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Lodges.

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CASS CITY LODGE, No. 203, meets every Wed nesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J C. LAING, N.G.

D.R. GRAHAM, Secretary. E.O. T. M.

Cass City Tent, No. 74, meets the first Friday evening of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.
A. D. GILLIES, RECORD KEEPER.
JAS. MCARTHUR, COMMANDER.

Tyler Lodge.

Regular communications of TYLER Lodge, No. 317, F. & A. M., for 1891; Jan. 24, Feb. 21, Mar. 21, Apr. 18, May 23, June 20, June 24, (St. John.) July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14 (election of officers) Dec. 12 HENRY STEWAPT, W. M.

Call and inspect the Large and New

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Mrs. E. K. Wickware's

MILLINERY STORE.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

MO CORRECTED EVERY THURSDAY NOON. Wheat, No. 1 white. Wheat, No. 2, white..... No. 3 red..... Beans hand-picked. 140@1 60 do unpicked..... Potatoes..... Cloverseed. Buck wheat..... Pork, live weight..... Pork, dressed Butter.... Wool, unwashed...... Wool, washed

A LITTLE TOO MILITARY.



"Don't you think she's stylish?" "To tell the truth she's a leetle too milingtary to suit me."-Life.

Caught On The Fly.

Mrs. E. F. Marr was in Caro Wedneslay.

J. C. Seeley visited in Argyle last Sun-

J. D. Crosby is in Mt. Clemens this week.

Prof. Conlon was a Caro visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. F. C. Champion is visiting relatives n Canada. Dr. Morris of Gagetown, was in the

City Monday. Justice Anyon, of Gagetown, was in

own Sunday. S. Champion has an attractive floral ex-

nibit in his shop window. O. C. Wood has sold one of his short horn bulls to C. Sanborn,

The young people "socialed" at J. D. Brooker's Wednesday evening.

J. Leonard has commenced work on his farm one-half mile east of town,

The Epworth League will serve ream in the Bader building to-morrow. Miss Kate Crawford, of Oxford, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Deming. to attend. E. DeLisle, of Armada, is the guest of his brother Frank of this place at pres-

establishing a lodge of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Chas. Ale, of Saginaw, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents and friends in this place.

Willet Wright came near being serious-

This is the morning to clean up in front of the business places. A few extra touches would be well as to-morrow is Mem-

The Board of Review for Elkland was in session this week at the Town Hall. Not much fault was found with the roll

The memorial services at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday were well attended. Rev. Baker's sermon was appreciated by all.

Edward Hill and family wish to extend heir thanks to the persons who so faithfully assisted them during the illness and leath of Mrs. Hill.

Harry Pinney left Monday evening for Erio, Pa., where he will attend a business college. He expects to remain there four or five months.

Wm. Hebblewhite drove to Armada ast Saturday, being called there by the erious illness of his mother. He returned Tuesday night.

Communion services at the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath, May 31st, at which time quite a number will be received into the church.

ple to prove the truth of the tale.

Mrs. R. E. Gamble left on Wednesday for several week's visit at Caro and other places. She expects to visit her son Walter at Ann Arbor before returning.

98 and 4th.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. three o'clock. Ice cream will be served as usual.

Be sure and read H. S. Wickware's new ad on third page this week. Mr. Wickware handles and manufactures a good article and is not ashamed to advertise them.

Vassar young people go a fishing fun all 'e samee.

The village Board of Review will be in ession at the council rooms next Monday and Tuesday. If you think you have been assessed too high, you should be on hand to "kick."

Among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Edward Hill were Mr. and Mrs. Bartley, (the latter being a sister of Mr. wife, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Great preparations are being made for the Alliance picnic to be held near Deck. printer will open upon you and knock erville, June 18th. Col. S. Norton, editor your air castles into a cocked hat at the of the Chicago Sentinel, will be present and address the assembly.

Fred Schell, living four miles southand pronounced it not serious.

M. Bearss, of Yale, spent Sunday with is an agent for the Port Huron Marble Works, and Tuesday placed a monument in the Elkland cemetery for John Sweigler.

Still another coal find has been made farm of Wm. Grandjean of Blumfield discovery was made last Wednesday, while boring a well, and the coal is thought to be an excellent hard variety.

A Grand Trunk engine and empty motor street car came together in Port Huron Monday, smashing the car to kindling wood and doing the engine no particular bonefit. The car had just left the barn and Motorman Edward Traverse, thought the engine had stopped to let him across. Traverse jumped and broke his leg,

Preparatory services will be held at the tian should remain from the Lord's table It will be well for all persons who have misguided views as to the Lord's supper

H. Gordon, secretary of the County examiners, whose profession has been that of instructing the young idea, has a W. J. Rapley, of Yale, is here this week, pupil for whom he can justly claim a certain amount of partiality. It is a male scholar and he has done what he could to engage the attention of every one in the Gordon home since Friday last. ed B. C. C.& P. H. R. R. on the date fixed -[Caro Adertiser.

The Danbury News has the following to say concerning Henry Falmsbee, ly injured on Thursday of last week, by formerly a residence of Novesta township: his horse striking him in the small of the Henry W. Flamsbee, of the firm of Hallack & Falmsbee was married re-Hallack, of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Falmsbee will make their home in Danbury, Conn.

house on the county farm, to Chas. Husted, of Caro, for the sum of \$6,987,20, he being the lowest bidder on the job. In the contract the bidder agrees to pay \$200 for the mater al in the old building. The price named does not include the steam beating, which will cost probably \$1,500 additional.

The school two miles west of here, taught by Miss Martha McArthur, gave an exhibition Tuesday evening. All the pupils gave their exercises in a creditable manner. After the program had been worthy teacher with a beautiful plush album, as convincing proof of their esteem for her. Miss McArthur is a cap the best satisfaction.

Perry L. Fritz returned from Detroit last Friday night, and will remain here until fall. Perry was a loser to the extent of about forty dollars by the big fire at Detroit last Saturday night. He had The Ishpoming Press announces that left medical books of about that value it will hereafter publish no fish stories with the drug firm of J. Davis & Co., to unless the story is accompanied by sam- be shipped with other goods to this place, and as the stock and building of the above firm were burned, the books of course were also consumed.

town last Saturday, advertising the races | wagon and Agar started to walk ahead thirty-seven were detached from district to be held at that place July 1st, 2nd, 3rd, of the team and open the gate, which was number four and attached to district hurch will meet at Mrs. Fred Randall's became frightened and started to runon Wednesday afternoon, June 3rd, at Mrs. Agar jumped from the wagon and tion ten, north half of section thirteen and doubtful whether she can fully recover.

Mrs. Travis Schenck and Mrs. Jno. Eno had a narrow escape from being seriously injured while returning home Thursday. Their horse became frightened at a fish peddler's wagon, and commenced rearing and plunging. Mrs. pleasant evenings. Not many members | Schenck an little girl were thrown from the of the finny tribe are lured from their buggy, but fortunately were not hurt native depths, but the crowd has lots of much. Mrs. Eno pluckly held on to the lines until a man succeeded in stopping the frightened animal.

Bill Nye says: "Don't attempt to cheat an editor on a years subscription to his paper, or any other sum. Cheat the lawyer, cheat the minister, cheat the butcher-anybody-but if you have any regard for future consequence, don't feel with the printer. He will get even and Hill,) of Delta, Ohio, and Charles Hill and more too. You will be put up for office some time, and just when your luck is a thing of beauty and a joy forever, the first blow."

A prominent fruit grower calls attention east of here, was kicked by a horse on spray fruit trees is after the blossom fall of said street from east side of Oak the shoulder last Friday and quite badly and not when the trees are in full bloom. braised. Dr. McLean reduced the injury, In this way the spray falls directly upon the fruit germs and not upon the petals of the flowers to fall to the P. S. McGregory and wife. Mr. Bearss ground. The state horticultural society also calls attention of fruit growers to this fact and urges them to follow the directions given in order to secure, the best results from the spraying process.

A would-be authority on the subject vithin a short distance of Vassar, on the gives the following directions for keeping the flies from horses. Bruise a bunch township, over in Saginaw county. This of smartweed until the juice exudes, and flies and other insects off the korses for twenty-four hours, when the process should be repeated. A strong infusion can be applied with a sponge or brush.

Monday was a gala day for the Maccabees. Over one hundred were present from Gagetown, Owendale, North Branch, Deford, Shabbona and Akron. At noon Presbyterian Church Friday evening at the members of the Cass City Tent were 7:30 o'clock, instead of Saturday after- at the train to meet N. S. Boynton, why no one who professes to be a chris- of the K. O. T. M. of this state, and repesentatives along the P.O. & N. R. R. to report at next meeting. At two o'clock p. m. a secret meeting K. O. T. M. Hall. In the evening speech- counts. es were made to a full house at the Town Hall, by Great Commander W. S. Linton, and The Cass City Cornet Band was present and furnished music for the occasion.

The people of Caro were unable to to raise the amount asked for the proposand wrote Col. Boone for an extension of time. In the absence of the colonel B E Butler, chief engineer of the Black Diamond roads, gave them until the 20th Wednesday) to raise the amount, and that as soon as the balance was pledged he was cently in Newark, N. J., to Miss Ella ready to go ahead and survey the route. At the time the meeting was held Caro had subscribed \$17,000 and Fairgrove, 2,500, making a total of 19,500, with. the right of way secured through Gilford The superintendents of the poor have township. The amount asked of Tuslet the contract for building the new poor cola county is 25,000 and right of way. -[Sebewaing Blade,

The production of oleomargerine has steadily increased, notwithstanding the imposition of the tax. The rise in the price of butter is given as the reasons. The stringent law in many of the states relative to branding the product, shows. that the demand is increasing oven when the product is known in its true character. The purchases of revenue stamps have exceeded, in the ten months, since June 30th, 1890, the entire purrendered the scholars presented their imposed, and rose from \$23,290 in July, year ago, to \$137,613, April last. The and other licenses \$75,000. Batter able and painstaking teacher, and gives makers cannot complain if people buy oleo, maked and branded as such, because they prefer it or are compelled by

The Township Board of school inspectors met on Tuesday and made the followthirteen, fourteen and fifteen were de- letter office, Washington, D. C: tached from school district number two Frank W. Crawford and attached to district number four, leaving district number two to consist of On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan sections number one, two, three, J. W. Carmer Agar started to come to this place to do eleven, twelve, and the north half of

A bill poster fron Port Huron was in some trading! Mrs. Agar got into the sections ten, twenty-six, thirty-four, and some forty rods from the house, leaving number five. District number four con-Mrs. Agar to drive the team. The team sists of sections fourteen, fifteen twenty-three and the south half of secwas seriously injured internally. It is the east half of section twenty-two. District number five consists of sections twenty-one, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-three, twenty-four, and the south half of section sixteen and the west half of section twenty-two.

Council Proceedings.

COMMON COUNCIL ROOMS. Cass City, Mich., May 1st. 1891. Regular meeting called to order by the President, W. I. Frost.

Present-Trustee Landon, Striffler Stevenson and Brotherton. Absent-Trustees Marr and Fritz.

Minutes of May 5th, 1891, were read and approved. Trustee Marr here took his seat in the

council. Chairman of the committee of side walks reported that said committee thought it necessary that walks should be straightened as requested by J. C

Laing at the last meeting. On motion of Trustee Marr the report

was accepted. A petition signed by C. W. McPhail and 28 others praying for the grading of to the well known fact that the time to Main street, and cobble stoning gutters street to the west side of West street, was presented, read and referred to committee on general improvements to report at next meeting.

> A petition signed by E. McKim and 27 others, praying for a crosswalk across Main street on east side of Oak street, was presented, read and referred to committee on streets and sidewalks to report at next meeting.

A petition signed by J. H. McLean and 19 others praying for the construction and maintenance of a sewer from such place or places to such place or places then rub the animal with the bruised as the council deem necessary, was preweed, paying especial attention to the sented, read and referred to committee legs, neck and ears. This will keep on general improvements, to report at next meeting. .

A petition signed by H. Robinson and 17 others praying for the grading of of the weed can be made by boiling it Third street, commencing at West street several minutes in water. When cold it and running east to Ale street, or as far as thought necessary. was presented, read and refered to committee on street and sidewalks, to report at next meet

A petition signed by A. H. Muck and 12 others praying for the grading of Grant street' commencing at Main street noon. The paster will sudeaver to show Great Record Keeper of the Great Tent place, was presented, read and referred to committee on streets and sidewalks,

> The following bills were read and rewas held by the Knights at the ferred to committee on claims and ac

. Ale, services on board Registration....\$ 4 00

The above bills were recommended by the committee on claims and accounts and Trustee Striffler moved that they be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for same. Carried.

The liquor bend of Maggie Sheridan as principal and Michael Sheridan and Richard Clark as sureties in the sum of \$3,000, was presented and read.

Trustee Striffler moved that the above bond be accepted. Carried. Trustee Stevenson moved that there unknown dead conducted.

be a board of assessors consisting of three members who shall be free holders and electors residing in this village of Cass City, appointed by the council. Carried. Trustee Striffler moved that S. Ale be appointed as one member of the board.

Trustee Landon moved that A. G. Berney be appointed as second member of the board. Carried. Trustee Brotherton moved that Ed-

Carried.

ward Keating be appointed as the third member. Carried. Trustee Stevenson moved that the

compensation of the board of assessor be fixed at \$2 per day. Carried. Trustee Striffler moved that the Presi-

dent be instructed to hire a man to take care of the fire engine at a salary of \$4 per month and that the man so hired chase of any fiscal year since the tax was shall try the engine once a week. Car-

Trustee Landon moved that the wages retail licences bring in \$100,000 per year for team and man be place at \$3 per day. Carried.

Moved that council adjourn. Carried. W. I. Frost, President. O. K. JANES, Clerk.

Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of the advertised ing changes in school districts two, four, letters remaining in the post office at and five of Elkland: The south half of Cass City, Mich, If not called for before section ten, the north half of section Jan. 1st, 1891, will be sent to the dead

> C. W. Linzey James H. Modraner Mrs, Hartwig, Julia A. Sharp Mrs. U. Parker S. A. McClemen Eph. Wright Mr. John Rader Mr. E. Park

A. W. SEED, P. M.

Charged With Larcony! And are Arrested and Taken back to Canada for trial.

On Wednesday of last week, Deputy sheriff, C. D. Striffler, in company with Baliff Heferman, of Waterson, county of Bruce, Ont., arrested John McDonald, Mrs. Mary Ann Ballagh, and Miss Mary Jane Ballagh, who were at the time living one mile south of Wickware postoffice, charged with the larceny of forty dollars worth of wheat in Watertown, Ont.

The accused came here about three weeks ago from the above place and purchased the farm upon which they were living at the time of the arrest, under a contract of purchase, making a small payment down. McDonald and Miss Ballagh passed as husband and

wife during their stay in Michigan. When the officers reached the train at this place with the accused, the women refused to accompany him any further laiming he had no authority to take them, not having proper extradition papers. The officers not being well informed as to the law governing the extradition of criminals, concluded to leave the women, and proceeded with McDonald,

On Friday the Sheriff from Pt. Huron reached Cass City with full authority to arrest the women and take them to Canada, and in company with Deputy Striffler they made their way to the new residence of the parties. When reaching there it was about midnight, there was a light in the house and the women were at supper. On hearing the rig drive up they at once left the table and escaped by way of a back door into the darkness, reached a large swamp and remained there during the night. The officers captured them the next morning enroute for Argyle, and on Saturday they were reconveyed to Ontario for trial,

Memorial Day,

How it will be Observed to this Place.-Full Program.

