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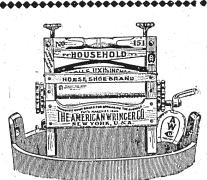
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A black silk coat was lost Thursday between the Samuel Cole farm of Cass City. Finder will please leave same at Chronicle office.

Good house and barn for sale cheap if taken at once. Enquire of A. A. MCKENZIE.

Have you paid your taxes? T. Patterson of Argyle was in town

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. M. Matzen has been quite ill

the past week. John Riker is in Caseville this week.

Gone a fishin'. W. B. Davis of Marlette was in

town Saturday.

Jas. W. Fenn went to Saginaw Tuesday on business.

Mrs. P. A. Koepfgen has been quite ll the past week.

H. P. Lee is recovering from an atack of tonsilitis.

Miss Leila Lee visited with friends n Novesta last week. Mrs. Wm. Halleck is improving

after a week's illness. Ruth and Fred Striffler of Argyle

vere in town Monday. W. A. Anderson has been on the

sick list but is improving now. John Dew of Elkton was the guest of friends in town this week.

Miss Iva Coffron of North Branch spent Sunday with friends in town. Editor Conley of the Gagetown

Times was a caller in town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Baum of Saginaw were home here last week. he guests of friends in town Tuesday. Mrs. Jane Gillies is spending the

H. T. Elliott is in Detroit this week spending a short vacation with

Mrs. D. Morrison of Gagetown visited with friends and relatives in town

H. Frutchey returned home from

Detroit Tuesday with a new Cadillac automobile. Alvin Sansburn of Maple Ridge was the guest of friends in town the first

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bradley of Hay Creek were the guests of friends in

C. Palmerton of Caro visited at the home of his brother-in-law, H. L. Hunt, last week.

George Vader, who has been suffering from an attack of typhaid fever, is convalescing.

Mrs. Geo. Hitchcock, who underwent a serious operation recently, is improving nicely. Miss Elsie Klump of Detroit visited

with former friends in town last Friday and Sáturday. A ten pound baby boy arrived at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Agar last Sunday. Mrs. W. Marshall and children of

Pt. Huron were the guests of friends in town this week. Huron county Maccabees will hold

their annual picnic at Caseville Wednesday, August 16. Rev. J. H. Callander and daughter, Ruth, are spending the week with Hendrick.

friends at Croswell. Mr. and Mrs. A. Brooks of Saginaw were guests at the home of R. Lutze

a few days last week. Hiram Boughner of Valley Centre

has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. J. Usher, this week. The Caro business men's excursion

will take place August 22 and Detroit will be the point visited. Mrs. D. McArthur and little child

of Pt. Huron are visiting with relatives and friends in town. Lou W. Usher and Ernest A. Per-

kins returned home !Sunday evening from Poughkeepsie, N. Y. A. A. Brian and M. Seeger have gone to Deford where they will be

employed for a short time. Mrs. I. A. Fritz and children, who have been the guests of friends at

Lake Orion, have returned home. Mrs. Etta Rowley and daughter, Myrle, are spending the week with

friends and relatives at Gagetown. Miss Belle Gamble of Sebewaing is visiting at the home of her uncle, C.

Miss Grace Meiser returned home from Pontiac Sunday where she has made an extended visit with friends

The Misses Nettie and Laura Frutchey of Bangor, Pennsylvania, are guests at the home of A. Frutchey.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morrish of Newberry have been visiting with friends here and at Holbrook the past week. Burton L. Hunt of Detroit is spend-

ing a week's vacation with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Hunt came last The Misses Hattle Tanner and Clara

week with Miss Lilah Tanner at Bay Port. The following are the unclaimed the borrower. The Exchange Bank,

C. W. Stewart and Mr. Laughlin

Monday afternoon where she will visit M. E. church at the morning service. at the home of her brother, R. Fancher.

Miss 1da Bartholomy, who has been employed in town, was taken ill last week and has returned to her home at Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bender went to Detroit Wednesday where they expect to spend a week with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jas. Robb and son, Norman, of Croswell arrived here Tuesday and are guests at the home of A. D. Mead and family. Mrs. John Whale has been very ill

the past week with pneumonia. Her daughter, Mrs. J. Curtis, of Deford is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals and ittle daughter, Belva, spent Sunday with relatives at Marlette, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Young and daughter of Gagetown were the guests of the former's brother, Hersey Young, Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Mead and daughter, Hazel, who have been visiting friends at Marine City, returned to their

Extensive repairs have been made recently at the Presbyterian manse. week with friends and relatives in James Wright and Thos. Cross did

> Ont., was called here this week owing to the serious illness of her sister. Mrs. A. A. P. McDowell.

the interior decorating.

Miss Mary Buchanan, who has been returned to her home at Lawrence,

Ont., Wednesday morning. Guy Landon and Dan Duncanson auto. returned home from Detroit Friday evening where the latter received

medical treatment for his eyes. spending the week at Oak Bluff.

The Misses Aura and Etta Schenck ed visit at the home of their brother, J. D. Schenck, at St. Ste. Marie.

Mrs. M. Work and Mrs. K. Work, who have been visiting with friends here for several weeks, returned to their home in Buffalo on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware and Mr. and Mrs. E. McKim and daughter,

town. Mr. and Mrs. John McPhee and son Mrs. Landon. of New Albany, Indiana, are, expected the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Mc-

Miss Alice Higgins of Rochester, at Unionville for some time, is visit- in Ellington. ing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F.

Miss Alice Curry of Croswell was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. an employe in the Sanilac Jeffersonian imagine every person in sight is

office at Croswell. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Eastman were among those from this place who attended cepted a position in a drug store in The loss is estimated at \$2,500, partly the Latter Day Saint meetings at

Shabbona Sunday. Mrs. J. J. Franklin of Caro and the Misses Morrison and Franklin of Minneapolis, Minnesota, are visiting

at the home of Mrs. Franklin's daughter, Mrs. W. Fallis. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cootes were the

guests of relatives at Lapeer over Sunday, Mrs. Cootes remaining for an extended visit there. Mr. Cootes returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Heller were n Romeo over Sunday where they visited with friends and attended campmeeting services which are being conducted at that place.

The Misses McKenzie and Smyth, who have been the guests of Miss Hollis McBurney, northwest of town, the past three weeks, have returned to their home in Ontario.

Another excursion next Sunday to Bay Port over the P. O & N. The fare is 75 cents. Pigeon and Pontiac teams will play base ball. Train leaves Cass City at 10:05.

Mrs. Taylor of St. Thomas, Ont., and Mrs. Black of Ubly are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating. The former is an aunt and the latter is the mother of Mrs. Keating.

H. McColl has purchased a stallion colt from Henry Croft of Greenleaf which was a first prize winner at the state fair last year. It is a Clyde, 14 Lenzner are spending part of the months old and weighs 1,075 pounds. \$\$\$\$10,000.00 to loan on real estate.

No bonus or commission required of 7-21-tf letters for the week ending July 29: Cass City, Mich.

On account of the absence of Rev. R. N. Mulholland last Sunday, Rev. Mrs. P. S. Rice went to Imlay City J. W. Fenn occupied the pulpit in the There were no services in the evening.

> Quarterly meeting services will be held at the Evangelical church commencing this (Friday) evening and week of the appointment of their continuing over Sunday. Rev. F. C. son, A. C. McColl, as superintendent Berger, the presiding elder, will of-

Mrs. O. W. Nique of Shabbona was the guest of relatives in town last Saturday. She was accompanied home by her sisters, Maggie and Laura Striffler who will spend a few days in

John McDougal died at his home at Point Edwards, Ont., on Sunday. He was formerly a resident of this place. The funeral services were held Wednesday. Rev. Jas. MacArthur was in attendance.

Miss Bertha Benkelman, who visited with relatives at Buffalo and Lancaster, N. Y., for a couple of weeks, returned home Thursday evening and has resumed her duties at the Chron-

icle office. Baptist Sunday school, accompanied here for three years. He has a host by a number of their friends, spent a pleasant day in Mrs. R. Orr's grove. An elaborate dinner was served and a jolly time spent by everyone.

Mrs. S. Bennett and two little among his old associates. daughters, Thelma and Helene, of Miss Susie Williamson of Lindsay, M. L. Moore. Mrs. Bennett was for- row to take charge of his new merly a resident of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. McGregory and Dr. and probably not be here before Septema guest at the home of W. M. Morris, Mrs. A. N. Treadgold made a trip to Detroit last week where they spent a few days. The trip was made by

At the Baptist church Sunday evening, Lieut. Richard Lazenby of the Salvation Army at Sarnia, Ont., Mrs. Jas. Ramsey and children, assisted in the services. The ordin-Dora and Elwin Wallace, accompan- ance of baptism was administered to ied by Miss Bertha Zinnecker, are a candidate at the close of the ser-

Next Thursday, August 10, is the left Monday afternoon for an extendy dayouf the Sunday School excursion to Lake Orion. The fare from Cass City is \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children. Take the children and enjoy a day's outing at this popular

Mrs. D. J. Landon and daughters, Mae and Pearl, returned home from Detroit Tuesday evening. They were Dorothy, spent Sunday with Mr. and accompanied by little Sarah Zalko- 1899, he was appointed roadmaster for Mrs. Jas. G. Read, six miles east of wich of Detroit, who has spent sev- the Oklahoma division and came to eral summers at the home of Mr. and

J. A. Baetz and M. Hunkins, emreturned to Newberry and Mr. Hun-trainmaster at Herington. who has been the guest of her brother kins is spending the week at his home

If some of the young men who wear 15-cent embroidery hosiery would P. A. Koepfgen Lost Large Barn on wear knee pants it would save them the trouble of pulling up their trous-D. Mead over Sunday. Miss Curry is ers so often when they sit down and

watching their ornaments. noon for Calumet, where he has ac- buildings by fire Tuesday morning. that city. He has been employed as a insured. pharmacist in this place for some time past and leaves a host of friends though it is thought that it was here who wish him success.

ness. Her friends are pleased to learn that she is getting well again.

Miss Ida Macoy of Lincoln, Nebraska, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hays. Miss Macoy has been attending the Art Institute at Chicago several very nice oil and water color sketches of scenery in Illinois, Iowa

and Colorado. A recent dispatch from Washington says that to facilitate a more accurate handling of mail by rural free delivery carriers, the postoffice department is arranging for the numbering of rural boxes. The delivery of ordinary mail of all classes addressed to boxes by number alone will be authorized the same as is now permitted in the house was saved. case of postoffice boxes so long as improper and unlawful business is not conducted.

More Locals on Last Page.

House and barn to rent. quire at Chronicle office.

Two spans of two-year-old colts 7-14-tf J. H. STRIFFLER.

Three second-hand organs, five octave, for sale at Lenzner's Furniture Store

CASS CITY BOY IS HONORED

A. C. McColl Now Superintendent of a Railroad in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McColl of this place received the pleasant news this of the Oklahoma division of the Rock Island railway system at a salary of \$400 a month. Mr. McColl was formerly a resident of this vicinity, having left Cass City about sixteen years ago, and has many friends here who

will be pleased to hear of his success. The following article is from the Chickasha (Oklahoma) Express and

relates to Mr. McColl's appointment: "Late yesterday afternoon the announcement of the appointment of Mr. A. C. McColl as superintendent of the Oklahoma division of the Rock Island was made. Mr. McColl is promoted from the position of trainmaster on the Kansas division where his

headquarters were at Herington. "Chickasha people are greatly pleased with the appointment, the superintendent being a former citizen of On Tuesday, the members of the the city, having served as roadmaster of friends here who are showering congratulations upon him. Mr. McColl is pleased too, not only with the position but because he is coming back

"Mr. McColl came down from Her-Detroit, are visiting at the home of ington yesterday afternoon but went the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. home to-day. He will return tomorwork. Mrs. McColl, who is a most charming lady and well known here, will spend the summer north and will ber. She will be a valuable addition to Chickasha society circles. Mrs. McColl is a very active worker in the

Episcopal church. "The new superintendent is a young man thirty-six years of age, a big hearted, genial gentleman who makes a friend of everyone he meets. He has had a most successful railroad career and the high position he has attained is due to his native ability and capacity for work. He was born in Bothwell, Ontario, Jan. 20, 1869. His railroad career dates from 1889, when he began as an engineer with a locating party for the Rock Island working out of Topeka. He continued as engineer in location and construction work till 1892 and then took charge of the ticket auditing department of the C. R. I. & G. under Mr. Hovey in Fort Worth. In August, Chickasha where he remained till December, 1902, when he was called to Topeka as general roadmaster of the here this week to visit at the home of ployees at the Upper Peninsula Hos-lines west of the Missouri river. This pital at Newberry, visited with friends position he held till July, 1903, when in town last Friday. Mr. Baetz has he was promoted to the position of

TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE Tuesday Morning.

P. A. Koepfgen, who lives two miles northwest of Cass City, lost his large barn, 44x60 feet in size, his granary, a Dalton H. Mosure left Friday after-small barn and several small out-

The origin of the fire is not known started by sparks from the threshing Miss Leola Lauderbach still con- engine. As the wind was from the tinues to improve in health after a northeast and the machine was stasevere attack of typhoid fever. On tioned south of the barn, the origin Wednesday she was able to be out of of the fire is somewhat mysterious. doors for the first time since her ill- Mr. Koepfgen discovered the flames coming from the roof of the barn as he was leaving the house where he had been after grain bags. The threshing crew and neighbors put forth their best efforts to save the barn but seeing that their efforts were and brought with her to Cass City in vain, they saved what they could of the machinery and stock. The separator which belonged to the Elkland Thresher Co. was also saved by prompt action. The fire spread quickly to the smaller barn and the granary and other small structures. For some time the residence was in danger and were it not for the prompt action of the fire fighters in extinguishing the sparks, it would have been in ashes. Fortunately the wind shifted somewhat to the west and the

The barn was filled to the peak with all of this season's crop of wheat and hay. The threshing was more than half completed and the wheat crop was estimated at 400 bushels. All of the stock was saved except ten

hogs and some chickens. Mr. Koepfgen's loss is a serious one and he has the sympathy of the community. He expects to re-build at

Old papers for sale at the Chron-

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CASS CITY,

MICHIGAN.

