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I. O. O. F. CASS CITY LODGE, No. 203, preets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

J. D. BROOKER, N. G. C. W. McPHAIL, Secretary KOT.M.

Cass City Tent, No. 74, meets the haft and third Friday evenings of each mouth, at 7:30.
Visiting Sir Knights cordially in ited.
J. P. HO WE. COMMANDER.
T. H. HUNT, RECORD KEEPER.

Tyler Lodge.

Regular communications of Tyler Lodge, No. 317, F. & A. M., for 1893:
Jan, 28, Feb, 25, Apr. 1, Apr. 29, May 27, June 24, (St. John;) July 22, Aug. 26, Sept 23, Octs 23, Octs 21, Nov. 18, Dec. 16, (Election of Officers;) Dec. 27, (St. John.)
HENRY STEWART; W. M. THOMAS JACKSON, Secretary.

Cass City Lodge, No. 214, meets on the arst Tuesday evering of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited, ELIAS McKIM, W. M.

First Methodist Episcopal Church. REV. S. M. GILCHRIESE, Pastor. CENVICES—Public service, 10:30 a. m. Class meeting, 11:50 a. m. Sabbath school 12:30 p. m. Young people's meeting, 5:45 p m. Public service, 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m. All cordially inyited.

## Professional Cards.

DR. N. M'CLINTON, PHYSICIAN, SURGEON and Accoucheur. Graduate of Vic. University 1865. Office at residence on Segur street. Specialty—Diseases of women and nervous debility.

H. C. EDWARDS, M. D. Graduate of University of Michigan. Was hospital assistant to chair of Ophthalmotology and Otology. Special, eye, ear, throat and nose. Glasses and Artificial Eyes properly fitted. Office over stevenson's store.

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DENTIST. All work done equal to the best, a blessing to those for whom it is done, My prices are reasonable. No charge for examination, Office over Fritz Bros.' drugstore. Not at home on Tuesdays.

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For Bee Keepers supplies go to Lan dan Eno & Keating's. 7-8

## THE TRIAL

Viscount Ferdinand de Lesseps

And others implicated in the Panama Canal scandal, began in Paris, Jan. 10. The great engineer who originated and supervised the construction of the Sucz Canal is eighty-seven years old, and the ruinous fiasco on the Isthmus which has swallowed up so many millions of French money has blackened the names of many men prominent in French poli-

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We know, when it comes to Clothing, but we have dandies at

\$250 which will bother them to stove up. You don't need to wait a month, for he needs them this

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## OSTRONG POINTS.

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NCE upon a time, there lived a man, one of those peculiar, eccentric, "know all" persons, and yet a man for all that who thought Winter Inderwear an unnecessary burden, and to own an Overcoat the height of folly. Time rolled on. The January winds began to blow and the cold snow to fall, and this man got chilled. That was not all; he was taken sick. That was not all; he got well; but that did not end it he had to pay a large doctor bill. At last, realizing his mistake, he was seen slowly but surely wending his way down Main street to McDougall & Co.'s to protect himself against future storms. There's a moral in this fable; don't you

McDougall & Co.

## POINTERS.

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Please Settle. Those owing me on account will oblige by settling same as early as possible. MRS. H. S. WICKWARE.

Peas Wanted. I will be at the Tennant House the

fore part of each week to buy peas. 2-10-3 D. LAW.

A Settlement Requested. Accounts due me must be settled im mediately either by cash or note. E. F. MARR. 1-20

Cross-cut Saws gummed at Landon, Eno & Keating's.

untrimmed shapes for the next sixty in the high room this week. days at Mrs. E. K. Wickware's. NOTACE.

Persons owing me on account will oblige by settling same at their earliest convenience. Respectfully, MRS, E. K. WICKWARE.

Try Dullman's Great German 15 cent Liver Pills at T. H. Fritz's.

Try Dullman's Great German 25 cent

Cough Cure at T. H. Fritz's

## \$500.00 STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES AT AUC-. TION!

There will be sold at public auction at John Schwaderer's store a \$500 stock of Boots and Shoes.

The sale will commence on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11, at 2 o'clock, and will continue each evening until sold.

All goods will be sold without reserve.

Come and secure BARGAINS! A. A. McKenzie, Auctioneer. | each order."

## The Cass City Bank.

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A General Banking Business Transacted.

Money to Loan on Notes, Chattel Mort-gages, School Bonds and Farm Mortgages. Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum paid on money deposited for 3 months or longer.

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Responsibility \$30,000.

A General Banking Business Transacted.

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Money to Loan on short time Money to Loan on Real Estate.

A great many people don't know what they want in this world until they see it advertised; other people know what they want but don't know where to get it. Advertising

## Caught On The Fly.

tells them .- Greeley.

It's a baby boy at W. J. Campbell's. It's a baby girl at H. Fairweather's. Village election first Monday in March.

Mrs. R. E. Gamble is visiting relatives at Caro. Sylvester Ale has been ill, but is re-

overing. Drama, "Soldier of Fortune," to-

night. Don't miss it. C. D. Striffier drove over to Bay City Tuesday with a load of produce.

A. W. Wood, now of Sagmaw, has been in town the past two weeks.

McDougall & Co. at Caseville the latter part of last week. Sam'l Bigelow and Miss Jennie Walmsley visited friends in Caro one day last

Owing to an extra amount of other matter, many local items are necessarily crowded out this week.

J. D. Brooker was in Caro yesterday taking testimony in chancery, cases as circuit court commissioner.

Dr. Truscott says: "The J. I. C. bit is the best and only bit that will control my fearful pulling horse, Nellie." Mrs. Harrison, of Rochester, Mich.

was in attendance at the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Ann Weydemeyer, last week. Dan McLellan's horse took quite a lively run from the cemetery last Saturday afternoon and laid Dan, the driver,

in the snow. Miss Carrie Robinson, of Cass City, was in town several days this week visiting Mrs. Kewley and other friends

-[Bad Axe Tribune. J. W. Blades and son Grover left on the morning train Thursday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Oakland and Livingston counties,

Over sixty new subscribers have been added to our subscription list within the past two months. This, we consider, is a remarkably good showing for an

established paper. Prof. C. F. Rittinger was called to his parental home in Ohio on Saturday last by the serious illness of his mother. As One-fourth off on trimmed hats and a consequence there has been no school

ilac Jeffersonian, is the proud possessor of an eight-pound baby girl. It won't ion, but we are pleased to say, its serbe long, Lew, before she will be able to

While coasting down the school house ill last Friday evening, Charles Seed had the misfortune to have one of the fingers on his right hand crushed quite badly by coming in contact with a tree. Fortunately it has not been con-

sidered necessary to amputate the finger

but only to sew it together. schools, says: "Any teacher desiring wareroom-but they were discovered final examination questions, eighth grade, can obtain them by sending to of a general alarm and before much me at Caro. These questions, which are headway had been gained. Cass City prepared by the department of Lansing, will be furnished for examinations on the last Fridays of February and May. Sealed envelopes, with the instructions for opening and full directions for con\_ ducting examinations, will be sent to

E. McKim transacted business in Gagetown on Wednesday.

Wm. Edgar, of Unionville, visited relatives in town on Saturday last. Miss Carrie Hitchock, having finished

her studies at Ypsilanti, has returned Found-On Monday, a sum of money.

Owner can recover same by caling at Striffler's store and proving property. A. J. WALLACE. Laing & Janes publish this week, in an-

other column, a "confidential" letter re-

ceived by them. It's interesting. Don't fail to peruse it. The High Court of the Independent Order of Foresters of Michigan will meet in Saginaw on Feb. 28. During the past year and a half the membership of the

order in the state has grown from 2,470 to 7,460. The expected sacramental services at the Presbyterian Church have been postponed for two weeks owing to the state of the weather and the roads. Providence permitting the preparatory lecture will be delivered on Friday afternoon of next week at 2 o'clock, and the Lord's Supper celebrated on Sabbath forenoon, Feb. 19, the services beginning, as usual,

at 10:30.—Pastor. "Columbus' name on the new one cent Columbian postage stamp is misspelled, an "i" appearing in the place of the letter "b," and still it is doubtful if the mistake has ever been detected by the users of the stamp."-Caro Ady. Look again, Brother Slocum, and see if and we fail to find the error you mention on stamps received from other

Another one of those popular and enoyable winter evening parties was given last Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Schooley were the host and hostess this time and their inviting home presented an unusually cheerful appearance and the fayored guests were in a mood that corresponded well with the surroundings. Progressive dominoes was the pleasant game of the evening. Dr. J. H. McLean and Mrs. W, I. Frost, and W. Heblewhite and Mrs. J. H. McLean, each winning four games at the ace table, were obliged to play a game to break the tie, which resulted favorably for the former. The prize given by the host and hostess was an exquisitely entirely suspended. The trains on the bound volume of Whittier's noems P. O. & N. railroad could not observe bound volume of Whittier's poems. Tempting refreshments were served.

Nick Maley, a young man of twentyseven years, was instantly killed last week Thursday while engaged in loading logs at the camps at Owendale. He was top leader and as the logs were rolled with a team and chain he would catch them with cant hook and put them in them with cant hook and put them in "Old Settlers" say that we are surely place. While doing that he missed his having as severe a winter and snow foot and fell to the ground a distance of blockade as during their grandfather's ten feet striking on his head and should- days! ers, breaking his neck, and the log which lell to the ground rolled across his body as far as the shoulders. His associates carried him to the camp and telegraphed his brother-in-law at Croswell who came and returned with the remains for burial at that place. He was having worked for S. A. Robinson, of Bad Axe, for over a year. He was unmarried, had a good reputation and excellent habits and was a member of the I.O.O.F.

It is doubtful if more favorable weather could have existed for a disastrous conflagration than that of last Friday. Yet, on that day, the citizens of Cass City were startled by the ringing of the fire bell. The cause of the alarm was the burning out of one of the chimneys on the building of Mrs. E. K. Wickware, west end of town. By the timely use of hand grenades, salt, etc., the fire, which was blazing out of the chimney in a dangerous manner, was subdued before any damage was done. Had this building, which is located in almost the extreme south western part of the business portion of Main Street, burned, Cass City must have suffered a very severe L. M. Houghton, publisher of the San- fire, if not totally wiped out. The fire engine was brought to the scene of actvices were not needed. Owing to the pull those whiskers .- [Sand Beach Times. | deep snow it was necessary to bring a farmer's team into use to haul the engine. Some delay was also caused by the inability of the citizens to locate the well, which of course was buried in the deep snow. This matter should be looked after, as a delay of this kind in case of an actual fire, would be serious. There were two other small fires in town during the day-one in the Tennant E. J. Darbee, county commissioner of House and one in Howe & Bigelow's and extinguished without the necessity citizens have reasons for feeling elated over their fortunate escape from disastrous fires, not only on the above day

> O. K. Janes is prepared to take applications for real estate loans.

but in the past.

Farmers' Institute Program.

Following is the program of the Farmers' Institute to be held in Cass City,

next Monday and Tuesday: MCNDAY AFTERNOON. Selection of Music by the Choir.
Invocation—Rev. F. L. Curry.
Address of Welcome—Rey. S. M. Gilchriese,
Lecture—"Essentials to Success in Farming
-Prof. P. M. Harwood.
Discussion.

Discussion.

Talk on "The Value of Crop and Farm Statistics to the people"—Robt, L. Hewitt, of Lan-MONDAY EVENING. Selection of Music by the Choir. Question Box and Answers. Lecture - "The General Purpose Animal' rof. P. M. Harwood.

piscussion.

Paper—"Education in Connection with the arm"—Prof. C. F. Rittinger.

Discussion. TUESDAY FORENOON

Selection of Music by the Choir.
Invocation – Rev. Gerrit Huvser.
Question Box and Answers.
Lecture—"Fruit Growing in the Thumb disriet"—Prof. H. P. Gladden,

Paper on "Poultry"—Rev. S. M. Gilchriese. Discussion. TUESDAY AFTERNOON Selection of Music by the Choir. Question Box and Answers. Lecture—"Equine Dentistry"—pr. Grange. Discussion. Paper on "Mixed Farming"—Rev. Jas. Mc-

TUESDAY EVENING. Selection of Music by the Choir. Question Boy and Answers. Lecture on the College — One of the Profes-College Views with Magic Lantern—Prof. P. Woodworth.

A Jackson dispatch to the Detroit Free Press says: "Miss Hopeful F. Preston, of Deford, Tuscola county, who has been missing since October 27, has returned home. She started Look again, Brother Slocum, and see if you are not mistaken. At any rate from Deford on that date to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Porter, of this city, and for the purpose of securing medical attendance. Not arriving here search was made for her throughout the state and announcements published in nearly all state papers. She states that when at the Pontiac depot she fainted and was taken to a hospital where she remained some months. She then secured a place as matron of the Old People's Home at Bay City, where she has remained since. Miss Preston claims she wrote home but her letter never reached her relatives."

thing but pleasant. The wind blew a gale during the greater part of the day, and it lifted the fine particles of snow from the streets and sidewalks and whirled them along into the faces and down the necks of pedestrians with a reckless disregard for their comfort. The sleet and snow of the previous night almost as glass. All north and south roads were piled so full of snow that traffic in those directions was almost their regular time table at all, and the trains were all the way from four to ten hours late. The train due here at 11:40 a. m., did not arrive until 10:30 p. m., and consequently took the place of the evening train. The irregularities continued more or less until Monday. The east and west roads are now, we understand, also drifted quite badly, in consequence of Monday's snow storm and north wind.

Additional Local on Last Page. Obituary.

Mrs. Margaret Ann Hoagland was born in Bloomfield, Oakland Co., Michigan, August 3rd, 1834. Was married to George Hoagland in 1856. They requite well known in Huron county, where they resided until 1884. From Tyrone they removed to Columbus, Ne-

Gilchriese.

mourn her death. One son died in indeceased was afflicted with stomach trouble, which was the cause of her being confined to her bed for weeks at a lime. Often she was so far gone that all lanuary 23rd, at 9.15 p.m., I notified seemed that there was no earthly hope the disease and it was not until the be-

During her last illness the grace of patience shone conspicuously. She appeared to acquiesce in the Divine will s a child of God and was strong in

faith, nothing wavering. Her state of mind during the last few hours of life was, no her family, yery cheering. It was marked with the ut-most composure in view of her departure, and with an unwavering confidence in the Redeemer. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do

For Sale. Livery, stock and barn, cheap for cash.

follow them,"

S. D. EDWARDS.

## Obituary.

Mrs. Ann Weydemeyer, a brief mention of whose death was made last week, was born May 29, 1815, in the town of Phillipsburg, New Jersey. Her maiden name was Kain, and she was married to John Weydemeyer in the year 1832. Mrs. Weydemeyer was the mother of three children, all of whom are living. Mr. and Mrs. Weydemeyer came to Michigan in the year 1845, but Mrs. Weydemeyer was left a widow in 1849, while residing in Rochester, this state, She afterwards moved to Flint, where she resided for two years, then taking her little family she moved to Tuscola county, becoming a pioneer settler in what is now the township of Elmwood, then unorganized. In Elmwood she resided until 1867, when she moved to the village of Cass City, where she

lived until the time of her death. It seems to have been her desire to keep her children always with her, and in that she has been blessed, for they have none of them lived far from her for any length of time, and were all with her at the time of her death. She never failed in her watchful interest in their welfare, and always felt and demonstrated a kindly interest in her friends both old and young. This forgetfulness of self and interest in others made her seem always young to observers, and in reality she did keep remarkably active both in body and mind until a short time pre-

vious to her death. Mrs. Weydemeyer became a member of the Christian Church early in her youth, and did not become associated with any other church until after the organization of the Presbyterian Church at this place, to which she became connected by letter, and at whose services she has been an

almost constant attendant. The last illness of Mrs. Weydemeyer was brief and death seemed to come only as the result of a long life of activity, just as we hope it may come to us The weather on Friday last was any- all. The passing away was very peace-

