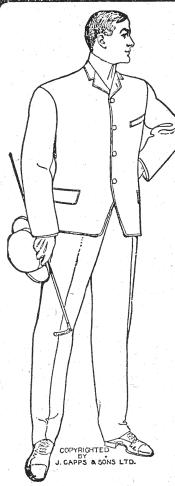
CASS CITY, MICH., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1905.

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Coming Events

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This may seem a queer time to discuss winter clothes but we want to take our friends into our confidence and tell them something of what we are doing. The Boston tailor shops have made to our special order a line of

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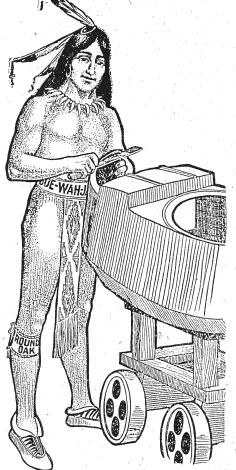
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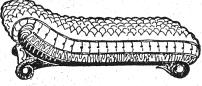
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DEATH OF MRS. D. W. LEONARD

Occurred at Mancelona Last Week After a Lingering Illness. From the Unionville Crescent.

A telegram was received here Sun-Mrs. D. W. Leonard at Mancelona. For several weeks this news has been and a patient waiting for the end. 29. She suffered no pain but was slowly nature were worn out. For several weeks her mind had been gone, only Officers Are Busily Engaged in Comknowing her family, and she had lost her speech for several days previous to her death. For the past five years

Mrs. Leonard had been in declining

health and all that medical assistance

could do had been rendered but no

help seemed to be for her. Eliza W. Reed was born at Batavia N. Y., Jan. 4, 1832. When nineteen she went to Ohio to visit an aunt and while there met Dan'l W. Leonard, to whom she was married Feb. 23, 1851. In 1864 they moved to Michigan and located in the south part of Akrontownship. For nearly forty years she had been a resident of this locality and the wife of a beloved and respected pastor in this vicinity since 1871, with the exception one year at North Branch and six and a half years at

Marlette. She was the mother of seven children, four of whom are dead, those living are: Mrs. Minnie McDonald of Mancelona, with whom she had lived for three and a half years; Mrs. Emma Gilbert, now living in Tennessee,

and B. D. Leonard of this place. In February of 1902 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard moved to Argyle to be with their daughter, and last November on account of Mr. McDonald's health the family moved to Mancelona, where 1905. Rev. Leonard arrived here Monday evening with the remains and have more time to arrange the exwas met at the depot by a large num-ber of friends. The funeral was held Tuesday at the Baptist church, at 2:00 clock, Rev. J. T. Young preaching an appropriate sermon.

Mrs. Leonard came here in the early pioneer days and had an extensive acquaintance, being the wife of a pastor she had rejoiced with those who were fortunate and happy, and had suffered and sympathized with those who were in sorrow and trouble. She was a devoted Christian wife and mother, kind neighbor and a true friend. For over forty years she had been a worshiper in the Baptist church. It is with many pleasant thoughts and be remembered. She has gone to the reward of the faithful.

Early Fall Wedding

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 13, at three o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clarke, when their only daughter, Florence, was united in marriage to G. Ashton Tindale of this place. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were presby Rev. E. H. Bradfield and the happy Detroit on a short wedding trip. Both have always lived in Cass City and are two of our highly respected young people and enjoy a large circle of acquaintances. Mrs. Tindale was employed as clerk in the postoffice for atout two years, while Mr. Tindale is an employe at the Cass City bank which position he has held for severa years. They expect to make their home in our midst and have the best wishes of the entire community for a happy and prosperous future.

DOTY ON DECK AGAIN.

Edward E. Doty, formerly editor of the Cross Roads Weekly, a sensational paper published at Metamora, Lapeer county, and later the Imlay City Times, has written a friend in Lapeer from Andalusia, Ala., stating that he is a candidate for the postoffice and wants his democratic friend to write the president urging his appointment. The letter follows:

"G. N. L-, Lapeer, Mich.: "Hello, old boy! Say, I'm trying to get the postoffice at this place, and I wish you would do me a favor, viz: Write President Roosevelt today. The umpire hollowed "out" and Lou go Tell him I'm an old Lapeer county Sore, Tore his shirt and started for the store boy, a good newspaper man and a good, staunch republican, and anything else that your conscience will permit. Tell him that you, along mistake gave them something that sent them home. with many other friends, would like

NORTH BRANCH FAIR.

North Branch is sparing no pains to make its 35th annual fair a success this year. Among the attractions is a series of ball games between Oxford and Bad Axe for the championship of day morning announcing the death of eastern Michigan and a purse of \$150. Finney's celebrated band and orchestra will furnish music for the occasion expected. For the past ten weeks she and Governor Warner will be present has been in a condition which required the second day and address the farmno medicines, but care and attention ers. The dates are Sept. 27, 28 and

sinking and fading as the forces of FAIR TO BE BETTER THAN EVER

pleting Preparations.

Less than a month's time yet remains before the Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac fair to be held at Cass City on Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6, and preparations are going on rapidly to completion.

The grounds will soon be in order and with a few repairs the buildings

will be in readiness for the fair. The premium lists are now ready for distribution and a copy may be had for the asking. The list was recently revised and presents a variety of classes. The superintendents of the various departments are as fol-

Horses-Byron Bingham, Richard Parr, Jr.

Cattle-J. B. Pettinger. Sheep-Ephraim Knight. Swine-Jas. Maharg.

Poultry-A. A. Livingston. Agricultural Hall-T. W. Stitt, J.

Floral Hall—A. E. Boulton. Races—E. A. McGeorge.

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It is requested by those in charge

| District Hall be | | that all entries for the Floral Hall be made as soon as possible and that the exhibits be taken to the grounds the first day of the fair. By so doing the secretary and his assistants can do better work than if compelled to she died Sunday, Sept. 3, at 2:00 a. m., "rush" the work at the last hours for entries; also the superintendent will 🖫

> The special attractions which are now being secured by Secretary Reid will soon be announced through the Chronicle, and will be better than

Everything bids fair for a successful exhibition this year and everyone who can should make entries and compete for the prizes offered.

BASE BALL NOTES.

The married men and single men met in mortal combat for a ball game at the fair grounds last Thursday tender memories with which she will afternoon in which the purpose was to decide the championship.

When it was at last decided where each man belonged on the diamond the game commenced. For five innings they fanned the air and kicked up the dust, and then the married men collared the umpire and made him believe they had an extra score in their favor. Then they lit for home, some of them going through holes in the fairground fence in their hurry.

Of course the game was called off and we haven't been able as yet to find where the score stood, but it has been hinted that it was 7 to 8 in favor ent. The ceremony was performed and then took the booty from him after arriving on the ground, and couple left on the afternoon train for that they hid the score book after the game. We heard that several of the single men were so discouraged at the result of the game that they have decided to join the benedicts, others have given up the base ball profession and one popular young man in town has been driven to write the following ode:

AN ODE TO THE QUITTERS. Ball's Quitters arrived on the base ball

grounds
In starched shirts and collars safe and sound;
As the crowd filed through there came a moan,
It was the wail of their wives who wanted to go home.

At last they started to get in the game. The way they played was really a shame; They handled the ball like a lot of chaff, Pure and simple, it would make a cow laugh. Butter-fingered Johnson was right on his

pegs. He handled the ball like so many eggs; He fired the ball like a madman to first, As if he thought it would quench his thirst. Cashier Pinney, long, hungry and slim, The way he looked was really a sin. He started for second with a grim desire, He falled—for his foot caught in the tele-phone wire.

Butcher Youngs, so gay and bright Got out in the field clear out of sight; He was heard to yell and you know he would, He saw a ball coming and shad taken to the

Shortstop Wood with his hands on his kn When he saw a ball coming he began

to see me made postmaster at Anda-ball, But what he really saw was nothing at all; A fumble and a stumble and out of the wa Smithson was seen to take a swipe at

Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 18 and 10 Oliver Labadie presents the

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Manager Ball paced the lines like an Indian He wiggled and twisted like a five-cent Snave; He was heard to yell with all his might. But a word from the umpire soon put him to flight.

Ball's Quitters—a bunch of misfits who all took to the trees,
A gang of betters and money spenders, but fond of crackers and cheese.

Base ball players ricked from the southeastern part of town and captained by John Ball defeated another of the umpire. It was also hinted nine who resided in the remainder of that the single men had previously the town, at a score of 7 to 2. C. W. bought off the umpire in their favor McKenzie was the manager of the second team.

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- - MICHIGAN. CASS CITY,

Peace, however, was worth some sacrifices. Hold on to your Japanese

Maude Gonne has secured her di-We have forgotten the gentleman's name.

Naturally the druggists' convention did not think much of the various faith-cure methods.

Chicago theatrical managers report a scarcity of chorus girls. Have the millionaires married them all?

If robbers keep on holding up women the latter will have to secure a new brand of repeating hairpins.

However, the Czar is not the first man who has made a hit for a while by standing pat on a pair of deuces.

Mrs. Fleming of the Harvard observatory, who has just discovered a new star, is a star astronomer her-

Some of these days feel as though the weather man were in a hurry to ring up the curtain for Indian sum-

will continue her work in an improved | non.

refuse to budge reminds one that the non-autoist has joys that the autoist knows not of.

For years some persons have earnestly practiced the theory that the "vegetable juices" of corn are a cure for almost everything.

The United States produces a barrel of salt for every four inhabitants every year. And yet we all know a lot of people who are altogether too

Another ridiculous thing about monarchies is that the King is a man who, if he were turned loose on his own book to make a living would starve to

experience in a managerial capacity, particularly in eastern countries, is open to a lucrative engagement. Ad-

New York state reports a shortage in the schoolma'am crop, but it is not likely that serious hardships will follow. Massachusetts stands ready to help out.

A rejected lover in St. Louis is now suing the girl to get his presents back. Still, there are persons who pretend to believe that the age of romance is dead.

The fact that 4,000 Smiths gathered in reunion in New Jersey the other was appealed to, but just as help was in the world-but it was interfered control, and the call for engines was

Blushing may be a sign of genius, as one of these "knowledgeous" writers aver, but are you not personally blush, yet exhibit no other sign of gen-

From New York comes a hint to those who have the instincts of high- is 16 miles from Detroit on the Grand waymen without the courage. Get a few hives of bees and install them on the roof of some house near a candy has three churches and a public school, has three churches and a public school, factory.

A Chicago physician has told the school board that he has a method by which poor spellers can be cured. He has noticed in his practice that when people have bad spells they go to the doctor.

Science is doing the best it can in New Orleans, but the inhabitants can't help asking the watchman on the tower if he sees anything of a solitary horseman approaching who looks near its juncture with the body and like Jack Frost.

A Pennsylvania man but 40 years old is the father of twenty-three children. He is now a section boss, but as soon as the President hears about it probably he will be invited to take a seat in the cabinet.

The profits of play writing are so great that nearly all the successful Detroit or Rouge river and the season novel writers are deserting to the is not yet over. The harbormaster's drama. Will this give some of the records, beginning in February and prepare for the worst.

Why doesn't George Ade buy the Standard Oil company if he has so much money as all that? He could fatality of this sort being the drowngive away a fable with each gallon of ing of Robert H. Jacobs Thursday oil and thus make the people happy on the Ossippee river, Me. while he was collecting tribute

Somebody has made the interesting discovery that blushing is a sign of genius. If one blushes and is baldheaded and has an inclination to do absurd things there can be no room for doubt, for even if one never accomplishes anything for the world's profit or amusement.

It is announced that the dowager think that China will be different to exist in a few years. twelve years from now.

MICHIGAN

SOME VERY INTERESTING EXPERIMENTS IN A DEEP MINE.

THE VILLAGE OF FRASER SUF-FERS BY AN EARLY MORNING FIRE.

A WOMAN'S DESPERATE STRUG-GLE WITH A FRENZIED HEIFER.

Nothing Falls to the Bottom. It is an interesting scientific fact, and one not generally known, that nothing which falls into the mouth of the deepest mining shaft in the world ever reaches the bottom. This has been demonstrated at the famous Red Jacket shaft of the big Calumet & Hecla copper mine at Calumet. The article, no matter what shape or size it may be, is invariably found cling-

ing to the east side of the shaft.

One day a monkey wrench was

dropped, but it did not get to the bottom. It was found lodged against the east side of the shaft several hundred feet down. This incident, coming to the attention of the Michigan College The author of "Little Citizens," Miss of Mines, it was decided to make a Myra Kelly, has been married and careful test of the apparent phenome-It was decided best to use a small but heavy spherical body, and a marble, tied to a thread, was suspended about 12 feet below the mouth of Seeing au automobile stop short and the shaft. When the marble was absolutely still, assuring that it would drop straight down, the thread was burned through by the flame of a candle. The marble fell, but at a point about 500 feet from the surface

> the shaft. The same would be the case were a man to fall into the shaft. While it would mean sure death, the body, badly torn, would be found lodged in the

brought up against the east wall of

timbering on the east side.

Members of the faculty of the College of Mines are now engaged in experiments with a view of developing data as to the thickness of the earth's crust. It is not hoped to solve the perplexing problem of the distribution of the earth's matter, but it is hoped to add to the information collected concerning it. To this end the Red Jack et shaft presents advantages possessed by no other place in the universe. The Lord Curzon, a gentleman of much deep shafts in other parts of the country, and in foreign lands, generally bet an altitude and end above or very little below the sea level, where as at the Calumet mine the Red Jacket shaft starts in at a comparatively low altitude and pierces the earth's crust deeper and further below the ocean level than any other in existence. It is hoped within a year to be able to give some intelligent information regarding the investigations.