The Post will assemble at Post Hall at 12:30 p. m., and proceed thence to Tennant House rink where services will commence at 1 p. m., as follows:

Music-A chant by double male quar-

Prayer by Rev. J. S. Deming. Music-"America" by entire assembly. Ritual service by G. A. R. Post.

icad," by double male quartette. Address by Rev. J. S. Springer. Music-"Brave Battery Boys," by

Music-"Sleep, sacred dust of noble

double male quartette. After wh the procession will form in Main street, with right, wing of column resting on Segar street, and proceed to

cemetery in the following order. Chief Marshal, Lieut S. M. Wells. Floral Wagon.

Milo Warner Post No. 232, G. A, R. Orator of the day in carriage. Board of education. Teachers and pupils of public schools.

Cass City Tent No. 74, K. O. T. M.

Assistant Marshall Citizens on foot.

Ritual Service.

Cornet Band.

Citizens in Carriage: After the decoration of the grayes. a hollow square will be formed by the Post and all the societies; and services to the

Salute to the dead. Music-"A tear for the comrade that's gone," by double male quarterte. Tans on the drum.

Let this day be cherished by all patriotic citizens, as a national day, set aside in honor of our noble dead, who gave their lives that we might have the grandest country on earth.

County W. C. T. U. Officers.

The following officers and Superintendents of the Tuscola county W. C. T.-U. were elected at the late convention at Reese:

President—Mrs. S. A. Youngs, Kinesten, Cor Sec.—Mrs. M. J. Bridgham, Vassar, Rec. Sec.—Mrs. R. F. Jarvis, Kingston, Treasurer—Mrs. L. D. Buck, Vassar. SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS:

Evangelistic-Mrs, Jennie McClerkin, Fair-Narcotics-Mrs. Emma G. Nunn, Vassar. Heredity -Mrs. Lizzie Fuiton, Akron. Sac amental Wine-H. D. Revye, Unionville, Juvenilo Work-Mrs, Phoebe R. Winegar, Cass City.
Scientific Temp Instruction-Mrs. L. B.

Elliot, Vassar. Relief Work—Mrs. C. Bonnell, Fairgrove. Flowers Mission—Mrs. H. A. Shermerhorn, Soldiers and Sailors-Mrs. O. A. Briggs, Work of Fairs—Mrs. E. J. Ripple, Vassar, Press Work—Mrs. Rose E. Jarvis, Kingston, White Cross and White Shield—Mrs. K. R

R. R. Work-Mrs. Sarah Ann Little, Reese.

The entering wedge of a complaint that may prove fatal often alight cold which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement. It would be as well, therafore, to keep this remedy within reach at all times.

MICHIGAN CASS CITY, : :

The membership of the universities is found to be increasing from decade to decade in a much larger ratio than that of population. But the increas-

baric age." These same nations now shell the villages of the helpless natives of the South Pacific isles in the name of "civilization." It all depends upon whose tiger is loose.

Taly, England, Germany and France his mind to create a human family and they must have a house to live in. But where? Not a roof, not a wall, not a door, not a fections" of the United States constitu-tion and the "necessity" for its amend-Park or an extinct volcano in Honolulu so

preference of English papers to unfavorable criticism of American affairs it senoticeable that even the most conas noticeable that even the most con-are too appalling; its darkness is too thick." But Monday morning came. I

Russia does not carry on public works on a small scale. She is about to construct a trans-Siberian railroad, which will be pushed to speedy completion. When completed it will be 4,785 miles long. How a road like that must make the American railway magnate's mouth water. The pickings and stealings ought to make half a dozon Goulds and Vanderbilts.

Two menof Palmersville, Tenn., recently cut down a tree. On the trunk, about eight feet from the stump, was a gnarl which covered a little hollow, On cutting into the hollow, which had And the correstratus clouds in was at least thirty years old. The

a creed inflicted an irreparable blow on the strength of his kingdom. We suspect however that the czar has not become decans beloath, as the clouds it occurs above.

Now it is Wednesday morning of the world's first week. How queer the hills look, and so unattractive they seem hardly worth having been made. But now all the Louis the 14th, who in bigoted zeal for suspect however that the czar has not even the poor excuse of the fanatic, but is influenced solely by a mistaken view of state policy.

During the past year there have been, in round numbers, 33,000 people wounded and 4,000 killed by the railroads in the United States. The railroad managers say that, compared with the number of people transported, it Is a very small percentage. True, but Mere have been as many killed and wounded as would have resulted from a summer campaign with an army of 10,000 on one side, in which as many as ten pitched battles have been fought. That would be very considerable of a sensation from a newsman's standpoint.

Ours is a government of law, and its liberty is the noblest freedom of the earth because it is conserved by law. Such a government has no place and no use for the vicious idler, the brutal pauper or the fugitive criminal from Europe, and the time has come when the law must assert its mastery over the hundreds of thousands of lawless immigrants in our midst. In this effort every honest American workingman, whether native born or naturallzed should heartily join. American workingmen are the sovereigns of the republic; they are the custodians of the priceless liberty we enjoy, and they are most of all interested in resolutely maintaining the liberty of law.

WHILE the volume of desirable immigration, including the Saxons, the celts and Gauls, is decreasing, the Latins, Huns and Slavs are rapidly multiplying in this country and are pouring in from Europe in an uninterrupted stream. These people with all of their dangerous race traditions of blood and violence, innoculate the body social and the body politic in America with the deadly virus which has contaminated the European governhas contaminated the European governments furnishing this class of immigrants. The result is seen in the Mafia; in anarchy and socialism, which denies the right of property, and in manifestations of lawlessness. These evils are the logical outgrowth of a leniens policy which admits, without question, the refuse population of the Old World, and extends hospitality without disprimination to the outcasts of Europe.

TALMAGE ON CREATION.

THE GREAT DIVINE ON THE WORLT IS FIRST WEEK.

The Blon dains the Rivers, and All the Living Things Over Which Man is E poror and Woman Empress -A Wonderful Sermon.

Ing membership of the great school of experience overshadows them all.

The time when the Northmen ravaged the coasts of Great Britain, Germany and France is called the 'bar-

pon whose tiger is loose.

PROBABLY the newspaper writers in the earth was to be builded. God made up ment were hardly conscious of their sublime impertinence, but there is reason to believe that they will presently perceive their folly.

Notwithstanding the supposed Park or an extinct volcano in honolith so inappropriate for human residence as was this globe at that early period. Moreover, there was no human architect to draw a plan, no quarryman to blast the foundation stones, no carpenter to hew out a beam, and no mason to trowel a wall. Psor prospect God never did take any one in his counsels, but if he had asked some angel about the attempt to turn this planet into a place for servative of her great papers, the Times, and a majority of others demounced the Mafia and defended the people of New Orleans even more warmly than the most pronounced of the American press.

Russia does not carry on public the could hold an more of the brilliance.

his hand this morning gathers part of it in suspended reservors and part of it he orders down into the rivers, and lakes and seas. How to hang whole Atlantic Oceans in the clouds without their spilling over except in right quantities and at right times was an undertaking that no one but Omnipo-tence would have dared. But God does it as easily as you would lift a glass of water. There he hoists two clouds each thirty miles wide and five miles high and balances them. Here he lifts the cirrus clouds and spreads them out in great white banks as On cutting into the hollow, which had been completely overgrown, they found inside a frog which was lifeless bilt well preserved. By counting the grains it was estimated that the tree was at least thirty years old. The was at least thirty years old. The frog had been proserved for years in his air tight home.

The cruel persecution which the exar of Russia is waging against the Jews is disappointing to those who had begun to hope that this autocrat was going to become an enlightened ruler. Instead of this, he is placing himself with such blind despots as Louis the 14th, who in bigoted zeal for

surfaces are changing color. Something beautiful is creeping all over them. It has the color of emerald. Aye, it is herbage. Hall to the green grass, God's favorite color and God's favorite plant, as I judge from the fact he makes a larger number of them the fact no makes a larger number of them than of anything else. But look yonder! Something starts out of the ground and goes higher up, higher and higher, and spreads out broad leaves. It is a pulm tree. Yonder is another growth, and its leaves hang far down, and it is a willow tree. And youder growth with mighty sweep of branches. is a growth with mighty sweep of branches. And here they come—the pear and the apple, and the peach and the pomegranate, and groves and orchards and forests, their shadows and their frut girdling the earth. We are pushing agriculture and fruit cutture to great excellence in the inheteenth applies but we have nothing but to great excellence. century, but we have nothing now to equal what I see on this first Wednesday of the

world's existence.

Now it is Thursday morning of the world's first week. Nothing will be created to-day. The hours will be passed in ated to-day. The hours will be pused it scattering logs and mists and vapors. The atmosphere must be swept clean. Other worlds are to hove in sight. This little ship of the earth has seemed to have all the ocean of immensity to itself. But mightler craft are to be hailed to-day on the high seas of space. First, the moon's white sail amounts and does very sail appears and does very well until the sun bursts upon the scene. The light that on the previous three mornings was struck from an especial word now gathers in the sun moon and stars. One for the day the other for the picht. It seemed as if they had all within night. It seemed as if they had all within twenty-four hours been created. Ah, this is a great time in the world's first week. The moon, the nearest neighbor to our earth appears; her photograph to be taken n the nucteenth century, when the telescope shall bring her within one hundred and twenty York. And the sun now appears, afterward to be found eight hundred to the sun thousand miles in diameters. atterward to be found eight futured and eighty thousand miles in diameter, and put in astronomical scales, to be found to weigh nearly four hundred thousand times heavier than our earth; a mighty furnace, its heat kept up by meteors pouring into it as fuel, a world described of the property of their worlds with its jaws of meteors pouring into the start, a world devouring other worlds with its jaws of flame. And the stars come out, those street lamps of heaven, those keys of pearl, upon which God's fingers play the music of the spheres. How bright they look in this Oriental evening! Constellations! Galaxies! What a twenty-four hours of this first last start when the start was the start with the start was the s

a-swim with the, some darking fits allows through split crystal, and others quiet in dark pools, like shadows. Everything, from spotted trout to behemoth; all colored, all shaped, the ancestors of finny tribes that shall by their wonders of construction confound the Agassizs, the Cuviers and the Linnæuses and the ichthyologists of the more than six thousand years following this Friday of the first week. And while I stand on the banks of these Paradisaical rivers watching the finny tribes. I hear a whirr in the air and I look up and behold wings—wings of larks, robins, doves, eagles, flamingos, albatrosses,

New it is Saturday morning of the world's first week and with this day the work closes. But oh, what a climateric day! The air has its population and the water its population. Yet the land has not one inhabitant. But here they come, by the voice of God created!—Horses grander than those which in after time Job will describe as having nock clothed with thunder. Cattle enough to cover a thousand hills. Sheep shepherded by him who made for them the green pastures. Leopards so bean fint, we are glad they cannos made for them the green pastures. Leopards so beau iful, two are glad they cannot change their spots. Lions without their fierceness and all the quadruped world so gentle, so sleck, so perfect. Look out how you treat this animal creation, whether they walk the earth or swim the waters or fly the air. Do you not notice that God gave them precedence of the human race? They were created Friday and Saturday morning, as man was created Saturday afternoon. They have a right to be here. He who galls a horse, or exposes a cow to the storm, or beats a dog, or mauls a cat, or gambles at the pigeon-shooting, or tortures an insect, will have to answer for it in the an insect, will have to answer for it in the judgment-day. You may console yourself that these creatures are not immortal and that these creatures are not immortal and they cannot appear against you, but the God who made these creatures, and who saw the wrong you did them will be there. Better lock out, you stock-raisers and railroad companies who bring the cattle on trains without food or water for three or four days in hot weather, a long groan of agony from Omaha to New York. Betten lock out you farmer rilling agony from Omaha to New York. Better look out, you farmer riding behind that limping horse with a nail that the blacksmith drove into the quick. Better look out you boys stoning bull-frogs and turning turtles upside down and robbing in Paradise and the week is almost

ing in Paradise and the week is almost Before night there were to be two such Before night there were to be two such human and yet immortal beings constructed. The woman as well as the man was formed Saturday afternoon. Because a deep sleep fell upon Adam and by divine surgery a portion of his side was removed for the nucleus of another creation. It has been supposed that perhaps days and nights passed between the masculine and feminine creations. But no! Adam was not three creations. But no! Adam was not three hours unmated. If a physician can by anosthetics put one into a deep sleep in three minutes, God certainly could have put Adam into a profound sleep in a short while that Saturday afternoon and made the deep and radical excision without causing distress. By a manipulation of the dust, the same hand that moulded the mountains moulded the features, and moulded the limbs of the that moulded the mountains mounded the features, and moulded the limbs of the father of the human race. But his eyes did not see, and his nerves did not feel, and his muscles did not move, and his lugs did not breathe, and his heart did not pulsate. A

perfect form he lay along the earth, symmetrical and of God-like countenance. Magnificent piece of Divine carpentry and Omnipotent sculpturing, but no vitality. A body without a sont. Then the Source of all life stooped to the inanimate nostri and 11p, and, as many a skill-ful and earnest physician has put his lips to a patient in a comatose state and breathed into his mouth and nostril, and at the same time compressed the lungs, until that which was artifical respiration became natural respiration, so methinks God breathed into this cold sculpture of a man, the breath of life, and the heart begins to tramp, and the lungs to inhale, and the eyes to open and the entire form to thrill, and with the rapthe entire form to thrill, and with the rapture of a life just come, the prostrate being keaps to his feet—a man! But the scene of this Saturday is not yet done, and in the atmosphere, drowsy with the breath of flowers, and this song of bobolinks, and robinreibreasts, the man sluinbers, and by anosthetics, divinely administered, the slumber deepens until wi hout the oozing of one drop of blood at the time, or the faintest scar afterward, that portion is removed from his side which is to be built up the Queen of Paradise, the daugster of the great God, the mother of the human face, the benediction of all ages, woman the wife, the benediction of all ages, woman the wife, afterward woman the mother. And as the two join hands and stroll down the banks of the Euphrates toward a bower of mignonette and wild rose and honeystickle, and are listening to the call of the whippoor-will from the aromatic thickets, the sun sinks beneath the horizon. "And the evening and the morning were the the sixth day."

What do you think of that one week's

What do you think of that one week's stead our Father built for his calleren at the start, though sin has despoiled it; and because I want you to know how the world will look again when Christ shall have re-stored it, swinging now between two Edens. "The heavens declare the glory of Edens. "The heavens declare the glory of God." Yea, I preach this, because I want you to walk in appreciation of Addison's sublime sentiment when he writes:

The spacious firmament on high With all the blue ethercal sky And spangled heav'ns, a shining frame, Their Great Original proclaim.

In reason's ear they all rejoice And utter forth a gloriou voice Forever singing, as they shine, The hand that made us is divine.

A Pension Decision.

Assistant Secretary Bussy has reversed the decision of the Commissioner of Pensions on the appeal of Jane M. Smalley, now Greenhorn, widow of Richard T. Smalley, Co. F, 60th Illinois. The record of the case shows that the soldier was accidentally wounded by the Lieutenant of his company in 1862, and died in January, 1863, of abscess of the lungs, which, according to the medical testimony, resulted as a sequence of the wound. The Commissioner of Pensions rejected the claim on the ground that the soldier was not in line of duty at the time he received the wound; but the Assistant Secretary in his opinion holds that, in the absence of proof to the contrary, it must be assumed that he was in the performance of his duty, as it was customary for soldiers during the war to go on short expeditions. This decision is in harmony with the line of procedents of the Department.