She had been such a loying mother and grandmother, and her kindness and love were fully reciprocated. All that human hands and hearts could do to make peaceful her remaining days was done. had the effect of rendering the sidewalks | She will long be missed by her friends and by the community which has known her for so many years,

cott, health officer:

Editor Enterprise: Please permit me to reply to the article in your last issue, signed J. M. Trus-

I wish it to be distinctly understood that I have no feud with the venerable

doctor. Personal or professional antipathy with me does not enter as a factor into the case. As you will understand, Dr. Truscott is the executive of the village Board of Health-a position. that he literally begged the Council to give him upon the resignation of Dr. Fritz, a few weeks ago. Here we have a man entrusted with the lives, health and happiness of the people, and over his signature in an article in our village newspaper we would not expect to find a collection of erratic statements and a sickly and affected evasion of facts. The present Secretary of the State Board of Health says:—"An efficient health officer should have clear ideas of the nature of contagia. He must have a good, practical knowledge of the means by braska, and after eight years of residence in that state they returned to Michigan and settled in Cass City, Jan., 1892, where she died Jan. 29th, 1893. are disseminated. He should know the conditions of their reproduction, The funeral service was held at the M. within or without the body, and the E. Church, of which she was a member, methods of their destruction, for upon conducted by her pastor, Rev. S. M. this and in connection with what has been mentioned, depends his success in The husband and four children, three restricting or preventing communicable sons and one daughter, are left to diseases." We might as well appoint a Chinese baby president of the United fancy. For more than twenty years the States as to choose a health officer one who does not understand the nature of those vital actions which the human death. During the last few years of her body undergoes in health and those prolife she was a great sufferer, frequently cesses which are coincident with disease. Now let me give the facts of the case: hope of her recovery was abandoned, the health officer of a case of scarled but graciously did the Master spare her fever. I may here state that I did not to her husband and family, when it see the patient in the earlier stages of for her, until in His wise providence he ginning of the third stage, or the period deemed it best to call her home. Early in life, Mrs. Hoagland placed called to see the case. Up till that time, her hope of pardon and acceptance with the family did not think the case serious God wholly upon the obedience and and the mother treated her with domes-atonement of the Lord Jesus Christ, and tic remedies. He said, "I will visit the from that time until the end she was a devoted Christian. Though her reliance Dr. Truscott to visit the patient but that on account of other engagements I Spirit she felt the need of diligence in the Christian life, and was anxious, I believe, ever to be found in the path of duty, and though so often prostrated by sickness she was habitually submisdesquamating freely, in the third stage of scales from the control of sive to the Divine will and at all times of scarlet fever, that "SHE WAS NOT SICK; of affliction manifested great patience TO GET UP AND DRESS; THAT HE WOULD TOSS HER INTO A SNOW BANK," etc. Moreover, to manifest his deep affection for me he said, "I love the boy with all my heart. I would not harm a hair on his head. He will know better after he has had some of my extensive experience." I certainly appreciate the love and affection the worthy Doctor bears toward me, but such talk apart frem the manifest

hypocrisy, is simply disgusting and nau-

seating to sensible people. In his subse-

quent visits he endeavored to bring me

quent visits he endeavored to oring me and my professional reputation into disrepute in that family by applying to me the epithets, "rogue," "lying rogue," etc., and he expressed his great surprise

etc., and he expressed his great surprise that they would employ me when 'so good a physician' and "such a good Christian" as himself was in town. Where is the Christianity? Is it in call-Continued on Last Page.

F. L. C.

DR. PHILLIPS BROOKS, the Protestant Episcopal bishop of Bostor whose death was lately announcia, after having read Bishop Spalding's recent article against exhibiting obscene pictures and improper amusements, said: "This is a great article, a grand work, that ought to be memorized and preached by every minis-

ter throughout the land."

THE woman with the broom has again put in her appearance. Wielding that dangerous feminine weapon, Mrs. Frick attacked two robbers armed with pistols and drove them both from her husband's shoe store. Woman's puissance with the broom bids fair never to be disputed. If the king of Dahomey had armed his amazons with brooms he might have swept France out of Africa.

THE judiciary of Connecticut grows weary of the divorce business it receives from New York, and one of the judges has just refused to grant a decree where the applicant was forced to admit that she had invaded the Nutmeg state to get one. This will have a tendency to help out the South Dakota dabblers in this industry and produce a boom at the trade centers. It's an ill wind that blows nobody good.

THE number of immigrants arrived in this country last year was 543,487, against 590,666 in 1891, a decrease of 47,179. The decrease during the last half of the year was 75,883, from which it appears that there was an increase during the first half of the year, and that there would probably have been an increase for the whole year but for the measures adopted to defend the country against cholera.

SERIOUSLY this custom of wearing crape in commemoration of our dead is the very ghastliest surviving relic of barbarism. It has filled the world with senseless gloom through countless generations. It is ugly, stupid, depressing and unhealthy. There is nothing to recommend and everything to discredit it, morally, physically and sentimentally. The spectacle of a woman walking along a public street, shrouded from head to foot in grewsome crape is painful and shocking in the last degree. Not only does it sadden others, but it confidence to others. It was expecrushes the wearer herself under indescribable woe.

DELAWARE still retains the system of appointing judges who hold their officer for life or during good behavior. The chief justice and one of the associate justices of the supreme court of a confident of an American lady, to that state have become incapacitated from their duties by age, with attendant physical and mental weakness. The Delaware constitution empowers the legislature to remove by joint resolution judges who from infirmity or other causes are not desirable occupants of the bench. This course has been adopted, at the general request of the state bar, to remove the superannuated jurists who persisted in holding their seats to the total paralysis of the administration of jus-

It is not the bicycle rider or the light buggy that cuts up the roads, makes the deep ruts, and causes the annual expense for necessary repairs, but the heavily loaded teams of the farmer and of the owner of the mills and factories that have located in the country. It is true that the latter went there in many cases because their expenses would be less, than in a large city or town, but most of them have benefited the town by furnishing employment, by bringing in an increased population, and by the taxes they have paid. Yet they would be saved much more expense if they had better roads for transporting their goods to and from their establishments, and not many of them would or ought to object to paying their share of the expense of the improvement of the town.

THE knowledge that lies concealed under many an humble hat would, if | ing any of us ever attended. Jews, disseminated, save the world from Catholics and all others forgot differmuch misery by enabling mankind to ences of creeds and denominations. foresee and provide against impend- There was no room for them in such ing evils. For instance, it is now an hour. Mr. Moody read the ninetydisclosed that the aviary men last | first and one hundred and seventh fall noted the preparations the bees | Psalms, and one of the Germans were making for a severe winter. The | translated verse by verse for his coundrones were killed earlier than usual. trymen. Mr. Moody offered a most This demonstrated that to the prophetic souls of the bees a period of dress. God heard us and answered polar weather was a certainty. Yet us. I went to my stateroom to rest the bee-keepers were mum; at any after the meeting, and I was asleep rate, they did not make their inval- when some one touched me. I awoke uable information generally known. to find a sweet, fond little German If the massacre of the drones at the girl, the daughter of one of the pasbeginning of autumn had been in sengers, by my cot. She could not stantly announced, coal men would understand a word of English, but my have filled their yards with the "fixed | daughter had drilled her to speak four sunshine," every cellar would have been crammed with fuel, the windows of every house listed, the fur trade would have flourished-in short, people would not now be shivering and praying for spring.

THE wife of a notorious gambler and leading resident of Chicago has written a book characterized by frank and comprehensive personality. This fact is named as the reason that some of Chicago's, best people, now abroad, are not expected home in time to see the world's fair.

The kaiser of Germany may well view with alarm the demonstrated fact that cholera had as lieve attack a crank as anybody else. It is making the grand tour of German insane | nor any saw mill, with a real buzz asylums.

## PRAYER SAVED A SHIP

SO SAY THE THANKFUL PAS-SENGERS OF THE SPREE.

Evangelist Moody and General Howard Tell Thrilling Stories of the cet's Dire Plight\_Desnerate Situation.

No great ship ever escaped scott free from severer perils than those which threatened 700 souls on the steamship Spree during the first fortyeight hours after the disaster to her

machinery. Most of the passengers were loath to talk of the frightful strain that drove four or five to madness and one to suicide, says the New York Sun. Mr. Moody earnestly affirms that nothing short of the direct interposition of Providence, in answer to the ship's prayers, saved the lives of the whole ship's company.

Very simple and very thrilling was the narrative given by General O. O. Howard. "The weather had been rough for some time when the accident happened," said the one-armed scldier. "The alarm was not very great at first among the cabin passengers. It was a terrible experience for the second cabin and steerage passengers, who were asleep in the compartment next to the last, into which the water rushed. They barely reached deck ahead of the inrushing flood, and they saved nothing but the clothes they wore. It became evident that the shaft tunnel had been burst in several places, and pumping was quite useless. The two rear compartments were entirely abandoned to the water, and it made

rapid inroads into the third. But you are familiar with the technical story of the accident and I will not repeat it. The passengers, I think, behaved splendidly, but instead of selfishness and complaining there were most touching demonstrations of sympathy and desire to help others throughout the ship. Yes, the minds of three or four gave way under the strain, but there was no great excitement at any time. Some rather foolish things were done, but they did not seem amusing at the

"The ladies were wonderfully selfpossessed and considerate throughout the crisis. Neither I nor my daughter-in-law, who is traveling with me, felt any real alarm. I had throughout a strong, perhaps unreasonable, intuition that we should all escape. We tried to impart the same rience that brought out as nothing else could do the common brotherhood of man. There were some close confidences exchanged among us those two anxious days. The case of the young Austrian who jumped overboard was a very sad one. He made whom he gave up his stateroom after the accident. He said that his name was Paul Karnsler. He was sure that would perish, and almost all he begged this lady, if she escaped, to communicate with his fiancee, and to say that it was his wish that all his property should go to her. He had, it is said, a very large sum of money in his possession. Mr. Moody suffered much with seasickness up to the time of the accident. I met him on deck two or three hours after the crash, when everybody was most apprehensive. 'General, come down to my room with my son and me,' he said. We went below, and Mr. Moody dropped on his knees and offered one of the most touching prayers I have ever heard. We read the ninety-first psalm, and I, too, asked God to save not only the lives but the souls of those on board.

Will Moody, too, offered a prayer

no one on board went to bed that first

night. We were very quiet, a very

anxious company.
"On Sunday evening Mr. Moody asked me to organize a service in the saloon. I asked the captain's permission, and his reply was: 'Most certainly; I am that kind, too.' We gave notice of the meeting, and to our surprise every one on board attended, except, of course, the officers and crew, who could not leave their posts. You will readily believe that it was the most impressive religious gatherfervent prayer, and made a short ad-English words, which was the message she brought me. 'The steamer is coming,' and then she added her German hallelujah. After that, with rescue at hand in case of necessity, the tension on all our minds was relaxed, and the week passed not unpleasantly."

The Stage in Shakespeare's Day. In Shakespeare's day there was no scenery used on the stage; the only decorations were tapestries and curtains. In those days the actors and actresses had to do more than merely repeat their lines; they had to supply the scenic effect-what little there was-as well as the action of the performance. They had no races with real horses and a moving panorama, saw and real logs, to fall back upon. ton?"

e effect of the situation was not helped out by any real water and real ice floating on it, and realism as represented by live 'sioodhounds and re formed burglars and ex-convicts was unknown.

STRANGE NIGHTMARES.

Each Man in a Regiment Dreamed the

Same Dream. A French physician has recorded a very extraordinary case in which the nightmare attacked an entire regiment of soldiers on a certain night. Dr. Laurent, the physician in question, says that he was surgeon of the first battalion of the La Tour d'Auvergne regiment when it was garrisoned at Palmi, Calabria. At midnight one night in the month of June the order to march with all possible speed to Tropea, 40 miles away, was given. At 7 o'clock on the following evening Tropea had been reached, scarcely a single halt having been made by the way.

The men were in a pitiful state of exhaustion; but, after a hearty meal, all retired for the night, the sleeping quarter being an abandoned monastery. Just before taking possession of the building someone in the neighborhood informed the soldiers that the monastery was haunted, the apparition being a spectral dog. This story soon spread throughout the regiment, making some feel very uncomfortable, but the majority of the men seemed to regard the whole story as a joke, most of them declaring that it "would take a good-sized ghost dog to disturb them after such

a day and night of marching." But at about the hour of midnight the deep silence was broken by scores of loud, wild cries of terror. The white-faced soldiers rushed turnultuously from their bunks in every direction, and one and all at once told the commanders the same tale of superstitious horror. Every man in the regiment had been visited by the phantom dog! A great, white, shaggy beast with skull denuded of skin and flesh and monstrous eye-balls of fire swimming in blood. The men immediately took to the fields and the out-houses rather than again face the terrors which they knew to be upon the inside of that deserted monastery. Although, to the average reader, this may read like a real ghost story, the physicians, surgeons and scientists declare that it was an "attack of simultaneous nightmare" and that other cases "even more remarkable" have been recorded.

The Kind of Fish It Was. Izaak was sitting in a pleasant place fishing with a highly intelligent young lady from Boston or some other Eastern focus of education.

"You have been quite a fisherman for many years, haven't you, Mr. Hooklette?" she queried, as she surveyed him in that unconscious way people have when they haven't anything much to speak of.

"Oh, yes," he replied with interest. "I have always been fond of the sport, and have cast my line in many waters.

"Do you remember the first thing you ever caught?"

"Quite well." "How lovely. What was it?"

"A licking."
"Indeed? I never heard of such a

fish. To what family does it belong?" Izaak looked at her solemnly. "Domestic," he answered earnestly, and laid his pole on the bank.

## English Railways.

The highest average speed attained by railway trains in England is fifty-one miles an hour. The board of trade has officially ascertained the averages attained on the various principal roads and tabulates them Midland, fifty-one miles an thus: hour; Great Northern, fifty-one; Lonwhich I shall never forget. I think don and Northwestern, forty-seven; Great Western, forty-five; London, Brighton and South Coast, fortythree; Great Eastern, thirty-eight, and London and Southwestern, thir-

## JOVIAL AND JOCULAR.

Jenks—Watson, poor fellow, was robbed again last night. Palton—Was he held up on the street? Jenks-No, it was at a church bazar.

"What do you mean by thrashing your boy without provocation?" "Well, you see a busy man like me must discipline his children when he happens to have time."

Oppenstrauss-My frent, dot ring is wort \$500, and I let you haf it for \$65. Jones-But it has the initial letter "W" on it. Oppenstrauss-My frent, dot ring is such a bargain it would pay you to haf your name changed.

"I know my feet are to stand on," said a crabbed individual in a crowded cable car to his neighbor, "but if it is just the same to you I would like that privilege for myself exclusively. Will you please get down on the floor?"

In a company of novel writers the conversation turned upon Z, a brother novelist. "A very decent fellow," said one of the party. "I never heard him say a bad word about anyone.' "Parblen!" replied S, "he never talks about anybody but himself."

Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar" has been translated into Welsh, but the poem is hardly likely to become popular with drawing room vocalists in this language. The first stanza reads: Hwyr-ddxdd, a seren nawn,

Ac un glir wys mi, A'r bar na fydded yn gwynfanus iawn. Pan alian af i'r lli.

A lady was admiring one of the fine, thick-fleeced rams in the sheep exhibit, and asked the rustic in charge: 'What does that sheep weigh?" "About 280 pounds," replied the Vermonter, "It isn't all wool, then?" said a bystander, jokingly. course not," replied the attendant. "What!" spoke up a third man in an entirely earnest tone; "is it part cot-

## THE COYOTE TRAPPER.

MAKING THE ROUNDS OF THE TRAPS WITH HIM.

Visiting the Many Devices for Catching the Wary Wild Animals-How They Are Baited and Cleansed With Alcohol.

George Peck is an old-timer, having come to California some time in the early fifties, and has had the usual experience of fortune and misfortune, mostly misfortune. He has long since quit hoping for a "strike" and is now a wandering, poverty-stricken old chap, keeping himself as much as possible out of the way of the world, never looks at a book or paper, mines "at odd spells," and the greater part of the year. Lately he has been trapping along the Yuba, and has pitched his tent on a little flat known as the Keystone, says a writer in the San Francisco Chronicle.

