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nesdayevening at 7:30. Visiting brethrencordially invited. J. D. BROOKER, N. G. C. W. McPhail, Secretary.

Cass City Tent, No. 74, meets the fift and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.

J. P. HOWE, COMMANDER.

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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, (8t. John;) July 22, Aug. 26, Sept. 23, Oct. 21, Nov. 18, Dec. 16, (Election of Officers); Dec. 27, (St. John.)

HENRY STEWART; W. M.
THOMAS JACKSON, Secretary.

L. O. L. Cass City Lodge, No. 214, meets on the first Tuesday evening 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. CERVICES—Public service, 10:30 a. m. Class Discreting, 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 invited.

Professional Cards.

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

H. C. EDWARDS, M. D. Gradu te 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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Try Dullman's Great German 15 cent Liver Pills, 40 in each package, at T. H. Fritz's.

IMMIGRATION.

The total immigration to the United States, exclusive of British North American possessions and Mexico, for the month of January was 2,058, and for the seven months ending Jan, 31st was 283,416. The latter shows a falling off of nearly 80,000 for the corresponding period

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The fact that we sold all our winter Ties, leaves only the Latest Styles and Patterns in Spring Goods at our store.

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Try DAYLIGHT PILLS for human ills. Sold by A. W. Seed.

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400 Fairlamb Milk Cans, sold for past will be reward two seasons by me for \$1 and Muck's shop. \$1.25—now, 75c. Half size, 50c.

NEW 8 Horse Power Boiler and Engine in A 1 shape—\$150.

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65 ACRES of Good Land, 4% miles from Cass City; forty-five improved, 15 chopped and most of timber taken off, 5 acres green woods. Price \$900; cash \$100, balance long time at 6 per cent.

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If you are desirious of purchasing any of above property call on me at Cass City Bank.

C. W. McPhail.

Caught On The Fly.

The Woman Question. She cast on me a roguish look;
I read its meaning pat. ot love nor hate its message was But, "how do you like this hat?" New York Recorder.

The weather is very "unsettled." Adam Muck is the new village marshal. Don Wales was in Elkton on Monday. Light snow storm last Saturday

C. Levagood has returned from the north woods. John Hatton, of Pontiac, was in town

John Pardo, of Argyle, visited friends in town Sunday.

M. Kirby has sold his "Rambler" bicycle to F. Turner. The Enterprise will move to its new News.

home about May 15. Sylvester Ale has been quite seriously ill for the past two weeks.

John Henderson, of Owendale, was a pleasant caller on Tuesday.

S. G. and S. M. Cooley, well diggers, have commenced operations. Several "deals" are in progress, and will be given to the public later.

M. H. Eastman now occupies Mrs. Predmore's house on Oak street. Miss Nina Brooker, of Akron, is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Samuel Striffler, of Argyle, visited in town the early part of the week. A. G. Berney was in Caro and Vassar a few days this week on business.

C. W. McPhail was the guest of a fellow banker at Marlette on Sunday. Mrs. W. J. Cloakey has returned from

her visit at Detroit and other places. O. G. Doying has constructed an addition to the north end of his residence. Mrs. E. H. Pinney and daughter, Irene, were Detroit visitors, Monday and Tues-

Mrs. G. Scripture has purchased the house and lot on Segar street, of T. H.

Fritz. Angus McGilvary now occupies the residence recently vacated by Dr. P. L.

I. O. O. F. anniversary celebration next week Wednesday. You are invited

to attend. Mrs. R. E. Gamble has added a neat balcony to the front of her building on

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hebblewhite entertained a goodly number of their friends

on Tuesday evening. The barns of J. P. Howe and M. M. Wickware have each received new spring

coats of paint this week. H. Rushbrook and family, who were the guests of Jas. Reagh, have returned to their home at Toronto, Ont.

Miss Nellie Mickle left last week for a few weeks visit with relatives and friends in Canada, Pt. Huron and Detroit.

S. Champion has removed the high board fence from around his residence and is making other improvements.

J. H. Striffler will sell stock and implements for John McLarty, of Novesta, om Monday, April 24, at 1 o'clock p. m. Two hundred acres of cucumbers is the space to be required by the farmers at Dundee in order to secure a pickle fac-

David Law is at the Tennant House the latter part of each week, letting out seed peas to farmers for the Iowa City

Seed Company. Last week James Allen sold his team of bay mares for \$300. He has since purchased a pair of Percherons of a gentleman living near Caro. They are reported as having been premium-takers at the Caro fair.

The Caro Democrat published the testimony taken at the hearing of Murderer Stevens at Caro last week. Quite a number of extra copies were sold in Cass City. Stevens has been bound over to the May term of court for trial.

stock and implements at auction, on

Saturday, April 19, at 1 o'clock p. m. Mr. Glendenning, of Wardsville, Ont., has taken up his residence on Houghton street, and will labor for R. Duggan this season.

Lost-Small pup, black with yellow dot over eye, and white breast. Finder will be rewarded by leaving him at Adam

The painting of the front of the Sheridan House has been finished. James Armstrong did the work, and displayed excellent taste.

Drain Commissioner Stewart spent several days with "Uncle" Enos Goodrich, of Fostoria, while attending to drain matters in that locality. Messrs. Ludlow, Johnson and Scoville, representing the Dayton (Ohio) Star nurseries, are in town, making their spring delivery of fruit trees, etc.

All the business places in town will be closed next Wednesday (Odu Fellow's Day), from 1:30 o'clock p. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. Make a note of this.

Chicago's water supply is being beautifully roasted by the eastern press. Medical authorities, however, agree that boiling is more effective.-[Detroit Trihune.

The eleventh annual convention of the Tuscola County W. C. T. U. will be held at the M. E. Church, Kingston, on May 2 and 3. The program will be published

Six thousand dollars more has been

found in a hay stack on the farm of the late Fagan brothers (misers), near Holly, Mich. This swells the find to over \$35,000. A commodious barn is being erected for M. Sheridan on the let north and across the alley from the Sheridan House. Graham & McGilvary are the

constructors. While the excavations were being made for the McGregory block last week, 192 loads of earth and gravel were hauled out in one day by two teams and

distributed along the street. A Bad Axe farmer is going to try celery-growing this season on a seventy acre scale. There is considerable land in Huron County that is thought to be equal to the Kalamazoo soil.

Our new street commissioner, Edmund Brotherton, has done a splendid job of grading on Main street, extending from the intersection of Segar street to West street. Mr. Brotherton understands his

Christopher Columbus and George Washington would not be knee high

miles from Lausing. The position was secured by her brother, Duncan, who is Died. a student at the Agricultural College at the above place. The ninth annual meeting of the directors of the Peninsular Masonic Insurance Co., was held at Caro on Tuesday. C. P. Black, of Lansing, was elected presidet, and N. M. Richardson, Caro, secre-

tary and general manager. The Cass City Columbian Club met with Miss Florence Howe on Tuesday evening last. Miss Howe deviated from the usual order of things by arranging a

short literary and musical program. CARD OF THANKS .- We desire to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindassisted us during our father's (A McAlpine) sickness and death.

George Nettleton, formerly chief engineer on the P. O. & N. railroad, is down from the Upper Pennsula. Rumor says he will be appointed to his old position and will make a survey for the proposed extension of the line from Pontiac to Detroit.

Mrs. Nolty, of Austin township, died last week Wednesday. The funeral was held from the house on Saturday. Undertaker McKenzie was in attendance. Mrs. Nolty was the mother of Mrs. F. Herr, of this place.

Gco. Killins and Robt. Kile have made a deal whereby the former comes into possession of the latter's eighty-acre farm in Evergreen, and the latter becomes the owner of the bakery building and lots on Segar street.

Last Saturday night Hall's barber shop, Callaway & Co's meat market and the F. & P. M. depot at Mayville were burgiarlzed. Three watches and a small amount of stamps were taken from the depot, and Hall loses all his barber tools.

H. C. Wales and family have moved to Elkton. Mr. Wales will assist in the bank of S. Ale & Son, and also carry on his insurance business. Mr. Wales is an upright, pushing business man, and we wish him full measure of success in his new field.

Tilsonburg (Ont.) Liberal: "Mr. Asa McDowell, a former member of the Liberal staff, has purchased a half interest in the Cass City, Mich., Enterprise. Unin the Cass City, Mich., Enterprise. Under the new management the paper should become second to none in that section, as Mr. McDowell is an all-round newspaper man. We wish him every

The address of the Rev. S. M. Gilchriese in the M. E. Church, Sunday evening, rel-ative to the rise and progress of the Epworth League, as reported at the late state convention, was intensely interesting. Incidents were given from real life to show the work accomplished by the members of that organization. In this state the League now numbers 30,000, and has a total membership of 2,500, 000. Scarcely five years have elapsed since the first chapter was organized.

ADVERTISED LETTERS—The following ADVERTISED LETTERS—The following is a list of advertised letters renaining in the postoffice at Cass City, Mich., for the week ending April 15th, 1893: Miss Kate Gillies, C. W. Bunn, Mrs. Jane Pearse, George Hill, Lucy Lombard, Cora Lacroix, Mrs. Jas. Clark, George Critland, Chas. Pinglan, T. A. Rockafellow & Co., A. W. Sharrard, Miss S. E. Smith, John Haywood. Please call for "advertised" letters and pay one cent. A. W. SEED, P. M.

At the conference of the Evangelical Association held last week at Eureka Rev. J. Orth was sent to Imlay City.
Rev. B. F. Wade is a member of the
Cass City quarterly conference and has
removed there with his family.—[Imlay

City Times.

On Saturday, April 29th, S. D. Edwards will offer for sale by public auction his complete livery stock, consisting of horses, carriages, sleighs, robes, blankets, harness, etc. The sale will take place at his barns in Cass City at one o'clock charp. A. A. McKenzie, auction-

Our Driving Park Association is as wide awake as ever. This week they advertise for sealed bids on the job of painting the buildings on the lair ground. With these additional improvements,

\$5,000. A large delegation of the W. C. T. U. were present at the meeting, and the council was liberally checred when

the above action was taken.

The knowledge of what is lost by the neglect of our wagonways is daily extending, and with its spread is certain to come a more and more pressing demand for action that shall remove what is not merely a hindrance to progress, but a blot upon our national character.—[Harper's Weekly.

Judge Reilly, of Minnesota, has decided that a dentist does not have a lien on a set of false teeth after they have been at-tached to the mouth and the dentist has parted with the possession thereof. Judge Reilly decides that so long as the teeth are in the defendant's mouth they are a part of his body and cannot be seized as "chattels."

A cheese meeting will be held at the Ekkland factory on Monday, May 1st, at 2 p. m. Mr. Wilkinson, who has had 30 years experience at the cheese business has leased the factory for a term of years, and wishes the patrons and all in-terested to meet on that day and elect a treasurer and appoint an auditor and committee for the season.

Forty-eight thousand dollars worth of property went up in smoke at the is a power that will see that he receives village of Plymoth, Mich, at 11:30 o'clock Monday evening. The fire broke versy as to what this power is, but it alongside the man who can solve this clock Monday evening. The fire broke capital versus labor coundrum and put ous in a Barber shop, and the citizens, it into practical operation,—[Dallas with their inefficient fire "extinguisher," Miss Nancy McArthur expects soon to assume charge of a school one and a half miles from Lausing. The position was secured by her brother.

Died, in Elmwood, April 12, Mrs.
Phæbe Ware. Mrs. Ware was seventy
years old at the time of her death. The
funeral was held at the residence of her
Archibald McAlpine, who died quite sudson-in-law, I. Waidley, in Elmwood, on Friday last. The interment took place in the Ellington cemetery. A number of the deceased's many friends in this place attended the funeral services. Undertaker DeWitt had charge of the remains.

The laying of the corner stone of the first M. P. Church of Grant, will take place on Thursday, April 27th, at the Heron appointment. At 2 o'clock there will be preaching by Rev. A. Moffit, of Fairgrove, after which the stone-laying will take place. Revs. J. C. Scott, of Bad Axe, W. C. Harger, of Unionville, and J. W. Mulholland, of Caro, will assist at the services. All are cordially invited

vited. Caro Democrat; "The Cass City Enterprise is now owned and edited by Wickware & McDowell, Editor Wickware having recently sold a half interest in the plant to A. P. McDowell, formerly of Wallaceburg, Ont., who has acted in the capacity of foreman of the Enterprise office for the past three months. presses and type have been purchased and Cass City is to have one of the neat-est weeklies in the Thumb, Success to the new firm!"

The I.O.O.F. lodge has held meetings nearly every other evening for two weeks past, preparing for the annual celebration to be held at this place next week Wednesday, April 26. Considerable money has been expended lately by the lodge for regalia, furniture and decorations for their inviting rooms over the Town Hall. The reception room is now furnished with new Brussels carpet and fine upholstered furniture. Neighboring Odd Fellows may come with the assur-ance that they will find their brethrens' 'home" in "spick-span" shape and that they will be well entertained.

One would infer from a certain portion of the council proceedings published last week that the bill of W. H. Meredith for \$1.31 was cut down to thirty-one cents on account of being too high, etc. Such was not the case, however. It is explained this way: Mr. Meredith's bill of \$1.31 was for two different jobs, the first one amounting to one dollar, and a bill on the such as the suc for that amount, was, unknown to Mr. Judges' stand and band stand. First coat with yellow ochre in rawlinseed oil; second coat, lead and raw linseed oil; ingly, only a part of the bill which the body of building to be freeze one. ingly, only a part of the bill, which Mr. Meredith handed in, was allowed. We make this explanation by request of Mr. Meredith, who did not wish the impression to prevail that he had made his charges too high.

A chapter of the Easter Star, an or anization auxiliary to the Masonic order, was instituted in Cass City last week by Mrs. A. A. Matteson, of Cold-water, Mich., Grand Lecturer. The or-ganization starts off with twenty charter members, the officers of which are as

Worthy Matron-Mrs. R. S. Brown. Worthy Matron—Mrs. R. S. Brown, Patron—Henry Stewart.
Asso. Matron—Mrs. E. Bretherton.
Secretary—R. S. Brown,
Treas.—Miss Jennie McIntyre.
Adah—Mrs. O. C. Wood,
Ruth—Mrs. Lynds.
Esther—Mrs. Seeley.
Martha—Mrs. A. J. Comstock,
Electa—Mrs. J. C. Downing.
Warden—Mrs. A. C. Kerr.
Sentinel—J. C. Downing.