Fraser's Sunday Fire.

The business section of Fraser was practically wiped out by fire which broke out Sunday a. m., in the barn back of Frank Spence's meat market Four buildings were consumed and for a time the entire village was threat ened. The fire department of Detroit day is a reminder that the Young about to start it was seen that the family once expected ta be the biggest local fire-fighters had the blaze under canceled.

From the barn the flames spread to the meat market, and from there to the hardware store of George Reindel, one of the largest retail hardware stores in this section. These three acquainted with many people who can buildings wiped out, the fire attacked Charles E. Grieh's cigar shop and burned that. There were no casual-

Fraser has a population of 230, and Trunk Railway in Erin township, Macomb county. It is six miles south-west of Mt. Clemens, the county seat; and was incorporated as a village in

A Terrible Struggle.

For fifteen minutes Mrs. Cornelius Hages, a farmer's wife, living eight miles east of Bay City, fought for her life with an enraged heifer. All that time she clung to the animal's horns and was borne around and around an enclosure in which the animal was confined and which the woman had entered to look for eggs. The prong of one horn entered Mrs. Hages's thigh she was cut and bruised in numerous places. Her clothing was practically all torn from her body.

Watching her opportunity the woman dropped as the animal was opposite the opening in the enclosure and escaped into the house.

Forty-one Drowned.

Forty-one Detroiters have met death by drowning during the year in the embryo novelists a chance? Let us continuing to date, list the fatalities which when collected make a gruesome exhibit against the dangers of the water sport. To this list must be added those who have met death by drowning away from the city, the latest

> Mrs. Byron Ellison, the woman who figured so prominently in the Moyer murder case, left Detroit Wednesday for Kansas City, Mo., to join her husband. She had completely recovered from the nervous breakdown which followed the trial.

The report of the state land commissioner shows that the public domain of Michigan has dwindled to 800,476 acres, or about 25 townships. Last year 177,107 acres were sold by empress of China will issue a decree the state for about \$1.25 an acre. At for the establishment of a parliament this rate the necessity for maintaining twelve years hence. She seems to the state land department will cease

THE CROPS.

REPORTS SHOWING CONDITION IN MICHIGAN.

The weather during August was very favorable for growing crops says the monthly weather crop report. During the major portion of the month the temperature was several degrees above the normal while the precipitation was also greater than usually occurs at this time of the year. Corn, beans, potatoes and sugar beets made rapid growth and regained much that was lost earlier in the season. It was too wet to secure oats in the best condition, but other than this no serious

damage was done.
In some localities wheat is not yielding as well as expected. White wheat especially is poor in quality, being light in weight, while the condition of red wheat is fair. The average estimated yield per acre is 19. The quality, as compared with an average, is

91.
The total number of bushels of August at the flouring mills is 206,519, and at the elevators, 213,286, or a total of 419,805 bushels, which is 270,877

In spite of the fact that there has year for oats, the yield will be up to

the average. The estimated average yield per acre to circulate. in bushels is 15.

The weather during August was very favorable for corn. It not only eared well, but began to ripen, so that some of it is already out of the way of frost. Beans have made a good growth and will yield well. The condition of potatoes is lower

than last year, which is due principally to the unfavorable weather early in the season. There has been a large growth of

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

Detroit has a population of 403,512. it necessary for Russia to transport all her coal from Europe. person in Morenci, is dead, at the age

of 93 years.
Fred M. Douglass, of Ionia, the first Grand Chancellor of the K. of P. of Michigan, suffered a light stroke of apaplexy.

Dr. Gailey M. Brown, of Muskegon, was working a crank to start his auto when it flew back, fracturing his jaw and laying him out for several hours. Luther Goodrich, of Ellis, was badly he can recover.

hour, ran into a wagon in the Soo ern entrance to the sea. Wednesday afternoon and Joseph Lalonde had both legs crushed so that

Ex-Gov. Bliss's condition has improved greatly, and the attending physicians announce that the crisis has been successfully passed, and that the patient is now out of danger.

James Walsh, aged 90 years, dropped dead at his home in Flint Sunday. He was born in Ireland and came to Flint with his wife sixty years ago. Eight children survive him.

The governor has appointed M. F. Cotterell storekeeper at the prison, and the board of control during its regular meeting at the penitentiary confirmed the appointment unanimously. Oscar Hamilton, a well known Bat-

tle Creek teamster, while waiting at Dr. Gillett's office for the doctor, dropped dead Friday. He was 60 years of age and leaves a widow and family. Charles K. Gibson, well-known pen-

sion attorney, dropped dead in Grand Rapids while on his way to his office. He had just reached the third floor quate recompense. It is believed this when he fell and expired almost instantly.

Notwithstanding lowering skies and threats of rain, the annual Labor Day parade of the Detroit unions, with its thousands of wage-earners in the line of march, probably exceeded that of any previous year. Ex-Gov. Bliss, who suffered an apo-

plectic stroke after he started to attend the G. A. R. meeting on the Pacific coast, remains in a very critical condition. There was some improvement at last reports.

Jack Buoy of Toledo was sentenced here to from two to five years in Jackson for stealing a team worth nearly \$400 and skipping over the state line with it. He was captured in Toledo and brought back.

Mrs. Christena Schwab of Bay City has received definite information that her son, Henry L. Schwab, was among the crew of the Pretoria, drowned on Lake Superior. She is a wilow and her five minor children were dependent upon him for support.

The question whether or no Lake Odessa should be bonded for \$10,000the money to be used to purchase ground and erect a factory buildinghas at last been settled. The question was voted on Thursday and the result was 214 for bonding and 30 against.

Frederick A. Bunnell, former Pere Marquette freight agent in Muskegon, who was arrested, charged with embezzlement, has paid the Pere Marquette Co. \$2,755, the exact amount of his defalcations, and the case against him has been dropped. Thomas Wooten, 75 years old, a

negro who had lived in Kalamazoo even since the close of the civil war, when he came north with a returning Michigan regiment, dropped dead on the street. He got into a heated argument with a man who owed him some money and the excitement induced apoplexy.

The storm on Lake Superior washed out a newly constructed boulevard at Marquette along the lake front for a mile. Wreckage was strewn along the shore. Warden Russell of the state prison said it was undoubtedly the worst storm in 25 years during the navigation season. Charles Armstrong, of Osceola, Ia.,

in July divided his property among his wife and children, and started August 1 to starve himself to death. Physicians say he can live but a few days longer. Armstrong was in comthat he would become a burden on his the two leading figures of the civil

EASTERN

TURBULENT JAPS GROW QUIET AS TREATY IS EXPLAINED.

JAPAN HAS GAINED MONEY AND GREAT ADVANTAGES OF VALUE.

THE JAP AND RUSS ARMIES, HOW EVER, ARE ALL READY FOR BATTLE.

The situation is greatly changed for the better in Tokio. The announce wheat reported marketed by farmers in ment made by Premier Katsura in re gard to the real terms of the treaty has had an excellent effect, and it is not expected there will be any furbushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year.

there outbreaks in the city, although there may be some minor demonstrations in the smaller cities and outly been much unfavorable weather this ing districts before the news of favorable terms secured by the Japanese at Portsmouth has had a chance

According to the statement of Pre mier Katsura, which was made at a special meeting attended by the members of the diet, summoned for the purpose, Japan has the right to fortify the straits of La Perouse and also has an entirely free hand in dealing with Korea. Greater concessions have been granted in Manchuria than had been announced at first. The railroad as far north as Changschun is given over to Japan and the great coal deposits dover this year, but many corre-spondents state that it has not filled ed the victorious nation. Russia made a desperate effort during the war to retain control of these mines as they are the only considerable deposits of coal in Manchuria; probably rendering

though Japan did not get a financial indemnity, she is by no means a loser by the settlement, considering the advantages she will derive from the control of Korea and the great commercial field opened up by the develop-ment of Manchuria. As for the prospect of Russia renewing the struggle for supremacy with Vladivostok as a base, the fortifying of La Perouse straits would be an effectual barrier injured while threshing, by part of to any such use of that port, for Japan the machine dropping off the carrier controls the only entrance to the sea striking him. It is not believed that of Japan, Sugaru straits being strongly fortified and guarded as well as the A trolley car running 20 miles an Korean straits, controlling the south-

> Baron Yamomoto also spoke in favor of the treaty terms and pointed out that far greater loss of life would have been entailed in a siege of Vladivostok than in the taking of Port Arthur and the monetary outlay necessary to continue the war long enough to take Harbin and Vladivostok would be far greater than that incurred in the conduct of the war up to the present time. He also impressed on the delegates the fact that Japan had reaped great advantages in every way of settlement and was now in a way where she can demand the respect of nations, being in no danger from foreign aggression.

Marshal Yamagata has added his voice to the others raised in behalf of acceptance of the terms, although he says that the taking of Harbin would have been an easy task. The marshal, whose views are recorded in a lengthy interview in the Nichi Nichi Shimbun, says the continuation of the war would have simply meant the wasting of Japan's energy and resources without the prospect of ade statement by the famous old soldier will have a beneficial effect, as he is

idolized by the whole people. The legations are still guarded, but there were no further evidences of anti-foreign feeling today. It is stated on good authority that the burning of Christian churches and schools was brought by the mob's anger at the stand taken by the Salvation Army against the anti-peace agitation, and not to any general antagonism to the teachings of Christianity on the part of the people. The Harriman party left for Nikko, having abandoned the idea of carrying out the elaborate program arranged for their entertainment in that city.

The attack upon the party on their way to the Sone dinner is regarded as the most deplorable event of the whole outbreak and prominent leaders express the hope that the incident may not result in any break between the two nations.

Ready for Battle. Despite the fact that dispatches

from St. Petersburg have announced that a treaty of peace has been signed the war operations have not ceased and both sides stand ready for a fight Skirmishes have taken place daily during the past three days along the entire front, and each day has seen the shedding of blood uselessly. casualties during the three amount to three officers and eight men killed and about ninety wounded. According to some reports the Japanese are concentrating considerable forces beyond their left flank in the Brainfu district.

The success of Japan in the war with Russia has caused China to begin hiring Japanese military instructors and dropping the German offiheretofore employed. Kaiser Wilhelm is much displeased because of this.

The most gorgeous social affair ever given in Hong Kong was the reception and ball Tuesday night to Secretary Taft and Alice Roosevelt, given by Gov. Nathan in the Hong Kong club.

President Roosevelt has ordered Capt. Fitzhugh Lee, son of the late general of that name, and grandnephew of Gen. Robert E. Lee, to duty at the White House for the social season, next winter. Lieut. U. S. Grant also is stationed at the executive mansion. So the president fortable circumstances, but afraid has at Washington the descendants of

The Rand Powder mills at Fairchance were entirely wiped out by an explosion. Of the thirty-two men who went to work in the mills in the morning, nineteen are known to be dead.

Of these, thirteen have been identified. Scores of people in the town of Fair-chance within half a mile of the powder mills were more or less painfully

The shock of the explosion was distinctly felt in Connellsville twenty miles away, buildings being rocked on their foundatitons. At Uniontown hundreds of panes of glass were broken. In the town of Fairchance there is scarcely a house that did not suffer damage. The sides were bat-tered in as though axes had been

It is said the explosion started in a car of powder and spread to all the buildings of the plant. One of the odd features of the affair is that passenger train No. 52 on the Baltimore & Ohio, northbound from Morgantown to Connellsville, was passing the scene at the time the explosion occurred. The train was jarred tremendously and every window was broken. A number of passengers were cut by the showers of glass which fell about them, but nobody was killed on this train, but it is said that some were very seriously The concussion was like an earthquake to the country roundabout and in the surrounding towns caused great excitement, which was not lessened by the fact that communication

Ellison at Home.

eral miles from here.

Byron Ellison, husband of Mrs. Kittie Ellison, whose testimony convicted Tom Sherman and Frank Weakley of the murder of Joseph Moyer, the Detroit pawnbroker, resumed his duties as stationary engineer in the Thayer building, Kansas City, Monday. Ellison was given a cordial welcome by his friends and acquaintances in the building. Everyone who saw him shook hands with him and in many other ways expressed satisfaction over his return. Several others of the Kansas City Southern Co. went down into the dark sub-basement where Ellison works to tell him they were pleased to see him back and to reiterate their confidence in his integrity.

Mr. Ellison talked freely about his wife and her connection with the men who murdered the Detroit pawnbroker. When asked if he had forgiven his wife, he replied: "Yes, we are fully reconciled. I feel a good deal better than I did. We had a happy family reunion after the trial. She did not know that Sherman and Weakley were criminals; she did not know that a murder had been committed, until after she returned from Cleveland to Detroit. She found it out by reading the papers. Sherman met her at the boat on the way to Cleveland and gave her a small sack containing about \$200 worth of diamonds.

"When she read of the murder she returned to Kansas City for the express purpose of telling me all about it, but she could not muster courage and I read it in the papers. When I heard my wife's name bandied about as an associate of criminals and murderers I went to her. I am very glad I did go."

An Unnatural Mother.

A confessed accomplice in the murder of her 2-year-old daughter, whose mutilated body was subsequently bathed and neatly clad in its best clothes and then tossed into the open doorway of a West Side tenement house in New York, Agnes Hyland, aged 23 years, was locked up. Gustave Denser, a plumber, with whom the woman lived as a housekeeper, is also under arrest. The mother told the police that Denser killed her baby girl Gertrude because it "was in the way, and that she helped to dispose of the body.