There are no valuable furs to be obtained in the lower foothills, but coyotes are numerous on the Keystone, and as the state pays a bounty of \$5 for each scalp an expert trapper can make enough to keep body and soul together and have a little left over. But he must be an expert. The gaunt, hungry, snarling coyote is more difficult to catch than a fox, and his habits, likes and dislikes, runways and nocturnal prowlings must be learned by the trapper before he can expect to take more than an occasional scalp.

"Coyote" Peck, as he is called, thoroughly understands the habits of the coyotes. When I met him, a week ago, he was carrying four traps on his back and doing his best to keep out of sight behind a clump of manzanita bushes. At first he was surly and gave short replies to all queries. but persistent efforts thawed the iciness of his manner, and he asked me to accompany him and see how coyote trapping was carried on.

We tramped on for half an hour, and then, leaving the canyon, crossed a little ridge where the undergrowth had been burned away and a few scrubby pines and oaks clustered about a little spring. Handing me his traps Peck stole cautiously ahead with his rifle, and a minute later made a rapid shot at something sitting in the shade not far away. shot was a jack-rabbit.

"I nearly allus gits one here," said the old man. "They's the best kind of bait for coyotes. I've tried venison an' beef an' all kinds of meat, but jack-rabbit beats 'em all."

As Peck talked he gathered his traps and the jack-rabbit together, threw them over his shoulder and trudged on again. We had easier walking now, and it was not long before another hare started up in front of us. Peck dropped his traps, and as the jack, which had not been to speak in the Venetian dialect; that much frightenea, loped softly up the was inconvenient for me rather than hill, shot it dead. It was a fine shot and well worth praising, but the old hunter smiled knowingly and said: "That's nuthin'. A boy can do

that-arter he knows how. That makes bait enough for these four traps, so we'll jist set one of 'em

With a swipe of the hunting knife one of the jack-rabbits was neatly divided and then one-half was fastened to an oak sapling about four feet from the ground. A few bits of the flesh were scattered about the foot of the oak, and then a trap was set directly under the hanging bait and made secure with the chain. No effort at concealment was made and I

asked Peck about it. "Lord, man, what's the use? If I digs a hole an' buries my trap eve. so nice the coyotes 'll see there is something buried there an' they'll get suspicious right away. No, sirree."
"Now," said Peck, "if you don't

mind goin' we'll take a look at the traps as was set yisterday." Again we set off across the low. rolling hills, at right angles with the

canyon, and tramped through a tangled mass of chapparral until we reached the lower edge of the Keystone range. As we skirted the flat the pungent aroma of the mephitis was wafted to us, and Peck swore long and loud. "Another of them durned skunks!

I've caught more'n twenty this week an' it pears like there's twenty thousand of 'em left."

Sure enough, the first trap held a skunk, and the little animal, which had pulled and squirmed for hours, was standing still, looking at us with piteous eyes and trembling with pain. The smell was sickening, and Peck stopped me at a safe distance. "You stay here, lest you get the

smell on yer feet, an' I'll fix 'im." A well-directed shot killed the skunk, and the old man pulled it from the trap and heaved it away with a grunt of disgust. Then he untied the trap and taking from his pockets a flannel rag and a bottle with a large neck rubbed the contents over the

"What is that stuff?" "Alcohol and assafitty," returned

Peck, testily. "It kills the smell, some of it, an' the coyotes like it, too, but 'taint as good as might be." The disinfecting process did not re-

quire much time, and when it was finished Peck had acquired a new flavor, which was not pleasant, but he did not seem to mind it. The trap was taken up and carried to a new location and set in a runway without bait.

"It'll be a day or two afore I catch anything in that trap," said Peck. "Some fellers buries their traps to make 'em clean, but I jist uses alcohol and assafitty. The best stuff for cleanin' is sulphric acid an' water, 'cause that cuts off everything, but | The total revenue from the forest you've got to put assafitty on anyway amounts to \$14,500,000 and the curto kill the smell of the acid, see? rent expenses are \$8,500,000.

Coyotes like the smell of assafitty, an' I've caught some by dragging a little bag of it over the ground for a mile or so an' then settin' down with my rifle to watch the trail. They'll

foller it sure if it's early in the mornin' an' the grass is damp." Nine more traps were visited. Five of them held skunks, one a fox, two were not sprung and one had captured a coyote. The skunks and the fox

were killed at once, and Peck was

fairly wild. "It does seem's though there ain" nothin' here but skunks! If they was worth ten cents apiece and didn' smell so infernal I'd make a fortune, sure. The onery things is jist swarmin', and they gits caught to spite me. I know it!"

The coyote was a large specimen of muscular starvation. The long, lithe body, with its shaggy hair, the small, furtive eyes and sneering, snarling mouth made a threatening picture. Long before we reached the trap we could hear the chain rattle as the coyote, frantic with fear and pain. sprung back and forth in fruitless efforts to escape. Peck was in a better humor now, and when he had shot the captive, taken off the scalp, flung the carcass away and reset the trap he talked "coyote" at a rapid rate.

"It's funny they allus gits caught by the fore feet-allus. Now, a fox or a 'coon or a wildcat 'll git caught by the hind legs sometimes, but a coyote never does. It's allus the front foot that goes into the trap."

SALVINI'S FIRST APPEARANCE. He Plays a Part at the Age of Four teen and Has Stage Fright

The Bon and Berlaffa company alternated in its repertories between the comedies of Goldoni and the tragedies of Alfieri.

One evening the "Donne Curiose" by Goldoni was to be given, but the actor who was to take the harlequin's part, represented in that piece by a stupid slave called Pasquino, fell sick a few hours before the curtain was to rise. The company had been together for a few days only, and it was out of the question to substitute another play. It had been decided to close the theater for that night, when Berlaffa asked: "Why couldn't your Tom take a

part?" My father said that there was no

reason why he shouldn't, but that Tom had never appeared in public, and he didn't know whether he had the courage.

The proposition was made to me and I accepted on the spot, influenced to no little extent by a desire to please the managers, who in my eyes were people of great importance. Within three hours, with my iron memory, I had easily mastered my little part of Pasquino, and, putting on the costume of the actor who had fallen ill, I found myself a full-fledged if a new performer. I was difficult; but at Forte, where we were, any slip of pronunciation would hardly be observed.

It was the first time that I was to go on the stage behind the dazzling footlights, the first time that I was to speak in an unaccustomed dialect dressed up in ridiculous clothes which were not my own; and I confess that I was so much frightened that I was tempted to run back to my dressingroom, to take off my costume, and to have nothing more to do with the play. But my father, who was aware of my submissive disposition toward him, with a few words kept me at my post.

"For shame!" he said, "a man has no right to be afraid." A man! I was scarce fourteen, yet I aspired to that

The conscript who is for the first time under fire feels a sense of fear. Nevertheless, if he has the pride of his sex, and the dignity of one who appreciates his duty, he stands firm, though it be against his will. So it was with me when I began my part. When I perceived that some of Pasquino's lines were amusing to the audience, I took courage, and, like a little bird making its first flight, I arrived at the goal, and was eager to try again. As it turned out, my actor's malady grew worse, so that he was forced to leave the company, and I was chosen to take his place.

## A Lightning Calculator.

Professor Truman Henry Safford of Williams college, says the Boston Globe, is said to be one of the most remarkable lightning calculators now living. One day a gentleman, who had heard of his powers and wished to make a test, said to him: "I have a problem for you, Professor Safford. I was born August 15, 1852, at three o'clock in the afternoon; this is June 20, 1883, and it is just three o'clock. Now, can you tell me my age in seconds?" The professor frowned, bent his head, and began to walk rapidly up and down, twisting his moustache and clasping and unclasping his hands in a nervous way. After a moment or so he returned the answer, which was somewhere in the billions. The gentleman produced a paper containing the problem worked out, and said, with a superior smile: "Well, professor, I'll give you the credit for great genius, but you're several thousands out." The professor stretched out his hand for the paper, and, running over the calculation, said, contemptuously: "Humph, you've left out the leap years."

## German Forests.

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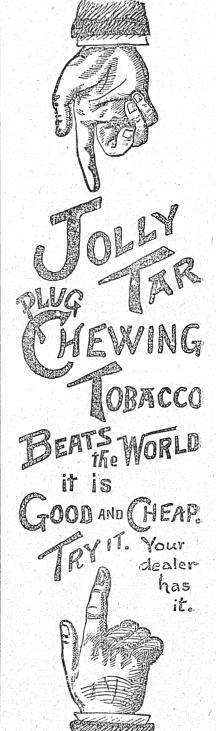
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Yet, as I wait, a dream of tears
Botween her eyelids and her eyes,
A mystery of mist, appears,
That hints of hope and flatters fears;
And on her libs a burst of sighs,
And on her lids a red that dies
To slumberous shadows that fall and rise,
Till, as I seek some sign to see,
Between her eyelids and her eyes
Love lights his lamn and laughs at me.
—Francis Howard Williams.

## THE COMSTOCK GHOST.

"It was years ago when every mine on the Comstock was laying on as many men as could be worked-from the Utah on the north to the Justice on the south. It was nothing out of the way then to see a new man or two in the dressing-room, and nothing much was thought one night, when we were changing to go down on the 11 o'clock shift, for a new man to report to the time-keeper. Mostly men were put on with the morning shift, but this man gave his name, Tom Askew, and that was the name of one of the new men given to the time-keeper. He was a youngish, smooth-faced man, Cornish by his speech, though he talked but little. I saw nothing of him after we left the dressing-room, for I was in the gang who were cleaning out the 1,800-foot level, which had been flooded, and he was sent down with the gang who were repairing the pump-rod near the incline sump. The water in the incline sump was nearly boiling, and as the timbers were all slippery from the flooding it was a nasty and dangerous place to work.

"When reported off at 7 o'clock the

next morning Tom Askew was missing. The station boss who had charge of the sump gang told the shift boss that about 5 o'clock in the morning Askew had asked if he might go to the cooling-room on the station above, and, as he was a new man, the boss thought he might be sick from the heat, so had not wondered about his not returning to work. The morning shift were told to make a search for the missing man, and at 10 o'clock the foreman reported to the superintendent that a new man, Tom Askew, had fallen in the incline sump on the night shift. If they got the water out of the incline they might find enough of his boiled bones to hold an inquest on. The foreman had just naturally supposed that Askew was in the sump because they could not find him. The man was not a member of the Miners' Union, so nothing much more have been heard of Tom would Tom Askew if himself had not reported on for work on the 3 o'clock shift that afternoon. This was the sure-enough Tom, for he had brought a letter to the foreman a couple of days before, who recognized he had been ordered by the foreman to report on the night before. He had gone to his boarding-house to get some sleep, and at about 9 o'clock of that evening a man had come to him and said he had orders from the foreman to tell him not to report until years to me—the blast went off."
the next afternoon. The man who the next afternoon. The man who gave him this order was a youngish, smooth-faced Cornishman. Of course, there was a big fuss for a while trving to find out who the man cooking in the sump could be. But there were big developments and plenty of accidents in those days and the other Tom Askew was soon forgotten,

"Two or three weeks after that the men on my level had something to talk about that drove all thought of the other Tom out of their heads, for the ghosts that are in every mine were getting mighty troublesome in ours, and particularly on our level. I've had more book-learning than most of miners, and while I know well enough there are ghosts, I don't believe every yarn I heard in the cooling rooms, or on the station when the men got together for their meals. The men talked a heap about strange noises, and shadows, and tools that were changed from their places. All these things could be explained without going to the ghosts for it.

"Well, we were running a crosscut from the main north drift on our level to do. You know that when you are ready to fire a blast all the men but one working on that face go to a safe

the shot. "I know well enough that none of alone in the face of that cross-cut to do the firing, for the ghost had actulately, and there was a good deal of a scare all over the mine. That crosscut was not a very likely place to be left alone in even with no ghosts about. end of the main drift there was no passing of cars or men to keep you winze had been sunk from a little chamber cut off from the drift. That from some level underground, instead of from the surface—the winze, I was saying, was sunk before my time on stood over the mouth, and I had often the level with the sill with the rope

nearly all wound up. "On the night I am telling you of I happened to be the last of my gang as we went into our crosscut, walking single file along the drift, holding our candles in our hands. As we passed that winze I happened to no- was felt by the miners in the coolingtice that the bucket was lowered out room, and they "listened" with their

rope was hanging about fifteen feet see if the bucket was all right, when I noticed the rope give a stiff little nervous tremble. I stopped. The motion was just as if some one were standing on the bucket and holding on the rope, hiding there and waiting until we should pass. I hurried on after my men. I held the drill that night. I had to tell the men with me that I was sick and could not strike, for I knew the way I was shaking I would be sure to hit some one on the hands if I tried to swing a hammer. One of the men noticed the way I was in and asked me if I had seen the ghost. I did not know whether I had or not and I did not answer.

"That made the men pretty scary and I could see they were mighty pleased when we had four holes finished, and as it was dinner time I said they could go back to the cooling room and eat, and I would fire

the shots and then join them. "Well, somehow, I got those four holes loaded with sticks of powder, and the long fuses from the top sticks laid carefully over bits of rock so that I could put the snuffs under them. You understand that a fuse is connected with the top stick in each hole and that these fuses are not lighted at the end, but each is laid across the flame of a short piece of candle. That is to give you time to do your work and get away to safety. It takes some time for the flame to burn through the covering of the fuse, and when it does, it 'spits' to give you warning.

"I was awkward that night. I could not keep my mind off that winze, and thinking what thing could be in it. I had just got one fuse rested across a flame and was about to fix another, when I held my hand and my heart stopped beating. I heard something creeping up behind me. It was hard for me to do it, but I forced my head around to look. What I saw made my flesh creep. It was the form of a man crawling toward me, and it was Tom Askew or Jack Collins. If it was the first it was a ghost, for Askew was drowned; if it was Collins it was a fiend, for Jack had been a brutal murderer.

"I had no time to find out who it was, for when I turned he sprang at me. That motion gave me nerve to move, too. I am a pretty big man, as you see, and before that night I was one of the best wrestlers on the Comstock. I grappled with him, and I knew that if it was not a ghost I had tackled it was a madman. No sane man could struggle in the grip I got on him as he did. I struggled to keep him from throwing me, and at the same time I tried to get near the candle under the fuse to kick it out before the fuse could spit. I saw a little flash from the fuse. The fire had reached the powder. In our fight the other candle was put out. him. The real Tom could not do We were in the dark, and I knew the much to clear up the muss. He said fire was creaping along the powder of that fuse to the dynamite. In the dark I was not even sure which way to try and keep the thing I was fighting with so that I should have its body between me and the blast. In less than two minutes-it seemed

> me by the surface watchman. The facts which go to complete the story were these. Jack Collins was a miner who had been on the Comstock only a few months before the date of the mystery of the two Tom Askews. Collins was a surly man and lived alone in a cabin near the brewery in Seven-Mile canyon. He associated very little with his fellow miners, but one night joined a crowd of them who entered a saloon east of the track. He had not been there long before he quarreled with a companion who asked him, jokingly, if he had ever killed any one that he should live so much alone and wear such a mask of a beard.