Von Moltke and Napoleon.

The Paris correspondent of the Times relates a hitherto unpublished story about Count Von Moltke. During the count's visit to the Paris exposition in 1867 with the emperor and Prince Bismarck he dined one day at St. Cloud with Emperor Napoleon, and in the talk after dinner Napoleon told Marshal Randon, the minister of war, that Ven Moltke claimed to be able to fight the French army with the needle gun. Marshal Randon laughed aloud and in a voice in which all in the room could hear responded: the high opinion I have of your judgment, I am unable to share your belief."

After the departure of Emperor William Napoleon was so struck with that he busied himself in overhauling the equipment of the French army, the result being the adoption of the Chassepot gun. - Cincinnati Times.

MONOMANIAC CRIMES.

CURIOUS CRIMINAL AGTS OF DISEASED BRAINS.

Incendiarism, Shoplifting and Anony mous Letters Indulged In-Tragic End of a Girl's Self-Made Love Romance,

"Nine persons out of every ten are monomaniaes to a certain extent," said a prominent physician the other day. "Everybody has a mental deficiency in some one particular," he continued, "although their minds may be perfectly sound in every other respect. Take the case of young Hugh C. Miller, for instance, who confessed that he deliberately set on fire a Brooklyn tenement house for no other reason than that he had an irresistible desire to see a big blaze, and could not conveniently have that desire satisfied without kindling the fire himself. Here is a young man, the son of a wealthy farmer, well educated, advantageously situated in business, and well known and respected in church and social circles, committing a crime that is not only revolting to all law-abiding citizens, but punishable by a term of imprisonment ranging anywhere from ten years to life, without the slightest possible advantage to himself. Is he not demented? Of course he is; but only on that one subject.

"During the past month alone," continued the doctor, "I have read in the newspapers of at least a dozen respectacle women who were caught in the act of shop-lifting in some one of the large drygoods stores.

"One of the most remarkable instances of monomania that ever came to my attention was the case of Mrs. Emma Hudson, who died not long ago in Sing Sing Prison. She was called a kleptomaniac, and during her trial it was conclusively proven that the woman could no more withstand the temptation to steal than can the hungry withstand the temptation to eat. Mrs Hudson was the widow of a respectable physician, and moved in the best society. She was a church member and a constant attendant. In fact, she was a most exemplary woman in every respect, excepting her uncontrollable desire to steal.

"Not many years ago a man reported to the police that he was in receipt of threatening anonymous letters. A detective took hold of the case and wasted a week before he discovered that the man was writing the letters himself. There was no reason why he shouldno advantage to be gained by the apparent persecution. Yet the man actually threatened his own life. I have no doubt that, had he not been detected, the affair would have ended by his committing suicide in such a manner as would have left the impression that he had been murdered by his unknown

"The story of the New York girl whose monomania turned in the direction of love was on every tongue twenty years ago, and the affair ended by the young woman in question being sent to an insane asylum, where she subsequently died a raving maniac. She was a beautiful girl, work? I review it not for entertainment, but because I would have you join in David's Doxology: "Great and Mary-lous are Thy Works, Lord God Almighty;" because I want you to know what a home-sical our Father built for his children at the crut thought in her depreciation. lord, and a most ingenius and romantic story did she tell of the circumstances that led up to the proposal. The young Englishman, according to her, had spent a few years in America, where he went under an assumed name. It was during this period that he first met the girl, and a tender feeling sprang up between them. The young man returned to England without revealing his identity, and after he got home wrote back, telling the story of his life, and asking her hand in marriage.

"The girl showed this letter to her friends, and acting on their advice after the circumstances had been explained, accepted the young foreigner's hand. In due time an engagement ring came, tender messages of love passed across the ocean, and the date was set for the wedding. The bridesmaids were selected, the wedding trousseau bought, and paragraphs were even printed in the newspapers commenting on the grandeur of the coming event. But as the day approached, a letter came from Europe stating that the young man's father, Lord - had died suddenly, and the ceremony had to be rostponed.

"The disappointed bride bore up wonderfully well, and another date was set for the wedding, and a cablegram came one day announcing that the young man had sailed. Two days later another cablegram came, signed by a strange name, saying that the expected groom had fallen overboard and been drowned.

"On receipt of this intelligence the long illness was sent to an asylum. She never recovered her reason. Her friends, curious to learn something more about the tragic death of the young Englishman, made an investigation, and learned to their dismay that no such person ever existed. Unquestionable evidence was produced that the unfortunate girl had manufactured the entire romance, and that she herself had conducted both ends of the correspondence, and had written the cablegrams on a sending blank.

"Here," said the doctor, in conclusion, "you have an illustration of the "Pardon me, general, but in spite of danger of monomania. When the unfortunate girl began to write these letters, her sole object was to pose as a heroine in the eyes of her acquaintances, and the success of her first effort was so great that it led her to the words of the tactiturn strategist keep it up till the strain of excitement dethroned her reason. When the affair began she was simply a monomaniac, and had her friends detected the imposition before the postponement of the marriage or the death of the imaginary | joy.

bridegroom, the girl would never have gone insane. But she had grown to almost believe her story herself, and being a remarkably high-strung, sensitive being, was as much affected by the ikirts of Sing Sing and overlooking denoument of her imaginary love the grandly picturesque Hudson is the affair as she would have been were it grave gard of those convicts to whom

NOTHING NEW IN GAMES. They are All Nearly as Old as the Ol dest place and the river runs the railroad. Hills.

That there is "nothing now under the sun" is aptly illustrated in the games now in use in the cavilized world. With few exceptions they can be traced back to times of remote antiquity, and many games have existed through centuries without material change.

Kite-flying began in China centuries ago, and it is still practised there most ground in which lie the bones of those ago, and it is still practised there most anhappy mortals whose crimes led to extensively. Ball-playing has been a subject of the convict stripes and the humiliating universal custom all over the world.

practised ball-tossing while dancing with an accompaniment of music. From this custom are derived the word little mounds of earth raised above the "ballad," "ballet" and "ball," meaning a dancing party. Polo is an ancient Persian game,

and it was played always on horseback. The origin of dice is not summer sun beat upon the unprotected known, but we find some form of the strips of ground which contain all that game practised in every country. In China five-sided nuts are used; the Esquimaux use pieces of ivory cut in the form of various animals, and the head of each grave however, is a among the Indians deer bones are wooden board painted a slate color,

India, Asia and among the Aztecs of New Mexico, Tit-tat-too is of Chinese prison records show the crimes for origin and chess, of which checkers is which the dead convicts were bereft of a low variety, was originated in India to illustrate in a game the ordinary mode of warfare. The game as now played in China and Japan is much more complex than our own.

Jumping-rope and blindman's buff are found all over the world, with an of leave the convict is stripped of his nfinite number of variations.

Lacrosse is an Indian game, and whole villages took part in it. The old English games of the most prominence were boar-hunting and hawking. These were succeeded in popularity by cock-fighting, bull-baiting, sham battles and skating, the skate being made of a deer bone.

Archery was a necessity more than a ecreation up to the time that firearms were invented, but since then it has been one of the most popular sports. Archery clubs, which had been kept up continuously since the time when the soldiers were armed with bows and arrows, are in existence today in Eng-

Mummified Poas.

A parcel which seemed to contain dutiable goods was taken out of the guard. It is a strip rarely visited by mail brought from Liverpool recently and detained by the customs officials at New York. Word was sent to the person to whom the parcel was addressed and he called at the customs bureau in the postoffice. According to the regulations he was required to open the package on the spot. He carefully undid the wrappings, and disclosed to view a number of peas of a peculiar purplish color. In his anx-After a diligent had been sent to him by a friend in est manual labor whenever an oppor-England, who, a few years ago, had tunity was offered to her. found two or three peas in a cloth which was wrapped around a mummy. He had planted these peas, which were undoubtedly \$,000 or 4,000 years old, and had sent twenty-four of their product to his New York friend. The man said that he intended to plant them on his Long Island farm and raise Egyptian peas in great numbers. The peas were not subject to duty.

How Polk Was Killed.

President Polk was killed by anxiety and hard work. He was laid in his grave by the Mexican war. In some way he got the idea that the responsibility for that war rested upon him. He was conscience-stricken, and felt himself responsible for the lives lost in it. This feeling preyed upon him, and the anxiety and hard work connected with his position brought him to the grave. When he entered the White speedy dissipation of her grandmoth-House he was young, straight, black haired and about fifty years of age. When he came out he was a stooped, wrinkled old man, whose hair was gray and whose step was feeble. He went back to Nashville and he died a few months after he left the presi-

Grant's Travels.

General Grant traveled but little while president, going only now and then to Long Branch or New York. girl went into hysterics, and after a He started out on his trip around the world, however, just after he left the white house, and no man has ever had such a tour as that of his around the world. All men-all nations tried to do him honor. He was received like a king, and he formed an intimate acquaintance with the greatest statesmen the world over. He came back to the United States with many new ideas of government, and had he been re-elected president for a third term the counresults of his experience and observa-

Africa's Crickets.

In certain parts of Africa crickets are said to constitute an article of commerce. People rear them, feed them in confinement and sell them. The natives are very fond of their music thinking that it induces sleep. Superstitions regarding the cricket's chirp are very varied. Some believe that it is ominous of sorrow and evil, while others consider it to be a harbinger of

SING SING CEMETERY.

Now Dead Malefactors Are Laid Out and Burled.

Upon a grassy knoll on the outleach has granted a reprieve. It lies 4. quarter of a mile northeast of the state prison, and between the resting

The little treeless, leafless cemetery cannot be seen by the passengers, nor, owing to its obscurity, can it be seen from the decks of the steamboats or luxurious yachts against whose hulls ripple the waters of the magnificent stream on whose banks stand the many splendid mansions of fortune's favored

It is a desolate place, is this plat of The ancient Greeks, who delighted in ball and chain. The arena is not over perfection in even the smallest thing one acre, and it is neither walled, fenced or hedged in. Stray cattle and vagabond hogs may trample over the graves of the dead. There is neither weeping-willow nor tree of any kind to mark the sacred spot. The snows of winter and the flerce rays of the and upon this board, fashioned by con-The game of parcheesi is found in vict hands, are the name, date of death and age of the deceased. The liberty, citizenship and the respect of their fellow-men, but the cloak of charity and the instincts of humanity and common decency surround the death and burial of these erring ones.

When grim death has issued a ticket prison garb.

A dead convict is clad in clean underwear and a white pleated shirt," said Warden Brush. "Our chaplain holds a burial service and the body is carried to the grave by other convicts. an officer occompanying them."

Borne to the cemetery by convictslowered into the grave by convict hands! And in order that none of the six convicts bearing their late comrade to the grave shall attempt to escape, the officer who accompanies the fun ral cortege goes armed with rifle and revolver!

A moro dreary, desolate spot can hardly be found than this little country convict cemetery, lying midway between the pretty village of Sing Sing and the walls of the state prison, on which sentries continually mount human beings. Even the children avoid it. The wooden clabs show that most of the convicts died young and the majority of them under the ago of

LIVED ON 89 A YEAR. The Methods of Life of an Aged Miser of

Lisle. The Widow Paret, 75 years old, starved to death in Lisle four weeks iety to examine them he dropped the ago. She left a fortune of \$175,000. whole parcel on the floor. In a second | As a thoroughbred miser she was withhe was groping on the floor looking for out a rival. Twelve years ago when the peas as eagerly as if they were her husband died, she had only a few hundred dollars. She invested her search of half an hour the man found money judiciously, and set about gettwenty-three of the peas, thus leaving ting more with unsurpassed energy. one unaccounted for. He said they She sewed, begged, and did the hard-

Her savings were almost identical with her earnings, for her living cost her only \$9 annually. She go', her food from the refuse heads at vegetable markets and from the garbage of hotels and restaurants. She ga hered the coals for her fire usually at the docks where freight ships were loaded and emptied. Every morning rain or sun, she appeared at the wharves with her coal basket on her arm. When unable to fill her basket there she pilfered the desired supply from neighboring coal yards, and by this practice got herself several times in the Lisle police courts.

Last fall her only sou, an unsuccessful miser, died of hunger, leaving one child, a girl of sixteen years. This young woman is the sole heir of the fortune. She is one of the frivolous creatures of Lisle, and is said to be making great preparations for the er's hoard.

Queer Postures of Women.

Have you ever seen a girl sit on her foot? I heard ut Miss Chreiman's class the other day, Cousin Madge tells London Truth, that it is a favorite attitude of the young women of the period. She puts her foot upon the seat of a chair and immediately sits down on it, the other serving as a prop and balance, being firmly planted on the floor. When you come to think of it very wonderful are the attitudes in which girls often sit. Sometimes they will screw up their knees until they almost touch their noses, holding them tightly around with clasped hands, while they devour a book perched upon the knees. The position is highly insecure. The slightest touch would knock them over.

Inscription on a Sun Dial.

It is said that not many years ago in the temple was a sun dial with the try would have greatly profited by the motto, "Begone about your business," and that this unusual inscription arose from the "builder's man" calling to receive orders about it when the bencher in charge was so busy that he did not listen, but said, "Be gone about your business," which the man took as his answer and forthwith engraved.

To Be Entered.

It is reported at Port Townsend that eleven American sealing schooners have gone to Victoria, B. C., to be entered under the British flag, and there are three more on the way.

gust Flower. Well, we can't make you. We can't force conviction into your head or med-

Doubting

Thomas.

stay so. John H. Foster, 1122 and there is a pathos in his voice. Brown Street. Philadelphia, says: My wife is a little Scotch woman, thirty years of age and of a naturally delicate disposition. For five or six years past she has been suffering from Dyspepsia. She

Vomit

became so bad at last that she could not sit Every Meal, down to a meal but she had to vomit it

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How Private John Allen Presen ted His Case to President Clevelant.

The great humorist of the last c. "11gress was "Private John Allen," or popular man in Washington. There are few men in the country more Perhaps you do not believe these sought after than "Private Allen," as statements concerning Green's Au- he delights in being called. Every day Mr. Allen's mail brings him letters from all parts of the country, inviting him to banquets and to address public icine into your meetings. Allen's appearance is of throat. We don't great aid to him in affecting his audiwant to. The money ences. He has a long, sad face and Oregon. is yours, and the he is the last man in the world a permisery is yours; and until you are son would take for a humorist. He willing to believe, and spend the one looks like the custodian of a great for the relief of the other, they will grief. He never smiles when he talks

Ex-President Cleveland is fond of telling the story of his experience with Congressman Allen. Allen had importuned the president time and time again about the appointment of a constituent to a federal office. President Cleveland was overrun with work at the time, and besides he had good reasons for not wishing to make the appointment just then. Allen's constituents were very impatient over the as soon as she had eaten it. Two delay and very anxious that the Republican who then held the office

should be removed. They made the life of their congressman miserable for several months. and Allen began to feel that he would lose his popularity on account of the office, and he decided that something had to be done to bring the matter to a determination very quickly, so he resolved to approach the president in a unique way.

Calling at the White House one morning he was cordially received by the president, who supposed he had called upon official business and asked him what he could do for him.

"Not a thing, Mr. President," said the congressman. "I was out taking my morning constitutional, and I thought I would drop in and tell you something that I happened to be thinking of as I was passing by, believing as you are an old lawyer it might interest you."

The president, thinking that the congressman had some new story that he wanted to give him the benefit of, expressed his delight at receiving a call from him, and eagerly asked him to begin his story.