Miss Bell Munroe is ill this week. Miss Belle Walmsley has assumed temporary charge of her school in Novesta.

The Odd Fellows cordially invite all, from far and near, to attend their anniversary celebration in Cass City next week Wednesday. An interesting program will be given in the Tennant House Rink in the afternoon, commenciag at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Peter Dodge, of this place, died on Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock, of confinement. She was 23 years of age, and leaves a husband and two small children. The funeral was held yester-day at 2 p. m., at the Baptist Church. Undertaker McKenzie was in attendance.

The L. O. T. M. gave a farewell party in their hall Tuesday evening for Mrs. N. With these additional improvements, our grounds will certainly be the neatest and best in all the Thumb.

At a special meeting of the council on Wednesday evening, it was voted to accept the prayer of the petitioners, and liquor dealers' bonds were fixed at 15000. A large delegation of the W. 5000. A large delegation of the W. 5000.

It is soid that the Kansas rainmakers.

who are making contracts with formers to wet down their land this scason, made a pile of money last sum-A resident of the eastern part of the town requests us to warn the young men who have been in the habit of playing cards in the ticket office on the fair grounds on Sunday, to desist before complaint is made against them. Let this warning suffice to put a stop to such disrespectful proceedings.

The knowledge of what is lost by the consult the predictions of these weather prophets and fix the dates within three days. Then they send up their chemicals through a stove pipe in the roof of a shanty. It is said to be Melbourne's secret, which they pertended to steal from

him. The other side of the story is always important, and the people are so fair that they know this, and imagine the other sids of the story, if they do not hear it. When a man tells a prejudiced and untruthful story he should not imagine that the people will believe him. They are too fair for that, they imagine the other side of the story, and do the heart man interest. absent man justice. They also think less of the man who tells the exaggerated story. It is a mistake to imagine that a man can injure an enemy by "talking" about him. It is as impossible to injure an enemy by "talking" about him as it is to make yourself popular by self praise. All such things are reguluted by unchangeable laws, and every man is udged as he descryes in spite of gossip. From somewhere comes justice, and every man may depend upon it. If a every man may depend upon it. man strives to be honest and fair there never fails. We believe it is natural fair-

denly last week, Monday evening, from internal paralysis.

Mr. McAlpine was born in Glengary, Ont. 1822, and came, with his family, to Michigan in 1864, and settled in Huron county, where he was soon called upon to mourn for his beloved helpmate.

—Mrs. McAlpine — who died in 1865, leaving a family of five children. He came to Greenleaf in 1875 and re-sided there till called across the border. He leaves many sorrowing friends and acquaintances to mourn his loss

Settlement Requested. All those owing me on account are requested to call and settle on or before May 1st, either by cash or note.
4-21 C. D. Striffler.

WANTED .- Good girl to do general A. A. McKenzie. housewerk. Hay. Have several tons of Hay for sale.

4-21 L. A. DEWITT. The makers of Brant's Balsam give double the usual size for 25 and 50 cents, because they think it advertising which people will appreciate. None better. For sale at Fritz's drugstore.

of about four dozen trimmed hats, large and small. Were left over from last summer. Former prices. \$1.25 to \$4.00. MRS. E. K. WICKWARE.

Your Choice For \$1.00

To Taxpayers. Elkland township drain orders on Withey and North Branch drains, and county drain orders on Wiscoggon and Reber drains, for sale at liberal discount. Enquire at Enterprise office.

Sealed Tenders Wanted.

Tenders will be received until May 1st, 1893, for the following work and material: For painting the outside of Cass-City Fair Ground and Driving Park Association buildings, viz.: Grand stand, floral hall, yegetable hall, ticket office, second coat, lead and raw linseed oil; body of building to be freestone color with trimmings of a darker shade. Three tenders wanted—one for job complete, contractor to furnish material and labor; one for material alone; one for painting alone. All material and work to be strictly No. 1. Committee reserves the right to reject any and all

> J. D CROSBY, E. H. PINNEY, H. S. WICKWARE, Com.

Attention, Farmers! Having purchased the business of H. C. Wales, I am now prepared to do all kinds of insurance at the lowest living rates and would respectfully solicit a share of your patronage, and to those having policies in the Ohio Farmers' or other insurance companies which you desire to have sent in for cancellation and premium returied to you, 1 will do the business for you free of charge. Bring in your policies. Office over C. D.

Striffler's store, Respectfully, E. B. LANDON, Agent.

EVILS OF CITY LIFE.

DR. DIXON POINTS OUT THE GREAT DANGER OF TODAY.

The Cities Are Absorbing the Manhood of the Country and Destroying Most of It. A Time For Righteous Indignation and a Flaming Sword.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- Rev. Thomas Dixon today delivered an impassioned sermon on the gross materialism and tostructive tendencies of city life. His text was John ii, 15, "And he made a scourge of cords and cast all out of the temple, both the sheep and the exen, and he poured out the changers' money and overthrew their tables."

This is a most remarkable scene in the history of the ministry of Christ. It is a scene in which we behold the indignation of Jesus. So vigorous is this expression that the result is physical violence. To some minds of today such a scene in the life of Jesus is an impossibility. They refuse to believe in such a Christ, and these are the people who insist that they have the last word from Christ to the world. The trouble is that they have looked only at one aspect of the life of Jesus. He is gentle, he is loving, he is tender, he weeps, and yet he brings a sword and deliberately makes a scourge of cords and with physical violence drives from the temple those who were desecrating his Father's house and with physical violence overturns their tables. Christ is Christianity. Jesus said, "I am the way."

What does this scene in the life of Jesus, directly in the line of his ministry, teach

Certainly two things.

First-There is an hour for Christianity to wield the lash and use the knife. There is a time, in other words, for all things. There is a time for gentleness and tenderness and love. There is a time for wrath and indignation and for overturning. There is a time to faugh, there is a time to weep; there is a time to sing, a time to pray, a time to fight. The music of life is not made on a single string. There are other elements than the gentle and the soothing, which enter into the essentials of a rounded, active life. It is so in the individual, in society and in the church.

In the life of every man there are times for tenderness and love; there are times for the assertion of the sterner elements of life and the assertion of wrath and indignation at the proper time, all as essential to the world's welfare, to the salvation and happiness of mankind, as the introduction and maintenance of the gentler and sweeter elements. No man can live a normal life in this world and do his duty, endowed even with moderate talents, without being confronted with hours in which the soul must rise in all the power of righteous indignation and assert in all their elemental power the original forces even of anger and of

A TIME FOR RIGHTEOUS WRATH. So in the life of society there are times when the community must rise in indigare times in the life of a community in which the seeds of joy and of love and of gentleness can be sowed and cultivated. But there are hours when, with flame and ax, those who have the good of society at heart must go forth and burn and strike down and remove if the people are to be saved from contagion and death. So in the history of the church there are hours in which the gospel of joy and of peace and of loving kindness is preached and should be preached, and there are other hours in which the wrath and indignation of purity and truth and Christ must be preached. It is useless to say that in such an hour light will overcome darkness, gentleness will overcome violence. Jesus Christ did not find it so. His disciples would do well to follow him. There have been hours in almost every century of the history of the church in which there was absolute call for righteous wrath, and when only such forces were adequate to the salvation of the church and of the people.

What could have saved the church in the days of Martin Luther save the violence which resulted in the Protestant establishment and in the purification of the Catholic church? There could be no compromise with the corruptions that had grown up within the body of Roman Catholicism. Tetzel, the chief exponent of the doctrine of indulgences, preached in the ear of Luther. "Indulgences," said he, "are the most precious and sublime of God's gifts. This cross (pointing to the red cross) has as much efficacy as the cross of Jesus Christ. Draw near, and I will give you letters duly sealed by which even the sins you shall hereafter desire to commit shall all be forgiven you. I would not exchange my privileges for those of St. Peter in heaven, for I have saved more souls with my indulgences than he with his sermons. There is no sin so great that the indulgence cannot reach it. Let him only pay largely, and it shall be forgiven him. Even repentance is not indispensable."

If any man doubts that this be a true statement of the preaching of a duly accredited delegate from the highest Catholic authority in his age, let him refer to the words of Pope Adrian, successor to Leo X, crowned in 1522, when Germany was ablaze with Lutheranism. Through his legate the pope declared at the diet of Nuremberg, summoned to deal with Luther, that "these disorders had sprung from the sins of men, more especially from the sins of priests and prelates. Even in the holy chair," said he, "many horrible crimes have been committed. The contagious disease, spreading from the head to the members, from the pope to lesser prelates, has spread far and wide, so that scarcely any one is found who does right and is free from infection." Confronted with such a situation, can any sane man maintain that it was the duty of Martin Luther to remain quiet and to preach the simple gospel of love and of gentleness and of good feeling to friends and enemies inside the church and outside? No; there was an hour in which the honest soul of the regretted opposing the within 20 years in actual numbers. The city are a hundred to one. We fight the reformer cried in hot indignation, English occupation of Egypt. He de-

"In the name of Jesus, I will endure it no longer!" and the issue of battle was joined. There is a time to pray. There is a time to fight.

THE TERRORS OF DEVOTED LOVE. Second-That true love in Christ has its terrible hours in such a world. There are aspects of love beyond the mere ex pression of tenderness and of kindly feeling. Love has its hours of the terrible and of the sublime, when death is preferable to dishonor, and when violence is to be desired above the baser things that come with submission. A Virginius could kill his own child for love's sake. and we cannot say that the awful deed of such a father transcended the limits of the real expression of a father's love. Let us remember that Jesus was not only capable of anger, but that he was angry. Let us remember that Jesus was the supreme expression of the love of God. If this be so, love living in this world must be confronted with hours in which wrath and indignation rule supreme. It cannot be otherwise. The ove which filled the soul of Christ was a consuming fire, and before it evil must be burned up.

We are told that his baptism was the baptism of the Holy Ghost and of fire. Upon more than one occasion in his life we are told that he was angry. He said himself that he came to bring not peace but a sword. Such scenes in the life of Jesus, such utterances from his lips, cannot be reconciled with the sentimental slush of a certain school of Christianity which continues to cry "Peace, peace, when there is no peace, when there can be no peace with the forces of hell. There is a large amount of unadulterated hypocrisy in the cry for the gentleness of the gospel in this hour. It will be found in scores of cases to emanate from men who hate the gospel of Christ with all their soul, and who cry for its gentleness and its sweetness because they feel the touch of the sword of Christ, of his truth and his indignation and his

anger in their inmost souls. Jesus sacrificed himself. Christianity means the sacrifice of self. If we would be the disciples of Christ, we must be willing to sacrifice self. The man who sacrifices himself must displease the selfish. It is an arraignment of them and of their life. One of the most difficult sacrifices for the follower of Christ to make today is to count his reputation as nothing for Christ's sake; is to be willing to be hissed and cursed and spit on by the people. The most difficult sacrifice which Christianity demands of its followers today is that they be willing to be unpopular. It is an easy thing to pander to a vitiated public sentiment. It is an easy thing to sell one's soul for this cheap applause. The follower of Christ who does it has betrayed his Master, has belied his profession and is untrue to the first principles of his life—the sacrifice

The world hated Jesus Christ. He was not a popular preacher in the sense that he pleased the powers that ruled society. They hated him with the bitterest intensity of their dark souls. It is impossible for any man to live a true Christian life in this world, following Jesus in pirit and in truth, and not Jesus says it himself in so many words. Hear him: "If ye were of the world, the world would love its own. But because ve are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you. They persecuted me. They will also persecute you. Yea, the hour cometh that whosoever killeth you shall think he offereth service unto God."

THE SWORD OF CHRISTIANITY. There is and there must be of necessity a point of contact with evil at which Christianity bursts into a consuming flame. The Christianity incapable of such a consummation, of such violence, if you please, is dead, not living. Nor is this in any wise inconsistent with the highest conception of Jesus. In his personality was blended the tenderest, the divinest love, with all the elements of sternest, moral warfare. We see these elements combined frequently in the character of the stern warrior. Prince Henry, the brother of Frederick the Great, king of Prussia, leads his army through Saxony, upon mission of death, and vet he is careful of every field of grain. If a soldier stepped out of the direct road, the cap-

tain was punished. One day in the harvest season the prince saw the peasants hurrying to save their crops from an approaching storm. Immediately he had every horse taken from the baggage wagons and sent to the assistance of the farmers, who were amazed at this sympathy from a great general and an enemy. On one occasion 300 French officers were taken prisoners and brought before him. He was indignant that they had been deprived of their swords and restored them at once. The wounded among the prisoners he cared for as carefully as if they belonged to his own army. When he learned that 50 of them were without money, he provided for them from his own purse and at considerable inconvenience to himself. It is possible to fight and yet to love your enemy. It is possible to fight for principle and truth and right and in the very battle seek the salvation of those against whom we fight.

And after these wars for righteous principle it happens again and again in the history of the world that those against whom we fight are brought to see that they were wrong and that the battle was for their own good, even though they were blind and could not ample of this result in a remarkable confession recently made by Arabi Pasha, the Egypt patriot. Twelve years ago he was the most powerful man in Egypt. He headed a rebellion, nominally, against the khedive, but which Arabi insisted was really on the khedive's behalf. He desired, he said, to deliver Egypt from foreign domination and preserve her for the Egyptians. He made a brave and desperate fight, but was beaten and has since been living in retirement in Ceylon. He declares that his interest in Egypt and love for his country are as intense as ever. He declared recently that his whole life had been a

had done for his country what he had honed to do. but could never have succeeded in doing:

"Not one of her own sons," said Arabi, "could have given Egypt the release from oppression and injustice and the good government which she now enjoys. All that I have fought and struggled to attain is accomplished. In my blindness I was resisting the surest means of achieving my own aims. I was fighting for the liberation of my country. I am sorry now I did so, and I am glad for my country's sake I was defeated." So the men against whom Christianity wages its righteous war will in the end rejoice in their own defeat. Such a war is waged against them not because we hate them, but because we love them.