A blow was struck, and then Collins suddenly plunged his dirk-like miner's candlestick into the heart of the other and fled. It was two or three hours before anything like an organized search was made for the murderer. Then it was discovered that he had visited his cabin down the canyon, which was in disorder from the hasty preparations for and most of the firing was left for me | flight. It was taken for granted that he had gone on down the canyon, for the road up would have taken him directly back into town. What he place and the man who remains makes | did do, as was afterwards developed, was to rush from the saloon to his | wept. cabin, make a bundle of some clothes, the men on my gang wanted to be left | a bit of mirror and a razor, go up the side of the canyon, double on his trail, and return to town the next ally been seen on an upper level day, clean shaven and dressed in clothes no one had ever seen him wear. The accident of his knowing that a man named Tom Askew was to | that of a Russian physicist, who asgo to work that night determined his cribes it to the repulsion of the solar It was in about forty feet, and as it plan. It was he who told Askew to radiation acting on a mass of extreme was started off from very near the report on in the afternoon instead of on the night shift. It was evidently attraction of gravitation operates behis plan to hide in the abancompany. Back about a hundred feet | doned portion of the mines-for from where our cross-cut started, a even then a number of the middle group of mines were connected underground-and make his way to the winze—a winze is just a shaft sunk surface, and escape when the search for him in the neighborhood should have relaxed. There were hidingplaces in plenty for one who knew that level, but the old windlass still the underground works, and the miners' dinner pails to feed from. Why noticed the bucket hanging just on he did not carry out any sane planwhy he crept like an animal on the frightened miner in the lonely face of the crosscut—the doctors learned when they examined thin slices of his brain. He had become a maniac. The low, dull shock of the blast that was fired in the crosscut that night

of sight, and from the looks of the nerves for the three shocks that should follow There were no more, down the winze. I stepped toward | nor did the man they waited for come the mouth, intending to throw the to join them at their meal. In a few light of my candle down the winze to minutes a crowd of white-faced, frightened miners were on their way to the crosscut to find their fellow. They found him, senseless, but physically unharmed, lying under the mangled body of Jack Collins, the murderer. The miner had kept his assailant's body between him and the blast.—San Francisco Examiner.

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Buddha. The following on Buddha's sacred eyeball is from the pen of a traveler who visited the Orient in 1888: 'Among the sacred relics of Horluji is the veritable eyeball of Buddha. It looks like nothing else but the tiny, black, well-boiled pearl that one so often finds in an oyster stew. This 'Eye of Buddha' is shown every day at high noon, special mass being chanted by the priests while the relic is being brought out and displayed. For a consideration, and for the welfare of the temple's treasury, the mass can be repeated at any hour. We sent for the old priest, who came in company with a brother whose office was that of holding a big yellow umbrella over the 'holy man's' head. First he knelt, touched a silver gong and played before a gilded shrine with closed doors and golden lotus ornaments. Next he drew from one side of the shrine a large bundle covered with a wrapping of rich old gold and red brocade and tied with silk cords. This was reverently laid on a low ornamented table near the altar. Then, with muttered chants of prayer going on all the time, the old priest untied and laid out bag after bag of brocade, each lined with some dull contrasting color and tied with silken cords. After the ninth bag had been taken out and untied, an upright box, covered with more brocade, appeared and, lifting it out, the priest opened it and produced a little rock crystal reliquary and set it upon a gilded lotus pedestal that stood near. This reliquary was shaped like the tombstones in a cemetery-a cube, a sphere and a pyramid being placed one above the other and held together with gold wire. In the hollow of the sphere lay the tiny little dingy relic,

better view of the sacred object. "He never stopped once in his muttered chant, and after a proper time had been given for me to see it to my satisfaction he replaced the relic in its ten wrappings and again consigned it to its sacred shrine.

which rattled around like a pearl or

pebble when the priest turned and

tipped the box so that I could get a

HIS GREAT MISTAKE. It Was a Sad Case of the Wrong Person Being Missing.

He was carefully shaving around the wart on his neck as the warm sunlight of the autumn morn streamed through the window when his wife rushed excitedly into the apartment. She was striking rather than handsome, arrayed in a flowing morning gown with a rent in the back. Her eyes were staring wildly and her face was pale. "John-"

A responsive thrill passed through his frame.

"-she's gone." He turned quickly. Forebodings filled his breast and his lips turned ghastly white.

"The hired girl, John; that ungrateful-" Her voice was getting beyond her

control. "-wretch that we paid a month in

advance." Struggling for breath he sank upon the trunk and groaned. "Mary," he gasped, clutching con-

vulsively at his throat as if to assist his labored respiration, "the girl's eloped." She glared at him ferociously.

"How do you know?" she denanded. "Heard her leave the house by a

rope ladder and fall into a man's arms outside." "And why-"

She was almost shricking. "-didn't you stop her?" "Mary-

The solemn sadness of his look was touching.

"-I never dreamed it was the hired girl. I thought it was daughter Julia, and I held my breath for fear of spoiling it all." Sitting together in the warm sunlight of the autumn morn they

Has the Earth a Cometacy Tail? It is well known that the tails o comets stream away from the sun and are of very low density. Various hypotheses have been propounded to explain their movement away from the sun, but the most promising is tenuity, while, on the other hand, the tween the solar mass and the solid nucleus of the comet. The same physicist accounts for the mysterious terrestrial phenomenon of the zodiacal light in the same way. He believes that the earth has also a tail of cosmic dust, not luminous of itself, but by reflecting the sunlight. -Public Opinion.

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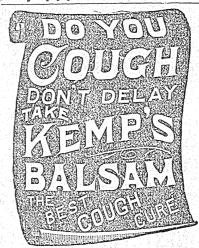
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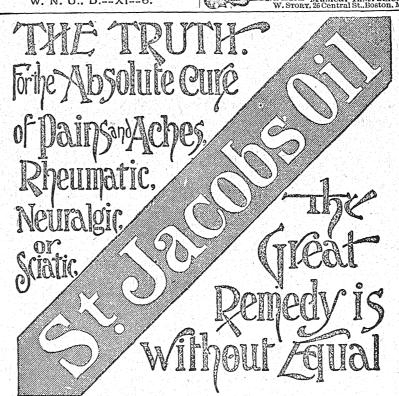


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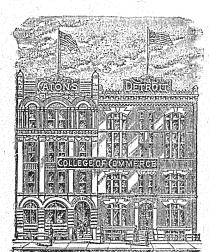
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## WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special correspondence to the Enterprise. Washington, February 4, 1893.

President-elect Cleveland is an annexationist. He not only favors the annexation of Hawaii, the commissioners of which are now in Washington asking that their country be taken under the protection of the United States, but he also favors the annexation of Canada, and from what Hon. Don M. Dickinson, who is in his confidence, said to members of Congress here this week, he expects to see Canada annexed during his administration. Mr. Dickinson intimated that he had positive and authoritative information which led him to expect that in the near future Canada would take similar steps to those now being taking by Hawaii. It is known here that the present administration has quietly encouraged the annexation sentiment in Canada whenever it had an opportunity to do so, and that many prominent Cana-dians who have been here at different times have taken away unofficiail assurances that whenever Canada applied for admission her application would be favorably received.

It has not been definitely decided what will be done with the application of Hawaii for annexation, which will be formally presented by the Commissioners Monday, further than that it will be something that makes American control of Hawaii certain, whether it be annexation or a protectorate. There is no politics in the question, and while there is a difference of opinion in Congress at to what should be the first step there is practical unanimity in the opinion that is must be something that will make it impossible for any European power to obtain control of Hawaii, and this opinion has been greatly strengthened by the rumor that Great Britian would protest against this country assuming control

It appears that the Nicaragua canal bill is not to get through the Senate without a struggle. When Senator Sherman at-tempted to secure for the bill the right more important that the "Cherokee outlet" bill should be considered and passed than the time of the Senate should be taken up in the discussion of a measure that it was an open secret could not pass at this session. It is significant that Mr. Sherman's motion was voted down.

Should a Senrtor vote according to his own belief in what is right and proper, or according to instructions of the legislature of his State? When the final vote on the anti-option bill was taken in the Senate a number of Senators voted con-trary to resolutions which had been adopted by their State legislatures. Some made explanations among the Vest, of Missouri, who said that not withstanding such instruction to vote for the bill he took pleasure in voting against it, even if his constituents regarded such action as sufficient reason for retiring him to pri-

The fact of the anti-option bill is now in the hands of its friends in the House. If they are shrewd they can outwit the men who have announced their intention to fillibuster against it, when it comes up in the House for concurrence in the Senate amendments, and rush it through.

Party lines were wiped out in the vote on the anti-option bill in the Senate. The 40 votes in favor of the bill were cast by 2 populists, 11 democrats and 27 re-publicans, while the opposition which mustered 29 votes, was made up of 9 republicans and 20 democrats.

The House sub-committee to investigate the whiskey trust, of which Represative Byum is chairman, held its first meeting to-day. Mr. Byum and other members express their intention to get to the bottom of the whole business, if it is

within the range of possibility to do so. Bee Keepers' Supplies, extra session of Congress if this bill is not passed by this Congress, and that to make sure of the extra session passing its

## LEGAL NOTICES.

MORTGAGE SALE—

Default having been made in the payment of money secured by a mortgage bearing date the 28th day of January, A. D. 1892, made and executed by Daniel Cogswell and Matilda Cogswell his wife to A. G. Berray and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Tuscola County, Michigan, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1892, in Liber 75 of Mortgages on page 110 and that there is now due and unpaid upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of three hundred twenty-seven dollars and fity-nine cents (\$327.59); that by reason of said default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and in pursuance of Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forcelesed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at Public vendue to the highest bidder on the eighth day of May, A. D. 1893, at one o'clock in the afternoon at the northwesterly iront door of the Court House in the village of Caro Tuscola County Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for said county of Tuscola is held) that said mortgage premises are described in and mortgage substantially as follows: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section seven in township number thirteen north of range eleven east, the same being forty acres of land according to the government survey. Said premises will be sold as a foresaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, the cost of foreclosure and the interest, that may accree thereon between the date of this notice and the day of sale above mentioned.

Dated February 10th, A. D. 1893. nentioned.
Dated February 10th, A. D., 1898.
A. G. BERNEY,
Mortgagee.

J. D. BROCKER, Attorney for Mortgagec.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate. State of Michigan, county of Tuscola. ss. In the matter of the estate of James Uriah

State of Michigan, county of Tuscola. ss.
In the matter of the estate of James Uriah
Playford, minor,
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and
by virtue of au order granted to the undersigned, as administratrix of the estate of said
James Uriah Playford, by the Hon. John C.
Laing, Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the twenty-fourth day of Jamary, A. D.
1893, there will be sold at public vendue, to the
highest bidder, at the front door of W. J.
Campbell's agricultural store, in the village of
Cass City, in said county, on Friday, the tenth
day of March, A. D. 1893, at two o'clock in the
atternooa of said day, all the right, title and
interest of said James Uriah Playford in and to
the following described land and premises, situated in the township of Elkland, county of
Tuscola, State of Michigan, to wit:

The e half (½) of the south-west quarter (½) of
Section thirteen [13] Town fourteen [14] north
of Range eleven [11] east.

JANE DARLING, Administratrix Dated January 25, A. D. 1893.

Notice of Commissioners on Claims

Notice of Commissioners on Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN | SS.
COUNTY OF TUSCOLA | SS.
Estate of Edwin A. Weaver, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said county, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the unith day of January, A. D. 1893, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate. in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment:

Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, A, D. 1893, and on Wednesday; the 21st day of June, A, D. 1893, at ten o'clock a, m. of each day, at the Town Hall in the village, of Cass City in said county, to receive and examine such claims.

Dated, January 17th, A. D. 1893.

WILLIAM GAGE,
PHILLIP A. KOEPFGEN,
Commissioners

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the circuit court for the county of Tuscola, in favor of Angus D. Gillies, against the goods, chattels, and real estate of Henry Butler and Charles J. Lowrie, in said county, to the sheriff of said county directed and delivered. Daniel T. Randall, then sheriff of said county directed and delivered. Daniel T. Randall, then sheriff of said county, did, on the twelfth day of June A. D. 1889, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said of Charles J. Lowrie, (one of the defendants named in said writ) in and to the following described real estate situated and being in the township of Novesta, county of Tuscola and state of Michigan, to-wit: The northeast quarter (1/2) of the southeast quarter (1/2) of th Execution Sale.

county of Tuscola, at the time of my succession to the said olice of sheriff.

That I shall expose the said above described premises for sale at public auction or vendue, on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock ia the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Caro, in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county of Tuscola.)

Dated: February 3, 1893.
J. D. Впоокек,
Att'y for Plaintiff. Sheriff Tuscola County.

MORTGAGE SALE. — Default having been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage made and executed by William Wright and Sarah J. Wright, his wife, to Tena McPhail, bearing date the twelfth day of October, 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Tuscola, Michigan, on the third day December, 1887, in liber 61 of mortgages on page 135, upon which their is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred sixty-eight dollars and ninety-four cents. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by reason date of this notice, the sum of three hundred sixty-eight dollars and ninety-four cents. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by reason of said default and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and nrovided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the westerly front door of the Court House, in the village of Caro, Tuscola county, Michigan, on the third day of April, 1893, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day. That the said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgaged substantially as fellows: Lots one and two, block two, Deming's addition to the village of Cass City, in the county of Tuscola and State of Michigan, Said premises will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure and the interest that may accrue on said mortgage between the date of this notice and the day of sale.

Dated December 29th, 1892

J. D. Brooker, TENA MCPHAIL,

\*\*Attorney for Mortgagee.\*\*

members express their intention to get to the bottom of the whole business, if it is within the range of possibility to do so.

A last attempt is being made to get the democrats in Cogress to support the bill for the repeal of the Sherman silver law, which is to come up in the House Thursday and Friday of next week. Friends of Mr. Cleveland say that he has made up his mind to call an immediate extra session of Congress if this bill is not passed by this Congress, and that to make sure of the extra session passing it he will make to appointments to office until it does. There is now a possibility of the tere it will have to stop.

Ex-Secretary Thompson is expected here to-morrow to testify before the House committee that is investigating the charges of bribery and corruption in connection with the American end of the Panama canal company. Mr. Thompson was American president of the company.

If both House and Senate do not get a rash on it will be almost impossible to prevent an extra session, by reason of the failure of Appropriation bills. Only two two of these bills have passed both House sossion remains.

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Present Tohn C Leing Judge of Probate

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Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Elijah Karr, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Luther E. Karr, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to Probate, and that Administration of said estate may be granted to Theodore H. Fritz or some other suitable person.

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Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the formoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petitition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Caro and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency or said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a newspaper print od and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

JOHN C. LAING,

[A TRUE COPY.]

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JOHN C. LAING,

Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE. — Default having been made in the condition and payment of a certain mortgage made and executed by George A. Wood, a single man, to Calvin Wilson, bearing date February 11, A. D. 1884, and on February 13, A. D. 1884, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Tuscolacounty, Michigan, in liber 59 of mortgages at page 17, and afterward by an instrument in writing duly assigned by said Calvin Wilson to Mary E. Wilson, said assignment bearing date December 27, A.D. 1890, and on the same day duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds in liber 73 of mortgages at page 14, and afterward by a like written instrument duly assigned by said Mary E. Wilson to Emily Wilson, said last mentioned assignment bearing date September 12, A. D. 1892, and on September 12, A. D. 1892, and on September 12, A. D. 1892, and on September 12, A. D. 1892, and seven operative, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and whereas said mortgage by its terms provides that any sums of money lor taxes paid by the holder thereof because of the default of said mortgage to pay the several taxes assessed on said premises should be a further lien and thereby secured and there has been by the mortgaged premises for the year 1889, so December 27, 1890, for the year 1890, \$5.74; on December 27, 1890, for the year 1890, \$1.95; for the year 1891, on December 27, 1890, for the year 1892, said last mentioned taxes having been levied under the general tax laws of the State of Michigan; and also the further sum of eighty-two cents on July 19, A. D. 1892, for the year 1891, and the further sum of eighty-six cents on January 19, A. D. 1892, for the year 1891, and the further sum of eighty-six cents on some the horder of the provisions of the charter of the village of Caro, Michigan, that being the building wherein the Circuit Court for the county of Tuscola is he

Dated December 27, A. D. 1892.
7. S. WIEAT, EMILY WILSON,
Attorney for Assignee Assignee of Mortgagee
of Mortgagee.

## Pontiac, Oxford & Northern Railroad. TIME TABLE NO.14.

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Kingston		7:54	11:05
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## HAPS AND MISHAPS!

As Told by the Enterprise's Corps of Correspondents

All the Chit-Chat From the Country Round About Briefly Told For Busy Readers.