"It is a case that I was employed upon," began Mr. Allen, "and through it I made the reputation of being a terrible liar. The case had hung in the courts for several years, and my clients were very anxious to bring the affair to an issue, as they knew that when it was it would be to their advantage. Well, as I said. 't had gone on for several years, and at each term of court something occurred that compelled a continuance of the case. I had been paid a fee in advance, and my clients grew so impatient that they began to lose confidence in me. I would tell my clients that their case would certainly come up at the next term of court, but when the court met the case would again be continued, although I fought hard always to prevent it. Finally my clients lost all confidence in me and thought that the case would never be disposed of. A great many of their friends shared this opinion, and I was losing my popularity very rapidly. For full particulars address, Finally, through sheer desperation, I went to the judge and made an appeal to him to help me out of my embarrassment, but, Mr. President, he was a stern judge and refused to aid me. However, the case was finally disposed of and I re-established my popularity, but it made my blood run cold, Mr. President, when I made promises in good faith and then had them broken by some one else. Now, Mr. President, as an old lawyer yourself, could you not feel sorry for me?'

"Allen," says the president, "I will send the name of your man to the senate to-day. You can tell your people that you have secured the appointment.

The Discoveries at Thebes.

The attention of archæologists and the learned generally is still largely occupied with the discovery recently made at Thebes. A letter alike interesting and instructive has just been received in Paris by Prof. G. Maspero from M. Grebant, director-general of the excavations now in progress at Thebes. Prof. Maspero formerly held in Egypt the position now held by M. Grebant. It appears from this letter that the rock-cut chamber was found at a depth of fifteen meters, consisting of two floors on galleries. In the lower floor were found 180 mummycases, piled one on top of the other, together with a large number of funeral objects, including some fifty Osirian statuettes. Ten of the statuettes were opened at once and in each were found a roll of papyrus. The period to which the mummies and statuettes belonged was that of the twenty-first dynasty. No such find has been made since 1881. The soil had, to all appearance, remained untouched for a period of 3,000 years.

Grandfather's Hat.

A resident of Auburn, N. Y., has a hat in his possession which is over 150 years old. "The hat my father wore," "Grandfather's hat" and "Where did you get that hat?" aren't a circumstance compared with this ancient tile. It is a beaver, with a genuine bell top, and was made in New York city. A bit of silk facing is on the top and bottom part of the rim. This was to allow the raising of the hat without ruffling

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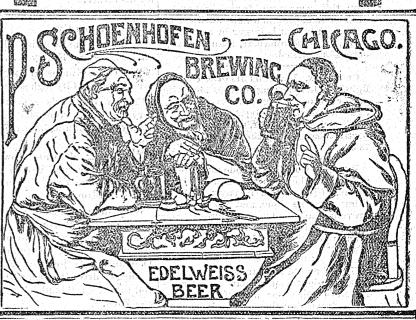
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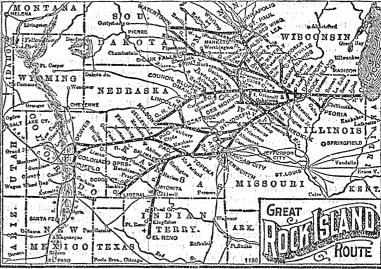
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FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1891.

A \$50,000 MONUMENT will be erected to the late P. T. Barnum at Bridgeport,

A PARTY of American engineers have left New York to survey a route for the proposed North and South American railway.

THE richest American college is Columbia, with an endowment of \$9,000,-000. Harvard comes second with about

THE commissioners of the District of Columbia have been asked to recall all permits issued to Italian organ grinders, as it is alleged that the music may cause

THE popular estimate of the cotton crop this year runs from eight and a quarter to eight and a half millions of bales, a crop that is larger by a million bales, in round numbers, than any crop heretofore picked.

CHARITON, Ia., runs its own electric lighting, keeping aglow 1300 16-candle power lamps all night and every night, at a cost of \$3.15 per light per year. F. Q. Stuart, the mayor, so officially reports. The cost of the plant was \$20,-

RECENT events have made an impression upon the mind of Senator Washburne, of Minnesota. He says: "Something must be done, and very soon, to prevent the countries of Europe from emptying their criminals and human seum upon the people of the United

UNDER an old law making it illegal to shoot at night a sportsman recently arrested in Paris for unlawful killing of game drew from the courts a legal definition of the day's end. It was decided that night began with the close of twilight, or when the sun had descended six degress below the horizon.

THE Freemason who succeeds Gen. Pike as the highest dignitary of the order in this country, is Dr. J. C. Bachelor, of New Orleans, lieutenant grand commander of the grand consistory of the nncient and accepted Scottish rite in the southern jurisdiction. He is a Canadian by birth, but settled in Alabama before the war.

A NOVELTY in the washing machine line has just been invented. It is connected with a child's swing, and after the soiled garments, with the proper quantity of soap shavings, have been put in the tub, a child is placed in the swing, which is set in motion, and moves automatically, and turns the washing machine.

MRS. HARRIET MAXWELL CONVERSE has been adopted as a member of the days. the name of Ya-Ih-Wah-Noh, meaning "embassador" or "the watcher," which was the name borne by the wife of the livery. the first case in Indian annals in which a white weman has been adopted as an actual member.

ONE thing sorely needed in this country, says the Baltimore American, is an educational society to impress or parents that children locked up alone invariably begin to play with fire, and that little ones left in solitary juxtaposition to tubs of boiling water never fail to fall in. The horrible accidents of this nature almost daily reported do not seem to have any effect on this parental carelessness.

MRS. OLE BULL and others employed themselves during the intervals between the sessions of the late national council of women in Washington in getting signatures to a pledge drawn up by Miss Willard not to wear the bodies or feathers of birds, because of the great cruelty practiced by those who obtain them, and the wholesale slaughter of the most beautiful song-birds which this inexcusable fashion involves. Over one hundred and fifty women writing.

THE French ship yards have in pro gress of construction for the French mavy six armored battle ships, four armored ships for coast defense, two ar mored gun boats, five armored cruisers, three cruisers of the first-class and four of the second, two torpedo cruisers seventeen high sea torpedoes, twenty-four torpedo boats of the first-class and twenty-six of the second. The armored ships have a tonnage of 99,026, the cruisers of 65,436, the torpedoes 7,084. The total cost of all these naval structures will be \$700000,000.

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CUMBER.

Loyely weather.

Most of the people are through seed-

Joseph Brown and wife were in Cass City Monday.

Miss Flossie L. Jordon is home for a weck's vacation.

E. F. Marr and wife were in this vicinity last Sunday.

There was no school in this burg Monlay, Tuesday and Wednesday,

Mrs. Comern, of Canada is visiting her sister Mrs. Jordon in this place.

Thomas Whitfield and Neal Living ston spent Saturday in Cass City.

Richard Meredith, of Cass City, was digging a ditch for Joseph Brown last

Thomas Nicol, of Wickware, has started again on the ditch south of this burg. Mr. Nicol means to make a short job by putting on lots of workman.

KARR'S CORNERS.

Miss Clara Grav is ill.

M. C. Tanner has a new road cart. Raymond Martin has quit working

for his father. Alex. Marshall is the owner of a cov that has twin calves.

Rev. Hillis was in this neighborhood on Tuesday and Friday last.

Miss Grace Karr is no longer a member of the Cass City high school.

Charley Swarrey's arm is healing up very nicely. Several shot grains and some of the wadding have come out of his arm.

Mr. Young, of Grant township, is looking for a team of horses to purchase. He called and took dinner with Mr. Muma on Monday.

Wm. Martin has traded his farm for a farm in Oakland county. He intends to leave this week. We do not like to lose any of our neighbors but we wish him a safe journey. Zach Battel is going to drive through with the team and take a small load. A safe drive to you Zach.

OWENDALE and CREEK.

Base ball is being highly talked of by our youths.

Wm. Burress and wife visited friends near Grant Centre,

John G. Owen speat the Queen' Birth Day in our town.

E. McKim, of Cass City, dined with John Henderson Sunday.

H. Burton talks of making a trip south to Virginia shortly.

Archie Gillies has rented D. Ferson's farm for the next three years.

George Taylor Drove over to Unionyille Monday and returned the same

The cheese factory is almost in readiness and will be in full blast in a few

Anthony Hughes traded his driver o parties from Sebewaing, for the

Miss Jennie Taylor is making old equaintances in Roscommon a visit his week.

Little Katie McKinnon has been sufering terribly the past week with maaria fever.

George Cross and David Coulter at. tended the Masonic order at Cass City Saturday evening.

ent with the expectation of the big mil starting on Tuesday. Quite a number of youths took in the

The burg swarms with youths at pres-

ndian entertainment Saturday evening and report it a fraud. Several of our Mccabee brethern of

ent No. 41, attended the meeting of N. S. Boynton, at Cass City, on Mon-

Farmers never complained of so hard oloughing so early in the season in this locality, as at the present

Donald Chisholm is erecting a hav earn this week. Dan is a hustling young armer and always gets things to their daces in good time.

Charley Crawford has the contract of all the mason work on the large residence of George Moden, now in the

Rev. Hillas, of Prarie Mission will sprak to his many friends at the Presbyterian church, South of town. the first Sunday in June, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. A large congregation is anticipated.

The "can can" was out at the residence af John Gill a few evenings ago varying temperatures has been utilized to help celebrate the anniversary of he marriage of E. Morrison and Miss Mary Gill. The youths went home singing "Must empty handed go?"

Richard Hughes was over to Killmanagh attending the Board of Review and during his stay in German Town purchased two more horses. If parties wishing anything in that line will call upon Richard he can certainly furnish them with the kind of animal they desire, Kichan, deceased

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LEGAL NOTICES.

TORECLOSURE SALE—Notice is hereby givil at that a mortgage dated the thirteenth day of September, 1889, was executed by Mary Ali e Osburn and lane J. Osburn to William J. Cooper and recorded in the register of decisionise in Tuscola county, and state of Michigan, in liber 68 of mortgages, on page 190, on the 20th day of September, 1889; that said mortgage was assigned by the said William J. Cooper to A. Elizabeth Rhodes by an assignment dated the 10th day of October, 1889 and recorded in the register of deeds' office in said Tuscola county in liber 66 of mortgages on page 361, on the 11th day of October, 1889. That after the execution of said assignment mortgage, the said A. Elizabeth Rhodes died, and letters of administration of her estath have been duly granted the undersigned. William If, Carson by the Probate Court of saidusoila county. That default has been made in the payment of interest due thereon, whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and is hereby declared to be due according to the terms of said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the dual of this notice the sum of five hundred and fifty one dollars and seven cents; that under the power of sale in said mortgage to the day of this notice the sum of five hundred and fifty one dollars and seven cents; that under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, saiclaimed to be due on said mortgage at the dar of this notice the sum of five hundred and fifty one dollars and seven cents: that under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be to reclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 17th of August 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the court house, in the village of Care, in said Tuscola county, and that said premises are described in/said mortgage sats tantifally as follows: All that certain piece of parcel of land situated in the township of Gilford, county of Tuscola and state of Alichigan described as follows: The south fractions ladf of the northwest fractional quarter of section seven (7) in township thieseout (13) nort of range seven (7) east, and will be sold as afore said to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereof range with the interest that may accrue thereof rater this date and the costs of foreclosure. Dated May 22, 1891. WILLIAM II. CAISON, Administrator of the estate of A. Elizabett Rhodes, assignee of mortgage, deceased.

T. C. Quinn, Attorney.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 25th day of March. 1889, executed by Edwin P, Wright to Sarah J. Wright and recorded in the office of the register. of deeds for the county of Tuscola, Michigan on the 27th day of March, 1889, at eleven o'clock a.m., in liber 53, on page 281 of mortgages, and on the 1st day of October, 1889, duly assigned by Sarah J. Wright to Curtis W. McPhail which assignment was on the 2d day of 'citooen, 1889, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the country of Tuscola and state of Michigan in liber 56 of mortgage, on page 357 at 9, o'clock a.m. which mortgage was again of the 5th day of November, 1890, duly assigned by Curtis W. McPhail to John Murphy, which assignment was on the 13th day of December, 1890, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the country aforesafe, in liber 73 to mortgages, on page 8, at eleven o'clock a.m. That default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage and in the payment of the principal and interest due thereon; and by research of said default the whole sum for which said mortgage and in the payment of the principal and interest due thereon; and by research of said default the whole sum for which said mortgage was given, has become due an payable. And there is now claimed to be 'drown and and an add and the open of said wortgage at the data of this potter the output said mortgage at the data of this potter. PORECLOSURE SALEson of said default the whole sum for which said nortgage was given, has become due and payable, and there is now claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of one tho sand and three dollars. Thus under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the same will be foreclosed by a sale of the nortgaged premises at public yendue to the ideast bidder on Monday, July 13th 1891, at one o'clock in the atternoon at the front Goof the court house, in the village of Caro, is said Tuscola county, and that said premises are described in said mortgage substantially at follows: The east half of the northwest fractional quarter of section one, township fourteen, north of range eleven east, containing 85.84 acres of land, more or less, in Tuscol county, Michigan. Said premises will be solute aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest that may accruethere or after this date and the costs of foreclesure.

Dated April 9th, 1891.

J. D Brooker,

Assignee C Mortgage

CHANCERY ORDER—State of Michigan, Twenty Fourth Judicia Circuit, in Chancery. George W. Wilsey, Complainant, v. s. Nin-

Grent, in Chancery.

George W. Wilsey, Complainant, v. s. Niw Wilsey, Defendant.

Suit pending in the circuit court, for the county of Tuscola, in Chancery, on the sixteent day of March A. D. 1891.

In this case it appearing from affidavit or file, that the defendant, Nina Wilsey, residence is unknown, but that the last place of residence of said defendant was at South Burler, Wayne county, in the state of New York. On motion of Henry S. Hadsall, complainant's solicitor is is ordered that the said defendant, Nina Wilsey, cause her appearance to be entered hereit within five months from the date of this order and in case of her appearance that she cause her appearance that she cause her appearance that she cause her answer to the complainant's solicitor within twenty days after service on her of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in 3-fault thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by the said con-resident defendant, and it is further ordered that within twenty days the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that because a cony of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time above pescribed for her appearance.

WATSON BEACH.

HENRY S. HADSALLE.

Complainant's Solicitor.

TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ss. In the Matter of the Estate of Alexander McKichan, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of sand Alexander McKichan, by the Hon. Indee of Probate for the county of Sanihae, Michigan on the 20th day of April. A. D. 1891, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the premises kereinafter described, in the county of Tuscola, in said state, on Saturday, the 13th day of June, A. D. 1891, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of death of said Alexander McKichan, and also subject to the right of dower and the homestead rights of the wisow of said deceased therein) the following decribed real estate, to wit: Lot four (4) block three (3) of Ale's addition to the village of Cass City, being in the county of Tuscola and state of Michigan.

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GAGETOWN.

Wanted - Rain.

Mr, Billstein is slowly recovering from the injuries he received last week.

Judd Brown has gone to Detroi where he has accepted a situation. R. R. Reavy, treasurer of the Tuscola

County Teachers' Association, was in Caro on Saturday of last week. Some of our citizens attended the

Maccabee rally at Cass City last Monday evening and report a good time. The postoffice will be open to-morrow

(Saturday.) the following hours only: From 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 4 to 6 p. m. Decoration Day will be properly ob-

served by the people of this town, under the management of the G. A. R. Speaking by Rev. Mr. Gilchriese, of Cass City, at 2 p. m. at Echo Hall. Dinner will also be served.

ELLINGTON.