THE POLLUTION OF MODERN CITIES. So today the church of Christ in our centers of civic life is confronted with just such a crisis. The hour has come for the righteous indignation of the church of Jesus Christ in our great modern cities. It is the hour for righteous wrath and for the action-yes, the violence of the Christ under the influence of that wrath. This is so.

(1) Because of the tremendous growth and importance of these great modern centers of life. The city is the heart of modern civilization. It is the key to the century. It is the key to the future. The past 50 years have seen the city grow to dominate the world. It has drained the life from the rural districts and concentrated it at these nerve centers of the world. Here civilization has massed its numbers. The cities of the ancient world, before the fall of that ancient world, were insignificant in comparison with the giant cities of the close of the nineteenth century.

Imperial Rome, mistress of the ancient world, was a pygmy beside London, the capital of the modern world. And London of today is but a faint prophecy of what will be the London of the close of the twentieth century, at the present rate of progress. Here in the city is concentrated the wealth of the nation, the wealth of the world. Money. and all the power of money, and all that money means to society, to commerce to politics, to the masses, to the race, are to be settled here. The influence of the city is now absolutely supreme as the governing power. The city governs our politics, state and national. The city governs the commerce of the world, national and international. The city governs the formation of the social structure. It governs fashion; it rules literature; it controls the press; it makes the atmosphere which those who

rule the nation breathe. (2) While the growth and importance of the city have been thus overwhelming and continuous to increase with incredible swiftness, it is precisely in the city that the failure of the church of Christ has been most pitiable. Taking the modern world as a whole, Christianity has made remarkable progress within the past quarter of a century. In America Christianity has advanced with rapid strides. taking the country as a whole. We United States. We have thousands of churches. We are building thousands of new ones every year. Church membership has increased in larger proportion than the population. Christianity is triumphant all along the line, reckoning things in their total.

Our progress in the heathen world has been miraculous. Closed gates have opened wide. Nations have been baptized in a day. The ports of the earth are now open to the Christian missionary, and their triumphs have been miraculous. But here our boast must end and our sorrow begin. This increase has been in the rural districts. It has been in the small towns. It has been in the country. In the cities we have not only failed to increase, but Christianity has perceptibly declined in its organic life within the past generation.

HEATHENISM IN OUR CITIES. A distinguished writer who has given years to the study of this subject declares that there are from three to six times as many churches for a given population in the country as in the city and that in our great cities, as we all too well know, there are vast populations nearly or quite destitute. The old Twentieth assembly district in New York had a population of 60,000, and there were three little Protestant churches. In the whole nation for every 60,000 people there are 120 evangelical churches. But there is one district in New York with 50,000 souls in which there is one Protestant church. In the heart of Chicago there are 60,000 people, it is said, without a single church, either Protestant or Catholic. In six assembly districts of New York there is a population of 360,000 people, for which there are 31 Protestant churches and 3,018 saloons. The whole country east of the Mississippi shows that there are as many churches as saloons, and yet for this population in New York, larger than the city of Cincinnati, there are 100 times as many saloons as churches. The First assembly district of New York in 1880 had 44,000 people, 7 Protestant churches and 1,072 saloons -153 saloons for every church.

Nor does this failure of church life simply apply to Protestantism. Our Jewish population has become atheistic and have deserted their synagogues by thousands. At an Ingersoll lecture one-half the audience will be found composed of Jews, and it is a remarkable fact that sometimes whole families will be found see it. We have a most striking ex- at these Sabbath entertainments over which the distinguished colonel presides. Roman Catholicism has not held its own in our cities. In a Roman Catholic population of nearly 800,000 in the city of New York the number of the faithful is exceedingly small as compared with this tremendous total. The Catholic church does not hold one-half its people who move from other nations and locate in our cities. They drift into indifference,

into materialism, into atheism. The failure of Protestantism at present in our cities is one of the most painful facts before which the earnest Christian stands today. In New York city the Baptist denomination has declined

clared that he had found the English | more than offset by the difference in and we fight with children's toys. We strictness with which the rolls have been are playing with issues, and our enemies kept. What is true of the Baptist denomination is true of every other evangelical denomination in this city.

> (3) The truth is, the city of today, the modern city, whether in the east or in the west, is a seething hell, in which the consumed. Materialism is rampant. The god of the city is the god of mammon, the god of power. More and more have the strong fallen into this fetich wor-ship. Their motto is, "Money by all means, by any means, fair or foul." The hot breath of this scourge soon burns out the ideals, the faiths, the hopes and the love born into the heart of man under normal conditions. The sum total of the forces that affect life in our cities today is overwhelmingly against the development of a righteous character. The pressure of work is insane. Men are in a fever. They do not stop to think. Things high and holy and noble are brushed aside in the wild, mad scramble of the hard, modern business world. Men are driven to such an intense speed that the moral point of view is lost. The reaction from this results in dissipation rather than amusement.

In the reaction from this debauchery of body and soul sane amusement seems almost an impossibility; hence the degradation of our amusements in the cities today. Our theaters wallow in filth. They pander to the gutter. They pander to the Bowery. They pander to the vicious in high society and in low society, and there is scarcely an exception. Gambling is rampant and opens its thousand doors to allure the young and to absolutely destroy. In this horrible pressure of life the social evil is intensified. Womanhood in degradation becomes a modern power for evil. Saloons have multiplied not only in numbers, but in their power for evil, in their attractions, in the free table which they set, until it is next to impossible for a man with honest intentions in the lower walks of life to live in a modern city and keep out of these hell holes.

VILE LITERATURE IN OUR CITIES. The reading matter which is provided for this population is of the most degraded character. It is thrust under the nose of the passing crowd. It is nailed upon the bulletins in glaring colors. It is circulated among the young and the foolish, the ignorant and the thoughtless, to bear its fruit of death from day to day.

The influence in the higher circles of society is irrational, materialistic, and tends to destroy reverence, faith and the stability of home and home ideals. The people in our cities live in tenements, live in overcrowded hovels in which dogs and hogs could not breed, and exist through many generations. It is simply a physical impossibility for rational manhood and womanhood to be born and reared in such houses, in such streets, and under such conditions as exist in our modern cities. This fact is shown in the deterioration of the working people of the cities.

It was found recently in London by an investigation that the "submerged have enrolled 20,000,000 adherents in the tenth" of the population was not the rural nonulation which had come into don, but it was the population born in London under modern conditions. The countrymen who come in to fill the lower walks of life in our cities contain enough vigorous blood to fight their way over the bodies of the weaker men and women of the city. Official corruption grows apace in such a life. In the midst of this the church is corrupted by the power of the rich and conservative and is asleep with its traditions.

I am not a pessimist. I do not believe in the triumph of evil. I have not drawn this dark picture because I am in despair, but we must face the facts. The city today is destroying the character and the manhood of the nation. The modern city as at present constituted does not produce men and women cap able of really fighting the battles of life seriously and to a successful issue. The modern city cannot exist but for the blood that pours into it from our rural districts, and this blood is consumed from day to day in this fiery furnace of a corrupt and corrupting life. You cannot point out to me today in a single great city of America a solitary man born under the conditions of modern city life whose influence counts for anything in this nation's life today.

Phillips Brooks was born in Boston,

but he was born in Boston fifty years ago, and Boston was a straggling country village at that time as compared with the Boston of today. The modern city. as at present constituted, does not produce men. It cannot produce men. If they are born within it, they cannot be reared to vigorous manhood. The forces that destroy character are overwhelming as compared with the forces that build character. The doors that open to destruction are a hundred to one that open for life. I do not believe that there has been enough manhood born and reared in our modern cities within the past generation to save a single one of them from hell for 24 hours, if that salvation depended upon the capacity of that manhood for organization, for direction, for production.

DANGERS OF THE MODERN CITY. I am not a pessimist, but facts are facts. I believe in the race, I believe in its future—but what race? The modern city threatens the future of our nation's life. The smoke and dust and fumes, dark and threatening, full of disease, and of sin, and of death, that rise today from these great centers of our life, form a dark cloud whose threatening storm must burst upon the nation with awful fury in the future. That which is worthy to live will live. Truth will triumph, God will reign supreme. The question is, Will you be in that triumph?

I believe that the hour is come in which Christian manhood in these rapidly developing centers must take a firm stand and draw the sword of the righteousness of Christ and defend its strongholds if we are to save the people. Mothers write me from country towns to look after their boys and save them. I tell you itis next to impossible. The forces that tend to destroy character in New York

laugh at us in our helplessness. With our delicate white ties and our clerical cut clothes we are trifling with the great question of the salvation of a people, of a generation, of a race. There are times when Christian manhood should take a manhood of the nation is daily being firm stand. Only in such a stand can the people be saved. Our enemies are capable of persuasion. The devil in the modern city is a Turk in spirit.

Sir Charles Euan-Smith, the recent British envoy to Fez, in the empire of Morocco, had a perilous experience in the anti-Christian riots of last July. The mission house had been attacked. The windows were smashed with stones. It became unsafe to venture in the gardens. As Sir Charles was giving the necessary orders for the defense of the mission, an embassy from the sultan appeared and implored him to go at once to the palace. Courier after courier, mounted on magnificent Barbary horses, dashed up, repeating the summons. Bending at his feet, they declared: "My lord, we pray thee to hasten. Our lord beseeches that you come to him. He will neither eat nor drink nor sleep nor have any peace until you come to him. Our lord languisheth for the light of your countenance." No less than 20 of these messengers delivered their dramatic summons on the way.

The sultan met Sir Charles in great agitation. "Your life is in danger," he said. "Your wife and your people must come immediately to the palace. The populace is greatly excited against you. I can no longer protect you. Come tonight and sleep here. In the morning I will send a thousand soldiers to escort you to the coast." "Your majesty is mistaken," replied Sir Charles coolly. "My life is not in danger. I am in your majesty's safe keeping." "I am powerless to protect you," cried the sultan. "If you return to-the mission, you will be killed." 'Perhaps I am to be killed," replied Sir Charles. "The mission may be massacred, but there will be another British minister in Fez within a month, who will be accompanied by a staff as well equipped as mine and better, for," added the minister in deliberate tones, "then there will not be a sultan at Fez."

It is needless to say that Sir Charles and the mission were protected. The men who were responsible for the riots were beaten and imprisoned. The pasha who urged the mob to stone the British vice consul was fined \$10,000. He crawled on foot and placed the money at Minister Smith's feet. He swore on the Koran he had not incited the riots. His guards were flogged before the palace. And Minister Smith gave the money to the poor of Fez and rewarded his faithful servants and soldiers.

FACE SATAN IN HIS STRONGHOLD. So the great soldier of today has but to face the devil in his stronghold, draw his sword and defy him, and the victory will be his. The hour has come, if the future of the city is to be Christian, when we must overturn and overturn, and with scourge and sword drive out the forces that now make life impossible. The prophecy which Dr. Strong uttered more startling emphasis than when he first gave it utterance. It is well to read it again. Referring to the inevitable crisis which the forces of evil are bringing to pass in our modern cities, he says:

"When such a commercial crisis has closed factories by the ten thousand and wage earners have been thrown out of employment by the million; when the public lands, which hitherto at such times have afforded relief, are all exhausted; when our urban population has been multiplied several fold, and our Cincinnatis have become Chicagos, our Chicagos New Yorks, and our New Yorks Londons; when class antipathies are deepened; when socialistic organizations, armed and drilled, are in every city, and the ignorant and vicious power of crowded populations has fully found itself; when the corruption of city governments is grown apace; when crops fail, or some gigantic 'corner' doubles the price of bread; with starvation in the home; with idle workmen gathered, sullen and desperate, in the saloons; with unprotected wealth at hand; with the tremendous forces of chemistry within easy reach, then, with the opportunity, the means, the fit agents, the motive, the temptation to destroy, all brought into evil conjunction, then will come the real test of our institutions, then will appear whether we are capable of self government."

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Four-and-thirty years ago, Bob Ainslie and I were coming up Infirmary Street from the Edinburgh High School, our heads together, and our arms intertwisted, as only lovers and boys know

When we got to the top of the street, and turned north, we espied a crowd at the Tron Church. "A dog-fight!" shouted Bob, and was off; and so was I, both of us all but praying that it might not be over before we got up. And is not this boy-nature? and human nature too? and don't we all wish a house on fire not to be out before we see it? Dogs like fighting; old Isaac says they "delight" in it, and for the best of all reasons; and boys are not cruel because they like to see the fight. They see three of the great cardinal virtues of dog or man-courage, endurance, and skill - in intense action. This is very different from the love of making dogs fight; and enjoying, and aggravating, and making gain by their pluck. A boy, be he ever so fond himself of fighting, if he be a good bov. hates and despises all this; but he would have run off with Bob and me fast enough. It is a natural, and a not wicked interest, that all boys and men have in witnessing intense energy in action.

Does any curious and finely ignorant woman wish to know how Bob's eye at a glance announced a dog-fight to his brain? He did not he could not see the dogs fighting; it was a flash of an inference, a rapid induction. The crowd around a dog-fight is a crowd masculine mainly, with an occasional active, compassionate woman, fluttering wildly round the outside, and using her tongue and her hands freely upon the men, as so many "brutes;" it is a crowd annular, compact, and mobile; a crowd centripetal, having its eyes and its heads all bent downwards and inwards, to one common focus.

