and I sympathize with fellow sufferers. After swallowing various and frequent nauseating doses of this and that prescription I decided that if Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure could not rid me of those backaches it at least would not do me any harm and I procured a bottle.

"Now the first bottle didn't stop those wearing backaches, but it did afford me great relief. The second bottle, however, did effectually put a stop to those racking backaches. Occasionally they returned when strenuous business affairs exhausted the physical forces, but a dose or two of Dr. St., Saginaw, W. S., on Wednesday, Fenner's Cure gave instant relief.

Sold by Druggists, 50c. and \$1. Get Cook Book and Treatise on M. M. Fenner, M. D., Fredonia, N. Y. the Kidneys-FREE. For sale by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City, and F. A. Francis, Kingston.

#### HAY CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McQueen were in Cass City Monday. Edgar Wilson transacted business

n Shabbona Monday. .

Mrs. Henry Davis is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Miss Haines of Wickware visited in this neighborhood last week.

Rev. Lansing Mudge called at the home of John McCool Sunday after-

Mrs. Reuben Brooks of Marlette called on friends in this vicinity last

Rev. A. S. Stambaugh and daughter, Barbara, are suffering from an attack

Mrs. Wm. Loney is visiting in Yale and Mariette and expects to be gone

a couple of weeks. Miss Julia McCool is spending a short time at her home here before going to Chicago.

Mrs. Walker McCool and daughter, May, visited at Rev. A. S. Stambaugh's one day last week.

Mrs. T. E. Pringle returned home from Port Huron Friday accompanied by her son, Will, and family.

Little Forest Watson is suffering from an attack of inflammation of the lungs. Dr. McNaughton of Argyle is caring for him.

Robt. McQueen, Geo. Ryan and Miss Ethel Burnette have returned to their homes in Tilsonburg, Ont., after spending the past week with friends in this locality.

#### GOT OFF CHEAP.

He may well think he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at L. I. Wood & Co.'s drug store; guaranteed.

#### KINGSTON.

Miss Bertha Gabert is very ill.

Miss Lillie Waldie is quite sick. Cassius Hill returned from Illinois last week Thursday.

Miss Cora Weldon returned from Detroit Saturday evening.

Mrs. Russel King left last week for visit with friends in Petoskey.

Thos. Townsend has moved onto the King farm, one mile east of town. Miss Linnie Jeffery visited at the home of E. A. Randall the latter par

A number of young people were entertained at the home of Percy Legg last Wednesday evening

Miss Ila Harris won the silver medal at the W. C. T. U. contest held in the M. E. church last Friday evening.

George McShay and family have moved from the King farm to the Herbert Corless farm four miles east and one mile north of town.

A company of young people very pleasantly surprised Miss Linnie Jeffery and Mrs. Frank Jeffery at the former's home last Wednesday even- and Argyle.

A friend received a letter from Solomon Matthews last week stating he the past week. had purchased a home near Athens, Alabama, and was very much pleased with the country.

The funeral of Mrs. Adamson was held in the Baptist church on Thursday of last week. She was born in Canada Oct. 15, 1854, and moved to Michigan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hatherly, in 1855 and settled in Newago county where they remained until 1859 when they came to Kings ton. She lived here until 1880 when she was united in marriage to Nathan flammation of the lungs. Adamson and has remained in this vicinity nearly ever since. She died March 13, and leaves a husband, four and moved into it last week. children and her aged father and mother.

#### CUMBER.

Mrs. Wm. Lapeer is recovering at this writing.

L. Mills has received a large assortment of fine shoes.

route carrier did not make his entire trip Saturday.

John Baker, Jr. and Miss Workman attend their journey through life. of Argyle were the guests of friends at Wadsworth one day last week.

There was a surprise party given at the home of Thos. Trudeau, east of here, by the A. O. O. G. and they presented Mr. Trudeau with a fine washbowl and pitcher. All report a good

There was a surprise party given at the home of Emil Miller, west of here. Mr. Miller has sold his share of stock on the Brown place to C. Canady and intends to move to Detroit in the near future.

#### SOUTH NOVESTA.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Geo. Barker at 607 Broadway March 15, when their daughter, Miss Charlotte was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Anson H. Henderson of this place. There were about twenty-five guests present and the bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful presents. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

# AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm and desiring to discontinue farming, I have decided to sell all my personal property at public auction at the farm, a half mile north of Cass City on

# Saturday, March 25

beginning at 12 o'clock sharp

Bay mare 7 years old, wt. 1200 Bay mare 9 years old, wt. 1400 Bay mare 10 years old, wt. 1150 Gray mare 2 years old, by Jock the Lad Gray horse 1 year old, by Jock the Lad Gray mare 3 years old, wt. 1000, eligible to

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Oxford ram 1200 Bushels fine seed oats, have yielded

67 bu. to acre for me 150 Bushels Navy seed beans Quantity of clover hay Champion binder Milwaukee binder

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2 Sets spring tooth harrows 2 Sets steel harrows Land roller

De Laval cream separator Disc harrow Grain bags 3 Sets heavy harness

Buggy pole And many other articles too numerous to

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All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount 8 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent, interest.

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#### SHABBONA.

Mrs. Morehouse of Chicago is the quest of Mrs. Israel Hall.

A Republican caucus will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in Ehlers' hall.

Ethel Meredith spent the past week with friends and relatives at Cumber

Arthur Meredith and Kittle Brown visited friends at Ubly and Cumber

Leonard Waun received word on Wednesday that his father was dead at Deckerville.

Wm. Phetteplace has rented the farm of Geo. Gotham and moved into his new possessions. Misses Luella and Nellie Jones at-

ended the Coller-Fox wedding near Decker last Wednesday. The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watson is very sick with in-

Archie Hyatt has rented the house recently vacated by Nancy Atkins

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parrott returned having spent the past two months with friends and relatives here.

Clyde Coller and Bertha Fox were united in marriage on Wednesday, March 15, at the home of the bride. Over one hundred guests partook of Owing to the bad roads the star the wedding feast and the bride received many useful and beautiful presents. May peace and happiness

> A railroad mass meeting was held on Saturday afternoon in Ehlers' hall and about two hundred were in attendance. I. B. Auten and J. H. and C. D. Striffler of Cass City were the speakers of the day. The following committee was appointed to solicit bônus and right of way: W. F. Ehlers, D. E. Harris, Thos. Agar, Geo. H. Jones, Jas. McQueen, Geo. W. Hebenton, Dan Leslie, Ed Phetteplace, and N. W. Bradley. A meeting of the committee will be held on Thursday afternoon.

#### DEFORD.

Hark! I think I hear the sound of vedding bells.

Mrs. J. R. Lewis is numbered with the sick this week.

Mrs. Mabel Roberts is suffering from an abscess in her head. George Roberts is putting up a new

windmill at his foundry. Fred and Ed Hartwick made a business trip to Caro Tuesday.

# Sheep Sale

AT THE AUCTION SALE OF O. K. JANES, ONE-HALF MILE NORTH OF CASS CITY, ON

# Saturday, Mar. 25

I will sell under the terms of said sale

# 5 Breeding twes

Supposed to be due to lamb early in May.