According to the mother, the child, who was an attractive, robust youngster, with a profusion of light curly hair and blue eyes, was beaten to death the previous night because Denser, who has three children of his own, objected to her presence in the home.

Aguinaldo, Outlaw Chief.

Capt. W. P. Baker, medical officer of the constabulary, serving in the province of Cavite, while testifying in a libel suit against the Renachiemien to, a native newspaper, declared that Aguinaldo was in league with the native outlaws. He said that evidence to this effect was obtained from captured

"The people understand," he added, that Aguinaldo is the director of the campaign, and supposedly peaceful natives are aiding the move-

ment under the same understanding.' Aguinaldo was challenged to prove otherwise. The testimony has created a sensation.

Two Villages Destroyed.

The villages of New Berlin and Edmeston, New York, were nearly destroyed by a cloudburst which oc-curred Monday evening. It had been raining all day and the streams were very high. About 7:30 o'clock there was a terrific fall of rain and in less than 30 minutes the streams became torrents which swept buildings from their foundations, uprooted trees. washed out telegraph and telephone poles, destroyed railroads running through those villages and washed out great sections of the roads and dozens of bridges.

Ten thousand harvest hands are wanted in the northwest for the wheat harvest, about to begin. Wages range from \$1.75 to \$2.50 a day. Grand Forks, N. D., wants 3,000; Fargo, 1,-000; and a number of others anywhere from 50 to 1,000.

Justice Crutchfield, of Richmond, Va., in sentencing James Gregory, doorstep newspaper thief, to 90 days in the pen, asserted that the theft of a man's newspaper was enough to make

him lose his religion. The Luther Exchange bank, owned by L. Buckner, was broken into Fri day night and the safe door blown off with two charges of dynamite. Some citizens, hearing the explosion, ran out, but were met by three robbers who fired several shots at them and drove them back into their houses. The robbers took a handcar and made off with it, leaving behind them a number of burglars' tools.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

TERRIBLE · EARTHQUAKE BRINGS AWFUL LOSS OF LIFE.

THE RESULTS FAR WORSE THAN FIRST REPORTS OF THE CALAMITY.

ROCKEFELLER IS SAID TO PRE-DICT A SEVERE PANIC COMING.

A violent earthquake Friday morning caused heavy loss of life and widespread destruction in Calabria, Italy. The towns of Pizzo, Monteleone di Calabria and Martirano were almost entirely destroyed. At Monteleone di Calabria seven persons were killed outright and many were injured by the collapse of the prison there. The Pizzo district is said to be almost en-

tirely destroyed. Locally the shocks lasted 18 seconds. The walls of the hospital here collapsed and some of the patients were injured. The inhabitants of this city. on the trolley line was broken off sevfled panic-stricken from their houses. All the houses at Stefaconi have

been wrecked by the earthquake. It is feared that a hundred people are buried in the ruins. The village of Piscopio and Triparni have been destroyed. At Pizzo, Monteleone di Calabria and Martirano, there are numerous victims. The district of Nicastro has also been seriously af-

fected. At Martirano all the buildings collapsed, including the barracks of the gendarmes. Six wounded men have thus far been taken from the ruins. There are other victims.

Troops have arrived at the scene of disaster to help the work of salvage. The latest details obtainable concerning the damage caused in this district by the earthquake show that at Stefaconi houses have been entirely destroyed and it is estimated that a hundred persons were killed.

At Piscopio all the houses were destroyed and 50 persons lost their lives. At Monteleone many houses were destroyed and seven persons were

At San Gregorio according to the estimates 65 persons lost their lives. The village of Zammara is destroyed

entirely.
At Mileto 11 are dead and 200 are injured.

At Cessanisi almost all the houses are destroyed. The number of dead and wounded is not known. costantino and Conidoni are complete-

ly destroyed. The number of victims in these places exceeds 50. At Spilnaga one person was killed.

At Santo Nobrio there are numerous victims. About all the houses in these places

which have not already collapsed threaten to fall in ruins. The effects of the earthquake were more disastrous than at first reported. Dispatches from the south give ever-increasing lists of dead and injured, the numbers now running into

the thousands. Martirano alone shows 2,200 casualties, while at Parghelia the number of dead is estimated at 300 and at Lappolo, 200.

Many persons are still entombed in the ruins in these and other districts and touching scenes are enacted when bodies are recovered and identified by grief-stricken relatives. In some cases whole families have been wiped out. The greatest agitation continues

among the populace. Slight shocks of earthquake are felt occasionally and subterranean rumblings are still heard. Those persons still possessing homes refuse to enter them. Official figures of victims of the earthquake in the province of Catanzaro show that 450 dead have already

been found, that about 1,000 were in-

jured, and that there are an enormous number of persons without shelter.

Rockefeller Prophesies. "Rockefeller predicts that the next 'hard times crisis' will strike country in 1907-8, and that where there were 3,000,000 of men out of work in 1893 there will be from 7,000,000 to 10,000,000 in idleness when the next siege of hard times is upon us.'

Col. W. H. Moore, president of the National Good Roads association, who is stopping at the Majestic hotel, is authority for the statement of Mr. Rockefeller. "The statement was made to me in

conversation with the oil king some time ago," said Col. Moore, "and he declared that the government should not wait till the hour of peril arises, but should legislate to provide work for the idle and be prepared to care for them when the crisis arrives.

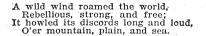
"Mr. Rockefeller bases his statement on the fact that overproduction in all lines will bring about the crisis, and as he has his hand on the financial pulse of the country all the time he is in a position to know. We were talking 'good roads' at the time and it was his idea that proper legislation should be enacted so that idle men could be put to work building roads when the time comes. He declared that it seemed to be the only solution of the problem."

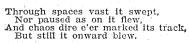
A boodle deal which may require the services of another grand jury may develop in Grand Rapids.

Irving D. Smith, of Lake county, S. D., known as the millionaire farmer of Dakota, is to have a guardian if his. wife can induce the court to grant one. Smith has been very generous of late and has given away to tenants and others property worth \$679,200.

Hugh H. Hanna, of Indianapolis, is being urged as the successor of Secretary of the Treasury Shaw. Mr. Hanwas the leading spirit in the gold. standard movement in the country from 1896 to 1900. He was a warm friend of President McKinley, and was a member of the international monetary commission that visited Europe.

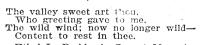
The Wind and the Valley

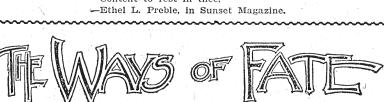




- A valley sweet it found, With peaceful sunshine filled, It swept between the circling sloj With joy its heart was thrilled.
- The valley spurned it not. But loving greeting gave.

 No longer wild, rebelliets, swe
 That wind o'er land and wave.





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"Ten o'clock," said Emogene Gray, on, even though I knew that you were glancing at her watch as she impatiently walked up and down the little platform in front of the dingy country station. "What perverse fate sent me here to this out of the way place anyhow? This extension cuts off forty miles, but then it would have been better to have gone around, as the trains are so irregular that one is liable to come at any moment or it might not come until night. In that case I shall miss the connection and be too late for the wedding." She looked at the track which wound down a sandy bottom and/up a hill slope and lost itself among the green of the pines, and then at the straggling village houses, turning at length with a sigh of impatience and entered the bare little waiting room. The only other passengers was a deaf old minister and his partly blind wife.

The former sat upon one of the long benches which were tacked to the wall, his hands folded before him, the picture of patience while his old wife dozed in the corner. Everything was still and quiet, and at length the old minister spread his handkerchief over his bald head and was soon snoring

Emogene went outside and walked up and down. After a time she sat down upon the edge of the platform, and had just given herself up to reflection when a firm step upon the platform aroused her and she looked up. The tall handsome man who had stepped up on the platform wa in the act of opening a letter, as their eyes met; he crumpled the letter and pushed it into his pocket.

"Emogene!-Can it be possible!" he exclaimed, going up to her and taking

her hand in his.

A flood of crimson swept over her face and left it pale. "Why, Robert!" she exclaimed, a glad light leaping into her eyes. For an instance they were both silent. It has been said that people forget—that hearts grow cold-even learn to hate; but when kindred soul meets soul, no matter how deep the gulf between the wild sweet joy of the heart springs to the "Your husband!" he at length found voice to ask, "where is he?"

"Dead," drawing her hand from his and turning her eyes away.

He took her hand and drew it through his arm as they strolled out under the trees which overshadowed the road. The old minister who had roused from his nap and looked out the door. "Humph!" he muttered, "a meeting of old lovers-but it is the way of youth," and humming the air of an old love song he went and sat beside his wife, and drawing her white head over upon his shoulder kissed

"Your coming into my life, Emogene' was an inspiration—a vista of joy, followed by deep misery and anguish. We cannot guide our hearts: they spring from us without our will or consent. I knew from the first that you were the promised wife of another, and yet my heart went out to you, and I fancied at times that you cared for me also. My uncle and aunt had no tenderness in their natures, and cared for little but making money. I



Walked up and down.

bounty, and my life was never a happy one. You went away with the rest of my aunt's summer boarders, and after a time I heard of your marriage. My aunt's keen eyes read my secret, and she taunted me, telling me that you had but amused yourself at my expense. My heart could not bear her taunts, for it was full to bursting, so I left the farm and went out into the world. It was a tough old battle, and many times I was on the verge of despair, but I thought of you and held

BY LUIU J. POWERS

dead to me. A year ago both my aunt

and uncle died and as they could not

take their money with them they

willed it to me. Now, sweetheart, tell

me of yourself.' "You know," she said sadly, "that I too was an orphan and owed everything to my husband—that man I married. He was years older than I, but he was a noble man. Two years after we married he had some financial reverses and the worry preyed upon him and in less than a year he left me, and since that time I have acted as governess in numerous families. Now I am on my way to attend the mar-

riage of an old school friend." "Quite a coincidence," he said, his face growing white. "I too am on my

way to attend a marriage."



"You must marry me at once. What worries me, though, is that if I am not in time I shall offend an old friend. Sarah wanted me to come last week, and if this train makes me lose my connection she will hardly forgive me. I must confess, however, that I am a little curious to know who the bridegroom will be, as she writes me such strange letters, and has never told me the name of the chosen one yet, although she has written a lot about him. But then Sarah Ashton is always somewhat frivolous, though always good-hearted."

"Sarah Ashton!" exclaimed Robert Halladay, trembling so that he caught the post of a fence to steady himself. 'Good God, Emogene! I am the expected bridegroom!" he groaned. "I can never keep my vows now that I know you are free. Until this hour I thought you were dead to me-another man's wife. Now you shall be mine!" He caught her hand in his.

She pushed him away from her, her face as white as his own. "Your honor and duty demand that you keep your word, that you hasten to Sarah Ashton and make her your wife."

"Darling, can you send me from you when I love you so," holding out his arms to her, "when I long for youdream of you and want you always."

"Good-bye!" though her face was trembling and her very heart bursting, she turned away from him and walked over to the hotel. She could not continue her journey, her soul would not bear it; she must have rest.

Half an hour passed. Along in the seclusion of the little dingy room she gave vent to her feelings and great bursting sobs shook her frame. After a time she grew calmer and sank upon her knees. "Great God!" she prayed, "give me strength to do my duty, and help me to forget this day."

Just then a rap sounded upon the

Emogene arose and bathed her face before she opened the door. As she opened it Robert Halladay stepped into the room and took her in his arms. "Good news, darling," he said, kissing her again and again. "Read this," holding a letter before her astonished eyes.

It was but a few lines in Sarah Ashton's irregular, well known scrawly hand as follows:

Dear Friend:—Doubtlessly you will he greatly surprised, but I hope not greatly grieved when you learn that I have eloped and am happily married this morning to Mr. Smith. We were engaged and loved each other years ago, but paternal authority separated us, etc, etc. Yours in friendship,

SARAH SMITH. "Now, sweetheart, as I cannot be a jilted lover, you must marry me at once."

"Why! How-"

later the old minister performed the ceremony in the hotel parlor, and when the delayed train pulled out from the platform it bore two happy satisfied hearts away upon their bridal

HIS EDITORIAL QUICKLY READY. New York Paper Tells Good Story on

Southern Journalist. A certain editorial writer on the staff of a Southern newspaper was inclined to dilatoriness during certain periods of conviviality, and caused thereby much concern in the breast of the foreman of the composing room just prior to the moment when the forms must go to press. But the writer was a part owner of the paper and could not well be discharged, since he occupied the position of managing editor. Many times the editorials were late and the paper delayed in going to press, but the delinquent writer always made good after a fashion. Finally he hit upon a scheme when he was called upon at the last moment expediency, be called the art of gen-

The hour was very late and no leading editorial had gone to the composing room. In frantic haste the foreman sent for the editorial writer, and only after half an hour was he located in a near-by saloon and much the worse for his dalliance there. He grasped the intelligence that he had forgotten his leading column, and made his way as fast as he could to his office. Snatching a piece of copy paper in one hand, he caught up a copy of the New York Times with the other, and from it clipped a leading editorial, which he pasted on the paper. Then he wrote:

"We cannot agree with the New York Times when it says:" The editorial of the Times was copied, the paper went to press, and the editor back to the saloon.-New York

Cheat the Elephants.