Well, Bob and I are up, and find it is not over; a small thoroughbred, white bull-terrier is busy throttling a large shepherd's dog, unaccustomed war, but not to be trifled with. They are hard at it; the scientific the closer. Many were the means possible ways of ending it. "Water!" wise, with some struggle got the bushy end of Yarrow's tail into his ample enduring, much perspiring shepherd. who, with a gieam of joy over his broad visage, delivered a terrific facer upon our large, vague, benevolent, middleaged friend-who went down like a

The Chicken makes straight at him, and fastens on his throat. To our astonishment the great creature does nothing but stand still, hold himself up, and roar-yes, roar; a long serious. remonstrative roar. How is this? Bob and I are up to them. He is muzzled! The bailies had proclaimed a general muzzling, and his master, studying strength and economy mainly, had encompassed his huge jaws in a home - made apparatus, constructed out of the leather of some ancient breeching. His mouth was open as far as it could; his lips curled up in rage—a sort of terrible grin; his teeth gleaming, ready, from out the darkness; the strap across his mouth tense as a bowstring; his whole frame stiff with indignation and surprise; his roar asking us all round, "Did you ever see the like of this?" He looked a statue

We soon had a crowd: the Chicken held on. "A knife!" cried Bob; and a cobbler gave him his knife: you know the kind of knife, worn away obliquely to a point, and always keen. I put its edge to the tense leather; it ran before it; and then!-one sudden jerk of that enormous head, a sort of dirty mist about his mouth, no noise, and the bright and fierce little fellow is dropped limp and dead. A solemn pause; this was more than any of us had bargained for. I turned the little fellow over, and saw he was quite dead; the mastiff had taken him by the small of the back like

of anger and astonishment, done in

Aberdeen granite.

a rat, and broken it. He looked down at his victim appeased, ashamed, and amazed; snuffed him all over, stared at him, and, taking a sudden thought, turned round and trotted off. Bob took the dead dog up, and said, "John, we'll bury him after tea." "Yes," said I, and was off after the mastiff. He made up the Cowgate at a rapid swing; he had forgotten some engagement. He turned up the Candlemaker Row, and stopped at the Harrow Inn.

There was a carrier's cart ready to start, and a keen, thin, impatient, black-a-vised little man, his hand at his gray horse's head, looking about angrily for something.

"Rab, ye thief!" said he, aiming a kick at my great friend, who drew cringing up, and avoiding the heavy shoe with more agility than dignity, and watching his master's eye, slunk dismayed under the cart-his ears down and as much as he had of tail down

What a man this must be—thought I -to whom my tremendous hero turns tail! The carrier saw the muzzle hanging, cut and useless, from his neck and I eagerly told him the story, which Bob and I always thought, and still think, Homer, or King David, or Sir Walter alone worthy to rehearse. The severe little man was mitigated, and condescended to say, "Rab, my man, puir Rabbie!"-whereupon the stump of a tail rose up, the ears were cocked, the eyes filled, and were comforted; the two friends were reconciled. "Hupp!" and a stroke of the whip were given to

that night (we had not much of a tea) in the back-green of his house in Melville Street, No. 17, with considerable gravity and silence; and being at the time in the Iliad, and, like all boys, Trojans, we called him Hector, of course.

By this time I saw the woman's face: she was sitting on a sack filled with straw, her husband's plaid around her, and his big coat with its large white metal buttons, over her feet.

I never saw a more unforgeatble face -pale, serious, lonely, delicate, sweet, without being at all what we call fine. She looked sixty, and had on a mutch, white as snow, with its black ribbon; her silvery, smooth hair setting off her dark gray eyes-eyes such as one sees only twice or thrice in a lifetime, full of suffering, full also of the overcoming of it; her eyebrows black and delicate, and her mouth firm, patient and contented, which few mouths ever are.

As I have said, I never saw a more beautiful countenance, or one more subdued to settled quiet.

"Ailie," said James, "this is Maister John, the young doctor; Rab's freend, ye ken. We often speak aboot you, doctor." She smiled, and made a movement, but said nothing; and prepared to come down, putting her plaid aside and rising. Had Solomon, in all his glory, been handing down the Queen of Sheba at his palace gate, he could not have done it more daintily, more tenderly, more like a gentleman, than did James the Howgate carrier, when he lifted down Ailie his wife. The contrast of his small, swarthy, weatherbeaten, keen, worldly face to herspale, subdued and beautiful-was something wonderful. Rab looked on concerned and puzzled, but ready for anything that might turn up, were it to strangle the nurse, the porter, or even me. Ailie and he seemed to be great friends.

"As I was sayin', she's got a kind o' trouble in her breast, doctor; will ye tak' a look at it?" We walked into the consulting-room, all four; Rab grim and comic, willing to be happy and confidential if cause could be shown, willing also to be the reverse, on the same terms. Ailie sat down, undid her open gown and her lawn handkerchief round her neck, and without a word showed me her right breast. I looked at and examined it carefully, she and James watching me, and Rab eveing all three. What could I say? there it was, that had once been so soft, so shapely, so white, so gracious and bountiful, so "full of all blessed conditions"-hard as a stone, a center of horrid pain, making that pale face, with its gray, lucid, reasonable eyes, and its sweet, resolved mouth, express the full measure of suffering overcome. Why was that gentle, modest, sweet woman, clean and lovable, condemned by God to bear such a burden?

I got her away to bed. "May Rab and me bide?" said James. "You may; and Rab, if he will behave himself. "I'se warrant he's do that, doctor;" and in slunk the faithful beast. I wish you could have seen him. There are no such dogs now. He belonged to a lost tribe. As I have said, he was brindled and gray like Rubislaw granite; his hair, short, hard, and close, like a lion's; his body thick-set, like a little bull, a sort of compressed Hercules of a dog. He must have been ninety pounds' weight, at the least; he had a large blunt head; his muzzle black as night; his mouth blacker than any night, a tooth or two, being all he had, gleaming out of his jaws of darkness. His head was scarred with the records of old wounds, a sort of series of fields of battle all over it; one eye out, one ear cropped as close as was Archbishop Leighton's father's; the remaining eye had the power of two; and above it, and in constant communication with it, was a tattered rag of an ear, which was forever unfurling itself, like an old flag; and then that bud of a tail, about one inch long, if it could in any sense be said to be long, being as broad as long, the mobility, the instantaneousness of that bud were very funny and surprising, and its expressive twinklings and winkings, the intercommunications between the eye, the ear, and it, were of

the oddest and swiftest. Rab had the dignity and simplicity of great size; and having fought his way all along the road to absolute supremacv, he was as mighty in his own line as Julius Cæsar or the Duke of Wellington, and had the gravity of all great

fighters. You must have often observed the likeness of certain men to certain animals, and of certain dogs to men. Now, I never looked at Rab without thinking of the great Baptist preacher, Andrew Fuller. The same large, heavy, menacing, combative, sombre, honest countenance, the same deep inevitable eye, the same look, as of thunder asleep, but ready; neither a dog nor a man to be trifled with.

Next day, my master, the surgeon, examined Ailie. There was no doubt it must kill her, and soon. It could be removed-it might never return-it would give her speedy relief, she should have it done. She curtsied, looked at James, and said, "When?" "To-morrow," said the kind surgeon, a man of few words. She and James and Rab and I retired. I noticed that he and she spoke little, but seemed to anticipate everything in each other. The following day, at noon, the students came in, hurrying up the great stair. At the first landing-place, on a small, well-known blackboard, was a bit of paper fastened by wafers, and many remains of old wafers beside it. On the paper were the words, "An

operation to-day. J. B. Clark."

Up ran the youths, eager to secure good places; in they crowded, full of interest and talk. "What's the case?" "Which side is it?"

Don't think them heartless; they are neither better nor worse than you or I; they get over their professional horrors, and into their proper work-and in them pity, as an emotion, ending in itself or at best in tears and a longdrawn breath, lessens, while pity as a motive is quickened, and gains power and purpose. It is well for human nature that it is so.

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Electing a President.

vicious practice of gerrymandering and give exact weight to the popular vote which each candidate receives in the state. It will nationalize the presidential election and render contests for the succession next to impossible. Political-

death o' the jay Gould! Full account o' the death o' the jay Gould!" the listener heard a newsboy shout repeatedly on the street the other night. Evidently the characterization was not meant as an insult. It was simply ignorance. This is rather remarkable, but Gould does not seem so great a man nor even so notorious a one, now that he is dead, as he did while he was living. Even the stock market reports say that there is "something like a feeling of relief!" Almost any one of us would have swapped fortunes with Gould, but none of us probably would 'have changed personalities with him. He was the villain in our national melodrama. In his merely personal relations he was said to have been a very kind and even a likable man, but the merely personal part of his life was so small a portion that to the imagination of most of us he had no private life at all. It is hardly worth taking into

account now.—Boston Transcript.

Horses Sent by Express. Sending horses by express seems a rather novel and expensive method of transporting such bulky live stock, yet Mr. A. P. Russ, of Chicago and Washington, who owns a valuable pair of nags, as well as a gold mine in Maryland, has tried this method and approves of it. His horses were in this city, and he desired to send them quickly and safely to Chicago. Freight transit was too slow, so he made arrangemen's with an express company whereby th f furnished two padded stalls in one of their cars and a groom to attend the animals en route.

"They arrived safe and sound in Chicago," he said, "almost as quickly as I could get there myself, and the whole bill was only \$146." This is a scheme for Washingtonians

who want to save hack fare at the Chicago World's fair.-Washington Post.

Customary Duty. Bings-What is the first duty of a man coming to America? Bangs—The duty he pays on every thing he brings with him.—Jury.

"Patrick, you haven't given fresh water to the goldfish." "No, miss; they 'ain't drunk wot they had already."—Harper's Bazar.

A Good Excuse.

What Did He Menn? Skaggs-Does your wife ever lose he

temper?
Raggs—Not that I ever knew of.-Detroit Free Press.

Representative Springer characterizes the present electoral college system as "a miserable fraud." He advocates its abolition and recommends a change in the law by which the president and vice president shall hereafter be elected by popular vote. A system which gives all the electoral vote of the great state of New York to one party by 100 to 200 votes, he says, is a great fraud on the electors of the country. He says that the proposition he submitted on this subject has been misapprehended.

"My proposition,"he added, "is that the popular vote contemplated be confined to each state. The states will have the same number of electoral votes that they now have in the election of president and vice president. There will be no persons running as candidates for electors, but the electoral vote of each state will be apportioned among the several candidates according to the number of popular votes each receives in that state, the odd votes going to the candidates having the largest fractions. This will prevent the vicious practice of gerrymandering and give exact weight to the popular vote the proposition of the country of the candidates having the largest fractions. This will prevent the vicious practice of gerrymandering and gerve exact weight to the popular vote.

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succession next to impossible. Politically it would give effect to the popular will, limited only by the just representation to which each state is entitled in the electoral college, and would not spread large majorities in one locality beyond the limits of the state. Besides it would make vote buying ineffectual and therefore inoperative."—Washington Letter.

A Newsboy's Cry.

"Evening papers! Full accounts o' the death o' the jay Gould! Full account o' Tuscola, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of William H. Rotherford, deceased, late of said cosmity, and that all creditors of said decased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Collec, in the village of Caro, for examination and allowance, on or before the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit, and that such claims will be heard before said Court; on Tuesday, the sixth day of September exit.

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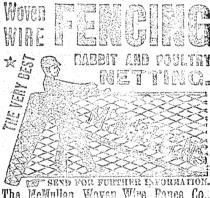
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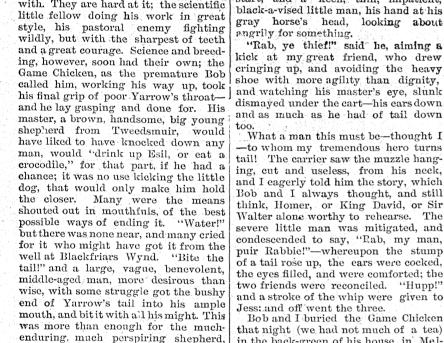


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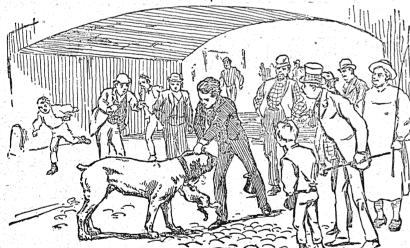








Still the Chicken holds; death not for



Six years have passed—a long time for a boy and a dog; Bob Ainslie is off to the wars; I am a medical student, and clerk at Minto House Hospital.

Rab I saw almost every week, on the Wednesday; and we had much pleasant intimacy. I found the way to his heart by frequent scratching of his huge head, and an occasional bone. When I did not notice him he would plant himself straight before me, and stand wagging that bud of a tail, and looking up, with his head a little to one side. His master I occasionally saw; he used to call me "Maister John," but was laconic as any Spartan. *

One fine October afternoon, I was leaving the hospital, when I saw the large gate open and in walked Rab, with that great and easy saunter of his. He looked as if taking general possession of the place; like the Duke of Wellington entering a subdued city, satiated with victory and peace. After him came Jess, now white with age, with her cart; and in it a woman, carefully wrapped up—the carrier leading the horse anxiously, and looking back. When he saw me, James (for his name was James Noble) made a curt and grotesque "boo," and said, "Maister John, this is the mistress; she's got little Highland bull, and has the Shakestrouble in her breest-some kind o' an | perian dewlaps shaking as he goes. income, we're thinkin'."

passed—a long time off. "Snuff! a pinch of snuff!" observed a calm, highly-dressed young buck. indeed!" growled the angry crowd. affronted and glaring. "Snuff! a pinch of snuff!" again observes the buck, with more urgency; whereupon were produced several open boxes, and from a mull which may have been at Culloden, he took a pinch, knelt down, and presented it to the nose of the Chicken. The laws of physiology and of snuff take their course; the Chicken sneezes,

and Yarrow is free! The young pastoral giant stalks off with Yarrow in his arms, comforting

nim. But the bull-terrier's blood is up, and his soul unsatisfied; he grips the first dog he meets, and discovering she is not a dog in Homeric phrase, he makes a brief sort of amende, and is off. The boys, with Bob and me at their head, are after him: down Niddry street he goes bent on mischief; up the Cowgate like an arrow-Bob and I, and our

small men, panting behind. There, under the single arch of the South Bridge is a huge mastiff, sauntering down the middle of the causeway, as if with his hands in his pockets; he is old, gray, and brindled, as big as a

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The roads are getting very good. Fine weather again after the snow of Friday night.

Thanks, Bro. Rescue, we are still in line. Who will be next?

Albert Walters drives a new carriage We are always ready to take a ride in so fine a rig.