I also have a number of ewes which I wish to let out on shares to responsible parties on easy terms.

I also have several cows and a good pair of five-year-old Monday to their home at Gaylord, mares, weight about 2,600 pounds, which I will sell at private sale.

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EHLERS & NIQUE, Shabbona.

Geo. Spencer and family are moving a position in the asylum.

into Mr. Wilcox's house this week.

Joe McCracken returned home last Friday night from the north woods. Miss Amy McCallum is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Truesdale

at Shabbona. Frank Emerick left Monday morn-

The Misses Best, who have been assisting Rev. Emerick in the special services here, left for Brown City on Monday night.

Mrs. E. R. Bruce has returned home from Cass City where she has been caring for her cousin, Mrs. W. A. ing for Pontiac where he has secured Lamb for several weeks.

# Mistress Rosemary

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CHAPTER XVI-Continued.

I dropped lightly to the floor again, sat upon the stool and resumed my thoughts. Time 'tis said passeth as quickly as a weaver's shuttle. Under some circumstances I could mention no doubt, but that day after receiving the message time crawled.

I watched the fading away of those last faint rays of light with intense satisfaction. Then I again mounted the stool and again looked abroad. Night had drawn her mantle over the land-not even a star gleamed in the

I listened to hear sounds outside my door, knowing my jailor must soon come with my evening meal. Yes, I had not long to walt ere I heard the shuffling footsteps of the man. He clanked his keys and gave out an apologetic sniff, the usual thing, as he neared the door of my cell. The key moved hardly in the rusty hole, was turned with a doleful sound, half back.

"A little oil on the hinges, sirrah," I said, "would render it not so grating on the nerves. Faugh! Is this the food to serve a gentleman?" I added as I picked up the loaf of bread from the floor where he had set it together with a jug of water. My supper! I ordered him to take it away.

"'Tis the usual prison fare," he sniffled; "if you want better you can pay for it." Then he backed toward the door.

Now the old rascal had drained me as dry as any goblet of sparkling wine was ever drained by horseman. and, as I had bought and paid most liberally for every/meal I had eaten since I had entered the doors of this beastly place, this was adding insult to injury. Knowing this, he dared place before me bread and water. It

broke the camel's back. "Out of my sight, you miserable renegade," I cried starting up.

real control of the c I waited for the cue from him.

"His Majesty demands an audience with you, gracious sir," he said, bowing low before me. "He grieves that through some mistake you have been put to such dire distress.'

"Say no more," I replied. "I am as ever at his service. Again he bowed, and I that knew his every expression caught the flick

er of amusement in his eye. "The horses are waiting, sir," he continued. "His Majesty expects you at Whitehall. He does not like to wait."

"My cloak and sword, sirrah," commanded. "I am all of a muck

from your filthy cell.' "Here they are, sir," the jailor an swered as he took them from the boy. 'Tis not my fault," he whined; "I only obey orders.'

"Fault or no fault, out of the way scullion," ordered Gil.

So without any ado we passed the shrick half groan, the door moved humbly bowing apologetic fool and went down the corridor and steep flight of stairs of the prison to the street door, which he opened.

In a circle at the entrance to the prison, bending in their saddles sat our men of Long Haut. It was dark -few links about. I saw Torraine. who held Bunco, my horse, by the bridle, lean back and with his sword strike a link out of the hand of a man who would be too curious. Before it was extinguished I recognized the man on the horse next to him. It was Pat, my linkman.

On the outskirts of our circle another circle had formed. It was composed of the common lag of the town. the usual rabble that congregate when there was anything out of the ordi-

nary going on. It was dark in our immediate ring, but light enough in the outer one. In its midst I saw, heard, and recognized our old friend, the petit constable of the White Swan inn, and so did Gil. It did not need his whispered word,

able to do with a little judicious questioning. He was also to watch the the sides of the hills. Their method movements of the arch flend, Chief Justice Lord Jeffreys; not an arduous accustomed to the methods of labortask, for that lord delighted in having his movements chronicled. Everything favored him. When the linkman met the party coming from Long Haut at the edge of Drury Lane-a meeting place previously decided upon-he told them that Lord Jeffreys

Fruly he was a man of iron. It had

told upon him, he was many pounds

lighter and his moon-like face was

While away he had left Pat to keep

guard at the prison and find out which

cell I occupied. This the man was

haggard

was to pass through Epping Forest in a few hours. They posted there in hot haste to await him, while Pat was left to try and acquaint me with the fact that they hoped to effect my reease. How successful he was in this you know. My lord came all unconscious of the plot on foot. His attendants were with little effort overlowered. Then my lord, who deemed the men of Long Haut highwaymen (and surely a fiercer looking lot one would travel far to find), was soon compelled to sign the paper for my release. If he felt any of that terror with which he was wont to inspire poor creatures hauled before him, it wiped out some one's debt.

They carried him some away from his men, and left him bound and tied in a lodge, knowing it would be hours before he would be discovered. It seems in that particular their plans had miscarried, else the constable had not appeared upon the scene.

I laughed heartily, but I noticed that Gil did not echo it. Moreover all through our talk he seemed preoccupied-something was wrong-for Gil loved to be pitted against obstacles-it was as the very breath of his nostrils-and this little episode had been too satisfactory for him not to feel elated at its outcome. Had he not met his old friend the petit constable and had he not gone down

"What is it, Gil," said I. "Bad news, my lord," he replied.

"Yes, your father is dead," he softly answered. "Ere I had hardly begun my journey I met a man coming from Long Haut with the sad news.

"The night you were arrested," he replied.

"Yes," he said. "God rest his soul. stopped long enough for that and only that. He lies in state in the chapel. Master Basil prays over him day and night. Your father left with

But you are tired-will you not drop back and rest."

"Not I," he replied. I saw as he stretched out his legs and could scarce forbear a groan at the pain, how sore and weary he was,

had been intent upon my supper and the tale of my release, in both of which I had taken an equal relish until hearing of my father's death I had lost both. I pushed back my chair from the table and leaning back sat thinking sadly. The men had stopped their chaffering, knowing the cause of my depression. Too late, he had died unknowing! In the land where he had gone, I wondered, if all

an exclamation from Gil. I turned toward the door at which he was staring. In its entrance stood Rosemary Allyn, Lady of Felton.

said, "that before twenty minutes shall have passed the King's Blues will be here."

Preaching to the Deaf.

He that hath ears, let him hear, and he that is deaf can now hear by telephone, and has no excuse for staying away from church. A elergyman in Stratford, Conn., has a number of deaf persons in his congregation. He found that, curiously enough, they could understand what was said to them by telephone. So he set up a telephone apparatus on his pulpitdesk and ran wires to a pew near the front of the church. There sit the deaf, holding receivers with a light handle like that of a lorgnette. This deaf new, however, is not necessary, Telephone connection will be made between the pulpit and any pew. A great boon to the really deaf, but rather vexatious, perhaps, to the persons who are so deaf that they can hear We stopped before the Tabard and all the jokes at a theater perfectly good-by. The Norwegians brought it well, but cannot follow the sermon .--"With the Procession," Everybody's Magazine.