A nice rain Friday forenoon. Another light frost Saturday morning

The light rain last Friday came in the nick of time to help grain and grass. James Cleaver has a nice piece of

wheat along the road from Ellington. Plumb and therry trees have been I am coming to the front this week with

badly hurt by the frost in some places. Wate Calwell returned Sunday, adn cither. vill spend a week at home with her

Charley R. Hutchinson, of Akron, was visiting at O. Hutchinson's in Ellington so long.

There are several nice pieces of wheat but it is not near as good as if we had some people's expenses seem to have no plenty of rain.

Edgar T. Balch is engaged building the vall under Robert Wilson's barn and vill finish it ere long.

There are some of of our farmers who will not plant any corn this year. but rink and were going to sell goods for have put in peas and oats instead.

William Ostrander returned home to Disco from Ellington last Saturday,

after several days visiting at his father's. No news have been received as yet most anything they would wish. They from Charles Myers and H. Clay, who sold a lot of their silverware, but the

started for the far west some three people who went to Cass City last Saturweeks ago. Samuel Elliott received a letter last their men nor store. We would warn

week from his eldest son, Sherman, who lives at Fair Haven, Washington, and vas well at the time of his writing.

KINGSTON.

Nice weather.

Justin Newman is Jown with the

Miss Phronie Davis was in town on

Mr. Pine and little son Del, have been visiting at O. J. Linendoll's.

The new singing books for the Epvorth League came on Monday.

Sam Comer is building a new house on his farm one mile South of town. Mrs. Allen Shaw was thrown from her

ouggy Sunday and severely injured.

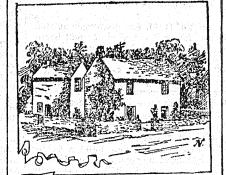
The Kickapoo Indians arrived in town by addressing with stamp, naming this on Monday, Their little tents are paper. W. A. Novies, 820 Powers on Monday, Their little tents are erected just east of town,

Wordsworth-lovers the world over a favor in buying the cottage at Gras-

mere where some of the most original efforts of his muse took shape in verse. A care-taker has been appointed and the property will be held as a public trust. The English lake region of Cumberland and Westmorland is hallowed by abiding reminiscences of meditative, idyllic and lyrical poets who there made their homes, in the early part of this

WORDSWORTH'S HOME. Cottage in Which the Poet Lived Becomes Public Property.

A committee of Englishmen has done



century, to enjoy the tranquil air of de-lightful studies, amid pastoral, moun-tain and moorland scenery, with "the peace that is among the lonely hills." The little village of Grasmere, named

after its lake, near the high road from Windermere to Keswick, has a plain, massive, old parish church, with a quiet churchyard beside the murmuring ce cream social in the McGinnis buildstream of the Rothay, containing the grave with a simple tombstone of slate, inscribed "William Wordsworth, died 1851." Dove cottage, the modest, limewashed building in which he lived from 1799 to 1808, with its garden where he brooded over genial thoughts of man and nature, is shown in the illustra-

The Baptist young people will give an

Children's day will be observed by the

Baptist Sunday school next Sunday,

May 31st, and by the M. E. school June

The funeral of Orville Harris' baby

was held in the Baptist Church Friday

last. Elder Upper conducted the ser-

About eighteen persons were baptised

in White Creek last Sunday, by elder

Upper, of Kingston, assisted by elder

The I.O.G. T. held there installation

of officers on Monday night, with Prof

S. Lynds their Worthy Cheff, They

WICKWARE.

Say George how do you like your hat?

Jno. McPhail is rushing his new house

Daniel Urquhart is the happy possessor

What is the matter of Bro, Scribbler

Jno. R. Burwick is creeting a large

Rev. Snellgrove has moved from Lit

rood to his farm, two miles south of

Rev. Day preached in the Presbyter-

Inc. McPhail had his hand severely

cut the other day, but is improving

Geo. Hunter has returnd from the

yoods where he has been working for

Mr. Wheeler had a span of colts run

The Farmer's Alliance are making great

Say, brother Scribe of Karr's Corners,

news-did'nt have to break my neck

The Lord bestowed his goodness upon

is by sending down a good heavy rain,

The talk about making both ends

meet is all nonsense in most cases, as

There were two unknown men in this

vicinity last week selling silverware.

advertising that they were going to start

a large store in the Cass City skating

mere nothing,-prints and cotton for

one cent per yard, and other things in

proportion. He also promised those

who bought some of his silverware a new

hat, jack-knife or print dress, in fact

day to et their presents could not find

our neighbors to be on the lookout for

Baldness ought not to come till the

age of 55 or later. If the hair begins to

fall earlier, use Hall's Hair Renewer and

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tice, having had placed in his hands by

an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the

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prevent baldness and grayness.

paper. W. A. NOYES Block, Rochester, N. Y.

which the farmers have been looking for

preparations for their picnic on June

away with a lumber wagon, but no ser-

an Church here Sunday evening. At-

parn for Jno. Brown, at Hay creek.

Good roads and fine weather.

of Grant these few weeks back?

expect to meet with success.

Howey' of Clifford.

right along.

Wickware.

endance good.

fast at present.

the past two years.

ious damage done.

18th, at Deckerville.

of a fine baby girl.

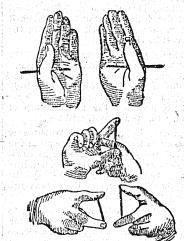
ng, Friday evening May 29th.

"TWIST AND PASS."

A Trick That Will Give the Novice More Than a Little Trouble.

In performing this trick the novice will, according to the New York Herald, meet with trouble. It is called "Twist and Pass," and requires bu two picks. One is placed next the left-hand thumb and held by pressing it against the hand and the other is simply secured by the right-hand thumb. The trick is to transfer them from one hand to the other and return them to their original positions. First with the right forefinger and thumb seize the ends of the other pick, the forefinger being uppermost; then with the left forefinger and thumb seize the other pick, the thumb being at the lower end.

It is absolutely essential that the lat ter point should be observed, because it is the key of the situation. In order to place the thumb in that position give the hand a sharp upward half turn and then thrust the thumb forward and downward until it meets the end of the



THE TWIST AND PASS.

Grasp it firmly, separate the hands, and you will of course see that you have transferred the picks.

In order to return them to their former positions you must reverse the process just described. If the directions are not implicitly followed the picks cannot be transferred, for they will catch upon each other in transit.

If the trick is done with dexterity the picks are made to exchange places almost as if by magic. It also heightens the illusion somewhat to blacken one of the picks in order to convince your friends that there is no deception abou the work.

THE FLYING FROG. A Web-Footed Creature Which May Yet

Develop Feathers. Traveler Wallace wrote: "One of the

rarest and most remarkable 'poschers'
which is to be found on the



is a large frog, a specimen of which one of my Chinese work. men brought me. He told me that he had caught it flying down from a high free." This is the first report made of a flying frog, and gained

island of Borneo

Since then this general attention. flying frog, which is about ten and of a glitterinches long ing green color, has been repeatedly observed by scientific travelers, and it has been found that it can fly down ward by means of its abnormally developed webs, but not upward.

It lives on the Sunda islands in bushes and trees, and devours insects which it catches in its flight.

Some Tall Chimneys.

Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has The following table gives the exact height of all the tallest chimneys in the world, taking into consideration all of felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this mo-

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ì	tive and a desire to relieve human suf-	
1	fering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German,	
1	French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail	Merrimae Company, Lowell, Mass283 Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, Man-
	by addingen with atoms number this	chester, N. H
i	paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers'	Manchester England 415

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Or anything in this line, to call on

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Big Dynamite Scare at Woodside, Houghton County.-\$15,000 Damage by Fire.

Excitement at Grand Rapids. The Grand Rapids street car company made great pretensions Thursday about being afraid to run cars because the scabs would be killed, and suspended operations on all the lines except one and this one was lined with policemen, but they were not needed. Everything was as quiet as if there was no strike except crowds gathered here and there to watch the cars run. The company has presented to Mayor Uhl a bill for damages amounting to several hundred dollars. Those who have seen the bill say that it is for everything under the sun and property is listed as destroyed that the company never used, and if they did no one ever saw it. The bill had its effect on the mayor and he braced up, spent a lot of good money for hiring extra policemen and patrol wagens and swearing in 100 extra policemen under pay. The mayor also issued a proclama-tion calling on citizens to stay out of the streets, and citing the law which makes all assemblages of persons in a crowd a collection of rioters. The strikers themselves do not indorse the destruction of property that occurred Tuesday night, and it is generally believed that they had but little, if anything, to do with the scenes of dis-

order. It was largely the work of the

rabble and of some of the hot headed sym-

nathizers.

Dynamite in Danger. The extensive plant of the Hancock chemical company, located at Woodside, was wiped out by a forest fire last week. The inhabitants of that place and Dollar Bay were frightened out of a year's growth as there was known to be 25,000 pounds of dynamite stored in the works. The men fought like demons to keep the storehouse wet and succeeded in saving it, but so narrow was the escape, that people moved to Hancock to avoid the results. Had the lot gone off there would not have been a window left in Houghton. The Houghton & Calumet railroad company did not run its Lake Linden train. fearing to expose the passengers to danger. The damage will exceed \$15,000, fairly well insured.

MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

E. D. Hall of Detroit lost \$16,000 worth of logs in Clare county during the recent

It is said that Jackson pays \$700 per month into the treasury of the Louisiana

John Stewart of Britton was killed by Wabash railroad train near Adrian Wed-

The Lake Odessa business men have organized a company to manufacture the Irish road cart,

John Hitt, a St. Clair county farmer, ate wild parsnips and died in 20 minutes from their effect.

Shafts "A" and "A I" of the Chapin mine have been closed, decreasing the output considerably.

Fifty acres of timber land in Alba township, Antrim county, burned over Monday and endangered the town. The Great Western mine, owned largely

by James M. Turner, will be closed down at once and the pumps lifted. P. Steketee of Grand Rapids, lately ap-

pointed to the Hofland college council, has positively declined to accept.

The Lansing driving club has perfected arrangements for a meeting and series of races June 23, 24, 25 and 26.

If that Allegan oil well does not pan out a greater flow than it has shown so far it will hardly pay for the boring.

Marshall Cobb of Kalamazoo has probhibited the carrying of banners on the e streets to advertise business houses. The Sturgis fair association, with \$25,

1000 capitalization, was organized Monday. They will have a fair and horse trot this

W. S. Wainer, a Manistee miller, fell Cardagh the floor of a mill Thursday, and was found unconscious. Internal injuries are feared.

The Grand Rapids papers say that Mel. Ford left \$12,000 in debts, and his estate will be swallowed up. Most of them

George Parker of Ann Arbor, late a convict in the Ionia house of correction, drank some alkaline substance while at work Monday and dicd. The oldest building in Decatur, owned

by the Phonix ire insurance company of Hartford, Conn., burned Wednesday night by an incordiary fire. Reports from Allegan county state that

all the small fruit was killed by last week's winter and even the apples injured. The farmers are very blue. Samuel Rose, the oldest resident of Ne-

waygo county, died Wednesday of dropsy. He leaves a family, and large property in pine woods and the like. Menomineo is to have a new round house erected by the Chicago & North-

western railroad, and they hope that it will bring business to the city. Rev. F. B. Bangs of Eaton Rapids an honored minister of the M. E. church, died Thursday, aged 72 years. He had been in

the ministry about 50 years. Negaunce caught another serious fire Monday, when \$4,000 worth of property, covered by only \$500 insurance, went up in

smoke by a fire that started in a barn. Annie Jane Walsh, 11 years old, of Grant township, Huron county, pulled a kettle of scalding water upon herself Wednesday and died the next day from the effect of

the burns. Harrison, Clare county, is anxious to part up \$2,500 for any man who will put up \$5,000 grist mill there, and will ante \$4,000 for any \$8,000 wooden ware factory started there.

C. J. Patch, a prominent business man of Boston, has purchased the Lawrence house at Adrian, and is going to overhaul the house throughout, making it one of the best hotels in southern Michigan.

Michigan postmasters recently appointed: O. D. Bailey, vice S. H. Graham, resigned, Crooked Lake, Clare county; E. A. Armstrong, vice W. Opdike, resigned, Lambertville, Monroe county; W. P. Cotton, vice S. L. Tunis, resigned, Macon, Lenawco county.

N. Carlot

The Young Men's Christian Association of Negaunee will erect an elegant building for gymnasium and meeting purposes.

4William Warren, one of the most pro-

gressive and best known citizens of Bancroft, is at the point of death. He is 78 years old and has lived in Bancroft five vears. "Amateur safe crackers tried to open several safes in Sault Ste. Marie, but did

not succeed a little bit. There will be no amateurism about their sentences if they are caught. Elizabeth Miller of Jackson is pretty

and all that, and a good nurse, but she developed a queer peculiarity of taking things that did not belong to her, and is now in jail.

A child of C. M. Gerstenberger at Marlette was found drowned in a swill barrel at noon Thursday. The little one was four years old, and had fallen in the stuff head first.

Michigan will get \$11,978 from the general government for arming the militia under the new congressional apportionment bill. The money will be paid next July. The Marshall city fathers have decided

to open a new street and build a bridge over the Kalamazoo river, if the right of way is given free. It will cost the city about \$5,000. The Chicago & West Michigan railroad has inaugurated a long needed reform and

now pays its help in cash instead of checks. The first trip of the pay car under this system was made last week. The new Detroit, Lansing & Northern line to Milwaukee went into operation

Monday. The people in the center of the state are pleased, as it gives them good connections for the Cream City. James M. Turner resigned his connection with the Capital investment company of Lansing, and in his place Hon.

O. M. Barnes was elected president, and Judge Cahill director of the company. John M. Myers, who shot and killed William Murphy at Saginaw five years ago and was sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment, but sent to Pontiac on his becoming insane, died at that asylum

Tuesday. The first session of the 103d general assembly of the Presbyterian church of United States was held in Detroit on Thursday. Dr. Wm. Henry Green, D. D., of Princeton seminary, was unanimously

chosen moderator. Col. S. W. Fowler of Manistee has given the city a tract of land, containing 35 acres, to be used as a park. The only condition attached to the gift is that the city build walks through the tract and place seats at convenient intervals.

Mrs. Emma Smith of Munith ran a splinter of glass in her finger two months ago. Ever since then the doctor has been cutting out a piece at a time and now thinks he will round up the job and make everything safe by amputating the hand.

The word "May" played an important part in the life of May Louise Dunn of Marshall. She was born in May, chris tened May in May, was taken sick and died in May, and was finally ouried under a May sun. The funeral occurred Monday.

The Ishpoming Presbyterians decided to build a \$20,000 church this summer. was more work to raise the money than they had any idea of, and now it is probably that the church will not be built until next year, but the work of raising the money will go right on.

The annual meeting of the Flint & Pere Marquette stockholders was held at Saginaw Wednesday and resulted in the election of a board of directors entirely friendly to W. W. Crapo. Gen. Corse has not yet accepted the managership of the road, and, it is feared, will not.

The prosecuting attorney of Washtenaw county has entered a nolle prosequi in the cases of all the persons charged with causing the death of Student Irving Dennison in the row last November. He says he dropped the case because there was not

evidence enough to convict anybody. Judge Potter of Whitehall proposes to them in brooks near his summer residence at Podunk. They will be fed and cared for in these tanks until fall, when they will be large enough to put into the lake which forms the principal attraction at Podunk.