Jas. Walters was the holder of No. 46, the lucky number that drew the

School began Monday in the Cedar Run district after a vacation of three weeks, with Jennie McArthur as teach-

A small party of sportsmen made a trip to Sebewaing for fish one night last week but returned the next day at Wickware. well satisfied with their drive bat with-

The sale held by the Ladies' Aid Society, at the Cedar Run school house last Tuesday night, was a success. Everything sold well, and nearly everybody partook of the good things that was offered at supper. The total proceeds amounted to over \$22,00. Everything passed of quietly at the Sunday evening.

sale with H. Cooper as spokesman. Wednesday night after quite a long ill- the helm. The bad boy steps lighter. Mrs. I. Waidley. She was buried in the Ellington cemetery on Friday, Rey. another team during his visit at Bur. Bacon officiating at the burial. She leaves a husband, daughter and two sons and many other relatives and friends behind her. Quite a num brother, Manly Karr, for a short time. ber from Cass City attended the funer

WEST GRANT. People are farming.

Mr. Bodey's house wall is completed. Mr. Roberts has started on his trip to Morris Sharrard has gone to the Sas-

katchewan Valley. Mrs. King is greatly improved in

health since our last writing.

Please, Bro. of Gagetown, locate that A. C. Karr who has the ewe with five lambs. Mrs. Barnes is living with her father,

Mr. Thompson, at present, Mr. Barnes being away to work Bolton & Blakely, of Gagetown, did

a job of papering for John Williamson on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs, Wilch returned from Battle Creek on Tuesday last and is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Burnett.

Roy Halleck has been quite ill for some time with an abcess in his ear, but we are glad to say that he is nearly well now.

Dr. Etherington has potatoes up over two inches high. We tancy nobody else beats that over this way. How your way, Deford?

Tuesday, April 4, will always be memorial to Geo. Roberts and Eliza Sharrard. They joined destinies and, we understand, will begin housekeeping in the house recently vacated by the Mr. Roberts who has gone to Virginia. Their friends here wish them a happy future: Joy-not sorrow, much less strife-come to man and wife.

CANBORO.

We missed the mail last week. Karrs Corners, all alive this time. Wm. Muntz is talking of renting

Ida Dulmage visits this week, at her parental home.

G. Teller's farm.

Some were plowing last week, seed ing on hand now. George Hopkins has a big gobbler

in a pen fattening. Oh! dear; we did not get an office, Were not even nominated for one.

The election is over, and the hand Harvey Parker builds a new frame house on his new purchase of land

A son just arrived at W. J. Adair's. Eve Evans was to Bad Axe one day last week.

Jack Frost made his appearance the

Maple social at Dulmage's last week Ministers benefit.

Evans & Freeman are sawing lumber or Bolton and Gray. Ed Dulmage and Matt Maize hay

gone to Ashland, V C. B. Doty and family leaves for western Michigan this week.

Adam Heron who has been to Cleve-

The Welch brothers are again ready for laying stone walls for houses and

The L. O. T. M. goat made a big rally on Saturday night. Two victims gratified. Miss Ida Wright, of Cass City,

Grant Center. Mrs. Moss, of Detroit. is at present paying her respects at her parental home, Mr. Jerome's.

teaches the summer term of school at

Anthony Doerr was driving his colts last Sunday morning, when they became unamanagable, and ran away throwing Tony out of the rig and breaking his right leg.

Fishing on the Pigeon with spears has commenced. The boys will be running up and d the . bank barefooted and hungry m morning till night for a fish. L rb ircds no better.

EARL'S CORNERS.

A little farming done last week. Jas. Maharg lost one of his horses last Saturday morning.

Dan Karr and wife, of Gagetown, Sundayed with John Profit, Jr.

Mr. Wilkinson has moved upon T. W. Dunn's farm by the cheese factory. Mr. Munia and wife were over to Wickware calling on friends last Wed

Joe and Jim were out for a buggy ride last Sunday morning. Did you see them?

Will Muma and grandmother. Mrs. One of our youths has purchased a

new buggy. Enjoyment is what we love and like to see Jas. Day will plaster Wm. Waters'

house on his farm recently purchased

from John Murphy, of Grant. The young people around here have prayer meeting at private houses every

School commenced in district No 3 Mrs. Phebe Ware died last week last Monday, with Austin Mooden at Alex. McKenzie and will look

> Parmer Karr and son Naaman departed last Saturday for Burt, Mich. where they will yisit with their son and Apr. 14th a very small boy came to

> Wm. Adair and has singe remained We are informed that Will,s countenance has brightened greatly for ere long the boy will call him ma pa.

It is a fact that Jas. Day smiles, and he has reason for feeling pleased His first girl arrived last Saturday Apr. 15, and has since remained, and promises fair to remain this summer and longer. Some of the boys smoke James.

What Makes a Beautiful Women. Elkhart, Ind., July 1st, 1891. Dull am's Great German Medicine Co: My daughter has been afficted with Female trouble for over six years and I have paid out over \$750 in vain trying to find relief for her. A lady friend advised her to secure a bottle of Dullam's Great German Female Uterine Tonic and has been completely cured of it. We gave it a fair trial and the result were wonderful. We cannot recommend it too highly to all ladies who are afflicted. Benja

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Has been indefinitely postponed, but shall continue to handle a General Line of Hardware. We have

Ever offered in Tuscola county.

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Thanking our many friends for their liberal patronage for the past five years we would solicit a continuance of past favors.

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New Stock--and more coming. Prices:

From 10c. to \$1 per Double Roll.

200 different patterns to select from. Also a nice assort-

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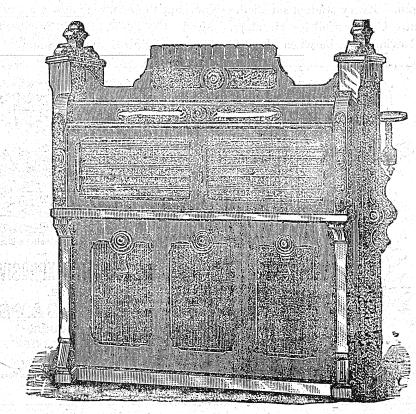
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HIGH GRADE Organs Pianos and



The finest line ever shown in the county, and will for the next . ninety days offer the

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To parties wishing to purchase

FIRST - CLASS INSTRUMENTS.

My stock embraces Pianos and Organs of the

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CVERY LATEST STYLES.

Ones that will be an ornament and blessing to any home.

MUSIC

I am prepared to furnish you with Sheet Music and Books, Stools, Piano Drapes, Etc. When in need of anything in this line give me a call.

SEWING MAGHINES

We handle the justly celebrated Singer Sewing Machine. Its superiority is unquestionable.

Please call and see me, and be convinced that my stock is large and varied and first-class in every respect. I assure you that I can give you great BARGAINS.

Respectfully,

W. J. CLOAKEY,

Prop. Cass City Musical Depot.

P. S .- I have on hand a number of Second-hand Organs and Sewing Machines, nearly as good as new, which 1 will dispose of at very low prices.

WICKWARE.

H. Mills is building a stone cellar for Geo. Brown.

Jno. Hunter will soon build a stone hen house and pig pen. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendrick visited at A. Wickware's Monday.

Jno. Whitfield, who has been in St. Ignace the past year, is again in this vicin-

A. Wickware did not change politics while in Sanilac Centre, but changed

Wm. Muma and grandmother, of Karr's Corners, visited at David Jenereaux's Sunday,

Wm. Henry, who has been on the lakes the past year, is visiting friends and relatives on Hay Creek. I will now try and answer to the roll

call. I was born in Michigan, August 21, 1877, weigh 135 lbs. and keep in the middle of the road.

GAGETOWN.

A. J. Palmer was in Caro Tuesday. Ed Hennesey is better and is able to ride out again. R. Boulton is in charge of the new

Henry Come has moved into the

the Rourke house. A. J. Palmer has bought the Goodrow house on Cleaver street.

Frank Myers is supposed to be with his mother now, in Detroit. Things are booming around the new

roller mill and at the new elevator. E.S. Simmons has been granted a pen sion and pay for ten years back. Quinn & Co's new mill is cutting lumber now at the rate of 12,000 a day.

H. A. Whipple has sold his gray mare to a Saginaw party, who had her mate. The two million feet of logs at the mill will furnish everybody with slab wood

H. A. Gifford left Tuesday for Flint, driving through with his horse and

Mr. Toohey has been blasting rock the past week for the foundation of mill and t put us in mind of "Before Petersburg." James Huston, superintendent of the P. O. & N. R. R., was in town one day last week looking after the interest of

his road. The result of the vote at the at the special school meeting held Monday afternoon to buy a new site and sell the old one resulted in keeping the old site by a big majority.

DEFORD.

F. D. Curtis has gone to Battle Creek Miss Lottie Lockwood is at home for a

Ralph Lewis works for Howard Rether-

Township clerk's office above Clark's

Jack Ellsworth will settle in Deford We notice many fields of wheat very

The sick folks at Frank Terry's are Elder McCreedy suffers with a sprain-

Our roads have improved rapidly the

Fred Valentine has taken down his frame work.

Old lady Drinkall cares for the sick at Frank Terry's.

The onion savor will be strong this eason east of here:

Lev Miller went out of town for the

fresh air last Sunday. When Sunday schools join issues, 'tis

topeful of a better day. More of our people talk of going to the

Windy City" to work. Jesse Sole is building a wagon-house

and corn-crib combined. George O. Rourke returned from his is registered in Volume IX of the Ameri-

Armada visit on the 12th. Mr. Crittington is doing the work on

Jesse Sole's new building. L. Spencer has erected his new house

in the suburbs of the town. Hiram Goodrich makes his home at

Charles Osburn's at present.

Hiram Goodrich preached people of Deford last Sunday.

Mrs. Benjamin Sharp has almost re gained her usual health again.

A break-down in Ben Gemmill's mill

gave the boys a lay-off last week.

Dave McCracken traded horses with Jas. McCallum, of Wilmot, last week.

J. C. Cain suffers from a lame leg caused by a fractious horse while shoeing.

School commenced on the 10th, with Miss Phœbe Teskey, of Wilmot, as teach

We learn that Norman Retherford will vork Elmer Bruce's farm on shares this

We learn that the culverts near White Creek north of here, are made passable

Mrs. P. Daugherty and daughter, Mabel, visited at Marlette last Saturday

We learn that Wm. Patch, of Novesta Corners, who was injured some time ago is improving.

Old Mr. Thompston, who works on George O. Rourk's house, was laid up

last Saturday with lameness Wm. Retherford and George Walker were called to Leonard last week to attend the funeral of a niece.

Cars frightened Mr. Churchill's horse-Cars frightened Mr. Churchill's horse—
the chaise somewhat fractured—lady caught
the rattled equine and saved further destruction
the rattled equine and saved further destruction
to refund their purchase price if satisfactory results do not follow their use.

John McCracken lost a calf last week. Cause unknown. He claims that there is too many calves left in that part of the world now.

Clark Courliss is tearing down his first barn. It has served its time and must vanish. One by one the old landmarks are passing away.

We noticed some on the Patch Town people going to Wilmot on the 15th to attend the birthday party of Maggie Moshier.

Dimain's Great German Limited and it one doorwest of Wanace Statuessney, gave me instant and permanent relief. in the Bader building. Rates reason—attend the birthday party of Maggie Hamilton, Mich, April 11, 1891. For Kome 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. sale at Fritz's drugstore.

Dimain's Great German Limited and it one doorwest of Wanace Statuessney, gave me instant and permanent relief. In the Bader building. Rates reason—attended to the birthday party of Maggie Scients per bottle. Signed, A. B. Snell. able. Work guaranteed. Shop open sale at Fritz's drugstore.

'Tis a little late, but we wish to inform the public that Theron Spencer's black-smith shop is razed to the ground. An-

other land mark gone. Some of our ladies' horse-man ship is equal to any man, and courage superior to many of the self-styled Lord's of the soil. This was demonstrated in our own

The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, of Tuscola county, is working in some good advertising mighty cheap through the sham fight of Peterhans and Wales, just now on the tapis.

The butter plant at Kingston will collect milk as far north as Smith Goodin's, two miles south of Novesta Corners. George Lee, James Cooper and many of the farmers of that locality are stock holders.

Frank Leach, of Bloomfield, Oakland county, has bought on the townline south-east of here. The land is known as the Power's forty. It once belonged to Frutchey's farm. He is expected to move there this spring.

Not long since a Union City paper claimed to have fifty fair and charming widows, and since that time they claim the town has just more than boomed. Why don't the ENTERPRISE take the hint and set Cass City up a few notches: The bridges on the corners at George Walker's, one mile south and one mile east of here, over the Holtz drain, should be fixed right away. If a stranger drives into it some night and damages occrue, Novesta will pay the shot and no dodg-

A buckwheat-fed Wellsite in giving the news to a Caro paper, tells how a young lady of said township visited at "Sand City." Now he must have been there when the "cheek" was divided and got his full share. To live in such a peanut-barren waste and then think of dubing any place on God's footstool as Sand City! Heavens! Aint it a terror?

Thanks, Bro. of Rescue, for age nation ality etc. You say you are a firm protestant. So is your humble servant. In the days of Martin Luther brave men protested against the decree of emperior Charles V, but now in a more enlightened age and a land of religious liberty, le The plans and specifications of our proposed new school are now on exhibition at Mr. Gifford's store.

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The plans and specifications of our protest against all denomination and the protest against disliking your neighbor because he was born and tutured in a religious school that differs against asking from our own; protest against asking privileges for ourselves that we deny to others; protest against all that works our fellow being ill. Such protestantism is a barbinger of peace and a bulwark in

NOVESTA.

the perpetuity of a nation.

Nell Bailey is home from Wilmot. Nelson Brown labors for Wm. Little this summer.

H. W. Webster is improving his farm by stumping it.

A. McPhee took a trip to Brown City ast week on business.

Jas. McQuillen will labor for D Livingston this summer.

Quite a number are on the sick list his week with the grippe. Mrs. Hamilton, of Cass City, visited

riends in Novesta over Sunday. D. Gillies was called to Omer, Mich. by a telegram that his brother was dead. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Livingston visited friends in Greenleaf, Saturday and Sun

Remember the I. O. O. F. Anniversary April 26. Turn out and help the boys

along.