Last winter while driving down one of the long hills of North Conway his horse becoming frightened, ran, finally bringing up at the foot of neath which lay the unfortunate owner, unable to extricate himself from the wreck. A mountaineer approaching asked, with typical brevity, "Tight?" "No," responded the YanTWO MEN AT ONE SPADE.

Method of East Indian Coolies Divides

the Labor. At hill stations in the Himalayas, India, coolies are employed unceasingly in the care of the snake-like reads which wind round and round of working provides a novelty to one ers at home. When digging, two men work at one spade, a rope being attached to the lower end of the wooden shaft, and pulled by one coolie to assist the other in lifting after the latter has filled the spade. The work is done very rapidly, so much so, indeed, as to justify the employment of two men at one spade: but it has a decidedly comical appearance, and reminds one of a clockwork toy .- Pearson's Weekly.

Buy on Credit in China

Foreigners in China buy nearly everything on credit, giving signed "chits" for every purchase, the reason being their unwillingness to load themselves down with silver or native coin, while paper money fluctuates too much

An Ex-Sheriff Talks.

Scott City, Kan., March 20th-(Special )-Almost every newspaper tells of cures of the most deadly of kidney diseases by Dodd's Kidney Pills, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism and Bladder troubles, in fact any disease that is of the kidneys or caused by disordered kidneys is readily cured by this great American remedy. But it is in curing the earlier stages of kidney complaint that Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing their greatest work. They are preventing thousands of cases of Bright's disease and other deadly ailments by curing Kidney Disease when it first shows its presence

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of all."

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A Secret.

It is often very desirable to know how to seal a letter so that it cannot be opened without betraying the fact. Steam or hot water will open envelones closed with mucilage and even a wafer. A hot iron or a spirit lamp dissolves sealing wax, an impression in plaster having been taken of the seal. By the combined use of water and sealing wax, however, all attempts to open the letter otherwise than by force can be frustrated. All that is necessary is to close the letter first with a small moist wafer and to pierce the latter with a coarse needle (the same applies to mucilage), whereupon sealing wax may be used in the usual manner. This seal can neither be opened by dry heat nor by moisture.

What "So Long" Means,

"You may have wondered, perhaps, how the slang expression, 'so long,' came to be so generally used," said a Columbia college lecturer the other day. "It is usually used in closing a conversation, and is simply a form of to this country. In that land of the midnight sun, 'saa laeng' is a common form of farewell. It means the same as the 'au revoir' of the French. Among the early settlers in America were many Norwegians, and the phrase was picked up from them. They pronounce it with the 'g' softened and accompany it by a wave of the hand.

But Did Joseph Know?

Joseph T. Buckingham of Boston, one of the best writers and grammarians of his time, said that "not one scholar in a thousand ever received the least benefit from studying the rules of grammar before the age of 15 years."-Lynn Item.

To Soothe a Bruised Finger. If in hammering in a nail you by mistake hit your finger or thumb, hold the injured member in water as hot as you can bear for a few minutes. This draws out the inflammation and re-Heves the pain in a wonderful way.

SEEDING IN PROUNCUS IN WEST ERN CANADA.

Mild Weather is Bringing Thousands of Settlers.

The splendid yields of wheat, oats and barley produced by the farmers of Western Canada and the excellent prices received for the same, have been the means of giving an increased interest throughout the United States. As a result the inquiries made of the Agents of the Canadian Government have nearly doubled over those of the same period last year. Railroad companies are putting on increased carrying capacity to meet the demand made upon them for carrying passen gers and freight. Everything points to a most prosperous year. There is room for hundreds of thousands ad ditional settlers, much new land hav ing been opened up for settlemen this year.

It is quite interesting to look through the letters received from the Americans who have settled in West ern Canada during the past few years and considering the large number it is surprising how few there are who have not succeeded. An extract from a letter written by Mr. Geo. M. Griswold of Red Deer, Alta., formerly of Grever, Montana, written on the 2nd of January is as follows:

"I am located 11/2 miles from a beautiful lake 10 miles long, where there is church, school, 3 stores. creamery and two postoffices. The fine stock, both cattle (cows and steers) horses, hogs and sheep are rolling fat, grazing in pasture to-day. just a little snow, hardly enough for good sleighing, as we just had a Chinook which has melted the roads and laid bare the fields and pasture. There are fine wheat, oats, barley and flax raised here, also winter wheat and timothy hay for export to British Columbia. This is a mixed farming and dairy country. This is the right time to get a foothold in the Canadian West, as it was some years ago in the United States, We are free from wind gumbo and alkali here and have fine, clear soft well and spring water at a depth of from 5 to 25 feet, and lots of open everflowing springs.'

Telegraphic advices from Medicine Hat say that seeding has commenced at Medicine Hat, Lethbridge and other points. At the former place the temperature moderated gradually until on the 19th the maximum was 45 and the minimum 26. Thermometer readings since then have been as follows: 20th, 47 and 38; 21st, 54 and 34; 22nd, 56 and 39; 23rd, 48 and 40; 24th, 48 and 26.

During the last few days in Feb. ruary considerable ploughing was done near Lethbridge. P. A. Pulley, a recent arrival from Montana and E. Laliborty about the same been harrowing his farm. All report condition. Bricklaying has also begun and bright, wheeled carriages were in use and the plowed fields look as if they are ready for the press drills There is every appearance that spring has arrived, but farmers do not wish to be deceived by appearances and consequently have not commenced to use their bluestone and seed wheat.

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of my jailor, when there again resounded through the corridor the noise of footsteps coming toward my cell, but accompanying those irritating ones were others. I sat up and listened. A firm heavy tread, that could belong to Gil, but did it? A shuffling lighter one that would be my jailor, and a still lighter shulling one the jailor's help. The next thing I heard was Gil's deep voice. Ah-h-h! They were at the door. "Be quick, man," he said, "the

of my arrest.

down the hall.

bloated old hypocrite: In Cromwell's

time he had been one of those to

persecute any Cavaller who happened

from various reasons to come under

paid the same considerate attention

to his old friends who stood to their

convictions. He was intensely re-

pulsive to me. His lank stiff hair.

which no doubt was slick enough

when slick hair was the fashion, now

stood up about his head as if in pro-

I could afford to scoff at the prison

fare since I now lived on hope. Gil

had said, "To-night"-it might mean

many things, but to me it meant but

one-that it would bring my release;

I was half dozing on my cot, where

a had thrown myself after the exit

how I knew not and cared less.

test against its new arrangement.

. his care. To save his neck he now

King knows not well how to wait upon others, while he does know how to punish insolence; such insolence, and to a favorite too, albeit a new one. O, of course, of course," he went on, as the fellow interrupted him to be incarcerated. Hastening to Gil. with muttered words of protest, you did not know; orders and so forth, nor this he had won his horse, and Do you think the King publishes to to the town every time he takes a new favorite? Haste, haste man, one would think your fingers were all Thumbs.