Two men swam the Niagara rapids a few days ago. We have forgotten their names.

It is a difficult task in this workaday world of ours to preserve the bloom of the peach.

A Cossack who asked for better food has been shot dead. A Cossack should know his place.

The \$50,000 subscribed for Peary's pole-hunting project may properly be referred to as cold cash.

Foolish regrets are dreary relics of the past and forgetfulness the junk man that carries them away.

be bounded on the north as well as on the south by the United States. Drastic reforms are to be inaugu-

If Peary is successful, Canada will

rated by the Chinese government. Look out for graft scandals over there

The boat rocker has just succeeded in drowning a party of three in New Hampshire, fortunately including him-

Exchange. He is still looking for trouble. In Newark, N. J., caterpillars are

bringing 10 cents a quart. Newark must be the headquarters of the axle grease industry. "Are we to have a revival of hon-

esty?" asks the Rutland (Mass.) Herald. Why not? It would be a most delightful novelty. Chicago and New York continue to

talk about how big they are, while the rest of the country is talking about how bad they are.

It is not known yet whether the decision of the treasury department that camels' hair is wool will be pleasing or displeasing to the camel.

"The Woman of To-morrow" is the title of a book just announced, but it is all that most of us can do to keep up with the woman of to-day.

Eighteen Boston tailors have gone on strike, which recalls Queen Elizabeth's salutation to another eighteen: "Good morning gentlemen both."

A Japanese admiral has found that the cruiser Izumrud, late of the Baltic fleet, is a "complete wreck." There is such a thing as doing work too well.

The New York Post refers to Scotty of Death Valley as a golden calf. The editor of the Post must have reasons for believing that Scotty has pawned his gun.

Why should anyone complain about the heat when the telegraph tells us that a large snow bank is still visible on Mt. Jefferson, up in the White mountains?

Philadelphia is certainly getting rapid, with fifty-four divorces granted there in one hour this week. And the recent raid had nothing at all to do with it, either.

It is announced in London journals that the Princess Anna de Karenga Esterhazy desires to sell her titles. We would advise her to advertise in the Pittsburg papers.

Nicola Tesla hints that he has about solved the problem of aerial navigation. This may account for the fact that he has not recently been in communication with Mars.

The season is here when you will betray your social status, according as you decide to slice it off, with your knife or just hold it up in both hands and bite it off the cob.

Barber Henn of Kansas City has asked the legislature to change his name. If he will promise to quit cackling his customers will doubtless warmly support the petition.

"The English are not considered a pleasure-loving people," says the London Speaker. If they had been a pleasure-loving people, they would never have got mixed up in that Boer war.

It must be annoying to the czar to have to go poking around the cellar every time when he moves into a new palace to see how much dynamite the energetic revolutionists have stowed away.

Secretary Taft says he was not angry when he wrote that letter to Wallace. Then it is difficult to see how the secretary could fully express himself when angry without plagiarizing Admiral Evans.

Word comes from New York that a woman who married a man there because she thought he was a genius has had him put in an insane asylum. She isn't the first one, however, who has had trouble in discovering the difference.

An octogenarian who has just died in New York is said to have drunk heavily all his life, except nine months, during which he thought the city would be bombarded by a Spanish fleet. He evidently was reasonable in his demands for excitement. of grief.

STATE NEWS

DETROIT SCENE OF MOST BRUTAL MURDER AND ROBBERY.

POLICE UNABLE TO TRACE MUR-DERERS OR OBTAIN A CLUE.

MEAGRE DESCRIPTIONS OF MEN SUPPOSED TO BE GUILTY.

Detroit's Greatest Crime.

Beaten down with either a hatchet or a meat cleaver, while attempting to defend the many thousands of dollars' worth of jewelry and other valuables in his pawn shop at 42 Monroe avenue, Detroit, Joseph Moyer, a wealthy Jew, 54 years old, was butch-ered in his shop early Friday evening while hundreds of persons were passing the place, and the robbers escaped with nearly \$10,000 in cash and jewel-Moyer was not dead when found. He was unconscious, but he never revived to whisper a word as to the description or identity of his murderers. It was

shortly before 7 in the evening when the dying man was taken from the A famous football player has just pawn shop, where he has been engaged bought a seat on the New York Stock in business for years, and carried on a stretcher to an ambulance. He was conveyed to St. Mary's hospital, where he died without regaining consciousness and before his wife could reach him.

The murder was committed while the clerk was out for supper and Moyer was alone in the store. According to an unfinished ticket in the shop register the last visitor was "A. E. Roberts," who gave his address as "Box 28, Delray," and tried to pawn

watch within ten minutes of the time the crime was committed. No such man lives in Delray; no such man receives his mail at Box 28, Delray postoffice. One A. E. Roberts lived on West End avenue about a year ago, but moved away. No one recalls the man, his appearance or his business. The belief exists in the minds of the police that the man who pretended to pawn a watch induced Moyer to leave his place behind the counter, and, upon some pretext or other, got him around to the spot where he was struck on the head and felled to the

Descriptions, meagre however, are given of two men who may have been the murderers.

proprietor of a cloth ing house, 47 Monroe avenue, opposite Moyer's store, saw a short man, wearing a straw hat, and a tall man wearng a black fedora stand near the Moyer store about 6:15. The short man entered the store and the tall man waited outside as White left his store.

The story of the murder itself is written in blood on the floor of the pawnshop. In a narrow pathway between two showcases on the right hand side of the store Moyer was attacked. He was struck over the head, with blows raining upon him, until he fell unconscious and bleeding to the floor. Then like an ox that had been stunned in a slaughter house he was dragged farther back to permit the finishing of the butchery. A trail of blood, smeared upon shows how he was dragged from the place where he fell, across the real of the store through a narrow goor into the little back office where the job was finished and the victim was left to his fate. Here lay a puddle of

What makes the crime unparalleled in the annals of murder in the city is the boldness with which it was executed, the almost incredible brutality with which the helpless victim was slain and the large amount of booty that was secured. It was, as Capt. Mc-Donnell summarized it:

"We have had bank robberies where larger amounts of money and valuables have been secured, but no personal injury was inflicted. We have had brutal murders but no large loot was obtained. The present crime, however, is a combination of both; which therefore, makes it the worst crime ever committed in the city."

The very hour of the murder suggests its boldness. Moyer was butchered between 6:10 and 6:20 o'clock Friday evening—an hour when Monroe avenue is crowded with people passing by and hurrying home, when it is still broad daylight, when policemen are coming and going to change duties at police headquarters, in the very shadow of which lies the scene of the mur-

der. In fact, at the exact time when two men rained their terrific blows upon the head of the defenseless pawnbrok er. Capt. McDonnell, chief of detectives, was on the same street less than two hundred feet away.

Charles Rife, alias Ernest Conrady, has been arrested in Nebraska on charge of holding up a farmer in Kalamazoo last month and taking \$75 from him.

Having lost a leg by falling from the steps of a locomotive, John W. Nichols, a Pere Marquette employe, now sues the company for \$25,000

damages. Mrs. Anna Nestle's judgment of \$5 000 against the city of Flint for injuries received by falling on a broken sidewalk in 1902, has been approved by the supreme court.

mond Van Est, a poor family recently arrived in Jackson from Belgium, was fatally scalded Tuesday evening by the upsetting of a pan of hot milk. Anglers who fish for the sport there is in it have called on the state game

The nine-months-old child of Ray

warden to go after a few score of pot fishermen who are taking fish with nets and spears in the Kalamazoo lakes.

Leon Cribley, father of the twin boys burned to death in the fire horror in Eggleston township recently, remains in a dazed condition and cannot be aroused. He will probably die

IN THE STATE.

Fire at Ossineke destroyed \$15,000 worth of cedar ties, posts and hemlock

Mrs. Crusey, aged 36, of Muskegon, fell dead while taking the milk from the milkman.

Dominick Tallerico, of West Neeb ish, was drowned Friday by the up setting of a sailboat.

voted \$2,214 to repair damages to the fish hatchery at Millbrook, June 5. Burglars have robbed the postoffice in Champion but they got but seven cents, overlooking \$200 worth of

The board of state auditors have

Circuit Judge Davis has decided that the Ionia county drain law passed at the last session of the legislature is constitutional.

While working his way to Denver Harry Lehman, 17 years of age, of Jackson, was killed on the Sante Fe railroad at Edina, Mo.

The New York Association of Southpicnic at Gull Lake. Some 300 New York natives were present.

Justus S. Stearns will triple the capacity of his salt block in Ludington so that it will have a daily output of between 4,000 and 5.000 barrels.

Martin, the 3-year-old son of Thos. Mount, living in Frankenlust township, was burned to death by setting fire to his clothes as the result of playing with matches.

An ordinance has been passed by the common council to close up saloons, stores and all kinds of business in Standish on Sundays. This includes even the livery stables.

Carl Augustine, a well-to-do citizen of Whitehail, has committed suicide by hanging himself. It is not clear why, for his business and domestic affairs were harmonious. Fearful of becoming insane as the

theria. Mrs. Barney Campbell, of St. Joseph, committed suicide. The 15-months'-old child of John P.

result of brooding over the death of

through her tongue and into her windpipe, causing death in two hours. The old soldiers are making rangements for the reunion of soldiers and sailors of 1861-5 for Macomb, St. Clair and Sanilac counties, to be held

in Lexington September 6 and 7. Ingham county superintendents of the poor spent \$11,641.10 for the care and support of the poor during the past year. Sixty-nine paupers were

cared for at the county poor houzs. During the night Sunday three prisoners, Robert Long, Thomas Jones against General Stoessel, who is even and James Kramer, awaiting trial for now a prisoner in his own house at burglary in Charlotte, broke jail and escaped by means of a blanket made edly soon be tried by court-martial. into ropes.

Tramps will be fed according to the will of Mrs. Almira Kramer, of Kalamazoo, offered for probate Wednesday which provides a trust fund of \$10,000 for that purpose. It names Senator Burrows as trustee.

Kalamazoo police have in custody 15 year-old Detha McClure, on information that she eloped from her home at Tampico, Ill., with Jack Taylor, formerly of Otsego. Taylor got away. The girl is held for her father.

Several weeks ago Gov. Warner re moved with his family to Cass Lake, Oakland county, thinking to take a vacation, but the demand made for him in various parts of the state has thus far rendered it impossible.

The citizens of Vermontville are or ganizing a "Home-coming" celebration for Aug. 3 and 4. There will be an oldfashioned basket picnic around the old school house the first day and a

program of sports for the second: Frank Kruse, an Alpine township farmer, went into a field to work I as the Japanese found, according to day with a cultivator and at closing their official report, in the storehouses time for the day the horse came back to the barn alone. Kruse's body was

was killed by a log train Sunday morning while sleeping off a drunk on the railroad track, have begun suit against the Brunswick saloonkeeper who sold him the liquor. Lothsaultz was a

minor. While playing with matches the 3year-old son of Thomas Mount, employed at the Bay coal mine, set fire to his clothes, and before the frantic mother could extinguish the flames the child was so badly burned that it died in horrible agony the following

day. Officer Ed. Honkala, who went to Omaha to bring back Hilda Ekloff, who was reported to be demented by the chief of police of that city, found that the girl was robbed of \$210, her two years' savings, and drugged by the same man. Her ticket from Omaha to Ishpeming was also taken from her.

Mrs. M. E. D. Trowbridge, widow of the late Rev. Luther Trowbridge and partner with him in many benefactions to the Baptist denomination, has just added another to the list of her generous acts by deeding to Kalamazoo college, a Baptist institution, her handsome residence at 18 Madison avenue, Detroit.

Gov. Warner has requested the state board of health to make an investigation of the outbreak of typhoid fever which, it is claimed, resulted from the eating of ice cream at a social function in Alma the last of June. A large number of the guests from different parts of the state were taken sick, and several persons died from the fever.

The postoffice at Wolverine, Mich., was burglarized at an early hour Tuesday morning. The burglars secured an entrance by taking out the Two separate charges of window. dynamite were used upon a large office safe, wrecking it completely and the building, too. The burglars secured about \$300 in cash and \$200 in stamps.

George Stamm, aged 12 years, of Port Huron, was nearly blown up by rubbing between the palms of his hands a stick of dynamite. The friction resulted in a premature explosion which blew off his upper lip and several fingers.

IN THE EAST

CZAR'S MENTAL POISE IS WAVERING AND ALARMING.

SATO SEEMS TO FEAR THAT HE HAS TALKED TOO MUCH.

NOW STOESSEL IS SAID TO BE ANYTHING BUT A HERO.