### DEFORED.

and 14 days. Our subject is fraught with solemnity. The abode of our neighbor is sorrow-blighted. Death has entered the home and taken a loved one from their sight—a sunbeam has vanished and in its stead rests a cloud of grief. No angel smile our vision greets; No sound we hear of baby feet; No mfant heart against parrent heart to beat!

Could we lift the burden of woe from each others breasts we would gladly do so. but we know that resignment to what must come to pass and employment of the mind are the only solace. We are in a world of trials; we must meet them with courage, looking forward to the time when existence will be a hallowed peace. Howard was a bright and lovely child. Why the call came to him in life's early mourn, who can tell? February 2, friends and neighbors convened together at the home of his birth and laid away the mortal clay on the spot where he played in summer days passed by. Rev. Gerrit Huyser, of Cass City, officiated

## CANBORO.

Last Friday capped the recollection of the oldest inhabitants.

Our north and south roads—Yes, you say—but they are shoveled out. We have public-spirited men in our township as well as elsewhere.

Paul Pruchan, of Oliver. is in Grant surveying near our far famed Mud Lake.
Mr. P., you should have a pontoon bridge for that part of the country.

The new railroad project from Bay City to Sand Beach, is the chief topic of the day. But we must have it extended across Lake Huron and through to New York City, then others may build farther if the wish.

O! Yes we are in favor of our new railroad, and also in favor of taxation to make good the public highway and keep them good. How is that West Grant? Tell it.

Last Friday was a day to be long remembered. It was the worst storm that we have seen in this state. Please make a memorandum if we are wrong.

Our friends are passing away fast to the mysterous beyond. There in the

A. Fleming's house burred down one night last week while he was at church. They lost all the contents, Always two sides to a question.

## ELLINGTON.

Andrew Campbell is preparing to ut some timber for lumber.

W. A. Bailey has got done cutting hemlock and will now cut the hard wood for sawing.

There have been but a few logs hauled into Bailey's mill yard for sawing held at Caro on the 18th inst. purposes, as yet. Oliver Rhodes has his sister now to

keep house for him and take care of his children. She came last week. Miss Emily Smith has engaged to

teach the school in district No. 2 for the ensuing spring and summer terms. According to a letter received this week from Wisconsin, they are having

very cold weather and heavy snow. The Township Board of Ellington met last week and extended the time

for collecting taxes one month. Charles Alexander, of Denmark, was calling on relatives and friends in Ell-

ington on Sunday and Monday. School in distrtct No. 1 is progressing through the winter term under the

instruction of Fred L. Morford, and doing well. Our present School Commissioner, E. J. Darbee, has been nominated by

the People's Party for election to the same office the coming spring. A. W. Adams and H. A. Bailey

have get the transport job needly done and will soon be ready for comething else, or for another job of the same

## NOVESTA.

Elder Brown preached in the Quick school house Sunday. We understand that he has been hired to preach the first Sunday of each month for a year.

There was another social at the resi dence of Mr. Durfee last Wednesday and all present report a good time About three dollars was realized which will be used for the purchasing of lamps for the Brown school house.

Charles Houghton and wife, of Or tonyille, are visiting parents and friends in this vicinity at present.

Miss Maude Pierce is nursing a felon at present. Sawing bee at P, Heron's last

Thursday. A good job is reported.

H. McCallum, of Grand Rapids, visited friends in this vicinity last week and was looking after 40 acres of land that he purchased in Evergreen some

ime since. There are some gritty ladies in our town. They shoveled snow out of the road all Sunday forenoon so that they

could drive to church in the evening. The party at D. Heffelbower's Wed nesday evening was not very well attended.

It was Mr. Wooley not Mrs. Wooley vho was visiting friends here last week. Elder Brown imersed two persons in the river Tuesday afternoon, who confessed their faith in the Lord.

Messrs. Dewey and Crank's cook Fred?

left Monday. They would like to pro cure the services of some reliable woman till spring to do their cooking.

## GREENLEAF.

Chas. Roblin, of this place, has got flight. over his lameness and has gone to work in McColl's camp.

We saw a very pleasant-looking load of young people out driving on Sunday afternoon, but there seemed to be some Died, January 31, in Kingston town-ship, Howard Ray, infant son of Frank and Carrie Terry, aged 2 years, 8 months ness of the occupants of said load. A ness of the occupants of said load. A few young men would no doubt have completed the outfit.

We would think from the amount of wood our merchant, Jas. McNeil, is getting around the store that hell must do considerable business. It is a good article to have this winter.

Our mail carrier was rather late in getting here on Saturday.

We would like to see some of the boys and girls in this neighborhood attending school more regularly. A great many of them are staying home and doing little or nothing and growing up to be men and women whose education, we are afraid, will be limited.

Two of our nimrods were fortunate euough to kill quite a large wild cat or a lynx last week.

A great many farmers around here are much pleased to know that a Farmers' Institute is to be held in Cass City, and they are now discussing the pros and cons of different methods of planting, feeding and general farming. Everybody turn out, as you may hear find that it pays to please our cusof something important.

A great many people have been wondering and speculating about a strange conveyance which passed through here on Tuesday last, some thinking it was a traveling photographer others that it was a street faker. But it was only a bus containing a wedding party from Ubly on their way to Gagetown.

## GAGETOWN.

At the special school meeting of this district held Saturday to vote on the building of a new school house, the vote to bond the district in the sum of twenty-five kundred dollars was carried by a vote of 52 to 14, and Nelson Summers, Levi L. Hurd and R. S. Brown were elected as the building committees.

H, Freeman and wife have returned from their visit at Orton-

John M. Young was in Saginaw Saturday on business

The north and south roads were in beautiful condition last week on account of the drifts.

A Republican caucus will be held here Saturday at 2 p. m., to elect 5 delegates to the county convention.

P. C. Purdy, of Caro, was here few days this week assisting his son in the bank.

For neatly printed note heads, letter heads, bill heads, statements, etc., send to the Cass City Enterprise office.

broken at Owendale Thursday clock. morning, Feb. 2, had been an endownment member in the 1. O. of Foresters for some years and up to September last, when he let the insurance lapse, and he then joined the Odd Feliows. Now for the unwise and unaccountable act, his aged-and dependant mother and a sister left to the sympathies of a charitable world, Hence, the moral, stick to your life insurance

as you would to life itself. Charley Morse agent at Owendale, Sundayed with his parents at Elmwood Center.

## WWW. WDALE.

C. S. Grayes made his former fellow ownsmen a pleasant call the past week.

Work will soon commence in the big mill here, which will make things ively in town so the boys say.

Jos. Wilson has purchased another orse from parties in Sheridan. J. D. Owen was in Lapeer the past

week on business. Mail Carrier Losey had to lay over n town Friday night owing to the

severity of the storm. Wm. Roberts and family contemplate emigrating to virginia as soon as spring opens. He will make the

journey on wheels, so he says. Archy Leech, of Sheridan, made this burg a call on Wednesday last, whilst getting a large load of feed ground at R. Ballagh's mill, east of town.

the eastern part of thumb the past

for the masquerade ball at Gagetown. Fare for the round trip, half a dollar. A merry ride is guaranted as Tom is a good driver, especially on the home

Mrs. Hager returned home on Monday after a weeks visit with friends in Marlette.

Dogs bark early and late through the dale these nights. Upon inquiry as to why, the boys say Fred is keeping late hours. But of course, the nights are quite long, which occasions all this, and the company good. How is it

J. D. Owen's house had n narrow es cape from fire Sunday evening.

Reddy has taken a rather sudden disappearance from town leaving a few to mourn the loss of his unexpected

H. D. Hager is on the sick list. Dr. Lyman is attending J. McCarty's oungest child, who is suffering from inflammation of the lungs.

Thomas Cosgrove was at the county seat Wednesday last on official busi-

Jas. Anderson was in Elkton Wed-

John Gibson is numbered with the sick at present.

Jas. Wilson purchased a new double cutter from Mr. Schultz, of Elkton, the

The roads are in a terrible condition

at present, the worst snow blocade for

years. Still the farmers rejoice over

## A LETTER FROM AFAR

their magnificant winter.

Bargainland, Feb. 8, '93, To our Friends at Cass City and vicinity:

We have been here now over 20 years and like it very much. The climate is congenial to our health and we are here to stay. During this time we have been doing a general mercantile business and tomers.

Now that we have mentioned the mercantile business, we wish to say more about it and will write more news in our next letter

We are offering Dress Goods of all kinds and in large varieties at prices that could not help but please a Cass City purchaser, and for a country like this we have an elegant line of Embroideries and Notions, a large line of Prints, Cutings, etc., and have ordered from a distant city, Hong Kong, Pongee, Satin Gloria and Yantic Dress Goods for spring wear which are bound to please.

We are also going to give some very good baragins on all kinds of Boots and Shoes the coming spring, and for farmers' wear [as there is some farming done here] we have ordered a line of Oil Grain Plow Shoes in all cuts and kinds, including low lace and bucale, and a high lace which makes a nice hunting

We might mention right here for the benefit of the sportsmen, that this is quite a country for partridges, but it will not last long unless there are some measures taken to prohibit shipping them from this state.

We must not fail to mention that we have a very beautiful clock in our store which we are going to give away as follows: With every pound of Spices at 35c. per lb, cash, we give a number, and when 100 lbs have been sold one of the numb-Nick P. Maley, who had his neck ers from 1 to 100 will draw the

We have lots of snow here, consequently good sleighing, and since writing the above, would say, we have heard that any or all of the above mentioned things can be purchased at the store of LAING & JANES in Cass City, so would advise you to get into your sleigh and go and see them at once. With the bargains for all, we are

Yours truly, SHREWD & CO.

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FOR SALE.—Stack of good, bright Straw for sale, near Cass City. Enquire of E. H. PINNEY.

FOR SALE.—Brick dwelling house and three lots, corner Garfield and Segar streets. Ferms to suit purchaser. A. G. BERNEY, 1-27-4

POR SALE.—Seven-yr-old Mare, weight about 1200. Will exchange for cattle.
1-27 JAMES REAGH, Cass City.

POR SALE. — Seven-year-old Mare, weight about 1145, Will sell at a bargain.
1-20 W. J. CLOAKEY. POR SALE.—Span Black Horses, 4 yrs old in spring; weight, 2,200. 12-30 A. A. McKENZIE.

FOR SALE.—On terms to suit purchaser, "Blackburn," an imported, registered Clydesdale Stallion, six years old, weighs about 1,800 lbs. and sound in every respect. Will exchange him for real estate or will take a good readster as part pay. This horse will pay for himselt in one season if properly managed.

J. D. BROOKER.

Ben Armitage returned home from the eastern part of thumb the past week.

Thomas Philips will drive the bus at 7 o'clock sharp Saturday evening next or the masquerade ball at Gagetown. Pare for the round trip, half a dollar.

The Armitage returned home from the masquerade home from past trotting bred stallion. Both sire and dam are decendants of families of trotters. Will be five in June. Is kind, gentle and will make a fast trotter if given the opportunity. Will more than pay for himself the coming season if properly handled. Ou account of other business owner cannot keep him. Address this office, or 316 North Saginaw St., Pontiac, Mich. 2-10-4

PARMFOR SALE—80 acres with 65 acres improved, known as the Doying tarm. Easy terms. Apply to 9.12-ti J. C. LAING, FOR SALE—Two lots, located south of the Baptist Church, Cass City. Inquire at this office. 12-2

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—Pleasantly located on Segar street, Apply to T. H. FRITZ.

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Representative Sumner, of Kalamazoo, Introduces the Measure in the House ---Jackson Man Arrested for Heinous Crimes for Which Hanging is too Easy.

Representative Sumner, of Kalamamazoo, has introduced in the House a bill providing for the reappointment of Michigan into congregational districts,

First district—First, second, third, fourth, sixth, eighth, tenth, twelfth, fourteenth and sixteenth wards of the city of Detroit, and townships of Springwells, Greenfield, Redford, Livonia, Nankin, Ecorse, Sumpter, Van Buren, Taylor, Romulus, Canton, Plymouth, Monguagon, Dearborn Brownstown and Huron in Wayne county, the first, second and third wards of the city of Wyandotte.

Second-The fifth, seventh, ninth, eleventh, thirteenth, and fifteenth wards of the city of Detroit, the townships of Grosse Point and Hamtramck, in Wayne county, and the counties of Macomb and Oakland.

Third—Branch, Hillsdale, Lenawee, Monroe and Washtenaw counties. Fourth-Calhoun, Jackson, Eaton Ingham and Livingston counties.

Fifth-Kalamazoo, Barry and Kent counties. Sixth—St. Joseph, Cass, Berrien, Van Buren, Allegan and Ottawa coun-

Seventh-Lapeer, St. Clair, Sanilac

Huron and Tuscola counties. Eighth-Clinton, Shiawassee, Gen-

esee and Saginaw counties. Ninth-Ionia, Montealm, Gratiot, Isabella, Midland and Bay counties. Tenth-Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, Mason, Manistee, Lake, Mecosta,

Osceola and Clare counties. Eleventh-Wexford, Missaukee, Roscommon, Ogemaw, Ioseo, Alcona, Oscoda, Crawford, Kalkaska, Grand Traverse, Benzie, Leelanaw, Antrim, Charlevoix, Otsego, Montmorency, Al-

pena, Presque Isle, Cheboygan, Emmet, Manitou, Arenac and Gladwin counties. Twelfth—Delta, Schoolcraft, Chippewa, Mackinac, Ontonagon, Marquette, Menominee, Dickinson, Baraga, Houghton, Keweenaw, Isle Royal,

ger, Luce, Iron and Gogebic counties. A Despoiler of Young Girls.

For some time past the officers of Jackson have been searching for an unknown man who has devoted his attention to ruining innocent young girls. They were recently given a new clue from a girl under 12 years of age who confessed that a man had induced her to go with him and that he had taken improper liberties with her. He was finally located in the person of Frank Birch, a man 46 years of age. He was arrested and confessed the affair. He gives the names of six young girls, ranging from 11 to 15 years of age. He admitted that he accomplished the ruin of the oldest one over a year and a half ago and that by bribing her he induced her to get other girls for his purpose. They would meet him just after dark and accompany him to an unoccupied hall. He will plead guilty to the charge and will be given a severe feeling sentence. strong against him.

## SAGINAW SENSATION.

"Little Jake" Seligman, Millionaire Bank-

er. Arrested on a Serious Charge. A sensation was caused at Saginaw by the arrest of Jacob Seligman, the millionaire banker, better known as "Little Jake," on the charge of illegitimate parentage preferred by Mary Trombly, 16 years old, daughter of Maxim A. Trombly. A child was born in August last and is a bright and healthy boy. The young mother is a comely little lass and has the sympathy the community in her trouble. When the warrant was served Little Jake was in the bank. He was taken before Judge Stempell and after consulting his lawyers waived examina-tion and was bound over to court in While in court the little banker raved furiously, declaring that he had settled the case a dozen times. Whether Jake was so wrathy because the arrest might have some influence in the divorce suit he has brought against his wife could not be ascertained.

The State Reform School. Supt. Ward, of the state reform school, reports that 271 boys were received by that institution last year. At the close of the year there were 413 boys at the school while 263 were out on parole. Last summer Supt. Wood made special effort to find homes for the homeless boys and about 115 were placed upon farms, or at such work as the institution had fitted them for. The terms of about 80 of this number would have expired in 1892, according to the age limit, and the remainder were released on good behavior, and in a great majority of cases they have proven worthy of the confidence reposed in them. An appropriation of \$112,000 is asked for to cover the ex-

penses of 1893 and 1894. Poor Men's Rich Find.

Six miles from Iron Mountain, on the banks of Popple river, a small logging stream emptying into the Menominee, Messrs. Russell and Peterson have uncovered a large deposit of blue iron ore, assaying over 60 per cent and low in phosphorous. Russell and Peterson had been exploring in that neighborhood for months with such poor luck that they had fully resolved to abandon the working when the ore was un covered. Both are poor men, compara tively, and had invested every dollar in the enterprise. The discovery will lead to further explorations in that vicinity and other equally as valuable finds are expected.