The key at last turned in its socket, and the door helped by Gil's foot opened.

In its entrance stood Rosemary Allyn. I never saw man make quicker ["Haste," to make me leap into my saddle.

time in getting through a doorway than did that jailor, although I was The constable was trying to force unarmed and he knew it, since my his way through the crowd, who had sword had been taken away the night begun to suspect that all was not right. While some laughingly helped "You won't be so high and mighty him on his way, others, while not in a few weeks," he said, retreating seeming to do so, did much to impede his progress. We could hear his voice I could not bear the looks of this above the roar of the ever larger

> hard, crying, "An escape-to the res-"Cut through them," ordered Gil. Turning we charged the crowd with drawn weapons, slapping them back with the flat of the sword, while he

> growing crowd, which was pushing us

headed down Cheap Side. I missed Gil from my side. I looked around. He had wheeled his horse in the direction of the constable. I saw him reach down and grasp the fellow by the nape of the neck, then swinging him high in the air, fling him over the heads of the crowd on to a mound of muck and hay which littered one side of the court yard. In a second he was back at my side, while the crowd cheered and halloed like mad. That was an act that they could understand without any words.

We galloped into Southwark. There had been no time for explanations. entered the tap room. Immediately a good meal was served, of which I felt in need. From the way the men also did justice to it, one would have thought that they had not eaten since leaving Long Haut. Torraine was a hard master when there was work on hand, and he and his men had not frolicked on the way.

I soon satisfied my curiosity. found that my linkman had not been sneaked back on the night of the arrest and following the coach in which I was confined learned where I was he had acquainted him with the news. a prouder man, although a more execrable rider. I never saw.

Having no one to send to Long Haut for Torraine and his men whom he felt he would need, Gil had gone himself. Thus while I had spent four days and as many nights in jail Gil had spent them in the saddle. kee, "Luce."-Harper's Weekly.

before him? "What?" I cried.

"When did he die?" I asked.

"Did you see him?" I questioned. him his last messages for you."

"We will go on to night," I said.

but I knew better than to insist. I sat with my back to the door. I

things were made clear to him. I was aroused from my reverie by

Her eyes were wide and dark with excitement. Her hair was blown into wet tendrils about her face. She was flushed from exertion. "I am come to tell you, sir," she

(To be continued.)

To the Point.

For many years a traveling pedler named Luce has been a well known character in the country towns of New England. His route lies mostly within Maine and New Hampshire, where he sells, needles, pins, soap, so remiss as I had thought. He had extracts, etc., and is always a welcome guest at the isolated farmhouse where he calls. Unlike most itinerant pedlers he is a man of few words.

the hill with an overturned cart, be-

# WOMEN NOT TRUTHFUL

This Statement Has Been Unjustly Made, Because Modest Women Evade Questions Asked By Atlanta the other day and told this Male Physicians.



married women.

Is it any wonder, then, that women continue to suffer and that doctors fail to cure female diseases when they cannot get the proper information to

This is the reason why thousands and thousands of somen are now corresponding with Mrs. Pinkham. To her they can and do give every symptom, so that she really knows more about the true condition of her patients, through her correspondence with them than the physician who personally questions them.

It you suffer from any form of trouble peculiar to women, write at once to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and she

will advise you free of charge. The fact that this great boon, which is extended freely to women by Mrs. Pinkham, is appreciated, the thousands of letters received by her prove. Many such grateful letters as the fol-lowing are constantly pouring in. Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice A Woman Best Understands A Woman's Ills.

La grippe, pneumonia, and influenza often leave a nasty cough

when they're gone.
It is a dangerous thing to neglect.

Consumption

The cure that is guaranteed by

Prices: S. C. Wells & Co. 9 25c. 50c \$1 LeRoy, N.Y., Toronto, Can.

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Greatest out of the century. Yielded in Ohio 187, in Mich. 231, in Mo. 255, and in N. Dakota 810 bus, per acre. You can beat that record in 1905.

For 10c and this motice

we mail you free lots of farm seed

JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO. La Crosso, WNU Wis.

VERY FEW, IF ANY, CIGARS SOLD AT 5 CENTS, COST AS

MUCH TO MANUFACT-URE, OR COST THE DEALER AS MUCH AS

IF THE DEALER TRIES TO SELL YOU SOME OTHER

ASK YOURSELF WHY?

'THINGS WORTH KNOWING'

The Largest Cities in

TEXAS. OKLAHOMA AND

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Are all Located on the

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P. S.—This is a reason why you should

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Best Cough Syup, Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

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AUSTIN, TEX.

DALLAS, TEX.

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Cure it with

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CUTE The Lung

your druggist.

An eminent physician says that "Women are not truthful; they will lie to their physician." This statement should be qualified; women do tell the truth, but not the whole truth, to a mple physician, but this is only in regard to those painful and troublesome disorders peculiar to their sex.

There can be no more terrible ordeal to a delicate, sensitive, refined woman than to be obliged to answer certain questions when those questions are asked, even by her family physician This is especially the case with unmarried women.

Mrs. Ella Lee, Frankford, Ind., writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"I want to thank you for what your medicine has done for me.
"Three years ago I had inflammation of the ovaries and ulcers on my womb. I was under the influence of morphine. The doctor finally said I never would be better, and would be an invalid the rest of my life. I had given up in despair, but one evening I came across one of your advertisements and decided to write you for advect. I did so and commenced to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began to improve at once, and to-day I am a well woman, and I know it is all due to your advice and medicine. it is all due to your advice and medici

Mrs. J H. Farmer of 2809 Elliott Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"I cannot thank you enough for what your

"I cannot thank you enough for what your advice and medicines have done for me. They have done me more good than all the doctors I ever had.

"For the last eight years I have suffered with female troubles; was very weak; had nervous prostration, and could not do my work; but I am happy to say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made a different woman of me. I am in perfect health and have gained in weight from 98 pounds to 122 pounds." ounds to 122 pounds."

No other medicine in the world has eccived such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record for actual cures of female ills as has Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound.
Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address,

Lynn, Mass

Some twenty years ago a rich South American died who left a con-

siderable sum of money in trust for a pet alligator, which for some years had lived in a small artificial lake which had been made in his owner's grounds for the purpose, the special provision being that his scales were to be cleaned at least twice per annum, and he was to be well fed, and when ill to have the attention of a veterinary surgeon.

Indian Matrimonial "Ad."

Babu matrimonial advertisement: "Wanted-A match for an independent, beautiful young widower of 36 years, of respectable and very rich family. Possesses handsome amount of thousands and numerous golden ornaments of his previous wife."-Lahore Tribune.

AS GREAT AS MORTAL CAN STAND.

Six Months He Could Not Turn in Bed-He Tells of a Remedy Which Has Given Perfect Relief.

The case of Mr. Marston shows that sciatica can be cured, and no one afflicted by it should allow himself to be disheartened. He was first stricken about a year ago, and for six months he suffered pain which he thinks the most intense that any man could possibly stand.