While anarchy is rampant and death stalks through the land, the czar-by western Michigan held their annual many held responsible for all his country's troubles-remains placidly ensconced among his flowers at Peterhof. It is said, however, that Nicholas's mental condition daily becomes worse. The czar of all the Russia's still spends many hours lying fully dressed on his bed, his only exercise being taken in the gardens, when, brooding and with bowed head, in company with his physician, Dr. Hirsch, he walks to and fro, pausing now and again to slash viciously with his cane at a marguerite or Canterbury bell. Orders, it is said, are given, countermanded, then forgotten, and given again in a fashion utterly bewildering to all his en-

tourage. Aimar Sato, of the Japanese peace delegation now in this country, is hedging and now denies that he has ever in any interview given any outline of the terms upon which Japan result of brooding over the death of will negotiate peace, or that he has her six children in eight days by diphannounced that Japan will make any demands whatever. Mr. Sato said: wish to be clearly understood that I have never given out anything that Jones, of Ishpeming, fell while it had a pencil in its mouth. The point went the Japanese peace commission, nor the Japanese peace commission, nor anything that could be taken as a condition upon which Japan would enter into negotiations for peace. I wish to deny that I am the spokesman for Baron Komura, Sensational articles have been published which are fabrications and in which I have been misquoted. I do not know upon what terms peace may be negotiated. I do not know what the Japanese envoys will consider as peace terms. I know of no humiliating or other demands."

A story comes from Paris that new witnesses appear anxious to testify St. Petersburg, and who will undoubt-Vhile the world at large was at first inclined to think that the hero of Port Arthur was a victim of persecution, it now seems beyond all doubt that his conduct both during the siege and after the fall of the fortress was such that no punishment can be too severe

for him. The latest witness against him, a French merchant who remained in the fortress throughout the siege, but who now at Marseilles, is very strong in his condemnation of Gen. Stoessel. He says: "Gen. Stoessel's conduct was disgraceful from beginning to end. His officers and men hated him, and they had good reason to do so. He never showed the slightest interest in their welfare or pity for their sufferings. He let the soldiers go without shoes and dressed in filthy rags, when the storehouses were full of uniforms and supplies of all kinds. He let the common soldiers, whose courage and patience surpassed anything I have ever seen, starve when there were plenty

of supplies on hand.' This is now proved beyond all doubt of the fallen fortress, 980 tons of salt beef, 81,00 pairs of boots, 6,000 tons of found in the field. Apoplexy took him flour and grain, 102,000 suits of under wear, and 200,000,000 cartridges and The parents of Paul Lothsaultz, who shells. When Gen. Stoessel left the fortress his personal belongs filled 32 large baggage vans, while the privates were dressed in rags." The testimony of this merchant will go far towards convicting this sham hero, who so shamefully abused his position to enrich himself.

President Roosevelt entertained at uncheon Thursday Baron Jutaro Komura, minister of foreign affairs, and Kogoro Takahira, minister to the United States, the Japanese envoys to the Washington peace conference. Subsequently he had a long interview with them, at which all phases of the approaching negotiations were considered. Neither the president nor his Japanese visitors cared to discuss for publication the nature of their conference, except in the most general

Coal Miners to Fight.

Evidence accumulates that the anhracite operators intend to give battle to the miners when the present three-year working agreement expires in April. Hundreds of thousands of tons of coal are being stored with a view of resisting to the limit the demands of the union, which the miners are morally certain to make after the meeting of the tri-district convention in Shamokin this fall. John Mitchell, in a speech a few days ago, warned the miners that the companies are preparing to resist demands. Even now the preparations for a struggle are being made. Hundreds of acres of space are being covered with coal, not only the small steam sizes, but the domestic grades as well.

Root's Sacrifice.

Seldom in the history of the government has a man made the financial sacrifice that Elihu Root will make in taking up the portfolio of state laid down by John Hay. In accepting the \$8,000 salary of a cabinent officer he must give up fees, estimated to have been within the year, at least \$250,000. A cabinet officer recently said Mr. Root was making \$275,000 a year. In Washington his living expenses will probably reach \$40,000.

The size of a saint does not depend on his sighs.

WARLIKE

THE RUSSIAN PRESS PREFERS WAR TO HUMILIATION.

The tone of the Russian press grows more warlike as the peace conference draws nigh and the government on all sides is urged to resist humiliating demands even at the cost of continuing the war. "Peace on the Japanese terms as outlined by Mr. Sato," says the Russ, which is the first paper to comment seriously on the Sato interviews, "can only be an armistice." The Russ, which has now the largest liberal following, finds the Japanese demands far from moderate and sees little chance of the conference ending successfully, if Mr. Sato has corerctly stated the Japanese position, but it appears to believe that Baron Komura's spokesman is acting "on his own responsibility," or scents a possible bluff to pave the way for the acceptance of actual and more moderate terms by Japan.

Girls Were Brave. The help of the Toledo fire brigade had to be invoked to quell a serious fire which threatened to burn down the whole town of Dundee, Thursday. The losses are: Moore's livery, \$4,000; insured, \$1,200; Hitchens, \$3,000. insured for \$800; Mrs. Brindel, \$1,000, insurance \$300; Pulver, \$700, no insurance. The telephone system and electric light plant are knocked out of commission for a few days. The cause of the fire is unknown. During the fire Mrs. Herbert Hitchens and her 13-year-old sister, Kittie Aton, performed an act of heroism that undoubtedly saved many lives. While the roof of the coal office was in flames they rushed into the building and carried out ten cans of blasting powder and a box of dynamite that was stored there.

Eaten by a Shark.

Sutton Davis, a boy of 16, while wading and playing in the water at Davis shore, 10 miles east of Beaufori, S. C., was attacked and eaten by a

very large shark. Davis and others were waist deep in the water greatly enjoying themselves. The approach of the shark was not noticed. It threw the boy in the air, caught him in its mouth as he struck the water, pulled him under and disappeared into the deep water. Davis's companions were too horrorstricken to do anything, even if they had had any weapons, which they did not. Thorough search has been made, but not a particle of the unfortunate lad's body has been found.

Ex-Secretary Lamont Dead.

Col Daniel Scott Lamont, secretary of war during the administration of President Cleveland, died suddenly at his home at Millbrook, Duchess county, N. Y., Sunday night. Heart failure was the cause of death. Col. and Mrs. noon and he appeared to be enjoying the best of health. After dinner he complained of feeling ill, and Dr. Stewart, of New York, who is a guest at the house, immediately went to his aid. The physician diagnosed the case as an attack of heart failure and in spite of the heroic treatment, Mr. Lamont passed away within half an hour,

Cracked the Earth.

Numerous cracks and holes caused by the earthquake were found in the vicinity of Calumet. The earth cracked open for 60 yards near the South Shore depot. At Raymbaultown two large holes were torn in the ground and the earth was torn up on Lake Linden avenue, Florida, one of the suburbs of Calumet.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Teddy Roosevelt, Jr., is again teaching a Sunday school class at Oyster

Rev. N. O. Halsted, King's Park, L. ., deposited a large sum of money in bank Friday and hasn't been seen since.

John Mueller, Chicago, accused of wife murder, claims he did it while suffering from somnambulism induced

by epilepsy. John Phillips had a silver dollar in his vest pocket when John Andrews shot at him in Muncie, Ind. The dol-

lar stopped the bullet. Norway has formally asked the United States of America to recognize her as an independent nation. President Roosevelt is considering the matter.

The sultan is said to have been so frightened by the recent bomb throwing, that he crawled under the seat of his carriage trembling with terror.

Ohio delegates to a state senatorial convention in New Lexington gave up, after voting 30 hours. They took 1.168 ballots, then adjourned till August 8.

have been raised \$8,000,000. The total valuation of the roads, as estimated by the state assessment board, is now \$229,390,000. Gov. Mickey, Nebraska, refused to

railroad assessments

Wisconsin

appoint to office, men who smoke, drink, chew, swear, play cards, go to races, prize fights, raffles or stay out late o' nights.

Dr. Michael K. Warner died Saturday in Baltimore, aged 53. As he felt death approaching he destroyed all books containing accounts with patients so that they should not be pressed for payment.

"I heartily agree with Dr. Osler. An old man and a poor man has no business on earth." Thus pathetically wrote I. M. Mooth, aged 60, of St. Louis, just before committing suicide by poison in Forest park. The note was found in his pocket.

Gov. Hanly, of Indiana, has been asked to permit the violation of the anti-cigarette law in case of the big chimpanzee at the city zoo, who is addicted to the habit. His keeper has written the governor, saying the big monkey will die if he can't smoke his paper pipes.

The Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles. of Ottawa, will pass through Boston with arms. They will not parade, neith er will they drill, but they will not be subjected to the indignity of going through the city without their rifles. By this course of action the statute which prohibits drilling or parading with arms will be evaded.

LATE NEWS

YELLOW PERIL IN NEW ORLEANS SEEMS TO SPREAD.

CHINESE BOYCOTT CAUSES CAN-CELLING OF LARGE ORDERS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICUL-TURE SHOWS MANY SCANDALS.

Fever in New Orleans.

Although there was a considerable increase in the number of deaths in the 24 hours ending Saturday evening, the yellow fever situation was not regarded as unusually alarming Saturday night closed the first week of the campaign since autopsical investigation disclosed the prevailing sickness to be yellow fever, and it was the belief of those engaged in the work of trying to save New Orleans from an actual epidemic and of demonstrating by the slow eradication of the disease the correctness of the mosquito theory

that progress had been made. New cases Saturday, 29; cases since July 13, 256; deaths, Saturday, 7; deaths to date, 54; new centers, 2; total centers, 37; cases now under treatment, 75.

Hoch Escapes Gallows.

A woman with money effectually intervened Friday between Bluebeard Johann Hoch and the hangman. Al most on the steps of the scaffold, the combination of femininity and finance that had been potent throughout the remarkable career of the multi-bigamist and wife murderer developed anew and secured him a fresh lease of life. The execution was postponed for four weeks to enable Hoch to present his

case to the supreme court. After all arrangements were completed and death faced Hoch within two hours, the woman went to his rescue. So earnest did she appear in an offer to furnish money necessary to allow Hoch to appeal his case that there was hurried consultation between officials. The upshot was that the execution planned to take place at noon was postponed until 2 p. m., the last minute allowed by law unless the governor should grant a further re-

prieve. The woman who intervened to save Hoch was Miss Cora Wilson. She is said to be an acquaintance of Gov.

Great Oil Fire.

Deneen.

At 4 o'clock Monday morning fire broke out in the steel tanks of the Texas company at the pumping station in the Humble field, burning with great fury. Covering an area of three-quarters of a mile square with a great canopy of smoke covering two square miles, the oil tanks boiled and bubbled under the great heat. The eleven tanks contained 2,500,000 barrels. It is known that five negro workmen perished. There are hundreds of homeless people, many of them only awaiting a chance to go to Houston for shelter. They were living in tents and shacks in the oil field and fled for their lives to the town. Their belongings have been destroyed by the fire, which runs out toward the oil field, though it has not yet been communicated to any of the derricks or wells. During the whole of the night there was a heavy downpour of rain, and this covered the ground with a sheet of water coated with a thick film of oil.

Orders Cancelled.

Louis Getz, president of Getz Bros. & Co., a large San Francisco importing and exporting house, has received cable from Shanghai which reads

as follows: 'Cancel all orders. Boycott of American trade effective among Chinese merchants. All business entirely suspended.

The cable dispatch came from R. H. Vansant, manager of the Getz branch house in Shanghai. None of the goods which the firm is now preparing for shipment to China will be sent. Getz Bros & Co. must cancel orders to the value of many thousands of

More Scandals.

Apparently there is no end to the scandals in the department of agriculture, and every time the probe is applied a new lead is struck. It now develops that others in the department are involved beside former Assistant Statistician Holmes, who will be prosecuted on a charge of offering a bribe to another employe in the department for tampering with the cotton report as well as on a charge of conspiracy in connection with the sale of advance information to cotton gamblers

Mitchell Sentenced.

United States Senator Mitchell,convicted of using his office of senator to further the law practice of the firm of Mitchell & Tanner, of Portland, Ore., has been sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and to six months' penal servitude. Pending a review of the case by the supreme court of the United States, execution of the sentence will be deferred. Meantime, Mitchell will be placed under \$2,000 bail.

It is only exceedingly simple men

who aspire to be thought knowing. The law passed by the legislature last winter appropriating \$410,000 to build an important oil refinery at Peru, Ks., was on Friday declared unconstitutional by the state supreme court in an opinion rendered by Asso-

ciate Justice Greene. The oil refinery law was considered one of the most direct blows struck at the Standard Oil Co. by the last legislature, which adopted several measures tending to restrict that concern in the handling of the Kansas cities of Spain, the seat successively eighteen tons. The clock in the tower of Phoenician, Roman, Gothic, Moorish and Spanish rulers, is one of the most charming of places for the idler who wishes to see Spanish life at its best.

Its climate is warm and delightful. Flowers bloom in its gardens almost the year round. The oranges of Seville are esteemed as among the finest produced in the old world.

Its people are hospitable-"sympatico," as the Spanish call any one taking a kindly interest in another-indolent and gay. They enjoy life as only a southern Spaniard cam taking profound pleasure in sociability, in singing their national songs, in playing the guitar, and in dancing. They are as care-free as any people one may meet in Spain, and though the life of their city has not the bubbling exuberance of that in southern Italy, it is bright enough to win for Seville the character of a joyous place.

The Spanish have a proverb that "He who has seen Seville has seen a marvel." They are proud of the city, of its antiquity, the character of its people, and the beauty of its daughters.

The houses of Seville are very old, some of them dating from the Moorish period. It is a place of quaint doorways, odd windows, charming patios, and other characteristic architectural features of southern Spain. It is the home of the cloaked gallant singing a serenade at his lady's balcony to the accompaniment of his guitar, or standing in the shadow, by her barred window, whispering sweet nothings in her ear. It is the custom of Seville to have courting conducted thus, and lovers are jocularly called "eaters of iron."

Home of the Bullfight.