Our roads have improved rapidly the ast week.

Mart Sole, of Wilmot, visited his cousin, essen Sunday. Miss Dora Justin is in North Branch.

taking orders for Real Pen Work. It is a nice work and we hope she will have good success Neil McLarty, of Treverse City Asylum, has moved to his farm that he bought from J. W. Cunningham last spring and

will try farming for a change. Some of the people in this vicinity do ot like to see their names in print. We not like to see their names in print. We like to write all the news we can and cannot write anything unless we use

their names once in a while. CONNAUGHT Jr., (12805)

can Trotting Register and has a record of

Connaught Jr., was bred by T. J. Tow sen, Cleveland, Ohio; is a beautiful bay, of very speedy conformation, strong made, a stout powerful back, strong loirs, good length of body, low, sweeping frictionless stride, and unlimited resolution. Connaught Jr., is bred in the very

best of speed producing lines, both his dam and sire having fast records. He will be allowed to serve a limited number of mares at \$20.00 to insure, after which he will be put in training for

fast record. He will be at the Tennant House stables from Tuesday night until Wednesday afternoon until the close of the

season. For further information inquire of, 4-14 D. HENDERSON.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and less than one million people have found ust such a thing in Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds.—If you have never used this great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative The section line between 34 and 35, Novesta, will be opened up now quite briefly.

Adapther.

Journal of the section line between 34 and 35, you that it has wondering curactive powers in all diseases of Throat, Chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be do all that is claimed or money will be the free at Fritz's refunded. Trial bottles free at Fritz's drugstore. Large bottles 50c. and

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well or thet has given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guaran-These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. For sale at Fritz's drugstore.

nearly two years, have tried physicians and all known remedies, but tound no

Saturday, April 15.

10 pieces, blue, brown and green, Check Gingham, only 1 nickle per yd. 5 pieces, fine French finish, Plaid Giugham, worth 12 1-2 at 8c on this day only. Come as soon as you read this and secure what you need of these goods as the quantity is limited to the above number of pieces.

RESS GOODS.-

TRIMMINGS,

Spring Jackets, capes and novelties

In Ladies' Suits, New Carpets, New Line Lace and Chenille Curtains?

Holu is it about that Sut of Clothes

You are going to buy? Have you examined our new "Happy Home Clothing"? Then don't buy till you do, as this is the cheapest and best line of all wool goods in the market.

Ladies, we want your presence

In our Shoe Department. We can give you a shoe for \$1.25, \$1.50. \$1.75, \$2, that will please you in style and satisfy you in wear.

We want your Butter and Eggs.

Don't Forget the Cotton Sale, Saturday,

Probate Notice.

State of Michigan, county of Tuscola, ss.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Tuscola, made on the 16th day of March, A. D., 1898, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Elijah Karr, deceased, late of said county, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the village of Caro, for examination and allowance, on or before the 16th day of September next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Wednesday, the 7th day of June, and on Saturday, the 16th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days.

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Dated March 16th, A. D. 1893.
JOHN C. LAING,
Judge of Probate

Commissioners' Notice.

State of Mishigan. County of Tuscola, ss.
Estate of Edwin A. Weaver, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Cudge of Probate of said county, commissioners on claims in the matter of said estate of Edwin A, Weaver, and six months from the Seventeenth day of March, 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 Saturday, the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1893, and on Monday, the eighteenth day of September, A. D. 1893, at nine 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 March 18th, A. D. 1893.

PHILLIP A. KOEPEGEN,
WILLIAM GAGE,
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Tothors and Englishers.

Mothers and Daughters. Over twelve years I was afflicted with a very serious female difficulty and for the ast sixteen months was under treatment of three of the very best physicians that money could employ. Under their skill-ful treatment I gradually grew worse, until they decided they could render me no permanent help. One of my friends persuaded me to try a bottle of Dullam's: Great German Uterine Tonic, and after taking three bottles, can say I am in better health than I have been for twenty years and am now sixty years old but feel as young as thirty.—\$1 a bottle. June 2, 1890. Mrs. Thos. Tandy, Flint, Mich. For sale at Fritz's

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

HAPPY HOME BLOOD PURIFIER and HEALTH TONIC purifies the blood and makes home happy. Sold by A. W

Try Dullam's Great German 25 cent Cough Cure at Fritz Bros.' Drugstore. UNCLE SAM'S CONDITION POW DER, and UNCLE SAM'S NERVE and BONE LINIMENT; these two great medicines are sold by A. W. Seed.

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

I have been afflicted with neuralgia for nearly two years, have tried physicians.

The greatest worm destroyer on earth is Dullman's Great German Worm Lozengers, only 25 cents per box. For sale by T. H. Fritz's

Dress Making

permanent relief until I tried a bottle of in all the latest styles, at my shop, Dullam's Great German Liniment and it one doorwest of Wallace's harness shop,

INCHELL'S TEETHING SY RUP is the best for the general ailments of children. Sold by A. W. Seed.

Few people realize that the nervous system has more to do with health of the body than the stomach, liver and all the organs of the body which are so much doctored. They forget that the nerves reach and control all parts of the body. Hence many cases are misunderstood and wrongly treated.

Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer is a nerve remedy of recent discovery by an eminent expecialist which acts directly and correctly

pecialist, which acts directly and correctly on the nervous system to cure any nerve disorder. Is backed with an offer of \$50 for an neurable case. \$1.00 bottles or trial samples

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Fresh. Juicy Steaks.



Central Meat Market, J. H. WINEGAR, Prop.

Meats of all kinds nicely served.



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Known as the Lyman Spencer farm. Novesta, 25 acres cleared, small house, stables and orchard. Part fall plowed. Price \$700.

Terms reasonable.

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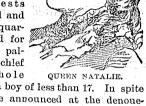
Have you seen our

ARING DEED OF THE YOUTHFUL KING OF SERVIA.

And One That May Set All Europe by the Ears-Natalie's Son Bounces His Regents and Takes the Reigns Himself. While the Army and Populace Applaud. LONDON, April 15.—The coup d'etat of

the youthful king of Servia yesterday was a performance that might make a story in a modern Arabian Nights. There was a secret plot, a quiet occupation of all points of vantage by the friends of the head plotter; a banquet to which the men who were to be the victims

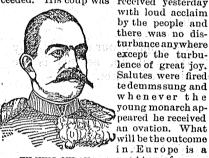
were invited utterly unaware of the entertainment provided for them, and the grand transfor mation scene when the doomed guests were arrested and hustled to quarters prepared for them in the palace; and the chlef of the whole



scheme was a boy of less than 17. In spite of the fact he announced at the denouement that he had attained his majority and proposed to run the Servian government himself. Quite a Dramatic Affair.

The young king will not be 17 until next August, while the law of Servia fixes his majority at 18. The persons arrested are the regents, M. Ristics and General Markovitch and the members of the ministry. Everything was ready; a proclamations was prepared declaring that the regents had placed the constitution in jeopardy, dissolving the skuptchina, and ordering new elections; also declaring that the king would see that the rights of citizens were respected. The hour of the coup was midnight and everything connected with it was dramatic to a degree.

The populace and the army, it seems, are willin'. Indeed without the friendship of the latter Alexander could not have succeeded. His coup was received yesterday with loud acclaim



lence of great joy. Salutes were fired tedemmssung and whenever the young monarch appeared he received an ovation. What will be the outcome in Europe is a matter of grave EX-KING MILAN.

concern among the cabinets. If a revolution should be started it would give Russia a pretext she has looked for and hoped for to establish herself in Servia. Then the dogs of war would be loosened, and all Europe would be involved.

Very Young for His Responsibilities.

It is difficult to prophesy the future of the king. That he has courage and determination has been sufficiently demonstrated by the events of Thursday nightunless it should turn out that he was simply a tool in older hands-but that a youth of 17 should possess the wisdom firmness and patriotism required by his difficult position would be indeed extraor-

The course taken by the young king will his father and mother, ex-King Milan and Queen Natalie, who have recently been reconciled after many years of discord. Queen Natalie has never forgiven the regents for her expulsion from the country in May, 1891, an event which was accom panied with considerable violence and which evoked chivalrous resistance on the part of her supporters, two of whom were killed by the troops.

Ex-King Milan has felt that the regency was a menace in some degree to his dynasty as well as to the influence which he desired to exercise in Servia. The reconciliation, as well as the approach of young Alexander to the period at which he would be entitled to assume the reins without a regency, has made the house of Obrenovitch virtually irresistible and left its antagonists without any standing sufficient oppose the power of the reconciled family.

How the Coup Was Carried Out. The details of the coup are as follows: The young king presided at the banquet and after the third course rose and said: "Gentlemen, for four years you, in my name, have administered the kingly power. I thank you heartily for the trouble you have taken. I now feel able to administer the power, and will exercise it from this moment. I beg you, therefore, immediately to hand me your resigna-

M. Ristics replied that he could not and would not comply with the king's request, which was contrary to the constitution. The king thereupon left the room and the arrest of the ministers followed. Last night the king's assumption of power was celebrated with a torchlight procession and general illuminations.

An Exception to the Rule.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The last nominations sent to the senate before adjourn-West Virginia, as internal revenue commissioner, and John W. Riddle, of Minnesota, secretary of the legation to Turkey. Miller is an exception to the "anti-ex" rule, as he held the same office in Cleveland's first administration. He was abundantly backed. Riddle is a nephew of George Flandreau, a well-known northwestern pioneer. He is an accomplished linguist.

Horrible Crime in Wisconsin.

CLINTON, Wis., April 14.—A double murder was committed two miles north of here yesterday. Mat Bitnsr, a Bohemian shot his wife and Mrs. Arthur Hurne, the wife of a prominent farmer, and threw their bodies into the cellar and burned the house. Sheriff Barr and 300 men are now in pursuit of Bitner. He will probably be lynched when captured.

An Ingenious Jail Bird.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 15.-A daring and remarkable escape from prison occurred Thursday night at Parkersburg. George Rice, aged 17 years, in jast for burglary, made a skeleton key out of a spoon that had been overlooked at supper time, and with this gained his liberty.

Mother and Three Children Cremated. BROOKLYN, April 14.-Mrs. Ainsworth and her three children, Harry, aged 7, Annie, aged 2, and Josie, aged 2, were burned to death in their flat last night.

STORM KING'S WORK.

LYCLONES DO TERRIBLE DAMAGE IN NORTH AND SOUTH.

koll of the Dead and Wounded from Rob-

insonville—Further Lists of Victims of

the Storm in Missouri—Ypsilanti Strewn with Wreckage and the Citizens Dazed. MEMPHIS, April 14.—Late news shows that Robinsonville, Miss., a small town twenty miles south of Memphis, was entirely demolished by a cyclone Wednesday evening. Seventeen people are kliled and half a hundred wounded. A few minutes after the tornato struck the town fire broke out in the debris of a Chinese laundry and the mass of wreckage caught and burned all night and yesterday. Several bodies of those killed by the falling houses were burned to a crisp. Two clouds, one from the east and one from the west, met over the town and then began a rotary

motion, which tore up houses and snapped huge trees like reeds. The cyclone moved

west from the Mississippi a distance of

seven miles and swept all before it.

Mrs. Emma Lusk, wife of the operator, was in her home with her husband and hree children. The husband got out, the woman was killed, and the three children blown 100 yards through the air. They were naked when found, but uninjured. Isaac Chapman was caught under the ruins of his house, and crushed and burned along with three other negroes, whose names are unknown. The body of an old negress was found yesterday in an open field. It is probable she was dropped there by the wind. The property loss in the town will reach \$100,000. Thirteen stores, six residences, three churches, and 100 negro cabins were destroyed. The killed are: Mrs. Emma Lusk, wife of the night operator; Rev. R. R. Shipp, of Olive Branch, Miss.; Ben Ray and mother; Annie Speight; three children of Manuel Murray; Jere Tuylor's infant; William Warren; Maria

Smith; Isaac Chapman; four unknown.
The wounded whites are: A. M. McCor mick, Holmes Herron, J. F. McNelly, Miss Ada Scott, Mrs. W. B. Morley, E. B. Scott, Dr. N. Shaw, Mrs. C. M. Foster, Oscar Kline, Dr. S. V. Taylor's two children and R. A. McNelly. Probably 100 negroes received slight injuries, but none of them will die. McCormick and Holmes of them will die. McCormick and Holmes Herron will die. The residences. gins and negro cabins on the plantations of C. I Robinson and G. W. Foster are all swept away. Five hundred people are homeless A number of the wounded were brought to Memphis yesterday.

Tidings from the Swept Regions. St. Louis, April 14.—Tidings still come in from counties in Missouri of the ruin wrought by the storm of Thursday night. Instead of one general cyclone sweeping a broad area there seems to have been a dozen of greater or less violence and they spread desolation and death wherever they descended. Lafavette, Dent. Boone, Crawford, Franklin and Linn counties, lying in the very richest portion of the state, suf-fered most, although the territory where damage was done and lives were lost is not, confined by state, much less by county

The list of dead thus far obtained is as follows: In Hawkens' Bank there were seven persons killed [names given in these dispatches yesterday]. In Lexington the dead are as follows: Mrs. John Luke, — Luke, Anna Walker, Farris Walker, unknown negro boy. In Stanbury: Mrs. Ward, two unknown women. In Steel-wille: Charles Adair, D. M. Grenn, five unknown persons. In Page City: John Stanley (colored), Joseph Brueggen, Mrs. A. H. Kelly, Mary Lake and two brothers, Hugh McElroy, — Walker, two children of William Walker. of William Walker.

At Ypsilanti, Mich.

YPSILANTI, April 14.—This handsome little city is in many portions a scene of desolation. It is also a scene of excitement. Almost the entire population is working in the streets helping to clear away the piled-up debris. Several of the leading streets are practically impassable. Prees, roofs, bricks, the frame work of dwellings, furniture and every conceivable thing are piled one upon another. Horses are being employed to haul away up-rooted trees, men are chopping and digging in every direction, the dismantled roofs are lined with busily employed men, and women and children are sitting and standing about in front of their desolate homes. Business is almost entirely suspended, the inhabitants seeming to be unable to settle themselves to the ordinary duties of life.