"Billiardists who have been afraid the scarcity of ivory would kill the game have another guess coming,' said an old player, as he chalked his cue the other day. "I've been playing with billiard balls made of artificial ivory, which was so nearly like the kind the elephants furnish that you wold not notice the difference. Elephants are getting pretty scarce, you know, and elephant tusks are now almost as rare as genuine Navajo off, the first into its open mouth and blankets. You know it is only the the second into its neck as it turned choicest of tusk ivory that can be its head. That stopped it effectually used for billiard balls. One year ago and it never got into the water. The regulation two and three-eighth inch next day we found another crocodile ivory balls could be purchased for \$8. and my friend got it just above the Now they cost \$16 apiece. The ad-shoulder. That was not enough to vance in the price of ivory was stop it, but we both fired as it was simultaneous with and strikingly sim- getting into the water and one bullet ilar to the constantly growing value hit it in front of the quarters. They of diamonds. Billiardists have maintained that only with ivory balls could the delights of the game be realized. minutes, and then looking about I This meant that within a few years only millionaires, kings, or princes tom of the stream. It looked dead could hope to indulge in the game enough, so we got hold of the end of which dates back to the time of the the tail and pulled it ashore. Pharaohs.

are practically indestructible. They ty enough to bite a paddle in two, are celluloid and bone and hard rub though the legs were paralyzed and it ber and are then sandpapered and pol-

Where Oil Was Needed.

He was dying, so the schoolbook says, dying in Algiers;
There was lack of antiseptics and dearth of woman's tears;
But a Red Cross man approached him and he murmured soft and low
That up upon his cistern some oil would have to go.

Now, this soldier of the legion knew English words a few,
And to him the sound of "cistern" was not exactly new.

Still the word conveyed but little to his unreceptive mind,
And he asked in simple language for a plain reply in kind.

Then they spoke in accents soothing, how this oil the germs would kill,
And the wicked stegomyia would become the same as nil.

But still they had to tell him and make it to him plain
That he had been mistaken and that no one who was sane
Could ever think that "cistern" the same as "system" meant—
That never oil—excepting cod—was on the "system" spent.
And so he died a peaceful death and never was dismayed
When ward clubs came in his back yard and kerosene was sprayed.

—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Copper Exported to China.

More than 22,000 tons of copper have been exported to China from America this year. The unusual quantity has excited attention, and inquiries of the trade have elicited two explanations. One is that a new coinage is necessary in China, because the old has been gradually melted down for the manufacture of cartridges. The other is that the process of smelting the metal is so imperfect that the smelted copper contains small quantities of gold, and this the astute Chinese contrive to extract. Vast quantities of copper disappear constantly in China from one cause or another.

Distinguished College President. Rev. David H. Buel, the new president of Georgetown University, is a son of Col. David H. Buel, U.S.A. He was graduated from Yale in 1883 and has been successively instructor in classics at Holy Cross college, classics and higher mathematics at St. Francis Xavier college, professor of physics at St. John's college and of physics and mechanics at Georgetown university.

Suspicious.

The following item appeared in the Bacon Ridge Banner:

"One night last June the editor heard someone prowling about in his chicken coop. Not having any shot handy he loaded the gun with quinine pills and blazed away. The intruder was peppered, but managed to crawl away. As there is only one man in the village who has not had the agne He stopped her mouth. Half an hour | this season we have our suspicions."

INTENSE HEAT PRODUCES PRECIOUS STONES.

Scientists Have Succeeded in Plucking Real Diamonds and Rubies from the Crucible of the Furnace.

Recent advices from France state that Prof. Moissan, the eminent scientist and inventor, has actually succeeded in making genuine diamonds and rubies. He employs for this purpose the electric furnace, which has been so improved that a degree of heat can be produced, approaching the extreme temperatures, which were undoubtedly a factor in the formation of minerals and gems in the interior of the earth.

The rubies obtained are of large size, weighing 10 or 15 carats, and in quality and color equal and even sur-ૡૢૻૺૡઌૢ૿ૡઌૢ૿૱ૢ૾૱ૢ૽ૡઌૢ૿ૡઌૢ૿ૡઌૢ૿ૡઌૢ૿૱ૢ૿૱ૢ૽૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺ૱ૢૺૹૢ૿ૹૢ૿ૹ૿૾ૢૹઌ૿ૢ૽૱૿ૢ૾૱ૢ૿ૺઌૢ૿૱૿ૢ૽૱૿ૢૺઌ pass those found in the earth. The natural forces attending the formation for "copy" that may, in all justice to of diamonds seem to have been more complicated, and so far the diamonds resulting from the efforts of the scientists have been very small, but still they are positively identified as the carbon crystal-the diamond. They are remarkably clear and bright, and on a small scale as fine specimens as **************** nature's own product.

The electric furnace has enriched chemistry with a whole series of new compounds. Probably the one of most value to mankind at large is Calcium Carbide. The simple application of water to Calcium Carbide generates the gas Acetylene, which is now being commonly used for light

The peculiar merits of Acetylene light are its brilliance and high candle power, ease of installation, economy and its adaptability for lighting buildings of every description, regardless of their location.

CROCODILES HARD TO KILL.

Many Bullets Necessary to Put End to One's Existence.

Shooting crocodiles in India is a ittle like shooting mud turtles. A hunter describes the sport: "We suddenly came on our first crocodile about a mile from camp, asleep on the bank, with its mouth open, not more than twenty yards from us. It' started to get away, but I fired two shots as quickly as I could get them sometimes come up again when wounded, so we waited about twenty saw it lying on its back at the bot gave it two more shots, one in the "Yes, sir, they are now making ivory neck and the other in the middle of balls that won't catch cold, and they the back, and it then still had vitali-

Pigeons Mate for Life.

could not move."

Monogomists always, pigeons have given centuries of proof of their absolute fidelity to their marriage vows. The task of the breeder and trainer has been facilitated by the fact that pigeon matings were for life. It has been found that pigeons in captivity, even in the artificial atmosphere of one loft occupied by gay newcomers of all varietics, when once they have been married can be relied upon to stay together unless foreibly separated, and then return if ever set at liberty. Some birds have even cooed their silver wedding song, as there are substantiated cases of pigeons who have lived together for twenty-five

His Biting Sarcasm.

"My nephew, Horace, who recently graduated from the village academy, comin' out with a whole lot more hair and considerable less horse sense than he took in with him," said the old codger, with even more than his usual acridity, "announces that he will marry the girl of his choice despite all opposition. If the audience will kindly remain seated we will now have the pleasure of hearing from the young lady."—Puck.

When Leading Camels.

When a number of camels travel they are usually led by a strong buil who keeps the rest in order. If the leader should fall ill, or be absent from any other cause, the herd almost invariably mutinies. In Asia Minor the duty of leading camel caravans is frequently deputed to donkeys. This may sound curious, but it must be remembered that in the east the donkey is an important animal.

Plan to Study Birds. For the purpose of studying the habits of birds of passage a "vogelwarte" has been established at Rossiten, in eastern Prussia, where birds are to be caught and liberated again after small rings have been attached to their feet. The directors request that the feet of such ringed birds killed anywhere be sent to them.

A Quaint Saying.

One day an elderly teacher was questioning Dorothy as to her knowledge. As Dorothy was only 4, the questions asked were rather deep. The teacher was satisfied, however, when on asking Dorothy what a dream was, the child replied, "Dreams are pictures the angels show us when we are

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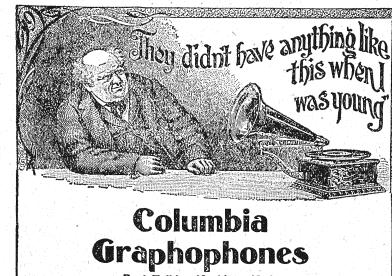
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Randall Cooley, who has been visiting friends here and at Shabbona for several weeks, left Tuesday morning for Kalamazoo where he will attend

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klinkman returned home Tuesday from Buffalo having been called to that city on account of the death of Mrs. Klinkman's

At the Presbyterian church the time for the Sunday evening services will be changed from 7:30 to 7:00 o'clock, commencing next Sunday evening.

called out of town by the serious illness of a friend. C. L. Spencer is looking after his business during his Mrs. G. L. Hitchcock and little daughter. Gladys, are in Detroit this

week where the latter is receiving medical treatment for an affection of Mrs. Mary Fischell, who has been

to remain with her sister, Mrs. S. Ostrander. Mrs. Bainbridge of Wyoming, Pa. and her daughter, Mrs. Griffin of

and family. H. L. Hunt went to Caro on Mon-

before returning home. H. L. McDermott was taken suddenly ill last week with appendicitis and has been in a very critical condition ever since. Miss Mary Greer has been installed as nurse.

Rev. D. W. Leonard of Mancelona visited with friends in town Saturday. Mr. Leonard came to Unionville on Monday preceding with the remains of his wife who died at Mancelona.

John Morrison of Grayling was the guest of friends in town this week on his return from Detroit where he had been on a business trip. He also visited with his parents at Gagetown.

The members of St. Pancratius church and congregation celebrated the first anniversary of the dedication members of the local Orange lodges Catholic church at this place by holding services early Tuesday morning.

J. F. Hendrick left Tuesday morning for Mt. Clemens to take medical treatment for rheumatism at the sanitarium. It is hoped by his many friends that the treatment may prove beneficial.

Miss Lillian Goff, who has been in Detroit several weeks, spent Sunday at her parental home here. On Monday she left for Brown City where she has accepted a position in a millinery store for the season.

Miss Esther Striffler, who was the delegate from the local Y. P. A. soville, gave her report Sunday evening at the Evangelical church and it proved an interesting one to those

Miss Norah Frutchey of Nazareth, Pa., and Miss Nettie Frutchey of Bangor, Pa., who have been the guests Monday morning for Rochester, where they will spend a few weeks with friends before returning home.

Mrs. Mary McCallum, aged ninetysix years, died at her home in Pert here Monday for interment in Elk-

Neuralgia And Other

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land cemetery. Her remains were accompanied here by her son. She was formerly a resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McArthur, who have spent several weeks in British vestern points, returned to their home here last Saturday. They report a delightful trip and are quite enthusiasic over the west and its possibilities.

several times in our columns, is steadshort walks. Her many friends rejoice with her because of her return-C. A. Jones, the bicycle man, was

> Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John teaching and mission training they Wooley. Mrs. Underwood is a sister soon learn to do many things, such as of Mr. Wooley and Mrs. Simpson is a reading, sewing, etc., and become sister of Mrs. Wooley. The trip from Bay City was made with horses and

A crew of Moore telephone linemen have been at work here the past week spending several months with friends installing several rural telephones in near Attica, has returned to Cass City this vicinity. Four were placed this week with more to follow. They are: A. Walmsley, 39-4 r; Dana Losey, 39-2 r; John Walmsley, 39-3 r; A. J. Wallace, 39-1 l, 1 s.

Cleveland, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. Bainbridge's brother, N. Gable, the services of Miss Edna MacNall of Tuesday evening, "Apple Blossoms," nery establishment for the coming presented by the same company. Reday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. season. She arrived Tuesday evening. | fined musical specialties will be given H. E. Hunt, of Detroit who will visit | Miss MacNall has had several years' friends and relatives at that place experience in Michigan towns and partment by the Misses McCallum and their program of musical numbers at Bildstein.

> O. C. Wood threshed his wheat this iterranean variety which averages in supported by a company of musicians. weight 66 pounds to the bushel. This was his first experience with this solo and play her own piano accompturns. He also has a freak of nature on his farm which he exhibits with pride to visitors in the form of a crabapple tree filled with fragrant blos-

> Last Friday evening about twenty gathered at the home of Mrs. John ideal evening except perhaps the ab- the crosswalk, and when the train

about forty-five of her lady friends at the wheels of the car. As it was, no ciety to the state convention at Nash- her home on Church street last Friday one was killed, but nearly everyone evening. The evening was spent in a of the occupants were more or less injolly manner. Each guest was given jured. Mrs. J. B. Stevens has been a tiny bag containing twelve beans confined to her bed since the accident and forfeited one bean every time she with an injured spine. A little baby answered "yes" or "no" when conversing with any of the guests. At She was found uninjured under the the close of the contest it was found seat. that Mrs. A. A. McKenzie had the of Mr. and Mrs. A. Frutchey, left largest number of beans and she was awarded the prize-a can of baked Get my old knapsack, Mary, and my uni-After this the guests. were asked to illustrate a familiar piece of music by a drawing. Mrs. G. A. Striffler won the prize by guessing Huron and her remains were brought what the largest number of the illus-

> superintendent of the Loyal Temperance Legion work for the past year and a half, has been obliged to resign on account of her school work at Deford. Last Saturday she gave a reception at her home on Woodland evenue for the members of the society. There were nearly sixty present to partake of the nicely prepared lunch. The L. T. L. presented Miss Anderson For I'm going out paradin' with the boys with a gold ring, Miss Jessie Duncanson making the presentation speech, to which she responded in a few well chosen words and asked the boys and girls to keep up the temperance work.
>
> All had an enjoyable time. Miss with a gold ring, Miss Jessie Duncan-All had an enjoyable time. Miss Anderson is to be congratulated for the successful manner in which she conducted the temperance work among the boys and girls.

Card of Thanks. The undersigned wishes to extend

her heartfelt thanks to the neighbors position. and friends who so kindly assisted her during the illness and at the time of the death of her husband.