Luck saved the Cleary business college of Ypsilanti from fire Saturday night. A passer-by discovered a blaze in the basement. The fire was soon extinguished and the investigation which followed revealed the fact that some one had dropped a fire box, loaded with shavings and kerosene, into the basement.

John Castle, a Grant township, Huron county farmer, was shot in the leg by a spring gun Tuesday and died in a few minutes from the effects of the shot, says a Cass City dispatch. It is also stated that Castle was suspected of being intimate with the wife of his neighbor. Richie, and Richie set the gun on purpose to being down his man.

Gov. Winans has pardoned James L. Walker, sentenced from Detroit to three years in Jackson, in October, 1889, for forgery; Henry Keniston, sentenced from Ottawa county to three years in the Ionia reformatory in August, 1888, for assault with intent to kill; James Craft, sentenced from Montcalm county in June, 1890 to 18 months in the Ionia reformatory for forgery.

The asylum for the insane at Pontiac is beyond doubt, the best protected of any institution of its kind in the world. It is entirely surrounded with a new device, known as the balcony fire escape, which is so arranged that the unfortunate occupants in time of a fire can throw themselves out of the windows and land in the escapes, descending to the ground in safety without any forethought or work of their own.

Muskegon people have already begun to in some cases the more enterprising have put up tents, and are going right on with business on the old sites. They have to chase out to the streets every once in a while to cool their feet but little things like this they don't mind. The burnt district will be covered with brick buildings. but shanties will do until they can be built.

Word was received at Harrison Monday night of a peculiar crime in Meredith that day in which one man was killed. It appears that James O'Connelly and Wm. Parks went into a saloon and wanted to have a scuffle. They had been drinking freely and were in high spirits. White, the owner of the saloon, objected to the men fighting in the place, and they went outside and fought. At the first blow O'Connelly fell dead at his opponent's feet, his jugular being severed.

Robert Foster, a pioneer of Lansing, and for the past 15 years janitor in the offices of the board of public health and public instruction, died Tuesday of pneumonia after an illness of 10 days.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

THE G. A. R. APPRORIATION BILL PASSED BY THE SENATE.

The Bill to Organize Dickinson Co. Receives the Senate's Favor .- Bills Before the Legislature.

The senate, by a vote of 21 to 6 has adopted a resolution increasing the pay of the secretary by the additional sum of \$3 a day and the assistant clerks by \$2 a cay. The resolution was opposed by Senator Milnes and was favored by Senator Park.

The committee on state affairs reported back to the house the bill abolishing the state board of corrections and charities, with a substitute amending the act. The amendment consists mainly in taking away from the board all supervision over county jails and poor houses, as the greatest complaint against the board has come from these sources. It is thought that the county supervision, provided by law, and public sentiment constitute a sufficient check upon abuses in these institutions. As the duties of the secretary of the board are reduced by the proposed change, the salary limitation is fixed at \$1,000 instead of \$2,000, as at present. Capt. Storrs, the secretary, has received \$1,800 under the present management.

The select committee named some time ago to inquire into the feasibility of establishing a \$40,000 furniture plant at the Ionia reformatory, thereby employing some 150 convicts said to be in idleness. made a report to the Senate Monday evening. The report is practically a victory for Grand Rapids and her thousands of furniture workers who, it will be remembered, strongly opposed the passage of the bill. The committee recommend a substitute for the bil allowing only \$19,980 for needed repairs, etc. Of this sum \$6,000 is for the establishment of a industry other than at present in operation. The report says further that a new industry, if established, should be only such as would employ hand labor, and not enter into competition with outside similar industries.

The senate has passed the fish commission appropriation bill at \$54,900, knocking out \$3,200 for a new hatchery at the Soo.

By the act of this legislature, approved last April, the time of meeting of the boards of supervisors for the purpose of equalizing the assessment rolls in the years in which the state board of equalization neets-that is in the year succeeding the teking of a census-has been changed from the second to the fourth Monday of June. Auditor-General Stone has sent out circulars containing the terms of the new act. According to law the lieutenant-governor is chairman of the state board of equali-

The bill to organize the county of Dickinson was passed by the senate on Wednesday. Yoas 17, nays 12.

The bill of Mr. Bastone fixing the legal rate of interest at 6 per cent, with 8 per cent privileged upon written agreement or contract, has passed the senate.

The appropriation for new shops, etc. it the Ionia prison, amounting to \$19,450, has a proviso, adopted on motion of Senator Morrow, that none of the money shall be used for the purchase of labor-saving machinery, but that, so far as possible, the prisoners shall be employed at hand labor.

Adverse reports have been made by the committee on state affairs upon bills establishing a separate prison for women; to prohibit the killing of ruffied grouse for five years from September 1, 1891; also the bill for reducing the age at which girls may be discharged from the Adrian industrial home from 21 to 18 years.

The bill appropriating \$30,000 to the mational encampment of the G. A. R. to be beld in Michigan next August, the money to be used exclusively to provide lodging for the veterans, and to be expended under the direction of three state commissioners to be appointed by the governor, came before the senate on Wednesday and was passed by more than the necessary number

of votes; yeas 23, nays 7. An Over-Worked Court Im adjourning the April term of the supreme court on Thursday, Judge Champlin ook occasion to speak of the excessive duties of the court. The judge said that since court opened on April 8 it had been in constant session, one week having been spent in writing opinions. They have peard 123 cases and have devoted 12 to 16 hours daily to their duties. There are 73 cases which have been submitted, which have not been written up. This imposes upon the court the duty of a review and examination of authorities applicable to those cases. There are nine working days to perform this duty in between now and the day of the next term. Aside from the cases 63 motions during this term have been heard and disposed of. Thus far every case upon the calendar has been beard and disposed of, but it has been done only by the greatest exertion and the time is near at hand when the business of the court will get beyond the judges' ability to cope with. The two methods suggested to relieve the overpressure of business, by limiting the numper of cases to be placed upon the calendar for hearing at each term, and placing so many upon the calendar as will cable the court to give to each case that attention and study which its importance deserves, and that no oral arguments be evel the ruins and haul off the debris, and listened to unless specially ordered by the court, are objectional. In conclusion the judge declared that it would be impossicases and write opinions in those which some weavers from England. have been submitted before the first day of the next term, and hence counsel ongaged in those cases must not be surprised if as early disposition as wished, by them,

Michigan Firemen.

The state firemen's association, which net at Lapeer last week, elected officers as follows: President, S.W. Baxter of Grand Rapids; vice-presidents, F. W. Peabody of jury at Denver for murdering Mrs. Barna-Albion, W. P. Perry of Hillsdale and C.H. by of Providence, R. I., by sending her Sage of Three Rivers; secretary, W. H. Fuller of Pentwater; statistician, George W. Keyes of Olivet; delegate to national meeting.

The general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States is being held in Detroit.

SEES A PANIC.

Dr. Heber Newton on the Case of Philip Brooks.

the part of certain Massachusetts ecclesiastics against the confirmation of Dr. Phillip Brooks' election to the bishopric of that state. In a recent interview the celebrated Dr. R. Heber Newton, himself under the ban for alleged heresy, said to a reporter: "As to the objections raised to the confirmation of Phillip Brooks, I can only denounce them as infamous. man's identification with the church adds a conspicuous luster to it, and I can hardly believe that serious protest has been made to his bishopric confirmation. Of course I can understand that a few high church-men might object to him, but that there should be enough objectors to defeat his election is to me simply incredible. But no man can gauge conditions properly in these disjointed times. The church is in a panic. Men are no longer controlled by reason, but are going it blind. For example, take the case of Prof. Briggs. He is elected by the Presbytery as a delegate to the general assembly to assist in the revision of the confession of faith, and before the assembly convenes they vote him a heretic. Utterances of years ago, unquestioned at the time, are being dragged out of their graves to serve as witnesses against men. It is a panic, I tell you, and no man can venture an opinion as to how it will all end,"

MEN AND THINGS.

Swarms of young locusts are appearing in upper Egypt.

A hail storm damaged crops in Kansas and Texas Sunday.

The strike of the carpenters of St. Louis has proven a failure.

Ex-queen Natalie is being royally welcomed throughout Hungary. Eight persons were recently killed at Aguas Calientes, Mexico, powder explo-

sion. Two thousand sewer diggers at Superior Wis., have struck for an advance of 25

cents a day. The Hessian fly has made its appearance in the wheat fields in the vicinity of Jack-

sonville, Ill. A new watch factory, with a capital stock of \$250,000, has been located at Rockford, Ill.

Houghton & Godfrey Boston shoe manufacturers, are in financial trouble. They owe \$150,000.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent was declared Tuesday by the C., B. & Q. directors.

Syracuse, N. Y., is to have a \$150,000 art gallery and library, the gift of Congressman Belden. The strikers in the Pennsylvania coke

regions have decided to continue the strike six weeks longer. The construction of an electric street

railway will be immediately begun at Cedar Rapids, Ia. About two-thirds of the canneries of California have combined with a capital

stock of \$2,000,000. The wire and nail works of the Enterprise company at Joliet, Ill., burned Monday. Loss, \$125,000.

Eleven Italians were buried by the caving of a sewer at Providence, R. I., Tuesday. Four were killed.

The mills of the National linseed company at Sioux City, Ia., burned Wednesday. Loss, \$150,000. Rov. A. F. Bruske of the Saginaw Pres

byterian church, will accept the proffered presidency of Alma college. Signor Corte, the Italian consul at New Orleans, sailed from New York for Liver-

pool Wednesday afternoon. A strike among the negroes at the Navasse phosphate works is reported, and the situation is said to be grave.

Sixteen skeletons, supposed to have

those of mound builders, were on Wednesday unearthed at Springfield, O. Abram Burchill of the Zoo received \$1,000 for his trotter, Puzzler. Sam Lang.

ley of Lake City bought the beast, Grain is withering and turning yellow in the district west of Williamsport, Pa.,

owing to lack of rain and forest fires. The preliminary survey of the Rapid City, Missouri River & St. Paul railread has been made to the Cheyonne river.

The total receipts of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago road for 1890 were \$12,034,082, and the expenses \$7,959.834. J. W. Day & Co.'s lumber yard of 19,-000,000 feet of lumber at Minneapolis has

George B. Howard, a pension agent of Mound City, 111, has been arrested for misappropriating the funds of his clients. Charles Peterson refused to jump from

been burned. Loss, \$228,000; well insured

Francisco Monday and was burned to death. The liabilities of the Davis shoe company, with factories in Virginia, Maine

the window of a burning house at San

and Massachusetts, are said to exceed \$1,000,000. E. A. Joy of Old Orchard, Mo., has purchased Gen. Grant's old log cabin for \$5,000, and, it is said, will not permit it to

leave St. Louis. Mrs. David Lemon of Amboy, Ind., was stricken suddenly blind Tuesday morning, after which she became a raving maniac and at night died.

Alice Martin was found murdered in her room at Chicago Monday, and J. H. Painter, her lover, is under arrest on suspicion of being the murderer. About 1,000 employes of Dobson's carpet

manufactory at Philadelphia struck Monble for the court to examine the several day because the firm recently imported Mr. Gladstone has almost entirely re-

covered his usual state of health. It is expected that he will be able to leave London for Hawarden this week. James Kane who murdered his wife

March 21 last, was hanged at the jail yard at Belleville, Ont., Thursday morning. He made no statement on the scaffold. Dr. Graves, who was indicted by a grand

whisky containing poison, is in jail. An order has been promulgated from the department of agriculture, bringing convention, C. S. Depres of Traverse City. Canadian sheep and swine under the regu-Hillsdale was selected as the next place of lations of the act, which makes it necessary for all such animals imported from Europe to remain in quarantine at least 15 days

> The entire strawberry crop of Racine, county, Wis., has been ruined by frosts.

FROM NEAR AND FAR

FARMERS IN PENNSYLVANIA There is a strong protest being made on EASILY DUPED.

> They Didn't Read the Papers and a Sharper Took Them In.-News of the Day Carefully Condensed.

Farmers Duped. A dispatch from Reading, Pa., says: An oily-tongued stranger with a genteel appearance and carrying a fine valise, made ais appearance in Pine Grove and Washington townships, Schuylkill county, and swindled probably 75 farmers out of sums ranging from \$1 to \$17. The stranger declared himself a man of influence and wealth and said he hailed from Reading and represented a large lottery corporation. They had secured his services to sell lettery tickets throughout this section because of his knowledge of the Pennsylvania Dutch dialect. Every purchaser of a \$1 lottery ticket would draw a gold watch, organ or something worth more than the price, and the goods were to be shipped by express to Pinc Grove. Several farmers enquired at the express office for their goods, and were surprised to find that they were duped. The farmers are greatly excited and a great many are believed to have invested, but are ashamed to have it known. The man disappeared as mysteriously as he came. It is estimated that he secured about \$5,000, about \$250 of which he obtained in the Dunkard settlement. Some of the swindled farmers are noted for their stinginess, and, few of them, it is said, read a newspaper.

The Itata to be Surrendered.

A dispatch from Paris says: The Chilian agents in this city who represent the congressional or insurgent party declare today that an arrangement has been made between the congressional party and the United States authorities by which the insurgent steamer Itata, which is now being chased down the west coast of America by the United States warship Charles ton, will not be seized by force by the Charleston or by any other vessel of the American navy. By the terms of this arrangement, the agents here state, the fugitive craft will be handed over by the Chilian insurgents to the United States authorities pending a settlement of the question in dispute as to whether or not the Itata has violated the neutrality laws. This action, it is added, will be taken without prejudice to the congressional party, in so much as the Itata has enough start of the Charleston to enable her to reach a port in the possession of the congressional party and to unload there before she is surrendered to the United States.

Killed by Locusts.

The French savant, M. Kunckel Herculate, president of the Ethnological society, who was employed on the government mission of investigating the locust plague in Algiers, while examining a deposit of locust eggs at the village of Sidiril, was overcome with fatigue and the heat and fell asleep on the ground. While sleeping he was attacked by a swarm of locusts. On awakening he struggled desperately to escape from the living flood. He set fire to the insect-laden bushes near him, but all his efforts proved ineffectual, and when finally the locusts left the spot his corpse was found. M. Herculais was a member of the French academy and the author of several valuable works on insects.

Curious Poisoning Case.

Henry Brose of Etna, Pa., and Thomas O'Rourke of Pittsburg, died the other da from the effects of eating the smoke sturgeon that has poisoned more or lesseriously 500 people in the city and bor oughs. The two men died in terribl agony, and other cases have become s unexpectedly serious that the authoritie have taken hold of the matter, and a mos rigid investigation will be made. Member of the Gledhill firm strenuously deny tha they use creosote in smoking the fish, an an analysis in now being made of the affected meats.

The New Party.

The big convention held in Cincinnati last week organized itself into a political party, to be known as "The People's Party of the United States of America, before adjourning. A platform of princi-ples, comprising many of the "reform" ideas of the duy, was adopted, and a na tional committee chosen with H. E. Faubneck of Illinois as chairman. tor Peffer of Kansas was one of the leading spirits in the convention. It is expected that the new party will have a candidate in the field at the next presidential election.

Killed by Cigarettes.

Edward Myers, a young man of Chambersburg, Pa., aged 20 years, died at the Harrisburg hospital Tuesday night of blood poisoning, caused directly by excessive cigarette smoking. He was on his way home and was taken sick and had to he taken to the hospital, where he died. His face was greatly swollen and all covered with sores, caused, no doubt, by the cigarettes. He had been told by the doctor that the poisoning came from his smoking, but the habit had grown on him, and it was impossible for him to give it up.

A Dynamite Explosion.