Harry Page, of Ionia, is in a box. He asked Mrs. Annie E. Vanstone to occupy his rooms during his wife's absence. Anna did so, and in departing carried much of Mrs. Page's clothing along with her. Page now gives the snap away by having Mrs. Vanstone arrested.

F. S. Bourns, a graduate of Ann Arbor, and son of Rev. Mr. Bourns, of Hudson, has spent two years with a companion in the Philippine islands, collecting specimens for the museum connected with the Academy of Sciences, of Minneapolis. He has now gone to Bornea.

### AROUND THE STATE.

Negaunee has 41 saloons.

Benton Harbor has the measles.

Clinton is to have a broom factory. Ithaca is to have a telephone exchange

There is \$110,000 worth of church property in Adrian.

Ice cream is good for the measles, says an Adrian physician.

The big pumping plant at the Chapin mine will commence running soon. Crooks secured \$82 from the Michigan Central ticket office at Battle Creek.

Blanche Titsworth, of Millington, stepped on a rusty nail. She will lose the foot.

Samuel Johnson's 2-year-old daugh ter tried to swallow a screw and choked to death at Cadillac.

Stephen A. Douglas will address the tudents at the Ann Arbor 'varsity on Washington's birthday.

Monroe is willing to give a bonus of \$3,500 to the Lutherans if they will erect an \$8,000 home for aged there. The D. M. Ferry seed company, of Detroit, is negotiating for the erection

f a warehouse in Charlevoix county. Sumner White Caps are after a fellow who posted on the village school house slanderous pieces of literature about

estimable ladies No mails were received at Caro for four days. All trains have been blocked by the wrecking of a snow-

plow in a snowdrift. Superintendent of Public Instruction Pattengill says that Iron mountain has the best high school in the state except the one at Muskegon.

Conger & Beaumann, who operate a variety store at Kalamazoo have given chattle mortgage for \$14,500 to the City National bank.

George Bell, a Merrill blacksmith, has become a raving maniae as a result, it is said, of having his eye gouged out by Oscar Method.

Gov. Rich told Capt. B. S. Kaufmann, of Marquette, that he could be assistant inspector-general if he wanted to be. Kaufmann declined.

George Balhoff, a brakeman, was crushed between cars at Alger and was taken at once to his home in West Bay City. He left a wife and baby.

A North Dover farmer owns a pair of win steers that will be two years old in March, that line up 7 feet 2 inches, girt 7 feet, and weigh 3,000 pounds. Catherine L. Glassford, postmistress

of Bluffton, is some \$100 poorer. She made unlawful use of postage stamps and Uncle Sam's court got after her. John Harrington, a saloon man, has

purchased the whole town of Floodwood, up in the copper country, and now has the monopoly of the sale of all goods in his line.

James W. Tobin, of Lansing, has been appointed state armorer by Quartermaster General Devlin and upon his new duties has entered. Mr. Tobin is a war veteran.

John Kegle was shot in the right side in Alaska township, Kent county, by Andrew Walsh, his brother-in-law. It was a family row on general princi-

Thomas Wilds, working at Wenona beach, near Bay City, hauling logs out of the ice with a team and chain, was terribly injured as a result of the chain breaking and he cannot live.

Joseph St. Clair assaulted Robert Ludlow with an ax in a lumber camp near Wolverine. The blade lodged in Ludlow's thigh and it is possible the wound is fatal. St. Clair is under arrest.

Albion is wrestling with the question of paving her main thoroughfare. Abutting property owners object unless the city pays half. The council is brave, and has ordered the street to be paved.

Wm. Spencer at Pontiac was relieved of \$40 in cash by two boys, one white, the other colored, both of whom are Pontiac incorrigibles. The two young oughs were afterwards captured and lodged in jail.

J. W. Shively, a Coldwater dry goods dealer has put a chattel mortgage on his stock, amounting to \$15,000, to the Coldwater national bank and to A. J. Shively, of New York City. The business will be continued by J. A. Shively.

The state bank commissioner has authorized the Libbey state bank, of Tecumseh, to do business under the state The new bank has a capital stock of \$40,000, with Lucius Libbey as president, and Lester P. Tribou, cash-

The Cleveland Cliff and Lake Angeline Iron companies, two of the largest producers in the Lake Superior district, have signed contracts with the Thomson-Houston company for Complete underground electric traction plants, costing \$50,000.

Decatur is without a health officer. and in view of the fact that small-pox is reported at Ann Arbor, diphtheria at Cassopolis and Bloomingdale, and scarlet fever at Benton Harbor, the village authorities are asked to take immediate action on the matter.

The board of control of the mining chool at Houghton will ask for a new building for mining engineering, drawing, mechanical and electrical engineering. A good sized sum will also be asked for increasing the equipments of the physical laboratory.

John Ferguson, traveling salesman for a Marquette instalment house, was ailed at Iron Mountain by Sheriff Catlin, charged with assault with attempted criminal assault on the person of Mattie, the eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. Wm. Hancock, a widow.

Iota Beta, Ann Arbor chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, has lecided to build a \$12,000 chapter house in Hamilton park. The laying of the cornerstone will take place in April. Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, and Congressman Wilson, of Virginia, will attend.

Michigan retail lumber dealers in session at Grand Rapids elected officers as follows: President, D. M. Baker, Adrian; vice-president, E. S. Amesden, Sturgis; secretary, E. M. Jackson; treasurer, D. C. Thickstun, Cassopolis. Delegates to the national convention are the president, vice-president and secretary.

## STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.—Fifteenth day—A petition was received from the Detroit Board of Trade for the passage of the bill regulating telephone and telegraph tolls. A committee was appointed to report if any clerks of committees are receiving pay in any other branch of the state government. Bills introduced: Appropriating \$82,500 per year for 1893 and 1894 for the Soldiers' Home; to provide separate grades for railroads and public highways and streets where railroads intersect such highways and streets; to authorize cities and townships to acquire by purchase or condemnation the rights of toll and plank road companies in the streets and highways of such cities and townships; to establish the Central Michigan Normal school and Business Institute at Mt. Pleasant; to amend the act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the inland lakes of the state; to amend the Reform school act. A Joint resolution was introduced for an amendment to the constitution relative to the salaries of state officers—to increase them as follows: Governor, \$4,000; lieutenant-governor, \$1,500; other state officers and circuit judges, \$2,500. House.—Petitions were received: For an amendment to the charter of the village of Lawton; for an amendment to the game laws; for the apsondment of the requalized bounty bill; for the appointment of an inspector of foods; for better roads; for amendments of the mortgage tax law; for the repeal of that section of the election law that requires a division of precincts containing over 700 voters. Representative White presented to the committee on judiciary. A large number of bills were noted. Bills introduced: Validating the bonds of Grand Haven to the amount of \$15,000 for a court house; amending act 179 of 1891, relative to merchanics' liens: Dividing Michigan into twelve congressional districts; Conferring on cities and villagos power to establish and manage gas works and electric light; amending section 3358, How, relating to air brakes on railroad cars; also, reincorporating fronwood. Adjourned.

Senate.—Sixteent: day.—Bills introduced: Amending the election laws; amending charter of Detroit; to authorize four assistant prosecuting attorneys for Wayne county; regulating the contracts of married women: in regard to acknowledgments: for a revision of the constitution; for the sale of a portion of the Soldiers' Home grounds; amending laws relating to cruelty to animals; authorizing water supply companies to furnish electric light for cities; relative to taxable transfers of property; amending laws relative to dissolution of corporations; for a chaplain at the Soldiers' Home; regarding insane soldiers at the Soldiers' Home; amending laws relative to pre-emptory challenges of jurors. Bills passed: Increasing the salary of the judge of probate of Wayne county to \$5.000 a year; amending the constitution relative to qualifications of electors; amending the constitution relative to qualifications of electors; amending the constitution so as to pay members of the legislature a salary of the most general importance: To preserve the purity of elections; regulating the sale of fruits, vegtables, etc., in tin or metal packages; providing for an asylum for the feeble-minded at Port Huron; requiring the inspection of all cattle slaughtered for food; to repeal the law requiring a franchise fee from corporations; a free school book law: amending the general election law; in relation to the breeding of horses; relative to catching fish in inclosed lakes; requiring township boards to publish annually a financial statement of township or ward affairs. Bills passed: The Miner law, for the election of the United States, has been repealed, the bill which was already passed by the House by a partisan vote of 64 yeas to 29 mays; providing for the continuance of the copying of the records in the office of the auditor general concerning enlistments, etc., of soldiers and sailors credited to this state during the war of the rebellion, and appropriation. SENATE.-Sixteenth day.-Bills introduced eneral concerning enlistments, etc., of sol-liers and sailors credited to this state during \$8,000 to meet the expense thereof

Senate—Seventeenth day—The committee on finance and appropriations reported the supplemental World's Fair bill, cut from \$50,000 to \$20,000 and the provision for two additional commissioners cut out; tabled. Senators Fox. Clapp and Hough were appointed a committee on Blaine memorial resolutions. A concurrent resolution was adopted requesting the state auditors to report if the state had any interest in the High school site in Detroit. Bills introduced: For uniformity in the taking of depositions for use in Judicial proceedings; for administering gold cure to inmates of public institutions and poorhouses of the state; appropriation for the Northern asylum to purchase additional lands and build new cottages. House,—A memorial was submitted from the Michigan Fruit Growers' association, asking for improved roads: referred. Bills introduced: For the erection of three cottages and a barn at the Traverse City asylum: prohibiting the use of the four-wheeled caboose or "jumper" on Michigan railroads; providing for the incorporation of fraternal beneficial associations and to exempt certain of these societies from the operation of the bill and public supervision; amending laws relating to fees of officers in criminal cases; amending laws relating to fees of officers in criminal cases; amending laws relating to the spread of Canada thisties; making an appropriation for two cottages, library and hall painting at Pontiac asylum; enabling town, county or district agricultural societies to regulate the charges upon the transmission of telegraphic messages in Michigan. A motion was made to reconsider the vote of the day before repealing the "Miner law." A motion to lay the motion to reconsider on the table was carried, thus cutting off all debate. The Democratic then offered six protests which will appear in the Journal. SENATE.-Seventeenth day-The commi

SENATE.—Eighteenth day—The board of auditors were directed to sell the remaining folding beds in the capitol. A concurrent resolution was adopted requesting Michiauditors were directed to sell the remaining folding beds in the capitol. A concurrent resolution was adopted requesting Michigan's Senators and Representatives in Congress to use all honorable means to cause the United States government to accept the overtures of the Hawaiian commissioners and, by proper treaty or otherwise, to annex the Hawaiian Islands to the United States as a territory. Bik's introduced: To amend an act relative to the incorporation of boards of trade and chambers of commerce; appropriation for Michigan Pioneer and Historical society; appropriation for patients' cottages, patients' library and repairs at Eastern Michigan asylum; to authorize the state board of agriculture to hold institutes; granting municipal and school suffrage to women. The House bill providing for a recompilation of the records in the office of the adjutant-general was passed. HOUSE.—Bills introduced: Amending laws relating to the street railway companies; authorizing the Lansing Street Railway company to extend its lines to the Agricultural college; providing for the protection of Antwerp or "homling" pigeons; to establish a state board of undertakers and the examination and licensing of undertakers; to locate and build an Industrial Home for the adult blind; permitting the principal defendant in garnishee; amending the general tax law; amending, consolidating and revising the general highway laws; to allow the use of the Rhines' voting machine in elections in this state. Bills passed: To prohibit the business of selling or giving away liquors on the waters of this state outside of the jurisdiction of any city, village or township—otherwise known as the "bumboat bill."

Nineteenth day—No session of the Senate. House.—A bill was passed incorporating and enlarging the city of Ironwood. Bills introduced: For an additional asylum for the insane; to prohibit the use of obscene or insulting language: to prohibit the running of bicycles or tricycles on the sidewalks of incorporated cities and villages; for an insane asylum in the upper peninsula. A resolution congratulating President Harrison upon the excellence of his latest judical appointment was adopted by a rising vote of about two-thirds of the Representatives.

Died of Hydrophobia.

Herman Lang, a young farmer living close to Leavenworth, Ks., died from hydrophobia, after suffering intense agony for 24 hours. He was bitten by a rabid dog last August and had madstone applied, which adhered several times and a physician pronounced the poison eradicated from his system. On attempting to dring water recently he was thrown into convulsions, which occurred in rapid succession until his death. Before dying Lang showed the worst form of rabies and had to be restrained from biting everyone near

## HAWAII'S PROSPECTS.

CONFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMISSIONERS

and the State Department Give Satisfaction to the Former-Minister Stevens Course Upheld by the United States-Other Matters of Interest.

The first interview between Secretary Foster and the Hawaii annexation commissioners was held in the diplomatic parlor of the state department and lasted half an hour. There was present Secretary Foster and Solicitor Patridge, representing the United States, and Messrs. Thurston, Wilder, Castle, Marsden and Carter, the Ha-waiian commissioners; Mr. Kinney, of Salt Lake City, who is present with them as unofficial adviser, and Dr. Mott Smith, the Hawaiian minister, the latter of whom made the introduc tions.

Mr. Thurston, on behalf of his asso-

ciates, presented their credentials from President Dole of the provisional government and supplemented them with a brief statements of the events of the islands which were the cause of their visit. Secretary Foster reponded in a few words of welcome, stating that the reason for the errand was well known to the people of the United States. After social greetings the interview closed. A second meeting was held in the state department the afternoon, there but was only an informal talk over the annexation proposition. Neither party would give the details, but Mr. Thurston and the other commissioners

expressed themselves as thoroughly satisfied with the results attained and the manner of their reception. The reply made by Secretary Foster to the announcement by Minister Stevens' of the revolution in Hawaii and the latter's recognition of the provisional government has been made public. As it undoubtedly shows the

eelings of the state department toward

these islands and their future the reply is given in full: "Your course in recognizing an unopposed de facto government appears to have been discreet and in accordance with the facts. The rule of this govvernment has uniformly been to recognize and enter into relation with any actual government in full possession of effective power with the assent of the people. You will continue to recognize the new government under such conditions. It is trusted that the change, besides conducing to the tranquility and welfare of the Hawaiian Islands will tend to draw closer the intimate ties of amity and common interests, which so conspicuously and necessarily link them to the United States. You will keep in constant communication

with the commander of the United States naval forces at Honolulu with a view to acting, if need be, for the protection of the interests and property of American citizens and aiding in preservation of good order under the

Secretary Foster also gave out for publication a statement defending the landing of United States marines at Honolulu.

ans In Arms Again at Pine Ridge Two Sticks and a band of red men have murdered four white men. The latter cowboys from the beef camp o Isaac Humphreys, 25 miles northwest of Pine Ridge. They were drunk and of Pine Ridge. They were drunk and had provoked the Indians. The men killed were Charley Swartz, Bacon and Underwood. Bacon's son-in-law was mortally wounded and has since died. Captain Brown, acting agent, immediately instructed the police to bring in the murderers. If they resisted to bring them anyway. When they overtook the murderers the latter fired and the police fired in return. Sergeant Sitting Bear killed one of the murderers. Policemen Red Owl killed one and Sergeant Blunt Horn killed one. No Water surrendered. Two Sticks and one of his boys got away. Two Sticks is thought to be seriously wounded. More police have gone after the two

that got away. Mrs. Whitney Dead.

Mrs. Whitney, wife of ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney, died at her home in New York City. Her death was not unexpected. Her 19 days' illness was due to heart trouble.

Mrs. Whitney was born in Cleveland, where she lived for many years with her father, ex-Senator Henry B. Payne, a brother and her sister, Mrs. Wm. Bingham. Oliver Payne, her brother. has of recent years made his home with the Whitneys.

Ate Powdered Glass.

Benjamin Swain, a well-known farmer living near Salem, a village in Rutherford county, Tenn., committed suicide in a most horrible manner. He took a dose of rough on rats and powdered glass. After suffering excruciating tortures for seven hours, he died, despite medical aid. The cause of the act was despondency because of the insanity of his wife, who recently was sent to the hospital for the insane at Nashville.