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As was announced last week, Miss Barelay, a missionary from Cuba, gave a lecture on mission work in that country, at the Baptist church on Tuesday afternoon and evening. The Columbia, Washington and other subject was the manners and customs of the women and girls of Cuba. Miss Barclay was sent to that country five years ago at the close of the Cuban war and has succeeded in mastering the Spanish language which is spoken Mrs. A. A. P. McDowell, whose there, and established mission schools serious illness has been mentioned in several cities and the country surrounding them. The conditions were ily improving in health. She has so somewhat strenuous after the war, far recovered as to be able to take but the missionaries met with very little opposition except in one or two instances during the five year's work. The women and girls there are ignor-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Underwood and ant as they are always found in Mrs. Simpson, all of Bay City, spent heathen countries, but with Bible

> quite efficient. More Locals on Last Page. คโรงก็รที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใจที่เขาใ

The Stage

At the Hitchcock opera house next Monday evening, Oliver Labadie presents "In Louisiana," the sweetest Mrs. M. J. McGillvray has secured story ever told of southern life. On Flint, as head trimmer in her milli- a drama picturing western life will be between acts

Manager Hitchcock has secured the cities and comes highly recommended. Hadermann company, makers of mu-She is assisted in the trimming de sic and inventors of laughs, to present the opera house on Thursday evening, Sept. 21. Miss Jennie Haderweek and from nine acres of ground mann, lady cornet soloist and solo he had 212 bushels of the Fultzo-Med- pianist, is the leading artist and is Miss Hadermann will render a cornet variety of wheat and he expresses animent. This is a most difficult feat himself quite satisfied with the re- and must be seen to be appreciated. Other members of the company are D. H. Hadermann, slide cornet soloist, Little Miss Sydney Farmer, child impersonator and musician, and Fred B. Morrison, saxaphone soloist.

NINE PERSONS WERE INJURED.

Saturday evening as the Jackson louse bus was leaving the Pere Mar-McBurney, one of their members, quette depot at Yale, after the westnorthwest of town, to spend a social bound passenger train had pulled out, evening. The young folks indulged it was struck by the rear end of a in games in which some of the older freight train which was backing out ones joined, too, and all had a jolly of the switch. The bus, which contime. Readings and songs also form- tained nine people, all relatives of Dr. ed a part of the entertainment and and Mrs. Stevens of Yale, was demolthen came a bountiful repast to ished, and it was a miracle that all which all did ample justice. There were not killed. The bus was tipped was nothing lacking to make it an over and was shoved from the road to sence of the fife and drum, but never- was finally stopped, the caboose was theless a most enjoyable time is re- partly over the wreckage. Had the train gone three feet further, the Mrs. M. M. Wickware entertained people would have been ground under was the last one taken from the bus.

WITH THE BOYS OF THE SIXTIES.

form of gray,
Get my battered helmet, Mary, I'll need,
them all to-day;
Get my canteen and my leggings, hand me
down my trusty gun
For I'm going out paradin' with the boys
of '61.

what the largest number of the illustrations suggested. Refreshments were served and all report a delightful evening.

Miss Mabel Anderson, who has been superintendent of the Loval Temper.

These old clothes don't fit me. Mary, like they did when I was young,
Don't you remember how neatly to my manly form they clung?

Never mind that sleeve that's empty, let it For I'm going out paradin' with the boys of '63.

Pull my sword belt tighter, Mary, fix that strap beneath my chin, I've grown old and threadbare, Mary, like my uniform, and thin. But I reckon I'll pass muster, as I did in days

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EAST DAYTON. Beulah Cunningham has the

chicken-pox.

School commenced Sept. 11 with

Miss Milligan of Caro as teacher. Randson Wilkins entertained his parents from Mayville the first of the

Mrs. Frank Middaugh and son, Kenneth, spent Saturday and Sunday n Silverwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crittenden of Caro spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Geo. Green. A number of the old soldiers and

of their comrades near Kingston Saturday. All report a good time. The ladies of Bethel Aid will meet

members are requested to be present as it is the semi-annual election of officers. A special meeting of the M. E. Aid

is called for Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Riley. As there is important business it is expected that there will be a good attendance of the members. Rev. D. Earl and family of Goodells

spent a few days here with their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Cunningham, relatives at Yale and Valley Centre. on their way to Gagetown, where he is stationed by the M. P. church for the coming year.

J. W. Crittenden left on Monday for day. Flint to attend the 33rd annual reunion of the 10th Michigan infantry regiment of which he is a member. He expects to once more meet a few of those with whom he marched and

CANBORO.

Miss Emma Kinietz was a Cass City

caller Saturday. Lewis Jarvis transacted business in Elkton Thursday.

Wm. W. Parker was a Cass City caller Wednesday. Gladys Markle of Detroit is visiting

relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Bower of Elkton is plastering H. Mellendorf's new house. Vila Moore of Elkton spent Sunday

with the Misses Mae and Lizzie Walsh.

Rev. Niece will preach in the Can-

boro church Sunday afternoon, Sept. The Misses Maggie and Sadie Burleigh were Owendale callers

Thursday. H. Mellendorf and sons, Joseph and John, did business in Elkton Wednes-

Mrs. S. Lown and daughter, Mrs. Ed Dulmage were Owendale callers

Friday evening. Jas. Parker of Purdy's Crossing spent Sunday with friends and relatives in this vicinity. SHABBONA.

Born, on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Claud Shaw, a girl.

Wnr. Leach and children visited relatives near Elmwood Sunday. Maggie Davidson started school in

the McHugh district Tuesday last. Bert, Sisson of Imlay City was a business caller in town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bullis are rejoic-

ing over the arrival of a young son. Relatives from Elmwood were the guests of Wm. Leach and family last week.

Some of the L. D. Saints of this their families from here surprised one place attended church at Deckerville Sunday. Another little girl has come to glad-

den the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sept. 14 with Mrs. J. Woodcock. All Buterbaugh. Geo. Parrott returned Wednesday

from Gaylord where he has been visiting relatives. Dr. Williams of Lamotte made a professional call on W. F. Ehlers

Monday evening. Wm. Spencer, W. Winters and Geo. Fisher returned Wednesday from their prospecting tour in the north.

Mrs. E. A. Keyworth returned Thursday from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown attended

the funeral of the latter's grandmoth-

er, Mrs. Wardell, at Novesta Wednes-Mrs. Joe Brown returned Saturday from Pontiac where she spent the

past week owing to the illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Wardell.

HAY CREEK.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing. John Pringle made a business trip to Caro Saturday.

Wm. Loney and Daniel Urquhart visited with friends near Bad Axe on Sunday. Edgar Wilson has rented a farm in

Lamotte and expects to move onto it next spring. Nelson Bradley has bought a farm

near Laing and expects to move onto it in the spring. Mr. Herdell of Argyle was a guest at the home of John McCool one ev-

ening last week. Henry McQueen of Tilsonburg returned home Friday after spending a couple of days with his brother, David.

George Mack Davis is busily engaged drawing brick from Cass City for the purpose of vaneering his residence.

Mrs. Robert McQueen of Courtland, Ontario, is visiting her son, David McQueen, who is some better at this

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friends here Wednesday.

their new cottage Tuesday. The Heronemus Brothers and Lynn

Beers are sporting new buggies. T. McPherson is contemplating city life as soon as the harvest is com-

thresher.

Mrs. A. Shaw has returned from Oakley where she has spent the last three weeks.

Mrs. McKenney's peach orchard seems to be quite an attraction to the boys these days.

I. Guy and family from Saginaw are preparing to move here as soon as circumstances permit.

Reports say the boys had a high time Sunday evening in surreptitious-E. Shaw's patch.

ARGYLE.

H. Patterson spent Sunday at Cass

Mr. Smayfield spent Sunday at his

nome in Peck Mrs. A. King has returned from her

County Drain Commissioner Smith of Minden was in town on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarty trans-

visit in Chicago.

acted business in Cass City Monday. Mrs. J. W. Umphrey and son, Guy, visited in Pontiac and Detroit this

Ambrose Herdell and son. Emmet. attended the State Fair at Detroit this week.

Mrs. W. Yakes of Seattle, Washington, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Geo. Quite a number from here attended for the ensuing year.

the funeral of Jos. Gruber at Freiburger Monday. Misses Edythe McConnell and Laura

Proctor of Sandusky spent Sunday at sick list. the former's home. Miss Jennie McIntyre acted as sales-

lady in Mrs. J. W. Umphrey's store during her absence. Mr. and Mrs. B. Bullock of Deckerville attended the Bullock-Carruthers

wedding last week. Miss Grace Striffler went to Detroit the first of the week to learn the latest styles in millinery.

Mr. Ottley of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Sharpe of Cassopolis visited at the home of Dr. D. McNaughton last

Mr. Burns, superintendent of the orphans' home at Coldwater, transacted business in town Monday and Tuesday.

The young people gave Mary Sandham a farewell party Friday evening previous to her departure for Owosso where she will attend college.

Lillian Spaetzel and Wm. Watson were married last week Wednesday. They will make their future home at Carsonville. Congratulations.

The juveniles gave Maud Patterson a pleasant surprise party Monday evening, the event being her fourteenth birthday. All report a good

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from appendicitis and peritonitis. To revent and cure these awful diseases there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, of 14 Custom Bouse Times, says: "They have no equal for Constination and Biliousness." 25c at L. I. Wood & Co's., druggists.

WILMOT.

Ella Heartt attended the Pontiac Lesday Day has moved into Mr.

Cook's house. Benjamin Coan was in town Tues-

Ed Heartt has moved in the house

he bought of his father. Mrs. Summers has gone to Flint to

visit her son who is sick. The Minegar house has been sold to Mr. Henderson of Novesta.

Mr. Molten went to Detroit Wed-

nesday to purchase new goods. Thomas. Mapley sold a team of horses to parties from Novesta.

A number from here attended the State Fair at Detroit this week.

Mr. Molten has moved into the house which he recently purchased.

Mrs. Cleveland of Cass City visited friends in town Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. W. B. Westerby has returned from Tuscola, where she has been vis-

Wm. Ashler of Highland, Oakland

ELMWOOD.

Frank Hendrick was on the sick

Miss Barager is working at Joe Dodge's.

Bert Hendrick is numbered with the sick.

Miss Mabel King arrived here last Wednesday. Chas. Hammond and wife were in

Caro Saturday. Bay Crane and family were in Cass

City Saturday night. Glen Lockwood and Claude Webster were in Cass City Saturday night.

DEFORD.

Cucumbers are at their best this

Mrs. S. Pratt has recovered from a two weeks' serious illness.

R. D. Lewis is working on the rail road for P. Daugherty of this place.

Mrs. Emerick, Sr., who has been quite ill for a day or two, is improving

this week. J. Frutchey's elevator is nearing completion and will be ready for use

tained in a delightful manner at the home of J. R. Lewis on Monday even-John Brooks has been on the sick ing and by Mrs. Shirk Tuesday even-

> There are only forty pupils enrolled in school thus far. Miss Anderson urges that the other pupils be enrolled as soon as possible. It means

Mr. Stowell and family plan on going to Los Angeles, Calif., in the near future, where they will make their home. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

The Warner family, who live one for several weeks with typhoid fever but are doing very well now under the excellent care of Dr. Howell.

The conference year closed last Sunday evening and Rev. Emerick preached a very fitting closing sermon from the text found in Phil. 1:27. All wish to welcome Rev. Emerick back

KINGSTON.

Little Lottie Kennedy is on the

L.J. Miller returned from the north

Gen. Soper of Marlette is the guest of R. King.

Mrs. Anderson of Wilmot was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Karr visited friends near Cass City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Randall visited near Rochester this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ross made a trip to Sanilac Centre Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Noble are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mrs. Geo. Weldon left Saturday for Pinconning to visit relatives. Mrs. Wm. Weldon of Cass City vis

ited friends in town Tuesday. Rev. Wallace is attending the M. E. conference in Detroit this week.

Mrs. Karr entertained company from Cass City one day last week.

Mrs. Akens of Lum is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Alward. Mrs. Rae of Gilford is visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rossman. Mrs. Phelps, who has been very ill, seems to be improving very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Randall are vis-

iting relatives at Rochester this week. the State Fair at Detroit this week. Fernando Ealy of Detroit was the guest of Miss Maude Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston of North Branch were callers in town Thurs-

Mrs. Endersbee and daughter, Flora, of Cass City visited at J. B. Hartsell's

Mr. Young and daughter, Veda. left Thursday morning to visit friends near Oxford. Mr. and Mrs. Dorland of Imlay City

are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Fred Taylor. Chas. Williams returned to Detroit

Monday evening after spending a few days with friends in town...

Mrs. Z. Bartholomew left Tuesday to visit friends and relatives at Pontiac, Dryden and Metamora.

Mrs. Collins returned home from Marlette Saturday after visiting friends for the past two weeks.

Misses Pearl and Wanda Randall pork or corn and if necessary make a went to Detroit Monday morning to learn the latest styles in millinery.

Remember the chicken-pie supper to be served in the Baptist church parlors Saturday evening of this week. Mrs. Wm. Ruggles, Sr., of Marlette, Mrs. Wm. Ruggles, Jr., of California

and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ruggles of Marlette visited relatives here Sun-Word was received here this week from Detroit of the marriage of Jas. Veitch and Miss Emma Taylor. Both are highly respected young people of

WEST GREENLEAF.

congratulations.

this place and all join in extending

Bean harvesting has commenced. Earl Somerville of Cass City attended church at the town hall Sunday.

T. McCaslin and Willie Wright made a business trip to Caro last week. Mrs. G. P. Gaffney of Detroit is vis- Monday. iting her aunt, Mrs. John Wright, at

Dr. Jameson and Miss Ethel Craw of Caro were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kolb Tuesday. Mrs. Forrin is visiting friends near

Wickware and Cumber before returning to her home in Detroit. STRIKES HIDDEN ROCKS.

are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Con sumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was get-Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronBEAULEY.

Everybody is busy drawing in beans and sowing fall wheat.

Rev. Brians has gone to Conference but he is petitioned back,

Mr. Redman of St. Louis is visiting at the home of E. Reader. John H. Moore and wife spent a few days with relatives in Ailsa Craig,

Ont., returning home Tuesday. Mrs. Ireland and little son, Allen, and Dr. E. M. Highfield of Detroit are visiting friends here at present.