To the casual traveler Seville presents, besides the charm of its life. some attractions of more than ordinary interest. It is the home of the bullfight, and holds the finest fights in the country, except possibly those at Madrid, which are under the patronage of royalty. It is also, to go to the other extreme of the list. famous as the birthplace and home of the great painter Murillo. Its public buildings are beautiful, and their traditions go back to the days of Julius Caesar's residence in the city, which he ruled

Seville, like most Spanish cities, has one distinguishing object of more interest than all others. It is the Giralda tower, one of the finest in the world, whose beautiful proportions rise grandly above the city's roofs. The tower was erected in 1196, and was consecrated by the Moors to use as a muezzin tower, from which the faithful were called to prayer in the adjoining mosque. When driven out of Seville in 1238 the followers of Mahomet wished to destroy this tower. rather than have it fall into the hands Their purpose was of Christians. happily thwarted, and one of the most striking architectural features of Spain preserved. It was not improved, however, by being incorporated into the cathedral, or by the belfry added to it. The original tower was 250 feet high. It is 50 feet square at the base. The material is stone for the lower 87 feet, and above that brick, relieved by tracery and arabesques. The color of the tower is pink. It contains no staircase, the ascent to the top being made up in-

Seville, one of the ancient capital is called Santa Maria and weighs replaced one that was the first ever set up in Spain, installed in 1400 A. D. The figure crowning the tower is of bronze, and is known as El Giradillo. The tower takes its name from this figure, which is a weather vane revolving in the wind, the Spanish word "to turn" being "girar." The figure weighs 2,500 pounds, and is fourteen feet high. It was cast in 1568.

Superb View of the City.

A superb view may be obtained from the belfry of the Giralda tower, embracing the city with its red-tiled roofs, its white walls and its beautiful gardens; the river Guadalquivir; the rich country down the valley, and the hills rising in amethyst ranges eastward toward the heart of Andalucia.

The Giralda tower has a counter-



Matadors

part in the tower of Madison Square garden in New York, which, while not an exact copy, is in the same style.

The cathedral of Seville, though very large, would not be notable architecturally without its famous Giralda tower. The chief objects of interest in it, for the ordinary traveler, are several superb paintings by Murillo and the tomb of Christopher Cothe ancient mosque near by, a part of which only has been preserved, is the library of Fernando, containing many of his father's books.

How Reed Helped His Friend.

An important political meeting, to nominate one of the county officials, took place in a small town near Portland, Me., in the fall of 1886. "Tom" Reed came home from Washington to help his friend Mr. Carlton, one of the candidates. The nominating committee consisted of thirteen citizens, of whom six were for Mr. Carlton and seven for Mr. Grover, the other candidate. Two of the seven Grover men were named Smith. Mr. Reed heard of this when he arrived in town. The vote had to be taken that night, and Mr. Reed thought of a way to help his

Just before voting time he sent a messenger in great haste to the committee rooms with orders to deliver the following message, and hurry away: "Mr. Smith is wanted at home immediately." Of course, both Smiths clined planes, thirty-five in number. rushed to their homes. The vote was

and Reed's friend won by a vote of

Proved Himself No Preacher.

Girard College, Philadelphia, years

ago carried its non-sectarianism so far

as to refuse to admit clergymen of any

denomination to the college buildings.

The late Winslow Lewis, M. D., of

Boston, while on a visit to Philadel-

phia, had occasion to call at the col-

black attire, looked decidedly clerical.

The attendant who opened the door

eyed the visitor sharply and said,

"You cannot come in here!"
"The h————————————————————— t can't!" shouted the

"Oh! I beg your pardon, sir," said

the attendant, as he threw open the

The doctor, in conventional

Famous Golden Tower.

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afternoon at 3 o'clock. The largest | door and bowed his apology.

astonished M. D.

top on horseback.

was never replaced.

Ornaments of the Tower.

In the days of the Moors there orna-

mented the top of the tower four

brazen balls, cast by a celebrated al-

chemist, a native of Sicily, to the or-

der of the Moorish rulers. They were

so large that the keystone of the

arch in the entrance had to be re-

moved to get them in. The iron

bar which supported them weighed

half a ton. This strange ornament is

said to have cost \$200,000. It was

thrown from the tower by an earth-

quake in 1395, 157 years after the

Moors were driven from Seville, and

Giralda a chime of sweet bells, twen-

tty-two in number, which ring every

There are now in the tower of the

JACKSON PRISON.

ALL THE FACTS TO BE MADE CLEAR TO THE PUBLIC.

There is no whitewashing of the Michigan state prison. Conditions will be probed to the bottom. It was the understanding that Warden Vincent was to be given the benefit of the doubt, and matters were to be hushed. The warden's admissions, however, that he purchased cigars and had them billed at state expense as "butter and eggs," has put a different phase to the matter. Now the members of the board of prison control insist that the whole matter be given a thorough inspection. The board will meet August 10, and at that time ex-Gov. Bliss will be invited to attend the meeting, and Warden Vincent will be given another opportunity to explain his reasons for billing cigars as butter and eggs. These are the statements made by a member of the board who is taking an active interest in the investiga-

STATE NEWS BRIEFS.

home the bodies of Bennington victims, whose relatives desire them. The body of Charles Oliver McKeon, one of the Michigan victims, has been shipped to Fenton, Mich.

Albert L. Page, the president of the Vicksburg bank, which went to the wall two months ago, and who has been in the insane asylum since, was accepted Saturday as a permanent patient. His condition is such that he will not be able to leave the institu-

The campaign against gamblers and hold-up men in Chicago by Chief Collins, new head of the police force, has headed an army of crooks toward Michigan lake resorts. Fearing a reign of terror the authorities of St. Joseph county have adopted precautionary measures to keep the exiled thugs

Angels envy us our nights because

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—The cattle trade was active on the principal market day (Thursday). Prices for handy and butcher grade held up strong at last week's prices. The best grades of shipping cattle and common cow stuff was a trifle lower. Good milch cows sold strong at from \$35 to \$40, but common grades are hard to sell at from \$18 to \$25 each. Veal calves sold strong and about 25 cents higher. A few extra fancy bunches brought from \$7.15 to \$7.35, but bulk of sales were at from \$6.75 to \$7 for good grades.

Hogs—Light to good butchers, \$6@6.10; roughs, \$4.75@5; stags, one-third off. Sheep—Best lambs, \$70.25; fair to good lambs, \$6@6.50; light to commou lambs, \$4@6.25; yearlings, \$5.50@6; fair to good butcher sheep, \$3.50@4.25; culls or common, \$3@3.25.

native lambs, \$5@7.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$4 75 @5 25; best 1,200 to 1,300-pound shipping steers, \$4 50@4 75; 1,000 to 1,100-pound do, \$4@4 50; best fat cows, \$3 50 @3 75; fair to good, \$2 50@2 75; trimmers, \$1 50; best fat theifers, \$4@4 25; medium heifers, \$2@3 25; light butchers' heifers, \$2 75@3; common stock heifers, \$2 75@3; common stock heifers, \$2 50@2 75; best feeding steers, 900 to 1,000-pound dehorned, \$3 60@3 75; best yearling steers, \$2 75@3; common stockers, \$2 50@2 75; export bulls, \$3 25@3 50; bologna bulls, \$2 75@3; common stockers, \$2 50@2 75; export bulls, \$3 25@3 50; bologna bulls, \$2 75@3; common, \$50@3; common, \$50@65; culls and common, \$4@5; best spring lambs, \$6 75@7; culls and bucks, \$2 50@3 50; heavy ewes, \$4 50.

Hogs—Yorkers, \$6 25@6 30; pigs, \$6 30@6; 5; mediums and heavy, \$6 15@6 25; roughs, \$4 20@4 30.

Grain, Etc.

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AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending Aug. 5. TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND--Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50.

Rev. M. Plackenstein, of Menden, Ia., was fined \$5 for slapping his 7months old baby because it cried too much, and may be dismissed from the

life of Frederica Fritch, of Kalamazoo. was saved when a small garden snake was coaxed from the woman's stomach by suction. Miss Fritch drank from a spring while camping at Gull lake a week ago, and swallowed the

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Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.40.06.05; good to choice heavy, \$5.90.02.5; rough heavy, \$5.50.05.75; light, \$5.50.06.10; bulk of sales, \$5.75.05.95.
Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4.60.04.85; fair to choice mixed, \$4.04.50; native lambs, \$5.07.

Grain, Etc.

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Some people's goodness is founded ipon lack of opportunity.

One way to convince a woman that she is in the wrong is to agree with

Honesty between husbands and wives is the best insurance against di-

If people were given all they pray for the world would have to be enlarged.

A girl's modesty has reached the limit when she blushes at what she sees reflected in her own mirror.

No man who is ashamed to act as motor to a baby carriage has any business to butt into the matrimonial

#### SPLINTERS.

A man isn't a man until he has pass ed the swearing-off stage.

It's useless to waste sympathy on a nan who has the toothache.

Getting married is as much of a

samble as swapping horses. A woman isn't necessarily up to date

thing out. A fellow never realizes how many people want to treat until he has sworn off.

### THE VIEWS OF UNCLE JOSH.

Them fast steamers are makin' the big pond look small.

Love may be blind, but that doesn't keep it from findin' the way.

I ain't sure that I'd be satisfied if I had a million, but I reckon I'd be as satisfied as anybody could reasonably

I dunno much about this higher criticism except I reckon it's givin' lots of folk an excuse for stayin' away from church.

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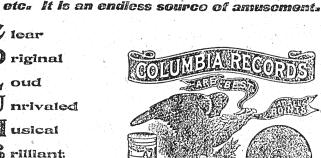
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Miss Maude Roberts is home for a

Mr. Stopher made a trip to Clifford Monday. Ted Snelling spent last week at

Detroit. James Convis made a trip to Caro

N. Hill of Cass City was a caller in

town Monday. Mr. Landon of Cass City was in

town Saturday. Harold Karr is visiting friends in

Caro this week. Mr. and Mrs. D. Alward visited in

Pontiac this week. Wm. Davis of Marlette was in town

on Saturday last. Chas. Swailes made a trip to North

Branch last week. Henry Harris of Marlette was in town on Friday last.

Miss Lucy Bartholomew made a trip to Clifford Saturday.

Ruth Elliott of Cass City spent the week with Mrs. Karr.

Mrs. Heinzman's little brother left Friday for his home in Ohio.

Earl Roth and Mr. Miller of Clifford spent last Friday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dixon entertained friends from out of town Tues-

Flossie Alward, who has been visiting in Pontiac, returned home Sun-

Mrs .Lyma of California is a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Van Wagoner and family of Pontiac came Thursday to visit friends.

Mrs. Blinn of Caro and Mrs. Mit-

chell of California, are visiting with Miss Hollenbeck of Omaha, Ne-

braska, is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickie.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Corless entertained the latter's aunt, Mrs. F. Vor hes, from Indiana this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Decker and

child of Detroit are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Legg. Mr. and Mrs. Rossman and son of

Battle Creek are being entertained at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Ross L. J. Miller and little daughter, Helen, who have been spending a few

weeks near Roscommon, returned home Friday. Miss Vera Currie, who has been visiting relatives here for some time, returned to her home in Saginaw Tues-

day morning. Mrs. Heinzman, mother of Rev. Heinzman, went last week to attend the assembly at Orion, on her way to

her home in Ohio. Mrs. Ford and son, Leslie, left for

their home in Unionville last Thursday after spending a short time with Mr. and Mrs. H. King. Some of the out of town guests at

the funeral of Mrs. E. Newman were: H. Butler and mother of Cass City: Mrs. Thompson, a sister; a brother, Mr. Parker, and his wife; Fred Newman, a brother of Mr. Newman, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Huntington of cepted a position as attendant in the

Miss Agnes Martin left Saturday for New York city, where she was to be united in marriage to Charles Bartholomew. They are both young people of this place and have many friends. As his work is in New York F. city there is where they will make writes: "My wife had consumption and their home. It is the wish of all that three doctors gave her up. Finally she they will spend a happy wedded life took Dr. King's New Discovery for they will spend a happy wedded life

celebrated her ninety-eighth birthday on Sunday last. She was presented at 50c and \$1.00 by L. I. Wood & Co. druggist. Trial bottle free. on Sunday last. She was presented with a birthday cake, a gift from her grandson, Frank Hill of New York. All of her friends who called to see her on Saturday were given a piece of the cake and a glass of lemonade. In the evening the band furnished some fine music in front of her home which she enjoyed very much. After the concert they were treated the same as the other friends who called to see her that day. Mrs. Phelps is very teach the town-line school this year. smart considering her age, but owing to an illness this spring, she is not quite so strong as usual. Sunday morning she wrote a long letter to her daughter in Rhode Island and afterwards spent the day at the home of day. her grandson, E. Hill. It is hoped by all her friends that she will live to

tising business; liberal pay while learn- invited. ing. Salary \$12.00 to \$25.00 per week. opportunity for ambitious person. Address Room 400, The Bible House, Como Block, Chicago, Ill.

see her hundredth birthday.

GREATLY IN DEMAND.

Nothing is more in demand than a

HAY CREEK. Misses Maud Reagh and Fern Loney

vere in Cass City Monday. Chas. Striffler of Cass City transicted business in this vicinity Mon-

Miss Edith McKee called on Mrs. McDowell at Cass City Friday after-

work for George Mack Davis this town. Mrs. Frederick of Minden City vis-

Mr. Burns of Kingston made a bus-

ness trip through this vicinity on Monday. Henry Davis went to Caro on

Livingston in regard to his eyes. Misses Nila and Rensley Holden of Yale are visiting Mrs. Jas. Marshall and other friends in this neighbor-

Wednesday morning to consult Dr.

-Little Elma and Charles Murray of Detroit are spending their summer holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Douglas and family.