Asked about the details of his remarkable recovery, Mr. Marston gave the following account: "I was attacked by a numbness or dull feeling just back of my right hip. I didn't know what the matter was, but thought it was simply a stiffness that would wear away in a short time. It didn't, however, and soon the pain became so very bad that every step was torture for me. When I returned to say the magazine wantfinally succeeded in getting home, it was led was not in stock. just as much as I could do to reach my

room and get to bed. "The doctor was sent for, and when he had examined me he said I had sciatica. He prescribed for me, and advised me not to try to leave my bed. The advice was unnecessary for I couldn't get out of that I think will do as well"; and she bed if I wanted to. It was impossible for me to turn from one side to the other. of "What to Eat and How to Cook The moment I attempted to move any part of my body, the pain became so excruciating that I would have to lie perfeetly motionless.

"I suffered this torture for six months without getting any relief. Then I discharged the doctor, and on the advice of a friend I bought a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began to take them, three at a dose, three times a day. I was do- had brought up the favorite illustratermined to give them a thorough trial.

"Two months after I began to use them I was able to leave my bed and walk about the house, and a month later I was entirely cured and able to go about my work as usual. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best medicine I ever used, and I heartily recommend them to anyone who suffers from sciatica."

Mr. Marston is a prosperous farmer and may be reached by mail addressed to Charles P. Marston, Hampton P. O., New Hampshire. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured other painful nervous disorders, such as neuralgia, partial paralvsis and locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists.

ORDERED UP HOME RUNS.

When the Chemistry Professor Paralyzed the Professional Coach. Eddie Ashenback, one of baseball's best comedians, dropped into the Cleveland's training camp down at

"I was coaching the University of North Carolina ball team in 1902," remarked Ash, "and I was out with the squad one day when the professor of chemistry came over with a note book full of advice. He was an officious

"'Oh-I say-coach!" "'Yes, professor,' said I, 'what is

he walked up with this:

"'When you get a man on each corner of the bases-have the bases quite occupied, as it were-I wish you would instruct the batter to knock the ball over yonder,' and he pointed to a bunch of weeds four and a half miles away, if it was a foot. Ordering up home runs like ham and eggs

or a bottle of beer. "I thought he was joking at first urtil I saw he meant it. Have I got to do this and hold my job?' I asked him. 'If I have, what times does the

next train leave?' "Well, before I got through I had to compromise and agree to have the trick turned every other time."

Mamma's Company Voice. "Who is that in the parlor, Nellie?" asked the little sister. "Nobody but mamma and Fred," re plied Nellie.

"Oh, yes, there must be someone else," rejoined the little girl, "for

mamma has her company voice on." It was a little squib under the heading of "Fun," which a member of the family read aloud from the paper The circle about the table who heard it smiled and one said, "That's a good But a more thoughtful member turned it over in her mind. She was the mother, and she admitted to herself that it was more than a jokethat in many instances it was sober truth. It came home to her heart with great significance, for she acknowledged to herself that "the company voice" was entirely too often put on when in the presence of those outside the home circle. We wish to appear at our best before those whose good opinions we desire to gain. But with those who love us how often we speak in irritable, harsh, quick tones.

> Facing the Facts. quick to seize Wedlock's fond

I'd be quick to seize ,... blisses
Were I not so by Poverty cursed,
Prue insists that "on coffee and kiss
Prue insists that "on coffee at the fi We could live very well at the first."
But to quite catch her view I'm unable,
Though I know, were I pushed to the

could surely provide for our table If coffee and kisses were all.

Perhaps in my views I'm archaic.
Unromantic and lucking in dreams:
But this "love in a cot" grows prosaic,
No odds how attractive it seems;
For a parlor suite, royal of burnish,
No cash to privide can I call,
Though a home I feel sure I could furnish

If coffee and kisses were all.

There'd be carpets to buy, chairs and pictures,
Hall portieres, fanciful wover
Rugs, curtains of lace, rods and fixtures,
And what's more unromantic—a stove!
How I wish it were right, Prue's contention.

For marriage, whate'er might befall,
Would be easy as drawing a pension
If coffee and kisses were all:

—Roy Farrell Greene,

Had Big Game in Net. When Gov. Gen. Trepoff of St. Petersburg was chief of police in Moscow, before the establishment of the state liquor monopoly, he was told from the hignest quarters to suppress the orgies at popular resorts in the PAIN SUFFERED BY MR. MARSTON town. A few days later the police evening that he quoted one of his poraided the principal restaurants after midnight and the next morning Gen. Trepoff asked of his august master directions for the prosecution of one out the volume and read the verses, member of the imperial family, two judges of the high court, a mayor and his voice trembling, his whole body deputy mayor, several generals and many women well known in Moscow society, who, among others, had been arrested in the "cabinets particulieres" of the great restaurants of the town. The matter ended there.

Something as Good.

A lady who is a lover of books entered a book store in Detroit. "Have you the last Literary Direst?" she asked.

The clerk was a young woman, and evidently a novice at bookselling. "I'll see," she said, and presently

"I'm very anxious to get a copy," said the lady.

"I'll look again," said the obliging to grow clerk, and in a few minutes returned. "I'm sorry, but the last copy has been sold. But I have something here handed the amazed customer a copy

"-Detroit Free Press. "Put the Hellum Aport."

It adds to the impresiveness of a pulpit discourse to dwell at some length on certain points; but this sometimes has been overdone.

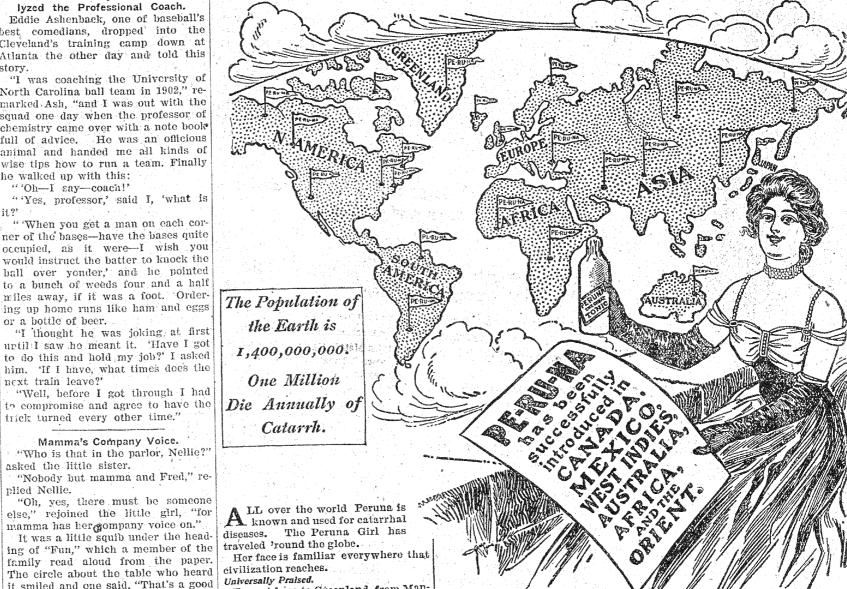
An earnest preacher who, in warn ing sinners against the rocks of ruin, tion of a ship in imminent danger of going to pieces on a reef, was prolonging the horror of the scene, demanding what must be done, etc., when he was interrupted by an impatient sailor among his listeners with: "Put the hellum aport, you lubber,

and luff!"-The Sunday Magazine.