A car loaded with dynamite to be used in blasting along the Hudson River railroad, suddenly exploded a few miles below Tarrytown, N. Y., on Tuesday morning, wrecking everything in the vicinity and blowing to atoms, it is reported, nearly a score of workmen. Eighteen lives are known to have been lost in the explosion while many of the men were seriously injured.

The president has issued a proclamation opening to public settlement under the homestead law about 1,000,000 acres of land in the Fort Berthold Indian reservation in the northwestern part of North Da-

The works, office and boarding house of the Houghton chemical company at Houghton, burned Monday. The employes removed 20,000 pounds of explosive material at the risk of their lives. The company will rebuild at once.

The attention of the Oakland county court was occupied all day Monday with the Jennie Webb murder case. A jury was secured and the introduction of evidence begun Tuesday It will be re-membered that Miss Webb, a school teacher of Pontiac, punished a school boy, Frank O. Cook, a year ago this month and the boy died from the result of the punishment, Miss Webb using a strap to inflict the punishment.

FOUGHT FOR THEIR QUEEN.

Students Try to Prevent Natalie's Expulsion from jervia.

A dispatch from Belgrade, Servia, of recent date says that the prefect of that ity, charged by the regents with the duty of expelling ex-Queen Natalio from Servian territory, went to the latter's residence Monday and, in spite of her earnest protests, compelled her to enter a carriage which drove towards the quay on the Danube where the royal yacht was moored. The news spread throughout Belgrade and reached the students' quarters. The students promptly turned out in force, and as the carriage containing the unhappy lady was being driven towards the Danube it was surrounded by students, who seized the horses' heads, brought the vehicle to a standstill and loudly cheered the royal prisoner. They then detached the horses from the carriage and dragged the vehicle back to the exqueen's residence, cheering loudly as they passed through the streets. The prefect, assisted by a force of gendarmes, tried to regain possession of the ex-queen and several collisions took place between the gendarmes and the students. The citizens and merchants generally side with the ex-queen. The residence of Natalie is defended by students. Intense excitement prevails. A conflict occurred, the troops tired upon the queen's supporters, killing

two and wounding many others. On the following day another attempt was made to expel the ex-queen from Servia, which was successful, although the students offered to fight for her. It is stated at Vienna that Natalie is en route to the palace of Sinai at Bucharest, the capital of Roumania, a fact which gives rise to the rumor that important political events may follow her expulsion from Servia.

For Masons' Widows and Orphans.

The corner-stone of the Masonic Home for indigent Masons' widows and orphans, to be erected at Utica. N. Y., was laid on the 21st inst. About 30,000 visitors from all parts of the state witnessed the processions and the ceremonies attending the layng of the corner-stone. The weather was disagreeable. Fully 13,000 Masons were in the city, but not more than 7,000 were in line. The most lavish preparation had been made for housing and feeding the people. At night at the Utica opera house about 3,000 persons listened to addresses by the Mayor. Hon. Alexander T. Goodwin. Hon. John H. Vrooman, Past Grand Master Lawrence and Chauncey M. Depew.

Col. L. M. Dayton, an intimate military companion of the late Gen. Sherman, died at the Queen City club, in Cincinnati, Monday morning.

Application for authority to organize the National Bank of the Republic of Chicago was filed at Washington Monday by W.W. Bell and others.

The militia was called out at Wilming-

ton, N. C., Sunday to prevent a crowd of Negroes from rescuing one of their number who was locked up in jail. Clayton, Slater & Son, of the cotton and woolen mills at Brantford, Ont., have made

ed at botween \$75,000 and \$80,000. Near Stackhouse, N. C., Monday, six young men quarreled about a girl and fought with pistols, shot-guns and razors.

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Three of the men received fatal injuries. THE MARKERS.

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Dun's Trade Review New YORK, May 25.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The continued outgo of gold has a depressing influence. The fall in prices of all commodities has been about 2.8 per cent in two weeks. The local money market is fairly supplied at moderate rates, as other eastern and western markets are, almost without ex-ception, but at a few southern points money is close or tight, and much caution in ex-tending credits prevails. The treasury has paid out during the week but \$600,000 more than it has taken in, of ordinary currency, but has also put out; 2,10,000 more fractional sliver. At most places trade seems healthy, and there is not more than the usual complaint about collections. The business fallures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 254, as compared with 257 last week. For the corresponding wook of last year the figures were

A rew volcano is said to have started up in Armenia at the summit of Mount Min-rod. The villages at the foot of the mountain have been destroyed and several lives are reported lost.

Two children of John Hanamand of Thedford, Thomas county, Neb., recently wandered 75 miles from home, and when a rescuing party found them one was dead and the other uncenscious.

The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad company has filed a mortgage for \$31,000,000 at Beatrice. Neb., in favor of the United States trust company of New York. It runs for 50 years.

LOVE'S ANSWER.

Wealth with a golden coach and four, Stood pleading at my cottage door, I answered him, "Your gold is cold, And woman's love cannot be sold."

Fair Beauty, evanescent thing, Implored me with fond beckoring; I said him, "Nay, you're fair to-day: 1 But beauty cannot live alway."

Deep learning, with wise, argument, Sought vainly for my heart's consent, "Your depth of knowledge I confess, But wisdom is not happiness."

Young Love, a boggar, passing by Quick guessed the answer in my eyo, Wealth, Beauty, Love-all else beside: Young Low shall chim me for his bride.

"PULL UP."

I had worked in the inines of California for two years, but bad luck seemed to follow me, so one hot summor day I threw down my pick and determined to quit trying to make a honest living. There was Bill Jenkins running a fare bank and Mexican Jose dealing moute, and either of them made more money in a single night than I did in a month's work. Robbing a stage could be but little worse than dealing fare or mente, so I determined to turn road agent and rob other men for a living.

I remember the afternoon was intensely hot. Leaving my tools in the mine. I hurried to my half brush and half canvas hut, put on the only decent suit of clothes I had and set off.

A walk of a mile and a half brought me to the nearest town and evening found me betting at one of the many gambling games that thrived in the

Though I had lost many a dollar at gambling, luck now seemed in my favor, and before the game closed that night I had won nearly a thousand dollars.

This made me believe that fortune was now with me, so I determined to set off on my exploits as soon as possible.

I bought a good saddle-horse, a pair of serviceable pistols, and adding a light but handy shotgun, I was ready to begin my career.

I rode up the country some miles vo the next town to study the lay of the land and get the run of the stages. I soon found the one carrying the most gold was that coming south from Shasta but this usually had a good many passengers, and in those days all men went armed. I saw that singlehanded it would be useless to go on the road, so I looked about for a day or two to see whom I could find that would answer my purpose. The right man was not easily found, for I wanted a fellow that could be depended upon in time of danger, and one that would

stay sober. At length I picked up such a man as I needed, and we two laid our plans for stopping the stage I have mentioned. We concluded to have more help, and soon found two more who were willing to risk being shot or sent to state prison for the sake of making a rich stake on the road.

We were now ready for business. The Shasta stage passed through Chico about daylight in the morning, and as this stage brought down the treasures from the rich mines of Siskiyou, Yreka and Shasta, we determined to rob that at all hazard. We selected a spot a few miles south of Chico, where the stage had to pass through a deep

We spread out a lot of hay for our beds, tied our horses close at hand, and waited impatiently for the morning that was to bring us thousands or else a cell in prison. Before daylight we were up and ready for what might

We saddled our horses carefully and hid them in the bushes near where we intended to stop the stage. The guns and pistols were examined with care, and then we proceeded to tie a strong rope across the road in the deepest part of the gulch. One of our men, Gray, was a little nervous; but my first pal, Slim Jim, and I were as cool as though we had followed the business for years. We had not long to wait after everything was ready, yet it seemed an hour before we saw the cloud of dust that marked the coming of the stage, half a mile away. We had planned the whole job carefully, and each man knew just what he had to do. This was no time to flinch: yet I knew that it was an anxious moment to all of us. An instant later and Jim gave a sharp whistle, and then we knew that our work would soon begin. Too late to retreat now for we could hear the rumble of the heavy coach and see the horses pulling hard on the bits. On they came, and I could make out the express messenger on the box with the driver, and knew that a rich treasure was on board, for a messenger was sent only when the state had a large amount of gold. Jim said to the other boys: Take it easy and don't get excited, for we will soon have a big haul."

We kept well out of sight in the thick bushes till the stage came tearing down into the little gulch, when the driver saw the trap, but it was too late, for he had to pull up suddenly to keep his horses from all piling up in a heap at the bottom of the hole.

Just at that moment we sprang out of our concealment, and poked our guns right up in the faces of the driver

and messenger.
"Pull up," I cried, "or we will blow

the top of your heads off." Pull up they did, and in righty short order, for it pitched the passengers almost out of the stage, and we could hear them cursing and growling before they knew what had stopped them.

"Throw up your hands and be d-d quick about it!" shouted Jim, and in reply the messenger dropped his gun and held up both hands, saying,

Boys, you have the drop on me." The driver did not attempt to make any resistance, so Jim jumped up on ment-Colton

the box o'nd took away the messenger's gun uv.d the driver's pistols. Gray and our other men in the mountime

had the passengers well under cover. "Now," said Jim, "We must have The key to that box," giving the treasure-box a kick. To this the messenger demurred a little, but as the lawyers say, Jim overruled his demurrer without giving him time to file an answer. After getting the key he pitched out the box so we could open it at our leisure. The driver was a bit shaky. looking right down into my gun and said:

"I wish you would raise that thing a little; it might go off accidentally, and somebody would get hurt."
"Certainly," I replied, "I like to

oblige a centleman when I can," and I raised the Jun a little, so as to point just over his head, but where I could make use of it in an instant, if neces-

While Jim and I were interviewing those in front Gray and the other fellow kept their guns trained on those in the stage, but now that our part was done they wanted to take what pocketmoney the passengers had. To this we objected, for we did not want them to get hold of anything that could be identified.

"Faith, and ye be gentlemen," cried an Irishman on board, "for leaving us our loose change, but if the rest are in the same fix as meself, then ye would be losing your time going through our pockets?

Before we took the treasure-box Jim had unhitched the tugs of the whool horses, and these he now hooked up again and then started to untie the rope, when the driver said:

"You are mighty kind, but haven't you forgotten something?"

"I guess not," replied Jim, and kept untving the knots. "Well," said the driver, with a laugh, "I thought you could stand a

treat, as you have made a pretty good

haul." "I am - sorry," said Jim, "but one of our boys drank every drop we

had while waiting for you. "Then we ought to have got along a little sooner," observed the driver. "Or a little later when you had

gone," said the Irishman. But the farmer said he couldn't see how that would have made any difference with the whisky.

"Neither do I!" said the Irishman, after scratching his head for a mo-

mont. As soon as the rope was loose, the driver gave a yell to the horses, cried goodbye to us and away the stage went with every horse on the keen run. We hurried off a little distance from the road, broke open the box and rolled out more gold than I ever saw in one heap before. We divided the money into four lots right on the spot, and each man took his share, for we could not tell now soon we might have to run from the officers. We did not lose much time, but mounted our horses and rode down.Butte creek a few miles and then struck across the bottoms for the Sacramento river, and the next day got away over into the Coast range, where we were safe. Gray and the other fellow were not satisfied to hide a little while, but wanted to get back to some

little town so as to have a good time. Jim and I struck out for Oregon as soon as they were gone, for we were afraid they might get caught and blow on us. Sure enough, they did get given by country people in Ohio as a picked up, but were true blue and cure for ague. never gave us away, though each of

them was sent to the state prison. time and robbed muny a stage together. but we never made the haul that we

did with our first one. If we had saved the money we took we would have been rich, but we lost most of it at faro and on horse races. We traveled through Oregon and Washington and then got into Idaho. Here we fixed up a job and got away with it in fine shape, but a fellow we had with us got into the hands of the officers and blowed on us, and we were

both arrested. The rescal turned state's evidence. and both Jim and I were convicted and sentenced to prison. Poor Jim died there, and I swore that if ever I got out il would make it hot for the chap that sent us to jail.

There was a long pause and the doctor, who had listened very patiently to the robber's story, stepped up to the table to give the man a stimulant. He shook his head and said:

"No more for me; my time is nearly up, and I want to die with a clear Waiting a moment longer, he continued: "To-night I found him."

"Yes, and got a shot for your trouble," replied the doctor, looking at the strong man stretched on the bed before him. "But not till I had fixed him," said

the man "He has paid the debt he owed Jim and me, for he is dead before this."

Another pause. Then he said slowly: "You have get the money, doctor?" "Yes."

"And will see me decently buried?" "I will," was the reply.

This seemed to satisfy the man, and he dropped off into a short sleep. When to be transparent and were sometimes he awakened from this his mind began | dyed purple and enriched with stripes to wander, and he went back to his of gold. For ages silk was a scarce first stage robbery, now talking to Jim article among the Romans and so highand now calling on the driver to halt | ly prized as to be worth many times and throw up his hands. Then he talked of the mines. His sentences were short and broken, for his strength was failing fast. Before morning he was dead.

His true name was never known, and if he had friends or acquaintances he never mentioned them. The headstone that marks his resting-place has upon it only the words, "Idaho Bill: died July 15, 1884."

Montal Pleasure.

Mental pleasures never cloy. Unlike those of the body, they are increased by repetition, approved of by reflection, and strengthened by enjoy-

FACTS ABOUT INSECTS.

CURIOUS THINGS CONCERNING COMMONEST BUGS.

Everything that Crawls or Flies Seems to Have More Uses than Ordinary People Suspect-Silk from Spider's Webs.

According to an Asiatic fable, a scorpion, armed with pernicious sting and filthy poison, undertook a journey. Coming to the bank of a wide river he stopped in great perplexity. unable to cross, yet unwilling to return. A tortoise, seeing his situation and moved with compassion, took him on his back as a passenger and was swimming toward the opposite shore when he heard a noise upon his shell as of something striking him. He called out to know what it was and the ungrateful scorpion answered: "It is only the motion of my sting; I know it cannot injure you; but it is a habit I cannot relinquish."

"Indeed," replied the tortoise. Then I can not do better than free so bad a creature from his evil disposition and secure the good from his malevolence." Saying which he dived under the water and the scorpion was drowned.