Thomas McCool, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Crossett, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Freshner, Mr. and Mrs. Bartle and Miss Myrtle Stambaugh attended the F. M. quarterly meeting at Snover Sunday.



"But, papa, he says he can't live with-

"Give us a new one. I told that same story to your mother."-Browning's Magazine.

ELM WOOD.

P. W. Stone was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. L. Huffman was a Cass City caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Hendrick was a Cass City caller Monday. Frank Hendrick and family were in Cass City Wednesday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Butler of

Ellington on Tuesday night, a son. Mrs. John Leishman and Mrs. W. A. Lockwood were in Cass City Fri-

J. Sprague has secured a position in

the asylum at Pontiac and will leave for that place in the near future. A party of young people from here

enjoyed a pleasant time at the home

of Robert Charlton one evening recently. Herbert Predmore left here last week for Kalamazoo where he bas ac-

asylum. A GRIM TRAGEDY.

it daily enacted !n thousands of homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when coughs and Colds are properly treated the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oklahoma, Ind.,

Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which Mrs. Phelps, mother of Lyman Hill, strong." It kills the germs of all dis-

TOWN-LINE.

Addie Sole is visiting friends at Wilmot.

George Martin made a business trip to Lansing last week.

Picking pickles will soon be the order of the day on the town-line. Miss Lettie Heartt of Wilmot will

Lucy Balmer of Croswell spent last week with her cousin, Lillie Martin. Some of the town-line people took n the excursion to Detroit last Sun-

George Moshier of Wilmot visited it the home of his sister, Mrs. J. Sole, last Friday.

The Leeks Ladies' Aid society will Grand business opportunity for hold their next meeting at the home several persons of character and good of Mrs. George Martin, Thursday afreputation to learn newspaper adver- ternoon, August 10, for tea. All are

No advance fee required. Excellent SICKENING SHIVERING FITS of Ague and Malaria can be relieved the Latter Day Saints' meeting at and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is Ed Jackson this week. Nothing is more in demand than a much to be preferred to Quinine, hav-medicine which meets modern require- ing none of this drug's bad after-effects. ments for a blood and system cleanser such as Dr. King's New Life Pills, writes: "My brother was very low with They are just what you need to cure malarial fever and jaundice, till he stomach and liver troubles. Try took Electric Bitters, which saved his them. At L. I. Wood & Co's, drug store, 25c.; guaranteed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoover of Pinnebog spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Robert Matthews.

SHABBONA.

A dance will be given Friday evening in Ehlers' hall.

\*Fred Phetteplace had the misfor tune to lose his driver last Friday.

Miss Nellie Jones left on Wednesday for Saginaw to attend the college of

Will Davidson of Forester spent John Hudson is doing some mason Saturday and Sunday with friends in Miss Maggie Davidson has been en-

gaged to teach the McHugh school ted her son, J. T. Wilson and family, the coming year. Quite a number from here attended

the barn raising at Howard Foster's on Wednesday last. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hyatt of Richmondville are visiting at their

parental home here. A large crowd attended the Latter Day Saint two-day meeting held here

on Saturday and Sunday. Otto Auslander of Detroit arrived Wednesday to spend the summer va-

cation at his home here. The German Medicine show arrived Monday from Deford and will remain

in town during the week. A number of young friends from Cass City spent Thursday evening as icle office. the guests of Herbert Ehlers.

W. F. Ehlers and son, Herb, attended the ball game at Cass City on-Monday between Kingston and Bad

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher of Marlette spent Sunday with the latter's parents and attended the two-day Herb Ehlers called on Miss Stella

Darr at Argyle Sunday afternoon and she accompanied him to Shabbona to attend the Latter Day Saint meeting in the evening. Israel Hall and sons, Frank and

Haley, returned Monday evening from a five months' stay near Norfolk, Va. They say that Michigan is good enough for them.

BEAULEY.

Jacob Hartsell drives a new car-

John Williamson transacted business here this week. Wheat is yielding a good crop con-

sidering so much rain. T. Caufield is accepting bids on the

job of painting his house and barn.

Geo. Young and family expect to go to Washington in the near future with a view to locate. The busy hum of the threshing

machine is heard. The season commenced early this year. The L. A. S. will serve ice cream at the home of Mrs. Field on Friday

evening from five until eight o'clock. Angus McLachlan, Dougal Brown and M. Johnson drove a herd of cattle to Owendale Saturday and sold them

to buyers. Mrs. Gilchrist, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thompson, for some time, expects to return to her home in Detroit next week. She will be accompanied home by Mrs.

there for a few days. The Epworth League rally held on Sunday evening was well attended. The program consisted of recitations and special music. A fine talk on the subject of home missions was given by Mr. White of Bad Axe. Mr. Varty of Bad Axe read what the Epworth league was for and the duty of each member. The meeting resulted

Thompson, who will visit her sister

bers joining the League. Too Bluch Even For Him.

in several associate and active mem-



Ostrich Bride - Why, dearest, don't you like this pie? I made it every bit

Ostrich Groom-I'm just a wee bit afraid of it, darling. I'll eat a couple of these railroad spikes instead.-Woman's Home Companion.

HOLBROOK.

Loren Hewitt and Thos. O'Brien were in Ubly Saturday.

William and Stanley Jackson spent Sunday with friends in Greenleaf. Ed Price and son. Hazen, of Detroit

are visiting friends here this week. Mrs. Cora Graham returned to her home in Port Huron on Wednesday. A large number from here attended

Shabbona Sunday. Mrs. John Codling and daughter, Ethel, of Forest, Ont., is visiting Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Morrish of Newberry are visiting the former's parents here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoover of Pin-

ARGYLE.

A baby girl gladdens the home of Mat Shagena.

John Brooks transacted business in Deckerville Monday.

Miss Pearl Darr is employed at Sanilac Centre.

E. J. Thompson of Deckerville spent Sunday at J. McPhail's.

What was the attraction at Harbor Beach? "Red Hots," of course. Lillian Vatter spent Sunday at the

home of Mr. Welsch in Freiburg. Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock of Cass City visited Jennie McIntyre last week.

Fred and Ruth Striffler attended the ball game at Cass City Monday. Herbert Ehlers of Shabbona was the guest of Miss Stella Darr Sunday.

Mrs. A. King has gone to Illinois

where she will visit relatives for Messrs. Thornton, Morden and Harris of Deckerville attended the dance

here last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan and Mrs. Morrison of Cass City attended the dance here last Thursday evening.

Old papers for sale at the Chron-

Affiletion a Habit.



Squire (to John, who has just buried his third wife)-Sorry to hear you have lost your wife. John. John-Ou, aye, they do keep goin'.-

WEST GREENLEAF.

Miss Della is visiting her cousin,

Marion Gilbert, at present. Miss Sarah LePla spent Tuesday at ohn Willerton's in Argyle.

Miss Emma Seeger of Cass City visited at her parental home Sunday. Miss Evelyn Odell returned to her

Miss Julia Scholtz, who has been visiting the Misses Millie and Maggie Decker the past two weeks, returned

### to her home in Marlette Monday. NEW GAME LAWS

Michigan Has the Best Game Law the State Ever Had.

Michigan now has what Senator Baird and the sporting enthusiasts in this legislature claim is the best protected game law the state ever had.

It opens the fall shooting season September 1, and it closes January 1, the same season being open for all game birds. No person shall take more than 50 ducks in one day, nor have more than 75 in his possession at any one time. No person shall have any game in his possession five days after the season closes. Non-residents may ship 50 ducks out of the state.

A closed season has been declared

on quail for two years. The deer license for residents has been increased from 75 cents to \$1.50, thus giving the game warden's department \$10,000 from that source of revenue instead of \$5,000. The number of deer which any one person can take is reduced from three to two. Non-residents may ship one deer out of the state. Shooting deer while

they are in the water is prohibited. Non-game birds are protected indefinitely.

Spring duck shooting is allowed from March 15 to April 10. Another important act allows the sale and marketing of brook trout by

persons engaged in raising of that variety of fish. The bounty on wolves was increased from \$15 to \$25, and on whelps from \$7.50 to \$15.

The United States authorities are permitted to gather the spawn from any portion of the great lakes washing the Michigan shores.-Ex.

A Rare Opportunity. On the last page this week will be found a conspicuous announcement of the 23rd annual red mark sale of E.O. Spaulding & Son, at Caro. The two weeks from August 5 to 19 inclusive, in which this sale continues, furnishes a rare opportunity to save money on all purchases of dry goods, cloaks and and carpets. These annual sales have

become well known events all over the

county. SPOILED HER BEAUTY Harriet Howard of New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nohome in Detroit Saturday after a few weeks' visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Jas. Wilmot.

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#### SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT.

Brooker, prosecuting attorney of this county, shows the total number of persons prosecuted during the six months to be 50. of which 43 were convicted, three nolle prossed and four discharged upon payment of costs. None were acquitted.

Out of the total number 12 were charged with assault and battery, 10 with being disorderly persons, eight five with having violated the liquor laws, four with vagrancy, one with rape, one with truancy, one with having disturbed a religious meeting and one with having received stolen prop

This report shows that the business of criminal prosecution in this county is in competent hands and Mr. Brooker may be proud of the record which his first semi-annual report shows. The period covered by the report is from January 1 to June 30, 1905.

the 25th.

It is expected there will be a large attendance and board and rooms are honest performance of duty. And in being secured in advance this week; announcements are also being sent to of wrong doing and unchanging dethe teachers this week and the pro- termination to punish thieves and gram will probably be printed in the Chronicle in our next issue.

A reception will be given to the teachers sometime during the institute which it is anticipated will be a very social affair.

will be given by one of the instructors free and everyone is cordially invited to attend. Announcement of the time and place will be made later.

#### HAVE DECIDED TO LEVY ASSESSMENT.

The mass meeting for the taxpayers of Elkland township which was called for the purpose of considering the matter of raising funds for the cyclone sufferers was held Saturday afternoon. It was voted that a tax of one mill be spread on the township roll for the purpose of relieving the unfortunate citizens of Novesta township.

A. H. Ale acted as chairman and W. J. Campbell was the clerk of the

those who advanced the project but what nearly every taxpayer in the township will be willing to pay the amount he is assessed for this relief. This method is probably the best that may be tried to secure aid from the whole township as it equalizes the contributions better than any other method.

# Village Council.

COUNCIL ROOM, Cass City, July 31, '05. Special meeting of the council called to order by the president. The following trustees were present: Striffler,

and approved.

| accounts.                              |       |
|----------------------------------------|-------|
| Buffalo Meter Co, inv. 7-27            | 1 00  |
| Alert Supply & Electric Co., 7-7       | 3 00  |
| Fort Wayne Electric Works, inv. 7-11,  | 4 12  |
| 7-21                                   | 1 26  |
| Jos. Kuysene, labor,                   | 4 50  |
| Harley Keating, ",                     | 4 50  |
| Adam Geitgey, ",                       | 5 55  |
| Jas. Oathout, ",                       | 15 15 |
| Will Ball, ",                          | 20 60 |
| Thos. Boyd, ",                         | 1 05  |
| M. Seeger, gravel,                     | 10 80 |
| E. B. Landon, assesser, making assess- | 20 00 |
| ment and roli,                         | 50 00 |
| A. McGillvray, salary July,            | 31 25 |
| Elias Killins, " ",                    | 40 00 |

The committee reported favorably on all bills as read. Moved by Clark, supported by Hall, that the report of the committee be accepted and orders drawn for the several amounts. Car-

| ere read:    |          |       |         |
|--------------|----------|-------|---------|
| Mrs. Agnes M | eredith  |       | \$13.20 |
| L. Traver    |          |       | 15.00   |
| T. Anketell  |          |       |         |
| Isaac Hall   |          |       | 17.20   |
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that bond be fixed at \$300. Carried. to be excused which was granted. At this time Trustee Frutchey took

with larceny, seven with drunkenness,

#### TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

City during the week of August 21, tinuing over the following Friday,

One evening of the week a lecture

While this action is not a legal one, there is no doubt in the minds of

McKenzie, Campbell and Clark.

Minutes of previous meeting read

The following bills were read and referred to committee on claims and

| Buffalo Meter Co, inv. 7-27            | 1 00  |
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| Fort Wayne Electric Works, inv. 7-11,  | 4 12  |
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| Harley Keating, ",                     | 4 50  |
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| Jas. Oathout, ",                       | 15 15 |
| Will Ball, ",                          | 20 60 |
| Thos. Boyd, ",                         | 1 05  |
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| E. B. Landon, assesser, making assess- |       |
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| Elias Killins, " ",                    | 40 00 |
| J. C. Epplett, " ",                    | 35 00 |
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Campbell, that the bills be referred to

Moved by Striffler, supported by



Safe, Quick, Reliable Regulator Philadelphia, Pa.

make building conform with the re-The semi-annual report of J. D. quirements of Ordinance No. 10 and

Trustee McKenzie ask-d permission

On motion of Clark, supported by Striffler, council adjourned.

CHAS. G. MATZEN, Clerk.