## INTERESTING ITEMS.

The Harris rolling mills at Irondale, Minn., were burned. Loss, \$125,000. Twelve children have died of diphtheria at Bode, Iowa.

All bids for the cigar privileges of the World's Fair have been rejected and new ones asked for. Striking molders at Chattanooga at

tacked the non-union men and one will probably die of his injuries. The entire plant of the Warner's Portland cement company, located at Warner, N. Y., was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$175,000; insurance, \$106,-

The lower house of the Wisconsin legislature has adopted a joint resolu-tion providing for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

A colony is being formed in Cincinnati to go to Nicaragua and establish an American agricultural community. Citizens of Cincinnati, Newport, Dayton and Covington are pushing the project. Thirty or forty will leave next May.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

SENATE—Thirty-fifth day—Mr. Chandler stepped to the front as an avowed Hawaiian annexationist; and if he had had his way the President would have been instructed by both Houses to enter into negotiations with the representatives of the provisional government of the late Kingdom of llawaii and to submit the convention to Congress for ratification by legislation. But his way was blocked by Mr. White, of Louisiana, who objected to immediate action and Mr. Chandler's resolution was laid over. Mr. White also made an attack upon the antioptions bill and delivored a clever address which occupied almost three hours. Adjourned. House—The sundry civil appropriation bill was further considered but not disposed of. A request for the passage of a bill appropriating \$20,000 for buoys on the lake front of Chicago was objected to and laid over. A bill to punish crimes in the Yellowstone park was placed on the calendar. Messrs. Fellows, Geary, Patterson Powers and Storer were appointed a committee to investigate the rumored influence of the Panama canal scandal in this country Adjourned.

Senate.—Thirty-sixth day—The anti-option bill came up for final action and after lengthy discussion voting was commenced. Six substitutes and amendments were offered and all rejected before the final vote was taken on the bill, which passed—yeas, 40; nays, 29. The bill is the one passed by the House June 9, 1892, with various Senate amendments thereto. The first section defines the word "options" to mean a contract or agreement for the right or privilege to deliver at a future time, or within a designated period, any of the articles mentioned in section 3. The second section defines "futures" to mean a contract or agreement to sell and deliver at a future time, or within a designated period, any of such articles when the party so contracting was not the owner of such articles or had not agreed for a right to their future possession. The act, however, is not to apply on any contract to supply national, state or municipal governments with any of such articles nor contracts by farmers or planters for future delivery, nor to agreements to pay or deliver a part of the product of the land in compensation for its use or as compensating for work or labor done or to be done nor to agreements with farmers or planters to furnish such articles for use or consumption, provided that such contracts or agreements shall not be made or exchange. The section specifies the articles to which the bill is to apply as cotton (raw or unmanufactured), hops, wheat, corn, oats, rye, barley, pork, lard and bacon. The fourth section imposes special taxes, as follows: Dealers in "options" or "futures" at slowa year license fee, and five conts a pound on cotton, hops, pork, lard or bacon, and at 20 cents a bushel on grain. Sections 5 to 14, relative to the details for enforcing the tax, and section 15 provides that the act shall take effect on the first of July, 1893. The Chandler resolution requesting the President to enter into negotiations with the commissioners from the provisional government of Hawaii for annexation of the islands was ta

SENATE.-Thirty-seventh day .- The com SENATE.—Thirty-seventh day.—The committee on appropriations occupied the day during the entire session. The fortification and army appropriation bills were passed with little discussion. The district of Columbia bill was presented but went over without action. Executive session. Adjourned. HOUSE.—Messrs. Chipman, of Michigan, and Lodge, of Massachusetts, were appointed tellers for the House to canvass the electoral vote for president. The sundry civil appropriation bill occupied the day. the day.

SENATE.—Thirty-eighth day—The Chandler Hawaii resolution was referred to the committee on foreign affairs. Messrs. Hale and Blackburn were appointed tellers to assist in counting the presidential votes. Mr. Carlisle's resignation as Senator was received. The District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up and passed. A resolution was received from the legislature of Oregon requesting the Senators to use all honorable means to secure the 'annexation of the Hawaiian Islands; referred. Three hours were then spent in executive session on the French and Swedish extradition treaties and the Hawaiian annexation question. House.—The anti-option bill came in for its first round of trouble and the slight discussion it received was enough to show that its course through the House will be a for its first round of trouble and the signidiscussion it received was 'enough to show
that its course through the House will be a
rough one. In committee of the whole the
federal election laws were brought to the
fore by an amendment to the sundry civil
bill providing that hereafter no part of any
money appropriated to pay any fees to the
United States commissioners, marshal or
clerks, shall be used for any warrant issued
or arrest made under the laws relating to
the election of members of Congress, unless
the prosecution has been commenced upon
a sworn complaint setting forth the facts
constituting the offense and alleging them
to be within the personal knowledge of the
affiant. The Kepublicans expressed the
opinion that this was the entering wedge of
a repeal of all the laws relative to federal
supervisors. Mr. Fitch replied that the
Democratic party made no secret of its pur-Democratic party made no secret of its purpose to repeal the federal election laws. The amendment was agreed to, the committee arose and the sundry civil bill passed.

Adjourned. SENATE.—Thirty-ninth day—The bill to repeal the Sherman silver bill was a subject of considerable discussion which resulted in Senator Hill, of New York, giving notice that he would call up the bill for action. few minor matters were attended to and then business was suspended that fitting tribute might be paid to the memory of the late Senator Barbour, of Virginia. Eulogies were pronounced by several Senators and as a further mark of respect the Senate adjourned. House.—The anti-option members gained a victory over the opponents of the bill by having the measure referred to the committee on agriculture, which favors the bill, instead of the ways and means committee which is opposed to the bill. The President's message on Canadian railroads was preparented to the House and referred mittee which is opposed to the bill. The President's message on Canadian railroads was presented to the House and referred. The deficiency appropriation bill was passed and the Indian appropriation bill reported. The House then paid tribute to the memory of the late Representative Craig, of Pennsylvania, and adjourned.

Senate.—Fortieth day—Eighteen House bills were passed and a substitute agreed to for the House bill to ratify the agreement with the Cherokees for the cession of their interest in the Cherokee outlet lands. The House quarantine bill was taken up, but went over. A resolution was adopted to, requesting the President to send to the Senate the draft of the annexation treaty negotiated in 1844 but not completed between the plenipotentiaries of the United States and kingdom of Hawaii, with the correspondence between the governments relatings to the negotiations. Memorial proceedings were held in memory of Mr. Gamble, of South Dakota, Mr. Ford, of Michigan, and Mr. Stackhouse, of South Carolina, late members of the House of Representatives. House.—The diplomatic and the military academy appropriation bills were passed. The anti-option bill was reported back by the committee on agriculture, with Senate amendments and was then referred to committee of the whole. Considerable regret was expressed by members of the House at the action of Mr. Blount, of Georgia, in voluntarily vacating his seat in the House which he has occupied for over 20 years. Tribute was paid to the memory of the late J. W. Kendall, of Kentucky.

Icebergs from 25 to 50 feet in hight are in Chesapeake bay and drifting toward the open sea. Col. George E. Grover, British repre-

sentative to the World's Fair, was found dead in bed in Chicago. The Whise House has been reopened to the public for the first time since just before Mrs. Harrison's death in

Ex-Gov. John M. Thayer, of Nebraska, is said to be penniless and living with a poor soldier in the suburbs

It is believed that a cabinet crisis is again imminent is Sweden on account of the agitation for a separate consular service for Norway.

of Lincoln.

The grand jury in session at Cattlesburg, Ky., found indictment against a Buffalo, and will use the automatic number of prominent society ladies of switchboard, thus doing away with the the town for playing pedro for prizes. | telephone girl.

TO ABOLISH CONSULAR SEALS. President Harrison Sends a Message to

the House on the Subject. President Harrison has sent to the House his message dealing with the subject of the importation of foreign goods in the United States across to Canadian border under consular seal. The President discusses at length the treaty obligations which effect the subject growing out of the provisions of article 29 on the treaty of Washington and arrives at several conclusions:

That article 29 of the Washington treaty has been abrogated; that there is no law to execute it if it were in force; that the treaty imposed no obligation upon the United States to use the concession as to transit made by Canada and no limitation, upon the powers of the United States in dealing with merchandise imported for the use of our citizens through Canadian ports, or passing from one place in the United States to another through Canada; that the question of sealing cars containing such merchandise and the treatment of such sealed cars when they cross our border is and always has been one to be settled by our laws according to our convenience and our interests as we may see them; that the law authorizing the scaling of cars in Canada containing foreign merchandise imported from a contiguous country does not apply to merchandise imported by our own people from countries not contiguous and carried through Canada for delivery to such owners; that the law did not contemplate the passing of sealed cars to any place not a "port" nor the delivery of such cars to the owner or consignee to be opened by him without the supervision of a revenue officer; that such a practice is inconsistent with the safety

of the revenue. The statutes relating to the transportation of merchandise between the United States and the British possessions should be the subject of revision. The treasury regulations have given to these laws a construction and a scope that I do not think was contempleted by Congress. A policy adapted to the new conditions growing in part out of the construction of the Canadian Pacific railraad should be declared and the business placed upon a basis more just to our people and to our transportation companies. If we continue the policy of supervising rates and requiring that they shall be equal and reasonable upon the railroads of the United States, we cannot in fairness at the same time give these unusual facilities for competition to Canadian roads that are free to pursue the practices as to cut rates and favored rates, that we condemn and punish if practiced by our own

LAMAR'S SUCCESSOR.

Judge Howell E. Jackson Placed on the

U. S. Supreme Bench. Howell Edmunds Jackson, of Tennessee, has been nominated by the President to be associate justice of the suoreme court of the United States, vice L. Q. C. Lamar, deceased. Mr. Jackson is a Democrat ex-senator and at present judge of the United States court for the circuit embracing Tennessee. Inquiry about the capitol shows that the appointment is considered, from the judicial and not a political view, as a splendid one. About the supreme court it is said that President Harrison has shown once more a great deal of judgement in the selection of a man for a place on the bench of the highest tribunal in the land. With the exception of a few who think the President should have appointed a Republican the nomination was well received by the Senators. There will, it is said, be little if any opposition to his confirmation.

The appointment was a great surprise to the Tennessee delegation in the House. The two Republican members felt sore over the selection of a Democrat and a states rights man, but when asked as to Mr. Jackson's personal fitness conceded that his character and abilities were all that could be desired.

THE MARKETS.

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Oats—No. 2 white spot... Cattle—Steers \$5.5.25 to \$5.80 Common 4 75 550 Sheep—Mixed 55 00 5 50 Lambs 4 65 615 Hogs—Common 7 60 7 80 Wheat—No. 2 red 74 74 No. 2 spring 74 74 Corn No. 2 44 44 31 52½ New York. 

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: Actual business is surprisingly large for the season and yet fears about the future are also large. There are many uncertainties and fears, but the prosperity and the needs of the people make business what it is, and never before has the distribution of products to consumers been larger than it has been thus far this year. Yet it is probably safe to say that rarely, if ever, except in a time of panic, has business been more cautiously und conservatively regulated. Monetary uncertainties are excused by the continued outgo of gold. The uncertainty about the monetary future retards business engagements, but in other respects trade is most satisfactory and perhaps all the more safe and healthy for the feeling of caution that prevails. The business failures occurring throughout the country during the past seven days number 301. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 307.

Attorney-General Ellis says that the Richardson railroad act of 1891 is fa tally defective, and that the state would be obliged to accept the Michigan Central's tender of \$134,083.20, the amount of its tax for 1892, under the road's special charter.

A new telephone company with \$80,-000,000 capital stock has been organized at Chicago. It purposes to construct a circuit between Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, cinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit and Buffalo, and will use the automatic OME EMIONS

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## THE MISADVENTURES OF JOHN NICHOLSON.

BY ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

CHAPTER I. In Which John Sows the Wind. John Varey Nicholson was stupid et much duller men have risen to high places in the government; if he had been of keener wit, moreover, this story would never have been

with majestic dignity.

Here was a family where prayers came at the same hour, where the Sabbath literature was unimpeachably selected, where the guest who should have leaned to any false opinion was instantly set down, and over which there reigned all week, and grew denser on Sundays, a silence, that was agreeable to his ear, and a gloom that he found comfortable.

Mrs. Nicholson had died about thirty, and left him with three children: a daughter two years, and a son about eight years younger than John; and John himself, the unlucky bearer of a name infamous in English history. The daughter, Maria, was a good girl —dutiful, pious, dull, but so easily startled that to speak to her was quite a perilous enterprise. "I don't think I care to talk about that, if you please," she would say, and strike the boldest speechless by her unmistakable pain, this upon all topics-dress, pleasure, morality, politics, in which the formula was changed to "my papa thinks otherwise," and even re ligion, unless it was approached with a particular whining tone of voice. Alexander, the younger brother, was sickly, clever, fond of books and drawing, and full of satirical remarks. for two weeks. I was relieved of all In the midst of these, imagine that trouble. I can now eat things I natural, clumsy, unintelligent and dared not touch before. I have mirthful animal, John; mighty wellbehaved in comparison with other lads, although not up to the mark of the house in Randolph Crescent; full of a sort of blundering affection, full of caresses which were never very warmly received; full of sudden and loud laughter which rang out in that still house like curses. Mr. Nicholson himself had a great fund of humor, of the Scots order—intellectual, turning on the observation of men; his own character, for instance -if he could have seen it in another -would have been a rare feast for him: but his son's empty guffaws over a broken plate, and empty, almost light-hearted remarks, struck him with pain as the indices of a weak

mind. Outside the family John had early attached himself (much as a dog may follow a marquis) to the steps of Alan Houston, a lad about a year older than himself, idle, a trifle wild, the heir to a good estate which was still in the hands of a rigorous trustee, and so royally content with himself that he took John's devotion as a matter of course. The intimacy was gall to Mr. Nicholson; it took his son from the house, and he was a jealous parent; it kept him from the office, and he was a martinet, lastly, Mr. Nicholson was ambitious for his family, (in which, and the disruption principles, he entirely lived) and he hated to see a son of his play second fiddler to an idler. After some hesitation, he ordered that the friendshould cease—an unfair command, though seemingly inspired by the spirit of prophecy; John saying nothing ing, continued to disobey the order under the rose.

John was nearly nineteen when he was one day dismissed rather earlier than usual from his father's office, where he was studying the practice of the law. It was Saturday; and except that he had a matter of £400 in his pocket which it was his duty to hand over to the British Linen company's bank, he had the whole afternoon at his disposal. He went to Prince's street enjoying the mild sunshine, and the little thrill of easterly wind that tossed the flags along that terrace of palaces, and tumbled the green trees in the garden. The band was playing down in the valley under the castle; and when it came to the turn of the pipers, he heard their wild sounds with a stirring of the blood. Something distantly martial woke in him; and he thought of Miss Mackenzie, whom he was to meet that day at dinner.

Now, it is undeniable that he should have gone directly to the bank, but right in the way stood the billiard room of the hotel where Alan was almost certain to be found; and the temptation proved too strong. He entered the billiard room, and was instantly greeted by his friend, cue

in hand. "Nicholson," said he, "I want you to lend me a pound or two till Mon-

day:22 "You've come to the right shop, haven't you?" returned John.

have twopence." "Nonsense," said Alan. "You can get some. Go and borrow at your tailor's; they all do it. Or I'll tell you what; pop your watch." "Oh, yes, I dare say," said John.

"And how about my father?"

wind it up for you at night, does he?" Alan, at which John fix," continued the tempter. "I have lost some money to a man here. I'll give it you to-night, and you can get the heirloom out again on Monday, Come; it's a small service after all. I would do a good deal more for you."

Whereupon John went forth, and pawned his gold watch under the assumed name of John Froggs, 85 Pleasance. But the nervousness that assailed him at the door of that inglorious haunt—a pawnshop—and the effort necessary to invent the pseudonym (which, somehow seemed to him a necessary part of the procedure), had taken more time than he imagined; and when he returned to the billiard room with the spoils, the bank had already closed its doors.