Destruction Near Royal Oak. DETROIT, April 14.—News comes from Royal Oak that the cyclone just grazed that village, but swept with terrific effect over the township. Fire helped the destruction. The house of Christian Brick was wrecked, burned and the man and wife cremated. The residences of David Evans, Andrew Campbell, John Mc-Clure, Ira Barnum, David Casan, Charles Hurlburt, Fred Knowles, Richard Dinkball, Mrs. Burns, and William Walker in Royal Oak, were more or less wrecked. A woman was killed at Clarksville.

husband fatally hurt. Others were tion of a chaplain to offer the opening

The Storm in Iowa.

NEWTON, Ia., April 13.—The cyclone which struck this county four miles east of this city Tuesday night demolished ment were those of Joseph S. Miller, of houses, barns, outbuildings, farm machinery, etc. Three persons were seriously injured in the family of William Haskins, he himself having a leg broken. His wife had her collar bone broken, and one, of the children an arm broken. Ira Livingston suffered in the loss of buildings and stock to the amount of \$3,000. W. E. Roseman lost a good barn, as did also John Dixon. The wires are yet down in the district swept and it is impossible to get details. The heaviest damage was done 100 mlles west of Akron.

Not Very Destructive in Nebraska. LINCOLN, Neb., April 13.—Aside from the partial wrecking of the village of Page, in the northern part of the state, no great damage resulted from the storm of Tuesday atternoon and night. Geneva, the county seat of Fillmore county, suffered the partial demolition of one or two buildings, but no one was injured.

Loss of \$200,000 Reported.

BATESVILLE, Miss., April 14.—The railway here is under water and the rain has dehassee river. It is estimated that \$200,000 will not cover the damage in Panola

Blew Down a Row of Houses.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Wednesday night's severe windstorm almost wrecked a row of seven houses that were being built at sistance could be summoned

Seventy-seventh street and Duncan avenue. The houses were three-story brown stone fronts. The buildings were nearly completed and only the windows remained to be put in. The canvas that had been placed over the window casings was forn away and the entire front of the mildings was blown down.

Wind, Rain and Hail.

St. PAUL, April 13.-Floods have cut off part of South Dakota. At Mitchell communication is shut off and heavy damages to farm property, bridges and residences has been done by the wind, torrents of rain and furious hail. At some points snow has fallen heavily.

Station Totally Domolished.

Brownsville, Tenu., April 14.—A severe storm struck Shepards, a small station seven miles southwest of here and totally demolished the houses there. A negro girl was killed and several persons were in-

Louisiana Parish Devastated. NEW ORLEANS, April 14.-A cyclone passed through Tensas leaving destruction in its wake, destroying several houses and gins. One negro was killed and several women and children were injured.

PASSENGER BOAT BLOWS UP.

One Man Fatally and Four Others Seriously Injured on the Ohio. WINAMAC, Ind., April 17.—The passenger

steamer Nellie Bly, owned by J. F. Fishborn & Co., while making a trip down the river yesterday afternoon blew up, seriously injuring five persons. George Crane, proprietor of the Eagle machine shops of this city, had both legs broken and crushed and was severely injured internally. He will die. Others who where seriously and possibly fatally injured are J. F. Fishborn, proprietor of the boat, scalded and hurt internally; Clarence Fishborn, his son, badly scalded; Daniel Rhodes, badly bruised and inter-nally injured; James Long, badly scalded. Hardly a passenger escaped unhurt.

When the accident occurred the boat was n shallow water. The pilot had discovered that there was something wrong with the machinery and was steering for the shore. But for this fact it is probable that every person on board would have lost his life. Daniel Rhodes was blown thirty feet in-land and completely covered with wreckage. His recovery is doubtful. James Long was blown into the river and his rescue was accomplished with great difficulty by those who were not seriously injured.

SENATE ADJOURNS SINE DIE.

A Synopsis of the Proceedings at the Closing Session.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The closing session of the senate Saturday was devoted in great measure to debate. The business done was the confirmation of all appointees, except that of a United States marshal for Delaware, who was objected to by Higgins. The Republicans did not insist on a vote on the Roach case, after all, though there was more debate on the subject. A resolution to inquire who was responsible for the hauling down of the American flag at Honolulu was objected to by Gorman, although an amendment was offered inquiring by whose authority it had been raised. Authority was given to investigate the operations of the pooling and long and-

of Lynching Murderer Bitson

Lead to that Result. CLINTON JUNCTION, Wis., April 17.-Matthew Bitson, who shot his wife and Mrs. day and set fire to the house, was captured about three miles east of this place at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Before capture he tried to commit suicide shooting himself in the head. Physicians say he will get well. When Bitson was brought here a mob collected to lynch him and the sheriff telegraphed Governor Peck for troops.

The governor replied declaring that Wisconsin must not be disgraced by a lynching; that the mob must be baffl d at all hazards, and that he had ordered a company of militia to the scene post haste. He kept his word promptly and a special train reached here with the Governor's guard from Madison on board. The prisoner was taken from the jail and to Baraboo, where he will be confined under military protec-

OPENING THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Programme of the Ceremonies at Jackson Park on May 1.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The ceremonies attending the opening of the exposition on May 1 are to be very simple, and will all take place in Jackson park, the formal part from a platform at the east front of At Rea a number of houses were wrecked the administration building. The pro- and Mrs. Jacob Hiser was killed and her gramme is complete, except for the selecprayer, and is as follows: Music-Columbian March, by John K. Paine.

Prayer Presentation of the Chi fs of Departments by the Director General.

Chorus—"In Praise of God." Address by President Cleve and formally opening the Columbian Exposition.

Starting the machinery, during which will be given Handel's "Hallelujan Chorus."

Official visit of the president and other invited guests to the department buildings, where they will be received by the chiefs.

Very Close Shave in Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 17.—The second trial for the election of eleven representatives and a senator from Providence resulted in the election of the entire Demo-cratic ticket. By this result the Democrats will be able to organize the house. grand committee now stands, Republican, 53, and with the sitting lieutenant governor, 54; Democrats, 52, one vacancy to be filled. Fifty-five members are necessary for a choice for governor and state officer The Democrats threaten to unseat nine or more Republicans in the house. In that event the senate will refuse to go into grand committee.

Suicide of an Elgin Man.

CHICAGO, April 17.-L. H. Hasse, dealer in leather and sadlery at 8 State street, Elstroyed growing crops along the Talla- gin, Ills, committed suicide at Franklin and Van Buren streets last evening at 5 o'clock. Hasse was a German, 45 years old, had only been in Chicago a few hours and, it is thought, ended his life on account of business troubles. He drank a vial of laudanum while standing on the street corner and died before medical asPRESIDENTIAL PLUMS.

The President Busily Engaged in Filling

the Offices WASHINGTON, April 11. - A number of important nominations were made Tuesday, among them the following: Daniel W. Morgan, of Connecticut, treasurer of the United States; ex-Treasurer Conrad N. Jordan, assistant treasurer at New York city. Illinois was again reconized in the person of Daniel M. Browning, who is named for commission-er of Indian affairs. Others were: Frank C. Armstrong, of Washington, assistant commissioner of Indian affairs; Edward H. Strobel, of New York, third assistant secretary of state.
Washington, April 13.—The president

sent the following nominations to the senate Thursday: State—Alexander W. Terrell of Texas, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Turkey. Justice—John J. Hawkins of Arizona, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the territory of Arizona: James F. Read of Arkansas, to be attorney of the United States for the western district of Arkansas; George J. Cramp of Arkansas, to be marshal of the United States for the western district of Arkansas; John H. M. Wiffman of Wisconsin, to be attorney of the United States for the western district of Wisconsin.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The president yesterday nominated Richard H. Alvey, of Maryland, chief justice, and Martin F. Morris, of the District of Columbia, and Seth Shepard, of Texas, associate justices of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia: Lucius Q. C. Lamar, of Mississippi, recorder of the general land office; Charles H. Miller, of Illinois, surveyor of customs for the port of Galena, Ill. Alvey ls a distinguished lawyer 67 years old. Mor ris is 60 and has an enviable reputation in the same profession. Shepard has also a first-class legal standing. Lamar is the eldest son of the late Justice Lamar.

IMPORTANT RAILWAY COMBINE.

Nine Great Lines Form an Alliance Offensive and Defensive.

CHICAGO, April 17.—The most important vestern railroad agreement ever made was signed, sealed, and delivered Saturday. It s an exclusive traffic contract on transcontineutal and intermediate freight business between the Rock Island, Burlington, Missouri Pacific, St. Paul, Alton, Chicago Great Western, Wabash, Denver and Rio Grande, and Rio Grande Western. To all intents, and purposes the business of all these roads is pooled. Each will favor the other in every possible way. Each and all will present a united front of opposition to all other lines.

Two other combinations are in the field. The Southern Pacific Atchison combina-tion will be the strongest competitor of the allied lines. The whole situation is the result of the dispute over divisions between transcontinental lines and those east of the Missouri. Under the old \$3.90 basis of transcontinental rates the lines east of the Missouri received 15 per cent. of the rate on the haul to or from Chicago and 11 per cent. to or from the Mississippi. They were never satisfied with these divisions. claiming they were inequitable and bur-densome. The demanded 171/2 per cent.

HAULED DOWN OLD GLORY. Blount Abolishes the Hawalian Protectorate-Annexers Paralyzed.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The steamer is just in from Honolulu, Sandwich Islands. She brings information that the American flug that has floated over the government buildings since the protectorate was declared by Minister Stevens as hauled down April 1. WISCONSIN TROOPS ORDERED OUT. April 3 had a conference with the provisional leaders, at which he assured them that neither Japan nor any other power would be permitted to land troops to menace the government.

Since then there has been considerable Hearn in the town of La Prairie Thurs- excitement, but nothing has occurred to cause disturbance. The provisional troops are sufficient to guard against any attempts of the Hawaiians to upset the govern ment. Commissioner Blount ordered the flag hauled down. This has paralyzed the annexationists.

Farnham Post Stands Its Ground. NEW YORK, April 14.—Noah L. Farnham post, No. 458, has held a meeting and decided that it would stock to its resolution in opposition to the alleged indiscriminate granting of pensions, even if it was formally cast out of the ranks of the Grand

George Washington post has adopted resolutions similar to those adopted by Farnham post.

No Civilians Need Apply. WASHINGTON, April 17.-A bad piece of news for westerners who want to be Indian agents is that current here now. It is said that the president has determined to detail army officers to the duties of these positions, is firm in his position and will not yield to pressure.

Refused to Loan the King Charles Charter. HARTFORD, Conn., April 12.-Upon an unfavorable report of the committee on capitol furniture and grounds, the house Wednesday morning refused to loan to the World's fair the colonial charter granted by King Charles II.

Passed an Arbitration Bill. HARRISBURG, Pa., April 12.—The Losch bill establishing boards of arbitration to settle all controversies between capital

and labor has passed the house by a vote Dissolution of the German Reichstig.

BERLIN, April 15.—The dissolution of the reichstag will be pronounced on May 5. THE DEATH RECORD.

JOHN F. PRENDERGAST, father of ex-Judge Richard Prendergast, at Chicago. Hon. WILLIAM VOORHIES, Sr., at Deca tur. Ills. EDWIN W. FORBES, leading business

man of Elkhart, Ind.

HENRY LUEBBERS, an old resident of JOSEPH M. NOBLE, president of the Noble

School Furniture company, at Goshen, Major L. Z. CAIRNES, wealthy and prominent citizen of Pontiac, Ills.

CHARLES APPLETON LONGFELLOW, son of the poet, at Boston. ROBERT BILLINGSLY, prominent stock dealer, at Battle Creek.

Rev. CALVIN DAUGHTERS, pioneer Baptist minister of Iowa, at Milton, Ia. DAVID PRESTON, mechanical superinten-dent Canadian Pacific railway, at Montreal.

ROBT. M. WILSON, prominent Democra in county politics, at Nora, III. PHILIP KRAMME, prominent G. A. R. man, at Sheooygan, Wis.

Hon. THOMAS H. DUDLEY, ex-consul to Liverpool, at Philadelphia.

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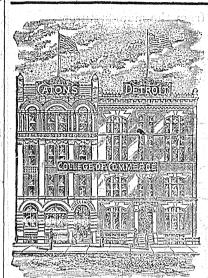
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A Sailor Who Is Glad He Brought Some of Himself Home From Sea.

Charles Barclay was an able seaman when he left New London two years ago on the ship Vesper for a cruise after seal in the south Atlantic. When he returned, he had no legs at all and was minus one arm. He was very lucky to have brought as much of himself buck as he did and seemed to be happy over it.



'AE SEIZED THE LINE AS THE JAWS COMPASSED HIS LEGS.

He was aloft one day doing some work that necessitated his going to the end of one of the yardarms, and becoming suddenly dizzy fell into the sea. The plunge cured his vertigo, and he immediately began to swim after the ship, but it took several minutes to get out a boat and man it, and though he was a good swimmer he was nearly a mile astern before the boat started for him. As it neared him the sailors saw the fin of a gigantic shark cutting the water a few rods away, making straight for Barclay. Then they made the boat leap through the water, but the shark was quicker than the boat, and while they were yet 20 feet away turned and opened its great jaws to swallow the man. One of the sailors threw him a harpoon line, which Barclay seized just as the jaws of the shark compassed his legs. The sailors pulled lustily on the line and actually drew the man out of the monster's mouth, but not before the sharp teeth of the fish had scraped nearly all the flesh off one leg and completely severed the other.