THE PRESENT AGE IS PROSPEROUS. It was well stated by one of the most thoughtful of American publications, and the statement was worthy of the best possible expression, that great care should be taken by those possessing the means of creating or influencing public opinion not to so misinterpret present conditions as to have it believed that there is more greed and grafting and dishonesty in existence now than ever before. Just the opposite is true. There is more genuine desire that grafting and dishonesty in business and official affairs shall be stopped than ever was known before. This is not an era of fraud A five-day institute for teachers of but an era of fraud-denunciation and Tuscola county will be held at Cass of fraud punishment. The observing and well informed student of business commencing on that date and con- and government movements well knows that the present will favorably compare with very best years in our nation's history for fair dealing and the direction of fearless investigation

tricksters and to stop their stealing, no matter how high or powerful they may seem to be, these are the best days and the best months this country

Every man owes it to himsef and his family to master a trade or of the institute. This lecture will be profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a 8-4-13

### The Throne of Persia.

Probably no ruler of modern times has a throne of such barbaric splendor as the shah of Persia. It is said to be shaped like a bed, nine feet in length by four in height, and is high enough to require three steps to enter. The body, steps and legs (which resemble elephants' trunks) are heavily lacquered in gold and incrusted with jewels, says the Upholsterer. On the c broidered rug rests a gold chair, behind which rises a sunburst of diamonds with a jeweled bird on either

# How She Was Won.

Old Friend-So you have at last consented to marry some one. How did it happen? Miss Flippant-Well, every man that has ever proposed before has said, "Will you be my wife?" But Harold asked if he might have the honor of being my husband.-Detroit Free

# Advertises In the Dull Season



In an interview in the Meriden (Conn.) Journal, Henry C. Bibeau, grocer and me of the most successful merchants in that place, said:

"Of course every one knows that times are not as good just now as they were a little while ago, and a great their advertising, putting up the plea is an entirely wrong view to take. J. A. Caldwell requested permission advertising in the daily papers, and time to retrench in your advertising is when your departments are doing all their northern sisters, tote their own they can. It isn't necessary to adver-

> "I am now using more space than I ever used, and the result is more than satisfactory.

> "People always respond to good advertising, and one need have no fear of the efforts going amiss. "I keep a separate record of each de-

partment, and when one of them shows a falling off I give it a dose of medicine in the shape of ads., which always proves effective."

This direct testimony on an important point should interest advertisers who are in the habit of dropping out in the dull season.

#### WONDERFUL INSECTS.

Marvelous Ways of

Species of Ants. Lieutenant Colonel Sykes saw at Poonan ants carrying out grain to dry in the sun. Dr. Lincecum in Texas found ants which planted a certain seed bear June..... ing grass, reaped it and carried the Barley..... grain into their cells, where they stripped it of chaff and packed it away. The paper relating this was read by Darwin before the Linnaean society. Another observer has told us of ants which grow mushrooms.

The foraging ants of Brazil and western equatorial Africa are terrible creatures. Elephants and gorillas fly Lambs... before them; the python takes care not Live Veal. to indulge in a meal till he has satisfied himself that there are none of Dressed Beef ... them about. They have a "leisured Chickens ..... class," much larger creatures, which ac- Ducks company their march. "like subaltern officers in a marching regiment;" they are not fighters, however. One curious conjecture as to their function has been made. They are indigestible, and birds spare the whole army lest they should get hold of one of these tough morsels. This, it must be allowed. looks a little too strange.

Slaves the ants certainly have, but Meal per cwt. they do not make slave raids; the lar- Bran per cwt.. vae of the inferior race are carried off | Middlings per cwt..... Oil Meal per cwt ..... and hatched out. The crowning marvel, however, is that the British slave owning ant, and he alone, makes his slaves fight for him.-London Specta-

### CHILDREN IN THE HOME.

They Bring Anxiety, but Very Much More Comfort.

The children of the family-one is apt to look on them as burdens, both-

ers and expenses. When the baby comes, be it ever so welcome, the mother has more work to do. As it grows into childhood and on to maturity it is more and more care. worry and expense.

And so the little children, those innocent trespassers, are borne with as patiently as possible until they grow to a successful manhood or womanhood. Few stop to think deeply about this, or it would be plainly seen how erro-

neous the impression. The children of the family, instead of being burdens, are burden bearers; small saviors who are daily means of grace, and who lead the world worn parents once more into the paths of in-

nocence and peace. A baby's tiny hand clasped around his mother's finger has stilled heart throbs of sorrow and of bitter trouble; a baby's arms around his father's neck have brought to the man's weary brain

ters into chemical combination with the oxygen of the surrounding air.

This chemical union causes a very Town M. SMITH, Judge of Probate.

high rise in temperature in the 'elements concerned. In fact, it produces what we know as flame of fire, which is simply the white hot molecules of carbon and oxygen. The gas making

carbon and oxygen. The gas making process is started by the match in lighting the candle and is afterward continued by the flame itself.

Our breath acts in three way: (1) It carries away the particles of gas bodily. (2) It lowers their temperature at the same time, so that they are no longer capable of entering into chemical union with the oxygen. (3) The breath contains carbonic acid gas, which is incapable of supporting combustion and so helps to extinguish the flame.

Betting For a Friend.

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# Betting For a Friend.

A gentleman was requested by a lady to put her a tenner on a certain horse if he fancied it. Now, he did not fancy the animal nor back it and was greatly surprised to see it win. Of course he was pleased, but his satisfaction was interrupted by the reflection that the lady would doubtless imagine that her tenner had been invested. The trainer inquired the price -20 to 1. Though a poor man, he was -and is, I should say-so kindly and scrupulous that he would not disappoint his friend, and sent her £200, which he could exceedingly ill afford. Doubtless to this day she has no knowledge of the truth.-London Sporting News.

The Passing of Chivalry. When gallantry prevailed in the

south no woman was allowed to carry home a bundle of any kind. If any gentleman caught one in the act of lugmany merchants are retrenching in ging a purchase from some shop to her domicile he felt in duty bound to tip that they cannot afford increases. That his hat, make low obeisance and beg the privilege of acting as her express-Since the 1st of June I have tripled my | man. This common courtesy was accepted of all men in the spirit in which to move the frame building on lot 4, the results are surprisingly good. The a queen would allow a vassal to serve her. Nowadays southern women, like

# Three Very Good Rensons.

packages .- New York Press.

Candid Minister-Good morning, Janet. I am sorry to hear you did not like my preaching on Sunday last. What was the reason? Janet-I had three verra guid reasons, sir. Firstly, ye read yer sermon; secondly, ye did ha read it weel, and, thirdly, it was na worth readin' at a'!-London Tit-Bits.

"Very well, sir," said Dr. Quack after his quarrel with the undertaker. "I'll make you sorry for this." "What are you going to do," asked

the undertaker-"retire from practice?"

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.

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The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 25th day of July. A. D. 1995, Present, Hon. John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Robert Wallace, deceased. Alice Wallace, having filed in said court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to have brought to the man's wear, a renewal of that love which is all that makes life livable.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

BLOWING OUT A CANDLE.

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The Effect a Puff of Breath Has on the Flame.

A burning candle is a gas manufactory on a small scale. The wax or tallow is converted by the heat of the game into gas, and in that form encountered converted in the state of the stat

STATE OF MICHIGAN.
24th Judicial Circuit Suit Pending in the
Circuit Court for the County of Tuscola.
In Chancery.
Frank Miles, Complainant, vs. Nellie Miles,
Defondant.

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### THE MISSING

By MARY R. P. HATCH

Author of "The Bank Tragedy"

CHAPTER X-Continued. The man looking at him wondered; but he did not know Mr. Hamilton, so he wondered less. Presently, however, as a quiver went through her eyelids, her husband dropped on his knees beside her and clasped her hand in one of his, but timidly, the watcher thought, and said in a low,

hesitating voice: "Constance, my wife!"

And she opened her eyes and looked at him, vaguely at first, then with a questioning, half-frightened manner.

The man gazed into her face as if he would drink his fill of its sweet lineaments. The eager gaze did not seem to please her, and she drew away her hand.

"There is much to explain," she said gravely, for she was now quite recovered. "You are right, Constance, and this

glanced at the monument. Casual as was the look, it brought the color to her face, and she arose and drew down her veil.

Mr. Hamilton and his wife passed out together and up the street to their house, both silent, both evidently constrained by deep emotions of which they did not speak the one to the other till they reached the Hamilton grounds.

Mr. Hamilton held open the gate for his wife to enter, and it reacted with a bang that made her start nervously. "You are not well," said her hus

band, "and no wonder." "No, I am not well, and, as you say, it is no wonder."

They were soon at the door, and they entered the house together, but Constance with a hesitating step. Finally, as they stood side by side in the sitting room, she whirled suddenly about and cried hysterically: "Why did you leave me? Why did

you leave me?" leave you willingly. By heavens! you her on the train. are the most beautiful woman I ever

"Yes, I will tell you why I stayed so long when I meant to have returned in two weeks. You will wonder greatly when I tell you that I lost all knowledge of my own identity, my very name, even, soon after I left. Grovedale. My memory was gone totally, absolutely. What I did, or saw, or where I went then, I know no more than you do. It was as if I had sunk

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not return." Constance did not speak, and he continued:

into a dreamless sleep after 1 left you.

That, Constance, is the reason I did

"My mind was blank for many weeks, or perhaps I should say my past was a blank, for I somehow managed to support myself, through manual labor, perhaps, for when I regained my consciousness I was at work with a gang of men in Seattle, Washington."

"When," she asked, "did this loss of is not the place for you now," and he memory come to you?"

"I think about the time I reached Portland, for I recollect some incidents of the journey there in a vague way, but nothing clearly."

"Do you recollect a woman's speaking to you on the street before you took the cars at Grovedale? She came out of the Essex House."

"Yes, I recollect that perfectly. She was a stranger, a very pretty woman with curiously tinted hair, almost green, or am I mistaken?" he asked, with a puzzled look.

"No: they said she had green hair," said Mr. Carter. "She ought to have traveled with Barnum. Well, what did she want of you?"

"She thought she knew me, at first; but I assured her of her mistake.' "But did she not go on the train with you to Portland, or part of the way?" asked Constance.

"Not that I remember, and yetstay! That is one of the vague recol lections I alluded to. It seems some-"Constance, can you believe I would times as if I did see and talk with

"You certainly did, Vane; the con-



"Why dd you leave me?"

saw," walking away from her in great | ductor says so; but she did not go as agitation. "But you are tired. Your far as Portland." uncle will be here to-night. I will explain all then. Meanwhile, you must rest. Go to your room and I will sit here."

She looked at him gratefully. Then as if a sudden recollection seized her she murmured something about the children.

"Yes, they will be home from school soon, I suppose. I must wait. They will find I have not forgotten their commissions," he said, smiling.

Constance stood watching him while he talked, and then, with a dazed, questioning look in her eyes, walked toward the door. "I will do as you say," she said, "for I am very tired." His look followed her from the room. Then, as the swish of her long, silken gown died away and the door closed behind her, he turned his face away and struck his breast with his clenched hand, but no word broke the

stillness. Perfectly immovabe and rigid, he stood in the middle of the room for several minutes. Then he walked about examining the pictures, books. and the view from the window, as is the way with one who has been long bsent. And upstairs in her room. with her door locked, Constance lay on her bed with wide-open eyes gazing at the ceiling and thinking, study-

At tea-time Mr. Carter arrived. Strangely enough no tidings of Mr. Hamilton's return had reached him, and it was, therefore, a positive shock to see him sitting there with Perley in his arms and Clare beside him, while Constance, with grave, preoccupied gaze, was busy about some rifling household matter.

"Bless my soul, Vane!" he cried, and stopped, gasping. Vane grasped him heartily by his hand and said:

"You hadn't heard of my arrival, then? "Not a word, not one word. Well, am glad, more than glad, to see you back, hey, Constance?" vaguely un-

easy at his niece's stillness. 'Yes, uncle: but he has not explained yet why he was gone so long."

"I thought so. That is about the only thing I recollect distinctly." "Vane," said his uncle, suddenly,

'do you suppose any of your actions

were questionable-I mean unlawful? "I hope not," said Vane, looking startled; "still I don't know. I know I was doing good honest work in Seattle when I came to myself. Any one can be assured of that by writing to Barnacle & Co., Seattle, Washington. There is something back of your questioning, uncle. What is it."

"Vane, you are looked upon as a defaulter here in Grovedale.'

"A defaulter! Why, I did not take one penny of the bank funds when I went away. I remember that perfectly."

"Yes, but Tony Osborn declares you came to the bank on the twenty-second, at about seven o'clock in the evening."

"He must have been mistaken." "No, he is positive; and besides, there is proof of it."

"What proof?" "You spoke to him. 'Hullo,' says Tony; you said the same, and that he

probably didn't expect to see you so soon. He said he didn't, and passed on. You opened the door with your own key and went in." "Strange! What does it mean? Did

come here?" "No, you evidently came as far as

the river bank, and there all trace seemed swallowed up. We thought you might have been drowned. A man was found in the river-his remains, I mean-and Constance had them buried at her expense." "But how do you know I came to

the river?" "Your traveling cap and one of your

shirt-studs were found there, the last by an Italian employed on the railroad, the first by Tony Osborn. Another shirt-stud was found on the desk at the bank the morning after you entered it."

"Who says so?" "Tony."

"Does Tony think me a defaulter?" "No, he does not. He and Constance-and-and-myself were the only ones who believed you innocent. Henderson, too, thought as I did; but,

the bonds.' who entered and deceived Tony some-

"No not that. Nothing was actual-Cotton."

"What of them?"

"Simon Low declares you presented Estes, which he deposited in the Na- asked after a performance. Suppose tional Bank, and he says that he paid I was playing in a drama in which a you five thousand dollars for it on the cow had any part. I don't mind tellspot as collateral. The note was but ing you that I am afraid of cows, and five hundred dollars originally, until if I was taking part in such a play I the amount was altered."

great agitation. "What about the other note?"

dred dollars. The cashier could not have said 'her,' of course swear it was you, but he supposed everything to be all right. Low declares he could not have been mistaken, for he knows you as well as I do."

thousand dollars. Is that the sum?"

"And my bondsmen had to pay it?" "Yes."