This was a shrewd knock. "A piece of business had been neglected." He heard these words in his father's trenchant voice, and trembled, and then dodged the thought. After all, who was to know? He must carry £400 about with him till Monday, when the neglect could be surreptitiously repaired; and meanwhile, he was free to pass the afternoon on the encircling divan of the billiard room, smoking his pipe, sipping a pint of ale, and enjoying to the masthead the modest pleasures of admiration.

None can admire like a young man. Of all youth's passions and pleasures, this is the most common and least alloyed; and every flash of Alan's black eyes; every aspect of his curly head; every graceful reach, every easy, stand-off attiande of waiting; ay, and down to his shirt sleeves and wrist links, were seen by John through a luxurious glory. He valued himself by the possession of that royal friend, hugged himself upon the thought, and swam in warm azure; his own defects, like vanquished difficulties, becoming things on which to plume himself. Only when he thought of Miss Mackenzie there fell upon his mind a shadow of regret; that young lady was worthy of better things than plain John Nicholson, still known among schoolmates by the derisive name of "Fatty;" and he felt, if he could chalk a cue, or stand at ease, with such a eareless grace as Alan, he could approach the object of his sentiments with a less crushing sense of inferiority.

Before they parted, Alan made a proposal that was startling in the extreme. He would be at Colette's that night about twelve, he said. Why should not John come there and get the money? To go to Colette's was to see life, indeed; it was wrong: it was against the laws: it partook. in a very dingy manner, of adventure. Were it known, it was the sort of exploit that disconsidered a young man for good with the more serious classes, but gave him a standing with the riotous. And yet Colette's was municipal. Colette (whose name I do not know how to spell, for I was never in epistolary communication with that hospitable outlaw) was simply an unlicensed publican, who gave suppers after eleven at night, the Edinburgh hour of closing. If you belonged to a club, you could get a much better supper at the same hour, and lose not a jot in public esteem. But if you lacked that qualification and were an hungered, or inclined toward conviviality at unlawful hours, Colette's was your only port. You were very ill-supplied. The company was not recruited from the senate or the church, though the bar was very well represented on the only occasion on which I flew in the face of my country's laws, and, taking my reputation in my hand, penetrated into that grim supper-house. And Colette's frequenters, thrillingly conscious of wrong-doing and "that twohanded engine (the policeman) at the door," were perhaps inclined to somewhat feverish excess. But the place was in no sense a very bad one; and it is somewhat strange to me, at this distance of time, how it had acquired its dangerous repute.

In precisely the same spirit as a man may debate a project to ascend the Matterhorn or to cross Africa, John considered Alan's proposal, and, greatly daring, accepted it. As he walked home, the thoughts of this excursion out of the safe places of life into the wild and arduous, stirred and struggled in his imagination with the image of Miss Mackenzie-incongruous and yet kindred thoughts, for did not each imply unusual tightening of the pegs of resolution? did not each woo him forth and warn him back again into himself?

Between these two considerations, at least, he was more than usually moved; and when he got to Randolph Crescent, he quite forgot the four hundred pounds in the inner pocket of his great coat, hung up the coat, with its rich freight, upon his particular pin of the hat stand; and in the very action sealed his doom.

CHAPTER II.

In Which John Reaps the Whirlwind. About half past ten it was John's brave good fortune to offer his arm to Miss Mackenzie, and escort her home. The night was chill and starry; all the way eastward the trees of the different gardens rustled and looked black. Up the stone gully of Leith Walk, when they came to cross it, the breeze made a rush and set the flames of the street lamps quavering; and when at last they had mounted to the Royal Terrace, where Captain Mackenzie lived, a great salt freshness came in their faces from the sea. These phases of the walk remained written on John's memory, each emphasized by the touch of that light | a year between 1860 and 1888.

"How is he to know? He doesn't | hand on his arm; and behind all these aspects of the nocturnal city he saw, in his mind's eye, a picture of the guffawed. "No, seriously; I am in a lighted drawing-room at home where he had sat talking with Flora and his father, from the other end, had looked on with a kind and ironical smile. John had read the significance of that it? She-Yes, Jack. But then I've smile, which might have escaped a stranger. Mr. Nicholson had remarked his son's entanglement with satisfaction, tinged by humor; and his smile, if it still was a thought con-

temptuous, had implied consent. At the captain's door the girl held out her hand, with a certain emphasis, and John took it and kept it a little longer and said, "Good might, Flora, dear," and was instantly thrown into much fear by his presumption. But she only laughed, ran up the steps, and rang the bell; and while she was waiting for the door to open, kept close in the porch, and talked to him from that point as out of a fortification. She had a knitted shawl over her head; her blue Highland eyes took the light from the neighboring street lamp and sparkled, and when the door opened and closed upon her John felt cruelly alone.

He proceeded slowly back along the terrace in a tender glow, and when he came to Greenside church he holted in a doubtful mind. Over the crown of the Calton hill, to his left, lay the way to Colette's, where Alan would soon be looking for his arrival and where he would now have no more consented to go than he would have wilfully wallowed in a bog, the truch of the girl's hand on his sleeve, and the kindly light in his father's ejes, both loudly forbidding. But right before him was the way home, which pointed only to bed, a place of little ease for one whose fancy was strung to the lyrical pitch, and whose not very ardent heart was just then tumultuously moved. The hilltop, the cool air of the night, the company of the great monuments, the sight of the city under his feet, with its hills and valleys and crossing files of lamps, drew him by all he had of the poetic, and he turned that way; and by that quite innocent deflection ripened the c.op of his venal errors for the sickle

of destiny. On a seat on the hill above Greenside he sat for perhaps half an hour, looking down upon the lamps of Edinburgh, and up at the lamps of heaven. Wonderful were the resolves he formed; beautiful and kindly were the vistas of future life that sped before him. He uttered to himself the name of Flora in so many touching and dramatic keys that he became at length fairly melted with tenderness, and could have sung aloud. At that juncture a certain creasing in his great-coat caught his ear. He put his hand into his pocket, pulled forth the envelope that held the money, and sat stupified. The Calton Hill, about this period, had an ill name of nights; and to be sitting there with four hundred pounds that not a hell; it could not come, without | did not belong to him was hardly vaulting hyperbole, under the rubric | wise. He looked up. There was a man of a gilded saloon; and if it was a sin to | in a very bad hat a little on one side go there, the sin was merely local and of him, apparently looking at the scenery: from a little on the other a second night-walker was drawing very quietly near. Up jumped John. The envelope fell from his hands. He stooped to get it, and at the same moment both men ran in and closed with him.

> A little after he got to his feet very sore and shaken, the poorer by a purse which contained exactly one penny postage stamp, by a cambric handerchief, and by the all-important envelope.

TO BE CONTINUED.

The Child and the Pigeons. The father of a little child who died at Macon, Ga., tells of the strange action of three pet pigeons that belonged to the deceased. Up to the time of the child's death the pigeons had never been known to enter the house, but on the day of her death and after the body had been placed in the coffin, two of the pigeons came into the room where the corpse was and looked at the child's face through the glass in the cover. The pigeons were frightened away by several members of the family, and they perched upon the sill, where they remained for the rest of the day. In the afternoon the other pigeons entered the house and acted in the same manner as the first two. The pigeons would not leave the room until the corpse was removed for burial.

The Judgment Seat. A high seat, called "Kursi," is to be found in the courtyard of all wellto-do houses in Cairo and other large towns of the East. It is occupied by the master of the house when deciding domestic affairs. Such seats are never wanting in the courtyard of the houses of the sheikhs, heads of tribes, or of persons in authority. The seat is placed in a shady part of the court, and judgment is delivered from it on all matters which are brought for decision by the inhabitants of the district, or by members of the tribe over which the master of the house presides.

Sympathy.

On the way home from the services at the church little Milly was very grave, so grave that her father finally asked her what was the mat-

"Oh!" she said, I'm so sorry Mr. Wilson is not going to heaven. "Why, Mildred, what do you mean?"

"Well, she replied, the minister said he was going to be taken to Brooklyn."-Truth.

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He-It's too bad our little summer romance couldn't go on forever, isn't got to get married some time, you know.

"It is a great pity to let it go to waste," said the telephone girl.
"What?" "The language that goes over this wire. You could run an electric light with it."

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"Did Mrs. Justrich wear many diamonds at the ball?" "Half a gallon."

She-Then you'll take me for a drive on Thursday? He-Yes; but suppose it rains? She-Come the day before,

Mary-That's a nice dog you've got. Jack-Yes, but he's consumptive. Mary - Consumptive! Why, how's that? Jack—Spitz blood.

Young Husband - Um! What are these, my dear? Wife-Those are apple dumplings. Husband-Er-my love, didn't you-er-dump them a little too often?

Mary-F-e-r-m-e-n-t, ferment - to work. Mamma-Now place it in a sentence to show me you really understand it. Mary-In summer I love to ferment in the garden.

It is discouraging to a newly married man to sear his conscience praising his blushing little wife's first cake, and then have her tell him that she got it at the baker's when she went down town.

Mamma, reprovingly, Sunday-You told me you were going to play church. Little Dick-Yes'm. "Then I'd like to know what all this loud laughing is about." "Oh, that's Dot and me. We're the choir." Artist-How many ancestral por-

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Her Father, interestedly-And you really enjoy your society for the higher culture of women? Minnie, enthusiastically-Indeed I do, immensely. Her Father-What was the subject yesterday, for instance. Minnie, reflectively -Oh, yesterday? Let me see. I think the question for debate was something about some subject that some professor has been lecturing on somewhere, but up in our corner we talked about those new hats with the funny crowns.

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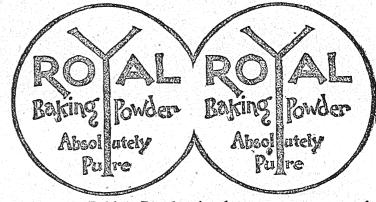
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sick and destitute, as he did in his letter
of last week? The mother and family
officer and a presumably reputable physprian actual ring First Fage.) your Great German Remedy for the sician acting in such an unprofessional Blood Stomach and Kidneys and to my and undignified manner. The mother surprise after using three bottles I feel considered this a bold effrontery and tilde a new main. If you desire you can use my name in problem by reference in having her family under my professional any of the threat Rapids, Michigan care. On his way down town he called at the hotel and in a very unprofessionto convine the affleted rhatit is the best Blood, Leverson i Kichey medicine on earth 1 for three aney man. Have familiar with the clinical history of my patients. In less than half an hour I found the Dr. in the back room of an undertaking establishment feebly discussing the duties of health officers with the undertaker. The undertaker apparently had the best of the argument. Those are the "many hours" he spent hunting for me. He asked to have another physician—Dr. McLean—visit the patient with us, and if Dr. McLean pro-nounced the case scarlet feyer he would placard the house, etc. Dr. McLean saw the patient and endorsed my opinion as to its being scarlet fever, in Dr. Truscott's presence. He did not put up the placard but that same afternoon, not being satisfied, he got Dr. Fritz to see the case with him. So the "cosy nome" was invaded for the third time that day. Dr. Fritz told me that he did not express an opinion of the case, at that time. My duty was not yet discharged so I immediately notified the President of the village, who brought the matter before the Council that eyening. An ur-gent professional call to Mr. John Battel's, five miles north of the village, prevented me from attending the council meeting. On my return home I met the President and several of the Councilmen, who informed me that Dr. McLean gave it at the meeting as his opinion that it was a case of scarlet fever, and he advised the placarding, etc., of the house. Several days clapsed and Dr. Truscott put up the card, virtually admitting that I was right in my opinion as to its being scarlet fever. A few days after this the patient's mother died suddenly, and now comes the strangest part of the story and an exhibition of eccentricity which it is to be hoped is seldom found in the conduct of a public official. He visited the house, tore down the card, said he did not care whether the child was sick or well. Quarantine now ceased. People went to and fro. He permitted attempt to save the community from exposure to this disease, and now at the time of writing there is no quarantine of the premises which may yet prove a fo-cus of contagion to the community at arge. Dr. Truscott, in his letter, says Do you know that to placard your home means often from \$40 to \$50 expense? Most of it is gobbled up by the attending physician." Now, I ask Dr. Truscott, on behalf of the reputable physicians of Cass City to explain the above assertion. Does he mean to assert that the supplies, etc., given by the authorities to families who are afflicted with contagious diseases and whose premises are under quarantine, are "GOBBLED UP,"—that is, carried away and appropriated by the attending physician 2 Is the in D. "Contaging the property of the property o sician? If that is Dr. Truscott's meaning I will, on behalf of the reputable members of the medical profession of

Cass City, brand the assertion as an absolute slander and falsehood. I will not

be responsible for Dr. Truscott in such cases and I will urgently advise him not

to measure the other physicians by his own standard of ethics. Dr. Truscott:

I regret that you in your great anxiety

to hold me up to public contempt and injure me in my professional prospects,

should also have made use of your pub-

lic position as health officer to the same end. In your method of procedure in this case you have gained nothing but by so doing have exposed yourself to the condemnation of right thinking people, and wilfully neglected your public duties. These violations of what is right cannot the sight cannot be sight than the s possibly be overlooked. In conclusion: I have done mp duty in reporting scarlet fever. My diagnosis has been endorsed and supported by the affidavits below. Respectfully, H. C. EDWARDS.

Cass City, Feb. 8, 1893.
Dr. J. H. McLean, health efficer of Elkland township, being duly sworn, states: I was called to consult with Drs. Edwards and Truscott on Jan. 24th, to see a patient about nine years old, named Hettie McDowell. I went with the physicians and found the girl in bed, in my opinion convalescing from scarlet fever. Her temperature registered about one degree above normal; her skin desquamating. I advised placarding, as this condition is considered the most infectious. I suggested to Dr. Edwards, the attending physician, to have his patient retain the bed and perhaps avoid serious kidney complication.

J. H. McLean.

E. H. PINNEY, Notary Public.

Edward O'Neil, being duly sworn, says that he is a legally qualified physician and that he visited and examined the girl, Hettie McDowell, and found her ill of scarlet fever and in the third or des quamating stage of that disease, and alo that the disease is regarded as highly contagious during the period of desquamation of the skin. E. O'NEIL, M. D.

E. H. PINNEY, Notary Public.

I had scarlet fever in my family while living in Wallaceburg. Ont. On or about the 15th of last November, a younger member of my family was taken ill with scarlet fever and, in fact, this circumstance was one cause of my family being delayed in their coming here. I am somewhat familiar with the symptoms and rash of scarlet fever and I am fully convinced that Dr. Edwards was correct convinced that Dr. Edwards was correct
in his pronouncing the case of my daughter, Hettie, scarlet fever. I was also
anxious to take the precautions necessary to arrest the disease and to carry
out fully the suggestions and orders of
the health officer. I was extremely surprised at the unprofessional and undigsifed argulat of the health. Officer and nified conduct of the health officer and trust that such procedure is the excep-tion and not the rule among medical

A. A. P. McDowell.
Signed in the presence of Chas. Chubb,
Feb. 6, 1893.

## School Report.

Report of School taught in Dis. No. 2, Elkland, for the month beginning Jan. 3, 1893:

The following have been present every day during the month: Bertie Heffelbower, Stanley Dunn, Lena Landrigan, Edna Dunn, Freddie Heffelbower, Peter Landrigan and Eddie Heffelbower. Absent only one day-Bennie Schwegler, Cass City, Harry Landrigan, Roy Martin, Mary Schwegler, Eddie Folsom and Freddie

JENNIE A. WATSON, Teacher.

They were talking about vanity of women, and one of the few ladies present undertook a defense. "Of course, she said, "I admit that women are vain and men are not," "Why," she added, with a glance around, "the necktie of the handsomest man in the room is even now up the back of his collar," and then she smiled-for every man present had out his hand up behind his neck.

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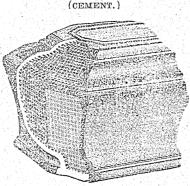
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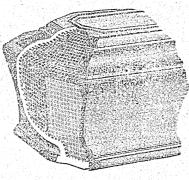
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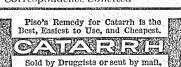
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