It is stated in the mythology of India that an immense spider was the origin of the universe and the first cause of all things. Drawing the material from its own bowels it wove the web of creation. Sitting in the center of its work it feels and directs the motion of every part, until at length when, it has pleased itself sufficiently in ordering and contemplating its perfection, it will draw all the threads it has soun out again into itself, and, when they have been absorbed, everything

will have vanished into nothing. In the year 1709 it was discovered that a new and very beautiful kind of silk could be made from the webs of certain species of spiders. The threads were found to be easily separated. carded, and spun, affording a much finer filament than that of the silkworm and equally susceptible of dyeing. Stockings and gloves were made from this material, naturally of a beautiful gray color, and great expectations of the usefulness of the invention were entertained. At the beginning a difficulty was found in the fact that it would require 663,522 spiders to furnish one pound of the thread, and it was declared impossible to provide so many of the creatures with flies, their natural food. This obstacle was soon removed by finding that they would subsist very well upon chopped earth-worms and the roots of feathers; but an insurmountable obstacle arose from their unsocial inclinations, inasmuch as when many were put together they soon began to quarrel, the strongest devouring the weakest, until of several hundred in a box but three or four remained alive after a few days. Obviously it was impossible to keep and feed each one separately. Spiders are considered a

dainty for eating by many peoples. Concerning the origin of the bedbug there is much dispute. For a long time it was declared that the creature was introduced into Europe in timber brought from America, but this is doubtless untrue. At the present time the bedbug is sometimes

Every one is familiar by hearsay with the cochineal insects which fur-Jim and I had good luck for a long | nish the dyer with his most highly valued material. They are found on a kind of fig, and are secured by shaking the trees, beneath which sheets are spread. The cosmetic known as "rouge" is a preparation of cochineal. Not less widely used, and for similar purposes, is the "lac" insect of India, which is likewise a tree parasite. These little animals are employed in the manufacture of varnishes, japanned ware, scaling-wax, beads, rings, bracelets, necklaces, waterproof hats, and many other things. Mixed with fine sand they are made into grindstones, and, added to lampblack dissolved in water, they compose an ink of much value. They are also used as a substitute for cochineal

for dyeing. A very curious kind of cloth has been manufactured by using for the purpose the worms which are the larvæ of the so-called "clothes-moth." An ingenious Bavarian invented a way of causing such worms to work on a paper model suspended from the ceiling of a room. To this model he could give any form and dimensions he chose, and he was thus enabled to obtain not only square shawls, but actually a complete woman's dress, with sleeves, though without seams, Two larvæ can weave one squar inch of-cloth, which exceeds in fineness the lightest gauze. It has been worn

by queens. The first silk dresses worn by the ladies of ancient Rome were from the island of Cos, and of them Pliny said that "while they covered a woman they at the same time revealed her charms." In fact, they were so fine as its weight in gold. The Emperor Aurelian, who died in the year 125 of the Christian era, refused his empress a silk dress because it was so expen-

sive. Bees were not original natives of this country. They were brought to Boston first from England, and were subsequently carried over the Alleghany mountains by a hurricane. For a long time they were known to the Indians by the name of "English flies," and were looked upon as the harbinger of the white man.

A superstition obtains among the cowboys that if a cow be lost its wherethe daddy long-legs, which points out | are three more on the way.

the direction of the lost animal with one of its forelegs. The spiderweb fabric has been carried so nearly to transparency that the Emperor Aurengzebe of Hindostan is said to have reproved his daughter for the indelicacy of her costume when she wore as many as seven thicknesses of it. Ar Hurdenburg, in Sweden, the method of choosing a burgomaster is this: The persons eligible sit around with their beards resting upon a table. A louse is then put in the middle or the table. and the one in whose beard the insect first takes cover is the magistrate for the ensuing year. The big mosquito of the lower Mississippi called the "gallinipper" is described by the boatmen to be as large as a goose, and haying the peculiar habit of flying about at night with a brickbat under its wings with which to sharpen its sting. Although the well-known biblical quotation is commonly quoted: "Strain at a gnat and swallow a camel," as it is written it should be translated: "Strain out a gnat," referring to the practice that formerly prevailed in oriental countries of passing wine and other liquors through a strainer so that no insects might get into the cup.

A REPORTER'S CHEEK. He Bearded David Davis in His Don One

Day. One day during his later years Senator David Davis was at the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago, To him there came a reporter who inquired as

room was pretty high up-and, turnporter, commanded him to write his for, "so that the hotel people may know just what I threw out of the window," he said. Then, after enjoying the reporter's terror, he permits him to depart uninjured.

That is the story. It is correct, all out the ending. When the gigantic but the ending. senator had made his bluff the reporter, who was nervy if little, felt that he must call it in some way. So, putting on his most persuasive smile, he said: "Certainly, senator, but I'd like one favor before this matinee goes on."

"What is it, sir? I'm in no mood for trifling," thundered the senator. "I would like to write a brief account of this for my paper. I don't want to

get 'scooped' on my last assignment." "Go on. I'll give you five minutes." The reporter sat at the senator's table and hastily wrote a few pages. Meanwhile the senator was pacing the room, his anger evidently increasing. The reporter addressed an envelope to his paper and made to inclose in it what he had written. "I'll leave this on the table, so that a messenger can get it," said he, "but I would like to

read it to you."

"I don't wish to hear it." "I'll read it anyhow, senator," said the young man, who arose and backing into the corner of the room read this item: 'At 1 o'clock this afternoon Senator David Davis was shot and instantly killed in his room at the Grand Pacific by a reporter for this paper, whom the senator in a moment of tomporary mental derangement attempted to murder by throwing him out of the window. on account of some fancied insult. The young man deeply deplores the fatal necessity which compelled him to take. even in self-defense the life of so prominent a man. The senator was evidently insane, and the reporter, who was no match for him physically, fired the fatal shot as Mr. Davis was about

to dash him to the street below!' "Now, I am at your pleasure, senator," said the reporter, putting his hand to his hip-pocket. But Davis was now in a different mood. He realized while listening to the reporter's item its force and applicability to the situation. If he ever had any idea of carrving out his threat the sight of the cool young man in the corner banished it. He assured the reporter that it was all a joke, and the young man's paper had a 'scoop' that afternoon on an interview with Senator David Davis.

No One Discovered It.

Two neighboring Yorkshire rectors recently exchanged pulpits on Sunday morning. Both gentlemen are in the habit of preaching a sermon from the collection of some noted divine when a week passes without their writing a sermon, which is quite often the case. They defend their practice in this respect alleging first, that the sermons so borrowed are much better than any they could write, and secondly, that the few peasants in smock frocks who attend service never understand the sermon anyhow, and in fact would suspect their rector of heresy if they did understand him. On the day in question it happened that they both decided to use the same sermon from Blair's collection for the morning exchange, and on thinking the matter over they both concluded that it wouldn't be worth while to prepare a sermon for the second service. The result of all this, of course, was, that the same sermon of Blair's was preached twice in each church, though not one in either church discovered the

They are Dying Out.

crease of one-half within a half century.

To Be Entered.

It is reported at Port Townsend that have gone to Victoria, B. C., to be enabouts may be learned by inquiring of tered under the British flag, and there

ON AN OSTRICH RANCH.

DIFFICULTIES OF RAISING THE BIG BIRDS.

The Queer Diet That Suits a Full-Grown Bird-Eating a Lighted Meerschaum Pipe-Waltzing and Breaking a Leg.

When from four to six months old, vrites a San Diego correspondent of the New York Commercial, the young ostriches are supposed to have passed all the dangers of youth, and are then turned into the kraal with the oldest and biggest male of the flock looks upon them as his special charge. He shows them about the kraal and points out every place of interest, such as the softest bed of sand, the best roosting ground, where flies are the most plentiful, teaches them to waltz, and acquaints them with the keeper's gate and the hour of feeding. At meal time he stands guard and sees that his proteges have undisputed possession of whatever there may be-after he has had his fill.

The female matures in four years and the male in five. They are then paired, and each couple put in a kraal of about an acre in extent, and expected to set up housekeeping on their own account. The breeding season lasts about three months, and the keeper promptly takes charge of the eggs until the full number are laid. which is usually from 12 to 15. After to the truth of a rumor that the heavy- the breeding season the birds are put weight independent was about to back into the large kraal and expected marry. Thereupon the senator locked to raise feathers. Each ostrich yields the door of the room, put the key in about 36 feathers, not counting some his pocket, hoisted the window—the smaller ones taken from the breast and tail. Formerly they were pulled out, ing a face of furious anger on the rethe process being known as plucking; but as the feathers were liable to be name and that of the paper he worked broken, recourse was had to cutting. The quill is cut two or three inches from the flesh, and after a few weeks the stubs are pulled out.

The feathers are sorted into four parcels, namely, white, black, gray and tail feathers. A full-grown ostrich will yield from \$50 to \$125 worth of feathers in a year. But this depends very much upon the quality and the market prices.

Their diet for the most part consists of vegetable food and bones—the two extremes. They will eat anything green, from alfalva to the flowers on a lady's hat. They are particularly fond of lettuce and cabbage leaves, and large quantities of these are used at the ostrich farms in San Diego county. Considerable lime and broken bones are given them.

In eating, they have a peculiar habit of gulping everything down whole. Even in drinking water they swallow it in large gulps, as though it were a solid instead of a fluid. They are remarkably expert in catching in their mouths anything thrown to them. They expect every visitor to feed them, and one wants no better amusement than to feed out a bunch of grapes by throwing one grape at a time in their midst. The grape never touches the ground. A dozen heads dive for it, the one with the longest neck usually gets it, and the others get anything from a mouthful of air to the head of another ostrich. Throw a few apples or oranges in quick succession to an ostrich and you will see an equal number of lumps a few inches apart working their way down the long neck.

The keeper of this farm relates a story of a gentleman who came into oking a heav the kroal a pipe. He had been cautioned to look out for it, but he thought no sensible ostrich could possibly have any use for a meer schaum pipe. The ostrich came about looking for something to eat, but nothing had been provided, and "Old Lightning" rather looked upon it as a breach of etiquette. Watching his chance he grabbed the pipe, made one gulp, and was out of sight. The keeper had seen the movement in time to catch the ostrich around the neck and trip him to the ground. As the bowl of the pipe was large and the stem crooked, it had not got far on its journey. By pressing on the neck below the pipe it was recovered none the worse for the adventure and the tobacco in it still burning. The gentleman now values that pipe very highly, not so much on account of its intrinsic value.

as its associations. While the healthy ostrich is not at all particular about his diet, and will eat anything swallowable, let him be taken sick, and he positively refuses to be comforted or dosed with medicine. He will mope about all day, and neither eats nor drinks, and unless the sickness be slight and of short duration he usually starves himself to death; but as they are very hardy birds it is very rarely that one is taken sick, especially after having reached the age of 1 year. The greatest danger is from the breaking of a leg. Strange as it may seem. a bird has never been known to recover from an accident of this kind. They have a peculiar habit of waltzing that often results disastrously. When anything particularly pleases them they go round and round till overcome by dizziness, when they fall, and the chances are two to one that their long legs get tangled up and the bird falls on one and breaks it.

The Polar Bear. Thanks to the high latitude which

The Hawaiian race has been steadily it inhabits, the polar bear is not likely dwindling in numbers during the pres- to be killed off. The polar bear is an ent century, and the latest census gives enormous animal, weighing about as it a population of but 40,000, or a de- much as a fair-sized ox, but it is not at all flerce, and will always run away, so that its extinction must soon be so that it is not hard to kill. I once complete. The Japanese, who number saw an Alcut woman dispose of one in likable, lovable fellow. He was as 40,000,000, are increasing, and it is a very remarkable manner. She found popular a man as there was in the thought they may soon replace the it asleep on the ice, and approached vanishing race and repeople the island. it with great caution from the leeward as much done simply by making a refastening the knife she carried to a stick with lacings of seal leather which eleven American sealing schooners served to hold together her garment. Having got close to the unconscious its body behind the left foreleg. It one else."-Chicago Tribune.

died almost without a struggle. It is a curious fact that the liver of the polar bear is actually poisonous, though the meat is very wholesome, and toothsome as well, resembling beef somewhat.

LINCOLN AND THE GUN.

The President Examined a Kentuckian's New Invention.

While president of the United States and about three months previous tohis death President Lincoln was visited by Colonel Scott, of Kentucky, and Marshal Lamon. On this occasion Colonel Scott carried with him a fine specimen of breech-loading gun, of which he was the inventor and patentee. The two on entering the door of the private office of Mr. Lincoln at the white house were addressed by the president from his seat with a hearty welcome and one of them with the words, "Hello! Scott, how are you?" What have you got there?"

Scott replied: "That patent gun I was talking to you about some time ago.

"Well!" said Lincoln with a twinkle in his eye, "I should think you would be ashamed of yourself—a full-blooded Kentuckian trying to beat a Yankee."

Scott was mum, and thereupon Mr. Lincoln handled the beautiful piecevery skillfully and interestedly, acting as though he missed an important attachment, and he inquired of Colonel Scott: "Where is that shoulder strap which enables you to use the gun, in one hand as a horse pistol?" Scottreplied, 'I did not bring that along, but it can be readily attached when the gun is in use.

The president jocosely pointed the gun at us, and swinging it around, laughed and said: ,"Look out there. I do a good deal of shooting around here (seemingly taking in the war going on), but don't know whether I hurt anybody." Still handling the gun with interest, the president asked Colonel Scott what he thought the government would do with it if it was adopted, and quickly followed this question with the remark: "Well, I guess it will be with you as it was with the Irishman and his sheep's head." Then Mr. Lincoln told a story which ran thus: An Irishman had a sheep's head and was dressing it for his dinner. At a moment when he was not looking a fellow slipped around the corner and captured the prize, and the Irishman, seeing him disappear with his sheep's head, cried out; Niver moind, it will do ye no good, I have the recate for cooking it." This was rather a pointed story for the com-

pany. The president kindly promised that he would go out shortly with Colonel Scott to test the merits of the gun, and we parted from this grand noble man, feeling that he had a kind, friendly heart, and that his soul was weighed down with anxiety as to the results of the mighty conflict then going on between the north and the south. Alas, he never lived to try the gun, for shortly after he was taken from us.

Islands That Disappear.

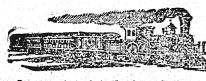
In the Chesapeake and Delaware canal a short distance from Delaware City are a group of islands which appear in summer and disappear in the winter to an unfathomable depth. Some are only a few feet in diameter, while others cover a quarter of an acre in surface. Their formation is apparently a marshy surface—grass and bushes -but a terra firma foundation is evident. Many scientists have examined the mysterious plats, and they generally advance a theory that the islands cover the outlet of a submarine center, and are the injection of its interior. As brimstone has been found on the surface of the islands, some people in this vicinity declare that they are the sweeping of hades. Just now there is no trace of the land, but as soon as the winter ends, and the surrounding country takes on a garb of verdure, the islands will once more rise above the surface of the water and remain visible until the winter again sets in. Residents of this locality are greatly interested in the phenomena, and no known contrivance can determine to what depth the islands annually sink.

La Bernhardt's Superstitions.

Though Mme Bernhardt affects not to believe in God, she is, nevertheless, exceedingly superstitious. The production of 'La Tosca" was delayed weeks and weeks because the tragedyqueen premptorily refused to act with a certain well-known actor, for whom Sardou had written a part. She objected to him because she was convinced that he had the "evil eye." When "Macbeth" was brought out some time ago in Paris she had a notion that. the playing or singing of the witches' music would as certainly entail misfortune upon her; consequently some other composition had to take its place. From some cause she displays a positive horror for anything of saffron tint an antipathy that is shared, to some extent, at least, by a large number of. people on the stage.

A Great Poker Player.

"Charley Farwell is the best pokerplayer in the United States, and that means in the world," said one of his recent colleagues who knew the Chicago statesman well. "He is not only the best poker player—a distinction which any man might be proud to wear, since poker tests the mettle of a. man as nothing else will—but he is a senate, one who in the senate could get side, having improvised a weapon by quest of his friends as any member of that body. Farwell leaves Washington sincerely mourned by a large number of senators, democrats and republicans. His chief fault was frankness. beast, she thrust this spear deep into and that did him more harm than any



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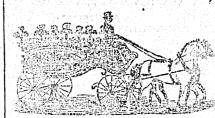
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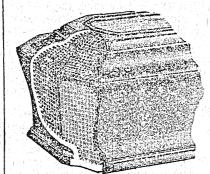
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ight little benefit can be seen. II. Stephens went to Detroit las

week for a new stock of goods. The railroad employs most of our

aboring men on the gravel train. Did you hear of the coal find at Wil not? We have-no foolishness about Canada.

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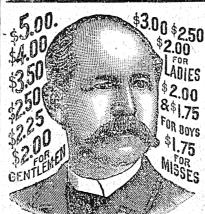
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