"Well, it shall be paid back, every cent of it, if it can be really proved highly respected here, tells of his cure that it was I who took it. But as the after nearly a quarter of a century's matter now stands, it looks to me like suffering. Mr. Carlile says: a foul conspiracy to rob me of my good name. Though why any one should want to do it I can't conceive, think they are the best remedy for Tony must have been mistaken. It must have been a burglar."

"So we thought until we heard from

asked Mr. Hamilton, after a period of deep thought.

"Yes, two of them; private detective Bruce, and Swan, of the police headuarters in Boston."

"Swan followed the river affair. You were thought to have been drowned or murdered. And Bruce looked up the defaulting matter. He fancied at one time that he got on the trail of you, or some one that looked like you, in the West, a man named Ashlev."

"What sort of a man was Ashley." saw his photograph; looked like you. Bless my soul! who knows but he was

the man Low saw" "I thought of that; but it seems too

unlikely for belief." "Ashley had a wife named Lenora," said Mrs. Hamilton. Is the name new to you?" she asked, keenly.

"It is. I never remember to have heard it." "And yet you said in your dreams the night before you went away, 'Le-

nora-Nora-a pretty name." He looked at her in amazement.

"Are you sure?" "Yes; and the green-haired woman

who spoke to you was named Lenora, and she was Ashley's wife." "I have no recollection of any such name. Dreams are hard to explain.

But how do you know all this about Ashley and a wife named Lenora?" vestigations," said Mr. Carter. "You dark side; take sunny views of see there was reason for suspicions."

my double. Well, I shall look into the simply and naturally and keep clear matter, talk with Low, and if I find, of entangling alliances and complicabeyond doubt, that I have been guilty tions of all kinds. of altering notes and other questionable acts, I will set them right."

(To be continued.) FIGHT WITH HUGE SEA BAT.

Fish That Leaps Into the Air and Turns a Somersault.

Imagine a jet black bat of fifteen or more feet across, with a long, slender tail the fins rising and falling like wings with a motion the perfection of grace; wings jet black above, pure white below; flashing alternately black and white as the fishes turned and swung alone, standing out against the mauve tint of the bottom with wonderful distinctiveness. They bore a remarkable resemblance to bats and were the bats of the sea.

As the dinghy moved nearer I saw completely over, throwing a somergrace, yet never losing its position, presenting for a few seconds beautiful lines attuned to perfect grace. I was fascinated by this singular performance, characteristic of these giant fishes, and might have remained inactive had not the dinghy reached a point when it was apparent they must the vomiting. I was away from home see us.

I permitted one, two, three to go slowly whirling on, then, selecting one that was headed up the lagoon in the direction of the cul-de-sac, I hurled the quivering grain pole into the black shadow just as it was about to turn. I heard the quick thud, saw the pole leap from the socket, heard the Indian plying his oar to head the dinghy up the reef, and then the very bottom of the sea seemed to rise into the air as the great batlike creature rose fering a vision of beating wings that deluged boat and occupants; then it fell with a resounding crash, the big waves from the impact careening the dinghy.-Metropolitan Magazine.

Modified. Green-They say Sharpe depends

upon his wits for a livelihood. Brown-That's a mistake. He depends upon the absence of wil in JEFFERSON AND THE COW.

Actor's Audience Amused by His Slip of the Tongue.

Joseph Jefferson, two or three years of course, we were obliged to settle ago, gave an address before the Woman's Club of Brockton, Mass. Wear-"Bonds? Did it go so far as that? ing a dress suit, he stood before an Then something was taken from the audience of well dressed women, who bank. It must have been a burglar had invited their husbands for this important occasion. The address was full of pithy remarks, and at its close Jefferson said: "Now, ask questions, ly missing, and the pass-books were and then I'll get an idea of the things all right. But it was the notes, one you'd like me to talk about." Quesof Bowles & Estes, the other of C. B. tion followed question, and in course of time he was asked, "Do you believe in realism?'

"Now, that," replied Jefferson, "is those very notes, I mean Bowles & very much like a question I'm often should very much rather have the He got up and walked the room in cow simply mentioned than to have him walk on to the stage."

At this point the audience laughed, "That was presented in the same and Jefferson, pausing a moment to way, the face altered to read four realize the joke, added: "I beg your thousand dollars instead of four hun-pardon, and the cow's, too. I should

Voice from Arkansas.

Cleveland, Ark., July 31st.-(Special)-Nearly every newspaper tells "Yes, Low knows me, but I be of some wonderful cure of some form lieve he has been deceived. I will of Kidney Disease by the Great Amersee him and talk with him. Nine ican Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this part of Arkansas is not without its share of evidence that no case is too deeply rooted for Dodd's Kidney Pills to cure.

Mr. A. E. Carlile, well known and

"I want to let the public know what I think of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I sick kidneys ever made.

"I had Kidney Trouble for 23 years and never found anything that did me so much good as Dodd's Kidnev Pills. "Have you had detectives at work?" I recommend them to all sufferers."

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EXCLUSIVENESS AS A FAULT.

Man's Weakness in Separation from Rest of His Kind.

A man is but a cluster on the great human grapevine. He begins to dry "Bad sort; a bank swindler. Bruce up the moment he is cut off from his fellows. Ther is something in the solidarity of the human race which cannot be accounted for in the sum total of all the individuals. Separation from the mass involves a mighty loss of power in the individual, just as there is a loss of cohesion and adhesion involved in the separation of the molecules and atoms of the diamond. The value of the gem is in the close contact, the compactness, and the concentration of the particles which compose it. The moment they are separated its value is gone. So a strong, effective man gets a large part of his strength from the vital connection with his fellows.—Success Magazine.

Keeping Young. If you want to be young don't allow yourself to think on your birthday that you are a year older and so much "It was brought out by Bruce's in- nearer the end. Never look on the everything; a sunny thought drives "So it seems. This Ashley may be away the shadows. Be a child; live

> Annual Cargo of Turtles. It is possibly known to few people in the Keystone State that Erie is a port of entry each year for a cargo of turtles. This statement is given upon the authority of the Erie Times, which chronicles the fact that the schooner Bertha Wallace, Captain Winne, had arrived from Port Clinton with a cargo of the reptiles, whose

total weight was 2,700 pounds. EVER TREAT YOU 30?

Coffee Acts the Jonah and Will Come Up.

A clergyman who pursues his noble calling in a country parish in Iowa, tells of his coffee experience;

"My wife and I used coffee regularly for breakfast, frequently for dinner that rare spectacle—a huge ray turn and occasionally for supper—always the very best quality-package coffee sault as it swung around, a picture of never could find a place on our table. "In the spring of 1896 my wife was taken with violent vomiting which we had great difficulty in stopping. "It seemed to come from coffee

drinking but we could not decide. "In the following July, however, she was attacked a second time by filling an appointment, at the time, and on my return I found her very low; she had literally vomited herself

stomach. "I had also experienced the same trouble, but not so violently, and had relieved it, each time, by a resort to

almost to death, and it took some days

to quiet the trouble and restore her

medicine. "But my wife's second attack satisfied me that the use of coffee was at the bottom of our troubles, and so we bodily from a maelstrom of spray, of stopped it forthwith and took on Postum Food Coffee. The old symptoms of disease disappeared and during the 9 years that we have been using Postum instead of coffee we have never had a recurrence of the vomiting. We never weary of Postum, to which we know we owe our good health. This is a simple statement of facts." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

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THE PLAYWRIGHT-STAR.

Odette Tyler, Famous Actress, Values Doan's Kidney Pills.

Miss Odette Tyler is not only one of the best known dramatic stars in America, but has written and produced a successful play of her own. Miss Tyler has written the following grateful note, expressing her appreciation of Doan's Kidney Pills:



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

Gentlemen:-My experience with your valuable remedy has been equally gratifying to both myself and

friends. (Signed) ODETTE

TYLER. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents per box.

Chose the Lesser Evil.

The late William Terriss, seeing novel ear covering which was recommended for the cold weather, bought it and gave it to his old coachman, who could thus protect himself while waiting for Mr. Terriss at night. The coachman was profuse in his gratitude; but a night or two later Mr. Terriss noticed that he was not wearing his muffler. "Why have you given it up so soon?" he asked. "Well, sir," was the man's reply, "It was werry comfortable, but you see, sir, I found out t'other night that when I 'ad my ears covered a friend 'ad asked me to 'ave a drink and I'd never 'eard 'im." -London Daily News.

Australian Women as Soldiers.

When the Australian Women's Liberal Union held its annual conference recently, this resolution was passed: "That all female citizens between the ages of 15 and 18 should receive instruction in the use of firearms for the purpose of defending themselves and their country in case of need."

# GENERAL WEAKNESS AND FEVER

DISAPPEAR TOO. How a Woman Was Freed from Troubles That Had Made Life Wretched for

Many Years. The immediate causes of headaches vary, but most of them come from poor or poisoned blood. In anamia the blood is scanty or thin: the nerves are imperfeetly nourished and pain is the way in which they express their weakness. In colds the blood absorbs poison from the mucous surfaces, and the poison irritates the nerves and produces pain. In rheumatism, malaria and the grip, the poison in the blood produces like discomfort. In indigestion the gases from the impure matter kept in the system affect the

blood in the same way. The ordinary headache-cures at best give only temporary relief. They deaden the pain but do not drive the poison out of the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the contrary thoroughly renew the blood and the pain disappears permanently. Women in particular have found these pills an unfailing relief in headaches caused by anemia.

Miss Stella Blocker recently said: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did me a great deal of good. I had headache nearly all the time. After I had taken three boxes of these pills I became entirely well." "How long had you suffered?" she

was asked.

tirely well.'

"For several years. I can't tell the exact date when my illness began for it came on by slow degrees. I had been going down hill for many years." "Did you have any other ailments?"

"I was very weak and sometimes I had fever. My liver and kidneys were affected as well as my head."

"How did you come to take the remedy that cured you?" "I saw in a southern newspaper a statement of some person who was cured of a like trouble by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My physician hadn't done me any good, so I bought a box of these pills. After I had taken one box I felt so much better that I kept on until I became en-

Miss Blocker's home is at Leander, Louisiana. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists. Besides headache they cure neuralgia, sciatica, nervous prostration, partial paralysis and rheumatism.

Out of every evil comes good. The apple Eve swiped has furnished employment to thousands of tailors and

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There are times when a man doesn't want things to come his way—bills, for example. I do not believe Piso's Cure for Con umption has an equal for coughs and colds.-John F.

Talk is said to be cheap, but any narried man will tell you it comes

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"Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy cured my wife of a terrible disease. With pleasure I testify to its marvelous efficacy." J. Sweet, Albany, N. Y.

When a man seeks notoriety he usually finds more than he can use in his business.

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of this great medicine, and compared with it all other medicines and treatment for women are experiments.
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Simply and surely because of its sterling worth. The reason no other medcine has even approached its success is plainly and positively because there is no other medicine in the world so

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Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures, and physicians who have recognized the virtue in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give credit where it is due. If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience that it will effect a cure.

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous pros-tration, or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Anyway, write to Mrs. Pinkam, Lynn, Mass., for advice. It's free and always helpful.

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### FOR MEN OF BRAINS

PRIZES WORTH HAVING OFFERED BY GOVERNMENTS.

Who Has a Scheme for the Eradication of the Cactus in Queensland?-Find an Alloy in Diamond Cutting That Is Without Danger to Health.

Many persons, no doubt, will conchance of securing such desirable prizes as the large sums of moneyfive prizes each worth £8,000—offered by the Nobel bequest, where it is absolutely needful to have attainments of both a learned and brilliant nature; yet, says Tit Bits, a study of the following particulars of prizes which are being offered to-day will show that there are other splendid opportunities well within the scope of most people.

Among the many varieties of cactus there is one which is known as the prickly pear; it is a rather attractive looking plant, but its leaves are covered with hair sharp enough to pierce the hands of any one who is so rash as to touch it. The plant came originally from America, but after it was introduced in some manner or other into Queensland it spread so rapidly and to such an extent that in some districts it has practically destroyed all other vegetation. The Queensland government is still offering a reward ing. Sold by all druggists at 50c and of £5,000 to any one who can devise \$1. Money back if it fails. of £5,000 to any one who can devise a method by which it can be complete-

ly eradicated. The Britsh consul at Palermo not eign Office containing information re- anecdote: "A Jewish peddler of it will employ not fewer than 100 the body out of the window. They the year in five equal instalments.

land. As most people are aware, the day and it is not allowed to eat Dutch are the most expert diamond cutters in the world, but in this diamond cutting it is necessary to use an alloy which is dangerous to health. Is it possible to find a method of doing without the aid of this alloy?

era House, Covent Garden. M. Mas- one who will ever again see it." senet has already been secured as one of the adjudicators.

Women can gain a prize of £200 atory experiments.

best, least irksome, and least costly of those to whom they are addressed. method of securing the male ablebodied youth of this country for serv- their destination. ice in the regular or auxiliary forces as existing, and for expanding these forces in the time of war." For the three best essays dealing with these topics the Royal United Service Institution offers prizes consisting of 100 guineas, 30 guineas and 10 guineas.

Josiah Quincy and Nathan, Jr. When Josiah Quincy was mayor of Boston a well-known politician christened his youngest boy Josiah Quincy Rosnosky. He had named his preceding son Nathan Matthews, after another Democratic mayor, and had this child with him when he called on Mr. Quincy and told how he had hon-

ored him. "What is your name?" asked Mayor Quincy of the boy.

"I'm named after Nathan Matthews, Jr., replied the boy. And then he added, as if he had said it often: "He was the best mayor Boston ever nad." Everybody laughed except Mr. Quin-

cy, who never does such a thing. "Oh, well," remarked Mr. Quincy, when the merriment subsided, "just wait until Josiah Quincy Rosnosky is old enough to talk."