Liquid Air.

Dr. Maxim Boyd states that the first pint of liquid air which Prof. Dewar made cost about \$4,000 and was the largest quantity then made. To-day, eight years after, it is possible to manufacture one litre (nearly two pints) for about 50 cents.

PE-RU-NA CONQUERS CATARRH THE WORLD OVER.



From Africa to Greenland, from Manchuria to Patagonia, the face of the Peruna girl is familiar and the praises of Peruna as a catarrh remedy are heard

Successful in North and South. Peruna crossed the Equator several years ago, to find in the Southern Hemisphere the same triumphant success that has marked its career in the Northern Hemisphere.

A Standard. Peruna is a standard catarrh remedy the world over.

It cures catarrh by eradicating it from the system. Permanent Cure.

It obviates the necessity of all local treatment and its relief is of permanent character.

No other remedy has so completely dominated the whole earth as Peru

In Every Tongue. In all languages its glowing testimonials are written.

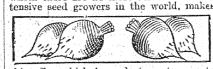
in all climes the demands for Peruna increase.

PERSONALITY OF "AUTOCRAT." Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes Described

by One Who Knew Him. Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis writes of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes: "Physically, he was a very small man, holding himself erect-his face insignificant as his figure, except for a long obstinate upper lip ('left to me,' he said one day, by some ill-conditioned

great-grandmother'), and eyes full of a wonderful fire and sympathy. No one on whom Dr. Holmes had once looked with interest ever forgot the look-or him. He attracted all kinds of people as a brilliant, excitable child would attract them. But nobody, I suspect, ever succeeded in being familiar with him. I remember one ems, and I was forced stupidly to acknowledge that I did not know it. He fairly jumped to the bookcase, took standing in the middle of the room, thrilling with their meaning. 'There! he cried at the end, his eyes flashing, 'could anybody have said that better's Ah-h!' with a long in-drawn breath of delight as he put the book back."

Millions of Vegetables. When the Editor read 10,000 plants for 16c, he could hardly believe it, but upon second reading finds that the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., than whom there are no more reliable and ex-



this offer which is made to get you to test Salzer's Warranted Vegetable Seeds.

They will send you their big plant and seed catalog, together with enough seed

1,000 fine, solid Cabbages, 2,000 rich, juicy Turnips, 2,000 rich, juicy Turnips, 2,000 blanching, nutty Celery, 2,000 rich, buttery Lettuce, 1,000 splendid Onions, 1,000 rare, luscious Radishes, 1,000 gloriously brilliant Flowers,

ALL FOR BUT 160 POSTAGE, providing you will return this notice, and if you will send them 200 in postage, they will add to the above a package of famous Berliner Cauliflower. [W. N. U.]

Some women show a decided indica-

"Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy cured me of Bright's Disease and Gravel. Able physicians failed." Mrs. E. P. Mizner, Burghill, O. \$1.00 a bottle.

An Extensive Laboratory. From Hawaii. To supply this remedy to the whole

world taxes to the utmost one of the best laboratories in the United States. A Word From Australia. Walter H. Woodward, Bomadier Royal Australian Artillery, Hobart,

Tasmania, writes: "I suffered for several years with a

distressing condition of the head and throat, caused by continual colds. "My head and nostrils were stopped

up most of the time and there was a discharge, and my sense of smell was affected badly. "After two weeks use of Peruna I

found this condition quite changed, and | From All Quarters of the Globe. so I continued to use this remarkable medicine for over a month.

Prince Jonah Kalanianaole, delegate in Congress from Hawaii, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows: "I can cheerfully recommend your

Peruna as a very effective remedy for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble." A Cuban Minister. Senor Quesada, Cuban Minister to the

United States, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Peruna I can recommend as a very good medicine. It is an excellent strengthening tonic, and is also an efficacious cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh."-Gonzalo De Quesada.

We have on file thousands of testimonials like those given above. We can "I am very glad to say that at the end give our readers only a slight glimpse of that time I was cured and felt in of the vast number of grateful letters fine health generally, and am pleased Dr. Hartman is constantly receiving to give Peruna my honest endorse- from all quarters of the globe in behalf of his famous catarrh remedy, Peruna.

# Let Common Sense Decide



Do you honestly believe, that coffee sold loose (in bulk), exposed to dust, germs and insects, passing through many hands (some of them not over-clean), "blended," you don't know how or by whom, is fit for your use? Of course you don't. But

#### LION COFFEE

is another story. The green berries, selected by keen judges at the plantation, are skillfully roasted at our factorics, where precautions you would not dream of are taken to secure perfect cleanliness, flavor, strength and uniformity.

From the time the coffee leaves the factory no hand, touches it till it is opened in your kitchen.

This has made LION COFFEE the LEADER OF ALL PACKAGE COFFEES.

Millions of American Homes welcome LION COFFEE daily. There is no stronger proof of merit than continued and increasing popularity. "Quality survives all opposition." (Sold only in 1 lb. packages. Lión-head on every package.)
(Save your Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

There must be a certain amount of atisfaction in the knowledge that you lave more money than brains.

Mother Gray'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, Le Roy, N.Y.

Money generally burns a hole in a man's pocket quicker than in a woman's stocking.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Plies. Your drugglet will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

A man who will only be as honest as he has to be will be as dishonest as he can be.\*

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



EXCURSIONS TO THE Free Grant Lands: OF

Western Canada. During the months of March and April, there will be excursions on the various lines of railway to the Canadian West.

Hundreds of thousands of acres of the best Wheat and Grazing Lands on the Continent free to the settler. Adjoining lands may be purchased from rails

way and land companies at reasonable prices. For information as to route, cost of transportation etc., apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to authorized Canadian Government Agent—M. V. McInnes, 6 Avenue Theatre Block, Detroit, Michigan; C. A. Laurier, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan.

St. Jacobs Oil

Sprains, Bruises

The muscles flex, the kinks untwist, the soreness dies out. Price 25c. and 50c.



# Cash Does

The cash business has enabled us to offer the

## **BIGGEST BARGAINS IN SHOES**

ever known in Cass City. You ought to see our lines in Men's at \$3.00, 2.50, 2.00, and 1.75 for dress wear. Work Shoes, \$2.50, 2.00, 1.75, 1.50, 1.25 and 1.00. In Ladies' Shoes we show them at \$3.00, 2.50, 2.00, 1.75, 1.50, 1.35 and 1.25. You had better have a look at our

> Ladies' \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Lines. All solid through and through....

# Ostrander's Up-to- Cash Store

Miss Mattie Carless of Yale arrived

in town Monday and has taken up her

duties as head trimmer in Mrs. M. J.

McGillvray's millinery establishment.