Little Pauline Thompson, who mile south of here, have been afflicted suffered a slight stroke, is able to walk around and hopes are entertained for her complete recovery.

> If knowledge is power why not so for the farmer just as much as for others. 'Tis said that this is an age of brain not muscle, and as brain has always ruled muscle the farmer must learn and make use of his learning if he would have the power that is his requested as the annual election of due. He must learn to mind his own officers will take place. business as all others do; know how to buy, sell and vote.

> Michigan has the honor of starting something educational for the farmer, namely, the farmers' institute, in which one can learn what others know giving your own knowledge in return. The Grange secured the passage of the law creating the inter-state commerce commission and the railroads for the first time were told that they could go so far and no farther. The Grange started fourteen years ago to demand some benefits from the free delivery of mail and the rural mail box of today is a testimonial in almost every county of the country of the success of their efforts along this line. their new automobile Sunday. The We are told that there is a farmer in boys are well pleased with their new the president's cabinet, his appointment secured by the Grange. There are now 1,000,000 Grangers

and they are going to continue to work until they have two deliveries a day on the rural routes and at the same time demand the parcel post. In Germany eleven pounds are carried for a small sum, here but four pounds can be sent. Then the Grange is going to secure national aid for good roads and is asking for \$24,000,000 for Rye No.2. it. Surely if the Ohio river boatmen are entitled to \$50,000,000 of aid for that short stretch of waterway, all June..... the millions of miles of roads should Barley, per cwt..... have \$24,000,000 of aid. Now, when the Grange, which is the farmer, can do so much, why should he not fee Quite a number from here attended encouraged and in being able to tell Eggs per doz. just what he can afford to sell a bush- Butter.... el of wheat for and make a reasonable profit, set the price through the Sheeplive weight, per D...... Grange and not have someone else Lambs.... tell him what they will pay for his Live Veal. produce. Surely it is time he was

tending to his own business. In New York there is a club which Ducks it costs \$20,000 to join the dues are Geese \$2,000 a year and one can not get in even as a spectator unless he has a special card. The building cost several million dollars and the club is Ceresota, per cwt.... called "New York produce exchange." What do they produce? Nothing, Graham flour per cwt they never dug an ounce of coal, never grew a bushel of wheat, never manufactured an article of any kind, yet in Bran per cwt..... their club they fix the price of our wheat and butter, of wool and everything we grow. They get the cream and leave us the skimmed milk. In the building are hundreds of telegraph instruments that click, click fixing the price they will pay you and me. They do produce corners in wheat,

All this will be stopped some day by organization. In New Jersey these fellows would pay but \$6 a ton for tomatoes, but the Grange members got together and refused to raise tomatoes unless guaranteed \$8 a ton. They got it and have been getting it for eight years.

AKRON.

Rev. Ainge preached his farewell sermon Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Partlo visited at

C. W. Stacy's Sunday. Minnie James has been ill the past week but is recovering.

Dr. Treadgold entertained his father from Uply Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Burrows and children of Port Huron are visiting Mrs. Clarence Mallory.

C. W. Stacy disposed of a fine pair of drivers to Steven Buhl of Bay City Dr. and Mrs. Treadgold and daugh-

ter, Fay, are attending the State Fair this week. Clinton Stanton is moving to Sebe-

waing this week and will engage in the livery business. Mrs. Mark Jansen and daughter, Belle, are visiting in Detroit and will

also attend the State Fair. Geo. P. Honeywell has disposed of his property to parties of Eaton Rapids and is closing out his stock of furniture and other goods at cost.

INCREDIBLE BRUTALITY. It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica TOWN-LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sole visited at Wilmot Sunday.

John McCracken and Geo. O'Rourke spent Sunday at Caseville.

Mr. and A. A. Livingston of northwest Novesta were Town-line callers Monday.

The Leeks Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. W. Robinson

Thursday. Laura Warner, who has been very sick with typhoid fever, is some better at this writing.

We are sorry to hear of the serious ickness of Mrs. J. Crittenden of Oregon, formerly of this place. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin of Sagi-

naw visited the former's brother, Geo. Martin, a few days this week. The Leek W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Eli Leek Thursday, Sept. 21, at two o'clock. A good attendance is

HOLBROOK. Mrs. Frank Hill and Laura Hill of Pt. Huron spent last week with friends

Miss Codling of Sheridan was the quest of her sister, Mrs. E. Jackson, Saturday.

here.

Mrs. Myron of Port Huron is visitng her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Livingston. Mrs. M. J. Kivel, who has been

spending the summer with friends here, returned to her home in Port Huron Saturday. Thos. and Alma O'Brine and Stanley Jackson made their first trip in

machine. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mathews are spending the week at the State Fair. The Misses Patrick and Barnes are attending to the duties at the store during their absence.

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Order of Hearing.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola,

t STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office in the Village of Caro on the 21st day of August in the year one thousand nine hundred and five, Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Stella M. Davis, deceased. On reading and filling the petition, duly verified, of William B. Davis praying that administration of said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person. It is ordered that Monday the 18th day of September next at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Court be assigned for said hearing. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the Tri-County Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[PROBATE SEAL.] 8-25-4 Judge of Probate.

Probate Notice.

Arthur Chard of Marlette visited

Mr. and Mrs. E. Philpot moved into

A. Leffler recently purchased an in-

terest in J. Wilson's new steam ly abstracting muskinglons from Mrs. in a very short time.

A number from this vicinity are attending the State Fair at Detroit

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you

ting no better when I began to take ompletion and will be ready for use in a very short time.

Miss Mabel Anderson was enter
Mis TELEGRAPHERS

good habits to

LEARN TELEGRAPHY

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola,

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola, made on the 21st day of August A. D., 1905, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Robert Wallace late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the Village of Caro, for examination and allowance, on or before the 21st day of February A. D., 1905, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on Tuesday the 21st day of November A. D., 1905, and on Wednesday the 21st day of February A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forennon of each of those days.

Dated August 21, A. D. 1905.

JOHN M. SMITH,

[PROBATE SEAL.] 8-25-4 Judge of Probate.

How many women realize that menstruction is the balance wheel of a woman's life, and while no woman is entirely free from periodical suffering, it is not the plan of nature that women



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PAINFUL PERIODS Sailors Have Sport Racing Turtles

and Bet on Their Finish-Gambler Thinks Track Should Be Built for Them.

"I have heard of horse races, bicyele races, foot races, dog races, and a dozen different kinds of races, but never before in my long life have I heard of a turtle race," mused Lem Fugle, the sage, philosopher and guide of the battery, yesterday afternoon, as he hung his feet over the stern of the tugboat E. S. Booth, and puffed nonchalantly at the pipe of peace.

"Yes," he continued, "that is the story brought in by the steamship Queen Eleanor from Samarang and Aden. A friend o' mine, who is a stoker on the Queen, told me they had a reg'lar Saratoga during the trip over. The sailors bet their money and when that was lost staked their dunnage on races between a score of big snapping turtles, which were brought over by the men simply to have a little sport with.

"On the second day out the sailors dug out a half dozen of the monster snappers and pasted numbers on their the necks of the turtles, the bets were | American.

Start Big Snappers Across Deck | placed, and the snappers salled away from the 'post' in a manner much similar to the way the horses leave the scratch line at a race track.

"The after deck of the steamer was made a race track. There was a real bookmaker, and several dollars of real money changed hands. The heavy losers wailed and declared No. 3 or No. 6 was a dead one, and could not get around the track unless it was carried."

Lem Fugle refilled his pipe and looked wistfully at the entries in tomorrow's races, carefully picking out the winners, and assuring the reporter what a "cinch" Mad Mullah would be "for show."

"I have gambled on every kind of race that has ever been run, with the tion of control, representing a savthink it is up to the sports of New York to build a track for racing the crust covered creatures. You can put me down on the list as a charter member of the Metropolitan Turtle Racing association," said Mr. Fugle, and the tugboat E. S. Booth left her mooring at Pier No. 4, East river, and started backs. Strong ropes were tied around down the bay for a tow.-New York

Charles Wesley's Seven Thousand Hymns

in His Sacred Writings-Commenced at the Age of Twenty-

Wonder is always expressed and doubts arise when the statement is made that the Rev. Charles Wesley, a clergyman of the Church of England, actually wrote seven thousand hymns during his lifetime. This statement is verified by the publication over his own signature of thirty-nine books of poetry, sacred and secular. It is doubtful if there exists a hymn book adopted by any religious denomination which does not contain several of his sacred songs.

Thomas Moore wrote very few sacred songs, but of these few one stands out pre-eminent and will be sung till time be no more by the peo-ple of this whole earth. "This song, that always reaches the heart, is 'Come, Ye Disconsolate," found in almost every hymn book and never accredited to the author.

The Rev. Charles Wesley must wrote on horseback while traveling of other sacred writers.

Founder of Church Indefatigable from place to place upon his duties in the church. In those days graphite pencils and flowing pens were unknown, and he wrote with a piece of soft lead he always carried with him on any old scrap of paper. He lived to be 80 years of age, and was born in 1708.

The hymns of Dr. Watts come next in number to those of Charles Wesley, namely, 697, but they mostly appealed to children, although never forgotten in later years.

The fact is that Wesley commenced writing his sacred hymns at the age

of 29. The Methodist hymn book in this country, as well as the Wesleyan hymn book in England, being so reley is accounted for by the fact that heir to, will disappear. both Charles and his brother John were clergymen of the Church of England, but John, taking exception to some part of the ritual of that land has a "military canal," started church, went out to preach to the just a century ago as part of the multitudes, and after he had organ- scheme of defense propounded by Mr. There's no fool like the young fool willtitudes, and after he had organized what his followers called the Wesleyan church his brother Charles joined him and wrote the hymns, to canal was to have been thirty-six by the forestive hymns, to miles in length running from Rye to canal was to have been thirty-six by the forestive hymns and state the forestive hymns. have been writing hymns all his life, joined him and wrote the hymns, to and it is recorded of him that he which were added the favorite hymns miles in length, running from Rye to And put among the heedless young the heedless young the heedless had being that it would the instruments of death.

Was Down on Circumstantial Evidence

Man Arrested for Complicity in | night. A guest of the hotel who had a Bank Robbery Had Reasons for His Belief-Unfortunate in Love Affairs.

"As to circumstantial evidences, it's a queer thing," said the man in the brown suit. "Five or six years ago I was in a certain town for a night when a bank was robbed. Next morning I was arrested as an accomplice, it being contended that I was seen idling in front of the bank and evidently acting as sentinel to those within. Three different persons identified me as the man, and a fourth and we sat up all night in a balcony claimed to have seen me enter the and talked love and looked at the hotel at a late hour by way of a shed examination, and with a chance of dence began to come forward on my

"The landlord asserted and swore that I was sitting in the office at 10 o'clock p. m. Two servants swore they saw me going to my room half cumstantial evidence is a queer thing an hour later. A man having rooms opposite the hotel swore that he saw | shouldn't be influenced too much by me smoking at my window at mid- it."-Tid-Bits.

room next to mine swore that my snores disturbed him from midnight till 2 o'clock and that he heard me turn over in bed at 3, and so I was honorably discharged from custody." "But about it being queer?" was

asked. "Why, all the people on both sides bank at the times named and neither

was I in the hotel." "But you were somewhere?"

"Oh, of course. Fact is, I got mashed on the landlord's daughter moonlight. Yes, sir, sat there all and a window. I was locked up for night like a couple of idiots, and though I declared I would die for her things going hard with me, when evil and she said she only wanted me and a humble cottage, she was married to in a paper that a dead whale was I was being sued by a snub-nosed on opening him a pair of boots were widow for breach of promise. I was found marked "J." simply observing, you know, that cirand I wish to add that a juryman must have left them when he stepped

Bereaved Husband Needed the Tiger

He Was Seeking Congenial Society - English Newspaper Responsible for Story-

At a sale of animals from a hippodrome a tiger was being offered. The highest bid was made by a man who was a stranger, and to him it was knocked down. The owner of the animal, who had been eyeing the stranger uneasily during the bidding, then went up to him and said:

"Pardon me for asking the question, but will you tell me where you are from?"

"From the country," responded the man.

"Are you connected with any show?" "No." "And are you buying this animal for

vourself? The showman shifted about for a Tit-Bits.

His Wife Had Recently Died and | few moments, looking alternately at the man and the tiger, evidently trying his best to reconcile the two. "Now, young man," he finally said,

'you need not take this animal unless you want to, for there are those here who will take it off your hands." "I don't want to sell," was the quiet

"What on earth are you going to do with such an ugly beast if you have no show of your own and are not buying for someone who is a showman?" "Well, I'll tell you," said the purchaser. "My wife died about three weeks ago. We had lived together for

ten years, and-and I miss her." He paused to wipe his eyes and steady his voice, and then added: "So I've bought the tiger."

"I understand you," said the great showman in a husky voice, as he turned to hide his emotion.-London

Life's Sorrows That Quickly Pass

"You with Your Chains That Are Riveted Fast, Remember Tomorrow This Day Will Be Part of the Past."

By to-morrow this day will be part of the past,
By to-morrow the ache you are thinking
must last
As long as winds blow and white rivulets run
As long as the world may be warmed by
the sun—
By to-morrow the ache that is deep in
your heart
May be gladly forgot, or recalled as the
smart
Of a wound that was trifling, and, looking
ahead. You may gaze on fair prospects all fair-ly aglow

With the loveliest flowers that ever may blow,
Though to-day the gray future seems barren and dead.