We Must Have Room to Growl. Whether in peace the country rests,
Or furious tempests howl,
As sure as death and taxes
We must have room to growl!
At this and that—
Where'er we're at,
We must have room to growl!

No Rockefeller's millions
That make the churchmen scowl,
Can tempt us to be quiet—
We must have room to growl!
Winter, or May,
It's just that way—
We must have room to growl!

When the sweet birds are singing

When the sweet birds are singing Grim Trouble wears his cowl;
Bells in the blossoms ringing—
We must have room to growl!
God give you grace,
O growling race!—
God give you room to growl!
—Atlanta Constitution.

Veteran Statesman Dead.

Judge Amasa B. Cobb, who died a few days ago at Los Angeles at the age of 82, was speaker of the Wiscon sin assembly when the civil war was declared, served in congress throughout the war, was chairman of the house committee on enrolled bills and carried every measure originating in the nouse and passed to Abraham Lincoln. He organized the famous Fifth Wisconsin volunteer infantry and led it through most of its campaign. Since the war he has for twenty years served on the supreme bench of the state of Nebraska, for four years of the time as chief justice.

GRATEFUL TO CUTICURA

For Instant Relief and Speedy Cure of Raw and Scaly Humour, Itching Day and Night-Suffered Months.

"I wish you would publish this letter so that others suffering as I have may be helped. For months awful sores covered my face and neck, scabs forming, itching terribly day and night, breaking open, and running blood and matter. I had tried many clude that there is practically no remedies, but was growing worse, when I started with Cuticura. The first application gave me instant relief, and when I had used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, I was completely cured. (signed) Miss Nellie Vander Wiele, Lakeside, N. Y."

Celery Is Cultivated Weed.

Celery is the cultivated variety of the English weed smallage. It was introduced into kitchen gardens in England about the time of the Reformation, by some Italians, who gave it the Italian name "celleri."

Stop Babies' Tears. Ninety per cent of babies' troubles are caused by disordered stomach or bowels. They can all be quickly cured by a few doses of that great digestive medicine, Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It digests curded milk, sweetens the breath, reduces fever and relieves pain. Absoltuely harmless to mother or child. Sure relief in teeth-

The Russian Conscience.

In Carl Joubert's "Russia as It Reallong since sent a dispatch to the For- ly Is" the author gives the following garding a premium of £2,000 that the Grodno dealt in pirrogs (meat pies), municipality of Catania is offering, and two hungry muzhiks traveling in In order to encourage local industrial the third-class railroad car with him enterprise this sum is to be awarded were so overpowered by the appetizto the individual who establishes ing odor of his wares that, not having some new industry in the town. This money to buy them, they slew the trade is to be of such a nature that Jew without further ado and threw workmen. A further £1,000 will be were apprehended and to the astonishpaid for every additional fifty hands ment of the pristav (police sergeant), that are afterward employed. These the whole supply of pies was found sums would be payable at the end of intact. 'Why did you not eat the pirrogs and throw the basket away?' Five hundred pounds is to be ob- asked the pristav: 'You forget,' said tained from the government of Hol- one of the muzhiks, that to-day is Fri-

German Author Fond of America.

It was a peculiarity of the late Balduin Mollhausen that in nearly all his novels the scene is placed partly in Germany, partly in America. He Again, to turn to a very different was extremely prolific, his stories and source of money making by competitravel sketches making up nearly two tion, there is £500 being offered by hundred volumes. He spent many In order to encourage English opera Rocky mountains before he became that firm has offered this prize to be librarian at Potsdam. To the last he competed for by English subjects kept his enthusiasm for the west. He alone, and has guaranteed to produce left to a Berlin museum four albums the successful work at the Royal Op- containing pictures of America, "as

Turkish Mail Service.

Postal conditions in the interior of which is being offered by the Wom- Turkey are still in a patriarchal en's Institute of Science at Naples; it stage of evolution. When a postman is to be given for the best work on arrives in a village, on muleback, he any subject of scientific research, but distributes the letters in a public it must be based on independent labor- place, giving each his own, and then putting the undelivered ones in the Another interesting subject is "The hands of relatives or acquaintances Yet it is said that 99 per cent. reach

> Nitric Acid Restores Life. The shock of being sprinkled with a solution of nitric acid in mistake for holv water restored to normal health Mme. Valthaire of Aabe, France, who was lying, as was supposed, on her deathbed.

> > ME TOO

The "Tail Enders" That Follow Genuine Articles.

It is sometimes interesting to watch the curves imitators make to get the public to buy imitations of genuine goods.

Every now and then some one will think there is a splendid opening to fix up something like Postum Coffee and advertise the same way and take some of the business.

An imitator is naturally ignorant of food values and how to skillfully make a cereal coffee, on scientific

Such men first think of preparing something that looks and tastes like the original, with no knowledge of how the grains should be treated to prepare them so that the starchy part is transformed properly and the valuable nourishing elements made digestible.

Such imitations may be foisted on the public for a short time, but the people are critical and soon detect the attempt, then the imitators go out of business.

Something like 400 of these little factories have been started in various parts of this country in the past 9 years, and practically all of them have gone the "long journey." Just lately a new one has come to life and evidently hopes to insert itself in public favor by copying the style of the Postum advertising in the papers.

This is a free country and every man who makes an honest product and honestly labels it has reason for some recognition, but the public has the right to know the facts.

Postum is the one original and genuine Cereal Coffee, made skillfully and for a definite purpose. It has stood through all the wars of the imitators, has won the approval of the Physicians and the people

People who really seek to free themselves from the coffee habit and at the same time to rebuild the soft gray matter in the nerve centers, and thus reconstruct the nervous system, broken down by coffee, can rely on Postum.

There's a reason.

900DRORS For Infants and Children The Kind You Have **Always Bought** AVegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of Bears the INFANTS CHILDREN Signature Promotes Digestion.Cheerfulness and Rest.Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC. Pacipe of Old Dr.SAMUELFITCHER Punpkin Seed -Alx. Senna + Rochelle Salts -Luse Seed + Perpermint Bi Carbonale Sold + Aperfect Remedy for Constipafion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea Worms,Convulsions,Feverishness and Loss of SLEEP.

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Thirty Years

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HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use LION COFFEE, because to get best results you must use the best confec.
Grind your LION COFFEE rather fine. Use "a tablespoonful to each cup, and one
extra for the pot." First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and
add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:

1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil
THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five
minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and
bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five
minutes it's ready to serve.

3 {Don't boil it too long.
Don't boil it too long.
Don't use water that has been boiled before.

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

1st. With Eggs. Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground LION
COFFEE before boiling.
2d. With Cold Water instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set
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Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use
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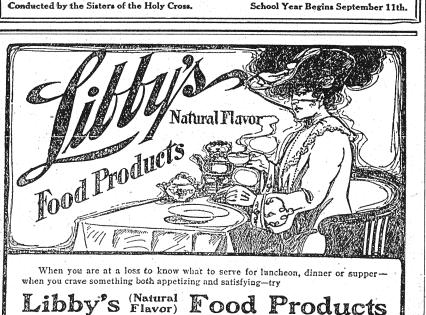
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ages, 20c. All 50c packages, 40c. Farm Produce taken same as cash.

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Fall goods are starting to come in. We must clean out all summer goods to make room. We quote a few prices. 500 yards 10c Lawns . ......6c yd 500 yards 25c Goods......15c yd 4,000 yards Standard Prints-your choice any print on our shelves 5c yd All 15c Percales......10c yd Table Oil Cloth...... 12½c yd

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At E. O. Spaulding & Son's, Caro

# Beginning Saturday Morning, August 5th; closing Saturday Evening. August 19th.

THESE ANNUAL SALES have now been continued for almost a quarter of a century, and have come to be recognized all over the country as notable trading events, in which great opportunities for saving money, on a most desirable class of goods is presented. Hundreds of our pleased patrons can attest the money saving advantages of these annual RED MARK sales, made possible by our desire to reduce our stocks before receiving shipments of Fall and Winter goods. We carry over no unsalable merchandise, our values are the best, the prices are right, and you can well afford to anticipate your future wants and make purchases accordingly.

Here are a few quotations on our \$16,000 worth of Dry Goods to be sold in 12 days

DRESS GOODS-Your choice of 1500 yds. Wash Goods, Dimities, Ginghams, Challies, etc., worth 8 to 10c for .....

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Every yard of Dress Silk, Fancy Silk, Black Dress Goods, as well as Tailor-made Skirts and Jackets has the RED MARK.

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Wrappers

White Goods Lawns Table Linens Towels, Napkins Toilet Quilts Blankets Comfortables Hosiery Gloves Muslin Underwear

Flannelette Bleached Cotton Brown Cotton Denims Ginghams Shirting Print Oil Cloths Linoleums Window Shades Mattings Lace Curtains Embroideries Tapestry Curtains Ribbons Wool and Silk Skirts

The term "Red Mark" means 1/4 to 1/2 cut from Regular Prices. 25% saved on Cotton at this sale.

Spaulding's Cash Dry Goods House CARO, MICHIGAN.

# Ostrander's CLOSING OUT SALE

STILL CONTINUES.

Bargains! Bargains! Come at once.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

There will be no preaching services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, Rev. Bradfield having consented to supply the Caro pulpit. The usual services will be held in the local church Sunday evening. Mr. Bradfield expects to commence his month.

Joseph Frutchey, of the Cass City Grain company, commenced the erection of a new elevator at Deford this week, which he expects to have ready for operation in a short time. Mr. Frutchey has had considerable experience in managing an elevator business and he will undoubtedly meet with success at the thriving little town of Deford.

Invitations were received here this week announcing the marriage of Miss Myrtis A. Howard of Ovid to William B. Brown of Owosso, on Wednesday, August 2, at the home of the bride's parents at Ovid. The bride was formerly an instructor in the schools at Cass City, where she Chronicle in extending test wishes.

What might have proved to be a very serious accident occurred in A. H. Muck's blacksmith shop one day last week. While Mr. Muck was shoeing a horse the animal kicked him in the chest, knocking him nearly across the shop. He was not seriously injurep and has since been able to be around but does not care to repeat the experience.

Of a truth, the farmers are on the sunny side of the street. All sorts of farm products are bringing good prices and the indications for big crops this season are unusually good. A. A. Mc-Kenzie, who travels in this and nearby counties a great deal in the sugar beet and other interests, says that the crops in this section, taken as a whole, are the best he has seen them in 15 years.

J. F. Kilbourn saw the item in last veek's Chronicle about the big stalk of corn in Marlette and then went out into his field and cut two stalks which measure a few inches less than ten feet. The stalks may be seen at the Chronicle office. Mr. Kilbourn says he has lots of corn that stands eight feet high. His farm is situated one and one-fourth miles south and one mile west of Cass City.

The congregational meeting of the ocal Presbyterian church was held Monday evening. The church was reincorporated by the election of a board of trustees the members being as follows; I. B. Auten, E. H. Pinney, John Renshler, Wm. McCallum, O. K. Janes and A. E. Goodall. The following gentlemen were chosen as elders: H. L. McDermott, J. J. Spence and Andrew Armstrong.

Port Sanilac, the home of tight shoes and corns, was infested with a corn salve agent a week or so ago who did a rushing business in the sale of his corn cure. Later it developed that he had filled a lot of tin boxes with axle grease and this was what he was selling. It was a good quality of axle grease but the trouble was that the Port Sanilac people did not put it where they had the wheels.-Lexington News.

Thursday, August 17, is the date of the basket picnic of the local Gleaner lodge at Kinnaird's grove west of town. A. Collins of Charlotte, chairman of supreme council, and other prominent men will make addresses and a series of games and sports are being arranged. A complete program of the good things that are scheduled for that day will be published next week. All Arbors in this vicinity and the public in general are invited to attend the picnic and enjoy them-

On Monday afternoon a game of ball between the Kingston and Bad Axe teams was played at the Driving Park. Both teams were accompanied by a crowd of rooters from their home town and came expecting to win the game judging from the way they were loaded up with outside players. Fisher pitched for Bad Axe and Noble

game, although it had some good features, was not a fast one and the weather was too cool for enthusiastic support from the spectators. The score stood 10 to 5 in favor of Bad

Axe. Weather prognosticators say that we are now on the fourth year of wet vacation after next Sunday which will and cool summers. The period they continue during the remainder of this say started in 1902 and will last for seven years. It will be a case of crescendo and diminuendo, that is to say, get worse until the center is reached, and will then gradually taper off until 1910 is reached. According to that theory this will be the coolest and wettest summer for four years. Then things will gradually improve until normal Michigan weather is again reached in 1910. There may not be much in this theory, but it seems to have worked out all right so far.—Ex.

The following item is taken from the Saginaw Evening News, the accident occuring one day last week. "Thomas E. Clement, Pere Marquette fireman, scalded both legs badly at New Boston while on duty. He was has many friends who join with the wetting down the coal in the tender, when the tube burst, and the scalding hot water was distributed over his legs. He will be laid off for a while on account of his painful injuries." The injured man who lives at Saginaw, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Clement of this place. Mrs. Clement left on Tuesday for Saginaw where she expects to remain for some time

and assist in caring for her son.

A merchant who had two stores in small towns tried an experiment. He put a bargain counter in each store containing the same articles at the same prices. In the newspaper of one village he advertised his special sale counters. In the paper of the other he did not. In one month in the village where he did not advertise he sold \$984 worth of goods. store where he did advertise he sold the same-goods amounting to \$1,724. In commenting on the result of the experiment the merchant says: People who got the paper with the advertisement would store and drive for miles to the other one for what they could have gotten at the same price in my store at their doors, but they did not know it was

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