Wm. Murphy, who has been in De-

troit with his brother, Thomas, who

is recovering quite rapidly from his

recent illness, returned home this

John E. Muma and Miss Mary Mc-

Lellan of Gagetown were united in

marriage Thursday afternoon at the

Presbyterian parsonage by Rev. E. H.

About thirty-five friends from No-

vesta township and Cass City sur-

prised Mrs. Isaac Hall at her home

Monday evening, the occasion being

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schenck and

her home in Manitowoc, Wis.

passable.

on Feb. 28.

Alfred Grenizer and Louis Bender of

the latter's brother, W. W. Bender.

They said the condition of the roads

is awful and in some places almost im-

The marriage of Miss Florence E.

Howe, formerly of Cass City. but now

a resident of Los Angeles, Cal., to

Frank Maginnis, of the same city, has

been announced, the event occurring

In last week's issue of the Tuscola

County Courier the Deford corres-

pondent says: "There is a good pros-

pect at present that Deford will out-

general Cass City and gather in the

Port Huron & Bay City railroad. All

Mr. and Mrs. X. A. Boomhower

drove to Cass City Saturday and spent

Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs.

Gillies, and sister, Mrs. Newberry of

Oshkosh, Wis., who arrived there last

Miss Nellie Marie Westland, now of

Upland, California, but formerly a

nesday, March 15, to Jacob John Luess

also of Upland. The Chronicle and

many friends of Mrs. Luess join in ex-

tending best wishes for a prosperous

Elijah Tanner and his daughter,

Miss Olive, left this week for Caron,

Assiniboia, N. W. T., to take up their

abode on Mr. Tanner's farm. Mr.

Tanner, who has been in the North-

few months with his family here.

Miss Olive will be her father's house-

The item last week concerning the

accident to the horse which Dr. M. M.

Wickware was driving was somewhat

misleading. Instead of waiting until

reaching town before medical aid was

procured, the doctor himself attended

to the injured animal and it was after-

ward brought to town, the doctor

completing his trip with the other

Miss Almira Dennis and Robt. Mc-

Kinley were married at the home of

in the presence of the immediate

where Mr. McKinley is engaged in

Miss Ella Leepla has returned from

keeper in their western home.

journey through life.

because we have the most sand."

Bradfield.

Sault Ste. Marie.

#### LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Wm. Messner has been on the sick list this week.

George Crawford made a business trip to Argyle this week.

W. W. Bender was in Sebewaing few days this week on business:

Rev. J. W. Fenn made a business trip to Williamston Wednesday.

David Jeffery of Kingston was business caller in town Saturday.

Percy Eno left Saturday afternoon for a visit with friends in Detroit.

Born on Friday, March 17, to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDermott, a son. Roy Rice spent several days with friends in Detroit the first of the

Miss Tanner of Gagetown is the new saleslady at Mrs. G. W. Goff's

W. C. Myers of Saginaw was a guest at the home of Rev. J. W. Fenn last

company of her friends last Thursday are the auctioneers.

Wm. Hartsell of Kingston was the

Miss Beatrice Cochrane, one of the lodge, S. H. Brown. instructors in the high school, is quite

ill this week. Mrs. W. W. Bender and Mrs. John al weeks, left Monday for a visit with Hill went to Marlette Tuesday morn- friends in Chicago before returning to

ing to visit friends. A. C. Graham of Freiburgers will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist Ruth spent Sunday at the home of

church next Sunday. W. W. Bender has moved his household goods into the residence rooms

over Traver's implement store. Mrs. H. McColl, Jr., of Greenleaf has been quite ill this week at the

home of H. McColl of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dulmage, who

have spent several months at Pontiac, have returned to their home here. Revival meetings are being held in

the Methodist church this week every night. Meetings open at 7:30 p. m. A company of young people from

town were entertained at the home of M. H. Eastman on Tuesday even-Mrs. Umphrey of Argyle visited

with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crawford on

her way home from Pontiac last Friweek and who is just recovering from Attorney Henry Butler was in Kingston Saturday, where he acted as a long period of sickness.-Ubly

lawyer for one of the parties in a law- Courier. suit. Miss Edythe Wilson of Deford is

working in the Howell & Spaulding teacher in the public schools at this offices as stenographer. - Caro Adver- place, was united in marriage on Wedtiser. Miss Leila Lee entertained a com-

pany of friends Saturday evening in honor of Floyd Mulholland of Mem-Miss Grace Striffler was the guest of

friends in town over Sunday on her way from Detroit to her home in

James and Abijah Oathout, who have been employed at Black River the past winter, returned home on Monday.

Miss Jessie Robinson, who has been spending a couple of weeks at her home in Novesta, has returned to Cass City.

Mrs. Cecil Rice and little son. Orie. left Thursday morning for Lansing, where they expect to make their future home.

E. Crawford and J. Burbridge have purchased property in Croswell where horse. they intend to build a feed barn in the near future.

'The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian | the bride's parents on Pine street church has postponed their supper for west on Wednesday, March 15. Rev. one week and it will be given on Wed- J. W. Fenn performed the ceremony nesday, March 29. Miss Ella Meredith of Saginaw at- friends and relatives of the contract-

tended the funeral of Miss Kate ing parties. Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Mahoney on Tuesday and also visited will make their future home near Caro her parental home here. The following are the advertised farming.

letters for the week ending March 18, 1905; Mrs. Mary VanCenet, Henry Birmingham where she has been en-Knowles. H. S. WICKWARE, P. M gaged in teaching school and expects

of town until next fall, when she will go to Gaylord, Minn., where she has accepted a position as instructor in the schools at that place. The change for a position farther west is made with a view that it may be beneficial to her health.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anketell of West Burlington, New York, parents of T. J. Anketell, died within a week, the former passing away on March 9, and the latter on March 16, 1905. Thos. J. Anketell is quite well known here, being president of the Cass City Lumber and Coal company's interests and also of other lumber companies in surrounding towns. Mr. Anketell now grieves his double affliction, the passing of both of his beloved parents within a few days of each other.

results of a stroke of paralysis about ential meningood roads. Their broad four weeks ago. Deceased was about yielding tires will keep the roads hard and one-half miles west of the Elk- Further than that the gasoline distaken to Canada for interment, where large enough quantities have the same the family formerly resided. Mr. effect as the crude oil applications Guyett was the father of Mrs. Wm. which are being advocated to keep Paul of this place, who accompanied down dust. There is nothing imher father's remains to Ontario and possible about it. You can see the will remain there for several weeks.

known in Kingston and vicinity, hav- When deposited on a dusty road it ing made his home there for several will not easily wash off, and by inyears, was injured in a railroad smash-creased accumulation will save the up at Mesick, near Ann Arbor on farmers any amount of annoyance Monday. There are two victims dead from dust. The automobile has come and nine injured. Mr. Veit who lost to stay, and to make friends among one leg in the accident, was engineer those who have been its bitterest on a passenger train which collided enemies.' with an engine. One or two of the injured have died, but hopes are entertained for Mr. Veit's recovery. It is said that Veit left Mesick with his train after being held over an hour. ignoring the flags set against his train,