The past, lying there with its joys and its The past, lying there with its joys and its woes, woes, with its wine bottle drained and its poor, withered rose, With its pledges all broken, its hopes that were vain, Its moments of gladness, its aeons of pain—
The past has not terrors, it cannot return, 'Tis only gray ashes that never may burn, And you with your chains that are riveted fast
Where the staples of circumstance bulge from the wall,
Be glad—oh, be glad—for, though heaven should fall,
By to-morrow this day will be part of the past.

—S. E. Kiser.

-S. E. Kiser.

of Entomology. Great sums are saved for the agri culturists of this country by the efforts of the government bureau of entomology toward the extermination of insect pests. The cotton worm before it was studied and the method of controlling it by the use of arsenicals was made common knowledge, levied in bad years a tax of \$30,000,000 on the cotton crop. The prevention of less from the Hessian fly, due to the knowledge of proper seasons for plant ing wheat, and other direct and cultural methods, results in the saving of wheat to the farm value of from \$100,000,000 to \$200,000,000 annually. Careful statistics show that the damage from the codling moth to the apple is limited two-thirds by the adopexception of the turtle race," spoke ing of from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 the sage in a sorrowful tone, "and I in the value. The rotation of corn with oats or other crops saves the corn crop from the attacks of the root worm to the extent of perhaps \$100, 000,000 annually in the chief cornproducing regions of the Mississippi valley. The cultural system of controlling the boll weevil saves the farm-

GOOD WORK OF SCIENTISTS.

Immense Sums Saved Through Bureau

ers of Texas many millions of dollars. Cure to Stay Cured.

Wapello, Iowa, Sept. 11th (Special) One of the most remarkable cures ever recorded in Louisa County is that of Mrs. Minnie Hart of this place. Mrs. Hart was in bed for eight months and when she was able to sit up she was all drawn up on one side and could not walk across the room. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her. Speaking of her cure, Mrs. Hart says:

"Yes, Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me after I was in bed for eight months and I know the cure was complete for that was three years ago and I have not been down since. In four weeks from the time I started taking them I was able to make my garden. Nobody can know how thankful I am to be cured or how much I feel I owe

There's no fool like a young fool When fireworks are concerned—Behold them all, the victims small, With hands and faces burned, Their needless sufferings: There's no fool like the Old Fool Who gives a child such things. not been down since. In four weeks

to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

This case again points out how much the general health depends on the Kidneys. Cure the Kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills and nine-tenths of the suffering the human family is plete with the hymns of Charles Wes- of the suffering the human family is

> England's "Military Canal." It is not generally known that Eng-

Hythe, the idea being that it would serve as the means of conveying stores and also act as an obstacle to the enemy's advance, once ne landed. Now, 100 years after its inception, money is proposed to be voted for putting it in a state of repair.

Costly Illegibility

Sir Walter Scott's writing was at times-not often-decidedly obscure. rascal by some means obtained possession of a note of unquestionable illegibility written by the great novelist, and presented it to Sir Walter's were mistaken. I was not outside the tailor as an order for a couple of suits of clothes. The tradesman, recognizing his patron's signature, took the rest for granted and executed the commission, only to find, on asking for payment, that the note was in answer to an invitation to dinner.

Jonah's Boots Found in a Whale. It is said that the late Clerk Joseph Willard once told Edward D. Sohier, the eminent lawyer, that he had read a red-haired butcher within a year and driven ashore at Nantucket, and that

Mr. Sohier instantly replied: "They probably belonged to Jonah, and he out."-Boston Herald.

False Call on Bugle.

A barracks in a garrison town in the south of England was all torn up suddenly by the sounding of the "fire alarm" on a bugle. The excitement disappeared when it was ascertained that the bugler had sounded the call in mistake for "Fall in."

STRONGER THAN MEAT.

A Judge's Opinion of Grape-Nuts.

A gentleman who has acquired a judicial turn of mind from experience on the bench out in the Sunflower State, writes a carefully considered opinion as to the value of Grape-Nuts as food. He says:

"For the past 5 years Grape-Nuts has been a prominent feature in our bill of fare. "The crisp food with the delicious,

nutty flavor has become an indispensable necessity in my family's everyday "It has proved to be most healthful

and beneficial, and has enabled us to practically abolish pastry and pies from our table, for the children prefer Grape-Nuts and do not crave rich and unwholesome food. "Grape-Nuts keeps us all in perfect

physical condition—as a preventive of disease it is beyond value. I have been particularly impressed by the beneficial effects of Grape-Nuts when used by ladies who are troubled with face blemishes, skin eruptions, etc. It clears up the complexion wonderfully. "As to its nutritive qualities, my ex-

perience is that one small dish of Grape-Nuts is superior to a pound of meat for breakfast, which is an important consideration for anyone. It satisfies the appetite and strengthens the power of resisting fatigue, while its use involves none of the disagree able consequences that sometimes follow a meat breakfast." Name given

There's a reason.

quietly; the only speech being from him. The evening progresses in the same

CRAFTY MAN WINS OUT.

Neat Way in Which He Dupes the

"Angel of His Life."

ner and finds his wife in an unusually

Mr. Smuthe reaches home for din-

They go through the meal almost

fashion. At last he asks:

taciturn mood.

"Aren't you feeling well to-night?" "Oh, yes," she tells him, coldly. "Then what is wrong with you?"

"You ought to know." "How should I know? Have I said or done anything to offend you?" "No; you haven't said anything or

done anything." "Then what on earth makes you act this way?"

"I suppose you have forgotten what day this is?" "No. This is the 25th day of Aug-

ust. 1905." "And it is my birthday, and you forgot that it was, and you never forgot it before, and you-"One moment, my dear. I did not

forget that it was your birthday." She smiles through her tears, thinking of diamond sunbursts and things like that. "Oh, you dear thing!" she exclaims.

You did not forget it, then?" "No. What birthday is it?" "Why, my thirtieth, of course." "Well, angel of my life, do you not think it is more gracious of me to seem to overlook your birthday than to remind you of how old you are

growing?" Next day she tells the neighbor that dear John is the thoughtfullest man that ever lived.

Young Fool and the Old.

Who gives a child such toys.

There's no fool like a young fool
To make the Fourth a crime,
When every nurse and every hearse
Is working overtime,
When East and West and North and
South,
The lists appalling grow:
There's no fool like the Old Fool
Who thinks a child should know.

Forcing the Youthful Mind.

There is very general cry that children are becoming every day less childlike, that they are being pressed far beyond their strength. Of course, the fanatics tell us that it is not so, that all this outcry is the outcome of misplaced sentiment and of ignorance of the true inwardness of educational Taking advantage of this a cunning methods. But this we know, that forced minds are very like forced plants-curiosities, perhaps, but not such as the experienced cultivator keeps as "stock." Nature is very jealous for her nurslings. You may fool considerably with adult specimens, even to the degree of making them hideous; you may experiment almost indefinitely with this, and the other kind of pruning, grafting, but let a cold wave or a hot wave but once blow upon your tender nurslings and they are gone without hope of resurrection. -Philadelphia Ledger.

A Mere Matter of Size.

She was corpulent and on her way to Chicago from New York, and was traveling with her two children, aged respectively 3 and 4 years. As far as Buffalo she had not been asked to pay for the children, but at that point the train crew changed and the new conductor, a gruff, surly-looking individual, looked askance at the children and asked for their tickets.

"Why, I have none," said the moth-

"How old are they?" snapped the man in blue.

"The girl is 3 and the boy 4, sir." "They look pretty big for that," was the gruff rejoinder. "Well," said she of the avoirdupois,

'if you're collecting fares according to size, you'd better get another ticket for me.' Needless to say, she did not pay for

the children.

Plain Spoken.

"I hope, senator," ventured the upright citizen, "that you never allowed anyone to hint about a bribe in your presence." "I should say not," replied Senator

Boodle, with much emphasis. "Ah, I am so glad to hear it."

"No, sir, I never allowed them to int because it took up too much time. If they wanted anything crooked done they had to say it right out and then I'd listen."

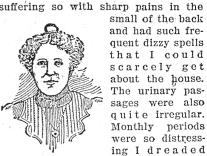
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Japanese Costumes Popular. At the fashionable watering places near New York Japanese costume dances are all the rage. This does not necessarily mean general pro-Japanese sympathy among the butterflies of society, who probably would have taken up the picturesque features of Russian by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. costume had the fad struck them that way.

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Light Fingered. The Monk-The old saying, that the leopard can't change his spots, is all nonsense. I saw him myself, last night, change a two spot for an ace!-Browning's Magazine.

The body of an unknown man was found on the Michigan Central tracks east of Jackson Tuesday. mains were taken to Grass Lake.

NOISES IN HER HEAD

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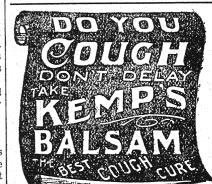
"Before I began to take Dr. Williams Pink Pills," said Mrs. Mary Reagan, of No. 86 Kilburn street, Fall River, Mass., recently, "I was in and out of bed all the time, but now I stay up all day and do all my own work.

"I was badly run down from overwork. One day noises began in my head and almost made me crazy. My head felt as if a tight band had been put around it, and the pressure and sounds made me so uneasy that I often had to walk the floor all night. "My stomach was in bad shape, and I

had smothering sensations. At such times my body seemed bloodless, my hands were like chalk and my face turned yellow. The doctor said I had dyspepsia in the worst form. Then my nerves gave way and I was completely prostrated. I frequently suffered from smothering sensations.
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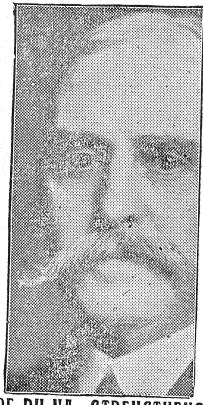
Pills that I used quieted my nerves so that I could get a good night's sleep, which was a new experience for me. Before I began to use them I was a nervous wreck and trembled at the slightest sound. I was so weak that I had to sit down and rest every few steps when I went up stairs. Now I can run up a whole flight at once. The smothering sensations have gone and the noises in my head have stopped entirely. / My appearance has greatly improved, for friends who were alarmed on my account before, now say: 'How well you are looking!' My husband spent over a hundred dollars on treatment for me that was worthless, but a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills brought me sound

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CHAPTER XV.

Who Fired the Shot?

The next morning at an early hour a pistol shot rang out sharp and quick on the still air surrounding the upper portion of Grovedale. It was heard by many and commented upon. One or two heard the shot with some dismay, and made their way at once in the direction of the sound.

It appeared to be, as I have said, at the upper end of the village, and two or three men turned into the street approaching Mr. Hamilton's house and walked toward it together. These were the men who had followed

When they reached the grounds of the house they saw a group of people standing about a figure lying on the gram. The group consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and Mr. Carter, who stood back at their approach and plainly revealed to their gaze the form of Primus Edes lying, face upward, on the gound.

"Who did it?" asked one of the men,

Mr. Green, excitedly.
"That's more than we can tell," said Mr. Carter. "I heard a shot and jumped into my clothes and came down. Vane had got here, somehow, before I did, and my niece followed me. That's all we knew about the matter."

"Shot himself, most likely," said Mr. Dawes, a grocer on Main street. "Eades has looked down-hearted for a long time. I wonder where the pistol is? It can't be a great ways off, if

he did it himself." "That's so," said the other man, looking about.

But the grass as short, there was no place where a pistol could be hidden from direct gaze except behind a row of rosebushes a few feet away. Green moved toward them to look, and, to his surprise, saw a small pistol plainly in sight in front of, not behind, the rose bushes.

his own hand fired the shot, unless it was done by some person who stood near him at the time.

On the other hand, the river was near, and there were indications of a boat having been lately drawn up among the alders that fringed the bank, and later one was found a little below the village, where it had come to a natural moorage under an overhanging limb of an immense tree. The river was much shaded; it was not impossible for a person to have escaped that way while attention was being paid to the wounded man; and in that case he had most likely taken to the woods after leaving the boat.

These surmises and the search kept the persons engaged in them from observing the great agitation of Mrs. Hamilton and her husband. They soon entered the house together, where Mrs. Hamilton suddenly faced him and asked, excitedly:

"Do you know how he was shot?" "Assuredly I do not, Constance. I heard the shot and jumped out of bed at once. Being quicker than Mr. Carter I reached the spot a moment earlier, but I saw no one, and I was sure from the first that he shot him-

"But the pistol! It was not in his hand."

"Doubtless he threw it before he fell to the ground." "But you were angry to have him

come here.' "I was angry, and I told the man only yesterday to keep away. But he came this morning, it seems. Served

"But he is different from other people, and he meant no harm, I am con-

Primus Edes did not die. Indeed, he began to mend rapidly, though his mind wandered, the direct result of the injury to his brain. Constance, though she felt much anxiety, never went near him, nor to the house, but Mr. Hamilton called each morning,



"Are you my ghost?"

lrst thing," said he. "It is a wonder," said Mr. Hamilon, taking the pistol and looking it

"There is no mark on it." "No; but if I don't mistake that pistol belongs to Dan Fry," said Mr.

"I sold him one like it not long ago." "You don't think Dan shot him?"

said Mr. Carter, aghast. "No, I don't; I think he shot him-

"Well, I am sorry to have had it occur here," said Mr. Hamilton, glancing at his wife's terror-stricken face. Hitherto she had not spoken, but

now her tongue was unloosened. "Why don't some of you see if he is really dead?" she cried. "Because a

man is shot it is no reason for thinking that he is dead.' Mr. Hamilton quietly knelt and laid

his hand on his breast. "It beats feebly. He may rally. It is not cold here. We will not risk disturbing him until the doctor comes.