Miss Kate Mahoney died at her ittle daughter, who have been spendhome in this village on Saturday ing the past winter with relatives morning after a lingering illness. here, left this week for their home at years and her death though a sad blow T. H. Boyd, living one mile west of to her aged mother, was not unexpect-dressed school boy and the maiden Greenleaf, will have an auction sale ed. She was born in Cass City De- who wears an unseasonable garment on Thursday, March 30, commencing cember 9, 1880, and has spent nearly because it looks well, he takes especial Mrs. A. N. Treadgold entertained a at one o'clock. Striffler & McKenzie all her life in our midst. For several delight in attacking. Summer is not Last week in mentioning the or- keeper for the firm of Frutchey & if you would enjoy the former, try to ganization of a lodge of the National McGeorge and also held a similar dodge the latter. guest of friends in town the first of Protective Legion we omitted the position with a firm in Saginaw until name of the vice president of the new her health failed. The funeral services were held in St. Agatha's church at Gagetown on Tuesday and the re-Miss Trumens, who has been the mains laid to rest in the Catholic guest of Mrs. G. A. Striffler for severcemetery at that place. Besides her mother, she leaves two sisters, Mrs. Geo. Brown of Pt. Huron and Mrs.

#### Geo. Carolan of Gagetown. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

First page-

J. D. Crosby & Son. L. I. Wood & Co.

Fourth page-The Model and J. S. McArthur.

Fifth page-Wilson & Caldwell.

J. D. Brooker.

Last page-S. Ostrander.

II. L. Hunt.

Mrs. M. J. McGillvray.

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Fine driving team, three years old, bays and very well matched, well record. Mr. Gollan has served time broken single and double. Also nice in the Vassar postonice and has had ! pair draft horses, weight 3000 pounds, seven years old, bays and well der him proof against surprises but matched. O. K. Janes, Cass City, 3-17-tf

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Farm near Cass City for rent either money or on shares. D. N. HARPER, Wayne County Bank Bldg., Detroit, 3-24-4

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Enquire of W. W. BENDER at Traver's 3-23-tf Implement Store.

Call and see my new Spring Skirts; fine llne, low prices. Mrs. G 3-24-1 W. Goff.

Forty acre farm for sale-sel of the set of Sec. 12. Kingston township. west for several years, spent the past Or will trade for property near Cass City. ROBT. WILSON. 3-10-3\*

A MATTER OF HEALTH



#### to remain with her parents northeast FARMERS WILL LIKE AUTOMOBILE

Present Antipathy Against the Machine Will Vanish.

In an interview in the Detroit Tribune, John Carrington of Dubuque, Ia., says:

"Farmers are sore on automobiles but they will yet come to regard them | as their best friends. Their antipathy is really not so much on account of danger from high speed as from the frightening of their horses. Horses are naturally going to get used to the machines in the country as they have \? in the city. We can all remember when a bicycle was a thing of terror to timid drivers to say nothing of a trolley car. Now neither of these are noticed. With the advance of the Frank Guyett, a Tuscola township automobile farmers will begin to farmer, died last Wednesday from the recognize its service in enlisting influ-50 years of age, and three years ago after a considerable wet period, and purchased the Wm. Hoover farm, two will not tend to throw up dust. horn school house. The remains were charged by an automobile would, in traces of gasoline on the surface after Albert Veit of Mt. Pleasant, well a thaw on any street in Detroit.

#### MERE MENTION.

Do not rejoice too soon. This is just the sort of weather old man Pneumonia sallies forth and nothing he likes better than to slip up behind the man who has left his overcoat at home and to get his tag. The imprudent She has been an invalid for several man is his meat, and the thoughtless woman he is ever with and the underyears she held the position of book- yet here. Old man Pneumonia is, and

> Who sympathized with you when your little girl was sick? Was it your home dealer or was it Sears & Roe buck? Who carried you last winter when you were out of a job and had no money? Was it Montgomery, Ward & Co. or was it your home merchant? When you want to raise money for the church or some needy person, do you write to the Fair store in Chicago or do you go to your home merchant? How much do Siegel, Cooper & Co. give toward keeping up the sidewalks of the town or paying the minister's salary? When you were sick, how many nights did Shields' Hat Catalogue sit up with you? Think it over.

Within a week says the Caro Advertiser there walked into the office of Register Gollan, Samuel Bell, a sturdy old farmer of Akron, who pulled out two legal documents yellow with age and remarking that he feared he might lose them, presented them for other experiences calculated to renwhen he opened those papers and realized that the man standing before him had carefully preserved two land term; four Constable patents from the government coverpatents from the government covering the nw\(\frac{1}{4}\) of ne\(\frac{1}{4}\) and the w\(\frac{1}{2}\) of ne\(\frac{1}{4}\) of section 23 Akron, and only now, after 49 years, had concluded to have them recorded, he admits that he believes himself to have been the most surprised man in the county. Making \$\$\colon 200 Acre Farm for rent, 8 miles lieves himself to have been the most east of Cass City; 170 acres under cul-surprised man in the county. Making a quick recovery, he took the recordgratified to think that Mr. Bell had waited almost 50 years to pay them to him. The certificates were signed by ing fees with his usual grace and was Two work horses for sale cheap, gratified to think that Mr. Bell had Franklin Pierce, then president of the United States, were numbered 6510 and 6932 bore the dates January 15 and December 1, 1856, and some idea of the unsettled condition of the country at that time may be had when it is known that the whole number of To the Electors of the Township of Elek votes cast in the county in 1852, the year Pierce was elected, was only 176. There are probably few persons living on the lands they themselves located in this country and still fewer who, like Mr. Bell, have never had their titles recorded.

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Brindles family, and those two women

made such a clatter I couldn't hear

rent. Jesse Stock. 2-24-4\*

Election Notice.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ELK-LAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF LAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF MICHIGAN.
Notice is hereby given, that the next ensuing general election will be held at the Town Hall within said township on Monday, April 3, 1905, at which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz.:

STATE, One Justice of the Supreme Court of Michigan; Two Regents of the University of Michigan; One Member of the State Board of Education, to fill vacancy. JUDICIAL.

One Circuit Judge for the twenty-fourth Judicial Circuit comprising the counties of Tuscola, fluron and Sanilac. TOWNSHIP.

One Supervisor; one Clerk; one Treasurer; one Highway Commissioner; one Justice of the Peace, full term; one School Inspector, full term; one School Inspector, to fill vacuity; one member of the Board of Review, full AMENDMENTS.

see.
A proposed amendment to the constitution of this State relative to providing for the Improvement of the Public Wagon Roads. By order of the Board of Election Inspec ors. Dated this 21st day of March, A. D. 1905. H. F. LENZNER, Clerk of Said Township

Registration Notice.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ELE-LAND, COUNTY OF TUSCOLA, STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Township Board of Registration of the township above named, will be held at the Town Hall within said township, on Satur-day, April 1, 1905, for the purpose of register-ing the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that pur-pose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon un-til 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 21st day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of Registration of said Township. H. F. LENZNER,
Clerk of Said Township.

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