Help me with the harness, Green." Working together, one of his horses was quickly harnessed, and the quarter of a mile distance to Dr. Peck's

quickly covered. The doctor was at home and returned in the buggy, and in a few minutes was kneeling beside the re-

cumbent figure. "The wound is a bad one, but not necessarily fatal," he said, after he had examined with great care the hole made by the bullet in the temple. "He will have to be taken somewhere.'

"He boards at Mrs. Fry's," said Mr. Carter.

"Very well. He must be removed there at once," said the doctor, "and then I will probe for the bullet."

A door was taken from its hinges and four men carried the insensible form to his boarding-place, where he was tenderly cared for by Mrs. Fry. The bullet was extracted by Dr. Peck, and the wound thoroughly attended to. Then the physician left the house, saying he would look in at his patient in an hour or so.

Meanwhile an excited group of men were searching the grounds and woods about the Hamilton place for traces of a would-be murderer, supposing the affair not to be an attempt it suicide. Many declared it most certainly was that, the inclination of

"It is a wonder we didn't see it the | and questioned Mrs. Fry regarding his

progress in recovery. "He seems better to-day," said Mrs. Fry, nearly three weeks after the

shooting. "He looks brighter and takes notice of things. But, somehow, he acts a little mite queer." "How? Doesn't he know you?"

"Yes, he called me Mrs. Fry, but he asked me why he was at my house, and I told him because he was fetched here, and then he wanted to know why he wasn't taken home instid."

"It is but natural that his mind should wander," said Mr. Hamilton. "I wish you would just step in and look at him."

Mr. Hamilton hesitated for a moment and then followed Mrs. Fry to the comfortable apartment where lay Primus Edes on his bed, pallid and emaciated, his dark hair cropped short and his eyes shrunken.

"Mr. Hamilton has called in to see you," said Mrs. Fry, approaching and straightening the bedclothes. "Mr.-who?" asked the sick man, staring at his visitor, and at her, with

a wild look in his eyes. "Mr. Hamilton," she repeated. "Are you my ghost?" asked Edes,

snatching at the bedclothes. "Am I dead, then, and you my other self come to haunt me?"

"No, no," said Mrs. Fry, soothingly, "nobuddy sha'n't ha'nt you, not if I know it. He just come to see how you was, that's all." "His name is Hamilton, you say."

"Lor', now, did I? It's Hammerly, I meant, our minister," said Mrs. Fry, alarmed at the growing excitement of her patient and lying with a glibness surprising to herself. Mr. Hamilton, meanwhile, had left

the room and stood waiting for Mrs. Fry at the outer door. "Odd what ideas sick folks take!" she said. "He ain't as well as I

thought he was." "No, I am afraid his brain has been permanently injured," said Mr. Hamilton, who seemed to be not a little disturbed. "I will not go in again, my presence seems to agitate him."

Mrs. Fry kept out of her boarder's room for an hour, and when she entered she saw that he was asleep. He slept a long time, and appeared drowsy for awhile upon waking, but afterwards he looked about the room, clear-eyed, though silent, and Mrs. Fry softly went out, fearing that he he wound being upward proved that would question her. But he did not try to talk with her at all until the next morning, when he said to her,

"I want to talk with you, Mrs. Fry. Why am I sick here instead of at

"Oh, 'twas more convenient." "I should hardly think so. Such a short distance. Who was that man who called to see me yesterday?" "Mr. Hammerly, our minister. He's

a dreadful nice man." "I mistook the name at first, or you did. Any way he looks enough like me to be my twin brother. Where is Constance—and the children?" "Constance!" said Mrs. Fry, star-

ing at him with all her might. "Yes; is there anything strange about my questions?"

"No; oh, no, not a mite. Constance is over home, an' the children, too,

"You say Constance is over home. Why does she not come to see me?" "She's dreadful busy."

He started up in a moment and asked, keenly, "Are you deceiving me? Is she dead or very sick? Has anything happened to her, or the chil-

"No, they are all right, all of them. There ain't nothin' the matter with none of them."

"Then she must come to see me for I am not able to go to her." strange. Mrs. Fry began to grow alarmed.

"But don't you see, Mr. Edes, it study it. wouldn't look well, she bein' a married woman so, an' you a single man."

My name is not Edes and I am not a that she is a married woman." "I'm sure you told me that your name was Edes, and that you were

never married." "I never told you so. Edes!

never heard the name until now in all my life." "Well, then, what is your name?" she asked, endeavoring to quiet him

by a return to her acquiescent manner. "Vane Hamilton, as you very well

know." "All right, and now will you have your drops? The clock is just striking the time."

"Yes, if you will go over and ask my wife to come to see me."

"I'll ask her." "Thank you. It is only a little way, and she won't mind the walk. One ought to see the house from that win-

"You can see it plain," and Mrs. Fry gave him the drops, and then went and stood irresolutely in the middle of her kitchen for several minutes.

"I promised, an' it won't do no great hurt," she said to herself at last. "It dooz beat all what's got into the man, claimin' to be Vane Hamilton, an' he with a'most black hair.

He's crazy as a loon." Taking the sunbonnet from its nail on the wall she closed the door carefully, and then called to her next-door neighbor's to ask her to "keep house"

a little while for her. "Don't disturb Mr. Edes unless he wants somethin'," she said, and then she hurried to the house of Mrs. Hamilton, and was admitted by that lady herself, who had seen her coming.

(To be continued.) SLEDS IN SUMMER CLIMES.

Strange Kind of Vehicle Used in the Island of Madeira.

At Funchal, in the island of Madeira the traveler finds one of the strangest kinds of vehicles that the world affords. He sees waiting quietly near the wharf a number of sleds, with sleek, dun-colored oxen yoked to each. It is always high summer time in Madeira and to see a conveyance which he has ever associated with snow and ice and zero weather is at first disconcerting. The stranger rubs his eyes and asks what those things are for, but he soon finds that they are the public hacks and that unless he cares to walk he must step inside, ensconce himself on the cushioned seat and wait for the driver to prod his slow steeds with the goad that he always carries. Very soon the vehicle begins to slip, very slowly to be sure, but surely, over the smooth little cobblestones with which the streets are paved. At any particular difficult turn of the road or when coming to a rise of ground the driver places a little bag of grease under the front of the runners which makes it comparatively easy for the sturdy steers to

pull the sled. Even up a long steep hill these oxen will slowly make their way. In coming down again no such tedious process is used, but, getting into a wide, finely upholstered sled with wicker sides, the passenger trusts himself to the tender mercies of two more or less villainous looking guides as steersmen. Each one of them holds a rope tied to the back of the sled, and when the toboggan, as it is often called, gets to jumping and bounding too hilariously the guides jump off and pull with all their might at the ropes.

Then He Stopped.

A certain preacher in a small town had a reputation for his long and "dry" sermons. One Sunday he was living well up to his standard and one by one his congregation left the church. Undismayed, the preacher continued, until finally all had left but the faithful sexton. At last the old sexton came forward and, putting the keys on the pulpit, said:

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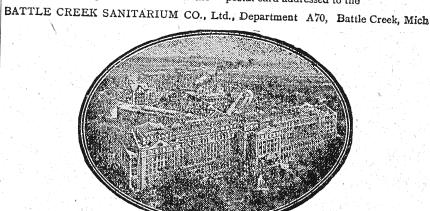
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We no doubt have the largest and most complete up-to-date assortment of Dress Goods in this section. Our goods are always new. We aim to give you the best values money will buy. We keep nothing but up-to-date goods. Every season finds us with a strictly new line. Buy your Dress Goods at our Dress Goods Counter.

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CHRONICLE ADVERTISING

LOCAL ITEMS.

P. S. Rice left for Detroit Friday on a vacation trip. Roy Gifford of Romeo spent Sunday

with friends in town. W. J. Moore of Caro was in town

Saturday on business. H. Frutchey made a trip to Saginaw

Monday with his auto. Mrs. M. J. McGillvray spent Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wallace spent Sunday with friends at Gagetown. Miss Lena Muck of Snover visited

at her parental home here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Emmons of Elmwood were callers in town Monday.

Mrs. Umphrey of Argyle was the guest of Mrs. Ed Crawford Sunday. Miss Lottie Bradley has been visiting with friends at Lapeer the past street.

Miss Mabel Drew of Detroit is the

Miss Edith LaFave of Gagetown was the guest of friends in town Wednesday.

John Wettlaufer and Louis Krahling of Canboro were visitors in town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. S. VonTrolsch of Pt.

Huron spent Sunday at the home of at college. M. Matzen.

Miss Stevenson of Bay City spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. E. Evans of Traverse City is

the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Winnie Adair. Hector McKay and Miss Effic Camp-

bell of Greenleaf spent Sunday with Miss Kate Lutze. Miss Letitia Hayes of Detroit spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. W. F. Hayes. The Misses Jennie Quinn and Mamie Crawford made a business trip to

Gagetown Monday. Lou W. Usher went to Kalamazoo Monday morning where he will be em-

ployed in the asylum. Rev. E. H. Bradfield attended the meeting of the Presbytery at Elkton

Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Isaac Walters of Pontiac ar- and Herbert Dunham.

ived Wednesday to spend a few weeks with relatives in town. Monday to resume her studies at the

Conservatory of Music. Miss Myrtle Libkuman of Canboro was a guest at the home of John Les-

lie the first of the week. W. A. Seeger and Bert Mead are in Kinde this week putting up eave-

troughing in that vicinity. Neil Livingston has moved his household goods into the residence of Mrs. Leach on West street.

Mrs. Wm. Smithson entertained several of her lady friends at a tea party last Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. L. Holloway of Caro has

been the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. M. Wickware, the past week. Advertised list for week of Sept. 9, 1905, Miss Hattie Collison (2). Mrs.

Emma Wilson, Theador Whaley. Miss Etta Schenck, who has spent the summer at St. Ste. Marie, will re- spent last week at his home here. ALWAYS PAYS. the summer at St. Ste. Marre, with turn to her home here this week.

returned home Saturday evening.

Miss Laura Hortop, who has been returned to her home at Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fairweather and daughter, Joyce, of Imlay City spent Sunday with friends in town. H. S. Wickware went to Mt. Clem-

medical treatment for rheumatism. Ernest A. Perkins went to Massilon, Ohio, on Monday where he will be em-

ployed as an attendant at an asylum. which convenes in that city this week. Don't forget the chicken-pie supper of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church in the church parlors on Friday, Sept.

Mrs. R. Lazenby has decided to move to town again and has rented rooms in the Ahr residence on Seeger ing at the home of the former's

Mrs. G. W. Goff is in Detroit this week purchasing a new stock of dry guest of her cousin, Miss Florence goods. She was accompanied by Mrs.

Miss Belle Brooks, who has been the guest of relatives at Orion the past summer, returned to her home here

The Misses Beryl Koepfgen and Minnie Kinnaird left Monday morning for Alma to resume their studies

Mr. and Mis. John Leslie are moving their household goods to Gage-

town where they expect to make their uture home. Miss Margaret McArthur left this week for Kalamazoo where she has secured employment as an attendant

in the asylum. Ted Smith, Elmer Gooden and the Misses Mattie Muir and Pearl Gooden of Detroit spent Sunday at the home

of D. J. Landon. Mrs. Mary Walters, who has been sick for several months, has been fail-

ing quite rapidly the past week and at present is very ill. Dr. D. P. Deming and son, William,

were in Flint Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haviland and attend the soldiers' reunion. Mrs. F. R. Smithson and children

went to Detroit Tuesday to spend a few days with her brothers, Albert

Mrs. Julia Dann, who has been visiting relatives at Northville for sev-Miss Violet Eno went to Detroit eral weeks, has returned to Cass City much improved in health.

Miss Matie Spurgeon, accompanied by the Misses Marshall, who live northeast of town, were the guests of friends at Bad Axe this week.

Mrs. Burt L. Hunt, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Scripture, for several weeks, has returned to her home in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fairweather

and Mr. and Mrs. F. Nettleton and daughter, Thelma, went to Detroit on Sunday to spend a few days. Mrs. E. Beebeliyser and little daugh ter went to Rochester Monday morn-

ing to visit with friends and will also attend the State Fair at Detroit. Geo. H. Turner, who has been trav elling for a clothing firm through northern Michigan the past summer,

Miss E. Currie and Miss Anna Nes-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Withey, who bitt of Minneapolis, Minn., sister and have been visiting relatives in Pontiac, niece of Mrs. A. D. Mead, are spending some time with friends in town.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the employed in town for some time, has home of Mrs. Wm. McKenzie Friday afternoon, Sept. 22, at three o'clock. All interested are invited to attend. Miss Cora Parker has returned to

her home here after spending the summer at the sanitarium at Battle ens this week where he will receive Creek where she has been employed. Rev. R. N. Mulholland left Monday

norning for Detroit to attend the annual session of the M. E. conference Miss Vera Ross has returned home from Pontiac where she has been employed in the Eastern Michigan

asylum. She expects to remain here. Mrs. R L. King of Caro and Miss Agnes Baetcke of Brighton are visitparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wick-

Mrs. A. Scripture and son, Frank, who have been visiting with friends and relatives in Toronto and other points in Ontario, have returned

More Locals on Fourth Page.

Carload of Poultry Wanted. To be delivered at the P., O. & N.

depot at Cass City on Tuesday, Sept. 19. Will pay 9 cents for ducks, old hens and spring chickens, and 6 cents for old roosters and geese. Young & BENKELMAN.

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Surrey nearly new, light double harness, single buggy and a Jersey cow. G. A. STEVENSON.

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