Barelay was taken aboard the ship, where he displayed most remarkable nerve. He insisted that the bones of his left-leg from which the flesh had been stripped be cut off at once. The captain finally consented to do the job himself. The nearest approach to surgical instruments on the ship was a fine toothed saw, used in cutting whale-bone, and half a dozen sharp knives. When the bones were severed, the wounds were dressed as well as the means at hand would permit, and Barclay was made as comfortable as possible. The next day a fever set in, and Barclay became delirious, and on the second day apparently died. A couple of sailors were detailed to sew the body in canvas. They began their work, but they had been at it but a short time when they rushed out of the forecastle with frightened faces and told the mate that Barclay was

The captain went below to investigate and found Barclay cursing the sailors for trying to get rid of him by burying him alive. From that hour he began to mend, and in six months he was able to move

around the deck by means of his arms,
The sailors one day brought aboard the ship a live seal that they proposed to tame. Barclay undertook the job of disciplining the seal, and his temper would at times get the best of him, and the seal would suffer.
The animal evidently remembered this treatment and kept his eyes open for an opportunity to retaliate. One day Barclay passed near the seal. The animal struck at the sailor and gave him a fearful bite on

The seal lost his life by the act, and Barclay had a close call. As it was, it became necessary to cut off the bitten member, and Barclay's means of locomotion were cut

PHOTOGRAPHING A TILL TAPPER.

An Ingenious Device For Identifying a Thief.

"Auntie" was an old colored woman who used to clean up the photograph gallery of N. H. Halsey in New Haven. Nobody ever knew any other name for her. For some time Mr. Halsey had been missing small amounts of money from the cash drawer of his desk, where he usually left \$4 or \$5 in change over night. He suspected "Auntie," but did not like to accuse her of theft without better evidence than mere suspicion, so he fixed a trap for her. After the gallery was closed one night he concealed a big camera in a corner of the studio behind a screen of photographic properties, so arranged as to afford him a hiding place. The

camera was focused on the desk. Auntie was usually the first person to arrive at the gallery, but the morning after making these preparations Mr. Halsey was there before her hidden behind his screen. When the old woman entered, she went straight to the cash drawer and opened it. As she did so Mr. Halsey squeezed the bulb that opened the camera. The "click, click" startled the old woman, and she turned. Mr. Halsey stepped from behind the screen and saluted her.



CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

"Good morning, Auntie," he said. got you now. I've got you right here. There's no use denying it now!" "Befo' God an de angels, Mars' Halsey,'

began the old lady, "I hain't been stealin, sah!" "That's all right, Auntie," continued the manager, laughing. "I've got a picture of the thief who has been robbing my drawer.

and if it looks like you you'll have to go to "'Pon my word, sah, I ain't stole nothin. Dat picture ain't no evidence ag'in me. Yo' can't see my face in it. Yo' can't send me

to prison on dat." Mr. Halsey finally agreed not to prose cute the old woman if she would return all the money she had taken, which she promised to do the next day. On the morrow. however, she had disappeared and has not

since been seen.

REV. THOS. DIXON, JR.

THE YOUNG PREACHER WHO IS AT PRESENT THRILLING NEW YORK.

A Newspaper Man's First and Subsequent Impressions of His Virile Personality. The Simple Story of His Life-Promise of a Brilliant Future.

The following entertaining sketch of the personality of Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., the popular New York preacher whose sermons are now regularly reported for these columns each week, is furnished by a well known newspaper

The first time I heard the Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., preach he was a stranger to me. I had hardly heard of him, although he had already stirred the surface of metropolitan orthodoxy.

It was Sunday evening. I found the large hall, with its old fashioned gallery, choked with the congregation that had outgrown its church edifice proper and taken refuge here. After the preliminary musical services a young man came down to the front of the platform and made an extemporaneous prayer and read a portion of the Scriptures from a small Bible which he held in his hand. In the view which I had of him he appeared to be 6 feet 3 in stature and almost weirdly gaunt. He did not stand erect in the parade sense, and his long limbs betokened an enormous sinewy power rather than grace or symmetry. His dark, spare, close shaven face, his plentiful coal black hair carelessly pushed backward from his temples, his strong, almost cadaverous jaw and his black, deep set and scintillant eyes made up a personality that arrested my interest at once. It was a type of man especially forged for hard, earnest, fearless work in some direction.

He spoke with authority, as if he had been commissioned, modestly withal and tenderly. The great congregation hung upon his words intently. With marvelous clearness he developed his subject, never resorting to involved phrases or abstract reasoning, but making a clear cut, concrete picture. Now and then he flamed up as a thought took possession of him or an illustration seized him. At such moments his strong face lit up, his voice rang out clear and resonant, and he seemed to sway his congregation by the magnetism of sheer oratory. At other times he dropped to the colloquial manner and carried on a conversation with his people.

There was no clerical isolation or ministerial cloudiness here. His listeners kept step with him. He not only spoke with intellectual authority, but with an ineffable fellowship. He had both thought and felt out his subject matter, but he meekly relied on something other than himseli.

It was the broad, compelling recognition of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, the ever present coercive sympathy of a great heart for suffering and dying humanity, and the ever urgent duty to preach the love as well as the law of the benignant and infinite parent.

Such was my first impression of the young preacher. Subsequently I became acquainted with the man, and then my admiration widened with my knowledge. I learned his history. It is brief and uneventful, but bursting with promise. He came of preaching stock down in North Carolina, and his father is still, I believe, hard at work in the Baptist pulpit there. At the end of his collegiate course and a postgraduate term in Johns Hopkins university he came to New York to determine upon a profes-

After a winter in the metropolis he returned to North Carolina, where he threw himself into politics, was elected to the legislature and began a systematic study of the law. What convictions of heart urged him and what processes of mind led him suddenly to abandon his law practice and take to the pulpit we can readily surmise, but may not dwell upon. All at once he is preaching the gospel in Goldsboro and Raleigh, and preaching it with such unction that some rumor of it reaches Boston. Then comes a call, and in December, 1887, the crowds of American Athens are gathering to hear the new voice. In 1889 New York wanted him, and at the solicitation of the Twentythird Street Baptist church he took charge of that society. Very soon after his arrival it outgrew its church accommodations and had to avail itself of Association hall.

These barren outlines of rapid success can only be filled in by living color when we come to know the man.

The first thing that won me, and I think will win anybody who makes his acquaintance, is his ingrained, unconscious and simple manliness.

Let me add that he is a scholar, and, what is better, a student; that he keeps abreast of the best thought in every intellectual field and watches the panorama of events with untiring eye. cannot imagine what a "nowness" this gives to his sermons. When he tells the "old, old story" of divine love, it wears a contemporaneous interest. It is no longer a historic statement, but a living force, energizing the speaker and winning the listener. When he illustrates the point of discussion, it is from the live issues of the hour, and you feel that religion is not under a bushel, but is inwrought with the destinies of the race and the fate of nations.

That a young spirit like his attracts about him large concourses of intelligent young people is not surprising. They understand each other. They want a vital religion. Either religion is a dramatic fact of the moment and means character in action, or it is a dead tradition. I felt that this energizing young apostle marked the renaissance of

tian socialism. I should not be surprised to see Mr. Dixon in another year in a great city temple, the center of a vast community of practical working evangelists, himself another Spurgeon or Parker, brt still the frank, manly and humble young average cardiac pulsations are seventy-six missionary of the people.

A LAND OF PROMISE.

of Africa. Little by little travelers are proving to

at central Africa is composed neither of barren deserts nor malarial swamps. To the list explorers the country seemed much worse than it really is because they

were in a measure compelled to follow the course of the rivers, and like the Mississippi from Cairo to the gulf the immediate valley gives no idea of the dis-

tant sections. There are at least a million square miles of plateaus and high valleys, with bracing cli-mate and fertile soil. Captain F. D. u and is the last Englishman to report on the interior, and his lecture on "A Jour

from the East Coast to Uganda and the Great Equatorial Lakes of Africa" to in meeting of the members of the loyal Geographical society has excited reat interest and enthusiasm. He travod the great plateau, from 5,000 to 10,000 ve the sea, where in places, he says, Louis yould see soft, springy turf like an English lawn. You would see the forgetand clover and jasmine. You e the nettle and bramble and thisrgreen bushes of very many kinds l, and the scenery was that of Enshing streams and sheltered bays afforded the same picturesque sof scenery as you would find in

wind in your teeth, you would ame bracing atmosphere. eat question to be decided was Europeans can live in comfort robust children in a region travthe equator, and he is inclined to the affirmative. It is a curious the children of Europeans thrive ilgherry hills of southern India, nish much farther north, on the the Himalayas, and the Shire nds in Africa, though but 3,000 feet ile sea, have proved very favorable The captain thinks the is solved, and Africa will be reby European colonization.

and as you scaled the hills, with

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armored cruiser to be com o. 13, will glide from the ways at hipyard early next spring and will will be the same as that of the New d as an ocean monster and comstroyer she will have few equals hably no superior. Her greatest in finish will be her smokestacks. .ll rise 100 feet above her deck.



THE BROOKLYN.

startling novelty in cruiser con is a new method of securing and has excited much discussion relips, where natural draft is some method of forced draft is

y. One way is by air forced into tically sealed fireroom, menacing health of the stokers, and in the other is it as wered under pressure into the makes them useless. The high tacks are better than either, so far is concerned, but they will furobjects for the enemy to aim at. therefore made to bear a deal of and guyed up separately, so that destroyed the other will still be

Brooklyn is 412 feet long, with a of 58 feet. Her draft is 22 feet 6 s, and she has a displacement of 7,400 per battery will include one 8-inch 6-inch breechloading steel rifles the 4-inch rapid firing guns, twenty 11 and and 6-pound rapid firing guns dis-tributed about her decks, four machine guns and six torpedo tubes. The 6 and e-inch rifles will be protected by heavy shields attached to their carriages. Her bull is protected by steel plates four inches thick amidships, tapering to two inches at the stem and stern. The deck armor is from 2% to four inches thick; according to its arrangement, and the steel plates on the coming tower and ventilating tubes are five inches in thickness. The engines are of the triple expansion type, with 21, 000 horsepower. Under very favorable circumstances she will be able to steam twenty-two knots an hour, and even under great disadvantages her speed will enable her to catch almost anything that floats.

The Latest Parisian Nuisance.

The Parisian street boy generally invents some ingenious novelty for the annoyance of the public. The pencock's feather and the paper confetti have had their day and been duly prohibited by the police, so the latest popular amusement is sprinkling powdered glass on the passers-At recent local fairs this diversion had been so freely indulged in that many people looked like frosted Christmas cards. is a very dangerous practice, however, as if the glass gets into the eyes much suffering and injury may follow.

Royalty Under Arrest.

Royal personages often find that preserv ing a strict incognito lends to odd mistakes. Empress Frederick and Princess Margaret of Germany were walking to St. Mark's at Venice the other day, followed by a pet log, which, contrary to Venetian rules, had neither muzzle nor chain. A man seized the dog and obliged the empress and her daughter to accompany him to the police office for breach of the regulations. At the office the rank of the royal owners was disclosed, causing general consternation and apologies.

A Costly Dairy.

gentleman of leisure in England has just built a dairy the like of which has never been seen. The building, which is of Carrara marble, is fitted throughout with electric lights, and all the motive power for separators and churns and washing purposes is supplied by electricity. The new Christian endeavor and a new Chris opening of the edifice was performed by the lady mayoress of London.

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A HEALTHY GARMENT.

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waist, yoke and skirt are united in one garment, and the divide does not show even through the thinnest of dress fabrics. The waist has six seams and two darts, and is allowed to run down over the hips, thus giving a better form, and also reducing the weight of the garment. The skirt is simply straight breadths, and in order to hang well must have five widths of goods that is one vard wide. It is in two parts, the upper portion of each being shaped like drawers, and as short in the body as can be worn with comfort, as, if cut too long there, the skirt has a tendency to wrap about the limbs. Leave the skirt open down the front only so far as is necessary for convenience in getting on and off. The inner side of the leg must be about one and one-half inches longer than the outer, to make it hang properly. The divide is hidden in this way: When the skirt is sewed on the yoke there are three inches left out on each side of the front and back. This is folded back on the inside, and being gathered a little, is caught to the yoke with the rest. Thus two folds meet in front and two in the back, and being



THE IMPROVED DIVIDED SKIRT.

gathered quite full they hang closely together, while the inside of the leg fits exactly like a pair of drawers. An ordinary stocking supporter with two attachments at the top will fasten to the waist of the skirt at the first dart and the second seam. Six and one-half yards of thirty-six-inch goods makes this garment for an adult.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1893.

Council Proceedings.

COMMON COUNCIL ROOMS,

Regular meeting of the common council of the village of Cass City.

Present, President Move.

Present, President McKenzie, Trustees Bigelow, Bentley, Deming, Hebblewhite Frutchey and Striffler. The following bills were then read and

referred to the finance committee:

Said committee recommended the allowance of the bills as read.

On motion of Trustee Frutchey the

bill of C. A. Sherman was recommitted to the finance committee, and all other bills allowed as read and recommended by the committee, and the Recorder in structed to draw orders on the Treasur er for the several amounts.

The following resolution was them of-

fered by Trustee Deming:

TO THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL:

Be it resolved that all bills and bonds shall have had their third reading by the Recorder, before the Council, at any regular or special meeting before being placed upon their final passage.

D. P. DEMI. G. On motion of Trustee Striffler said res

olution was laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

On motion of Trustee Striffler the Council proceeded to ballot for the ap-

pointment of street commissioner with the following result:

lst ballot-Ed. Fitch 2, W. H. Meredith 2, Jas. Ramsey 2, Ed. Brotherton 1.
2nd ballot-W. H. Meredith 3, Jas. Ramsey 1.
Ed. Brotherton 2, E. Ramsey 1.
3rd ballot-Ed. Eitch 1, W. H. Meredith 3, Ed. Brotherton 3.
4th ballot-W. H. Meredith 3, Ed. Bretherton 4.

On motion of Trustee Striffler, Edmund Brotherton was declared appointed as street commissioner for the ensu-

ing year.

The bond of W. I. Frost, as village treasurer, with E. H. Pinney and J. D. Crosby as sureties, each justifying to the amount of \$1,000, was then read and on motion of Trustee Striffler same was approved.
On motion of Trustee Deming the mar-

shall's salary for the ensuing year was fixed at \$75, by a vote of yeas and nays as follows: Yeas — Trustees Bigelow, Bentley, Deming. Hebblewhite, Frutchey, Striffler and the President, 7. Nays—

On motion of Trustee Striffler the Recorder's salary for the ensuing year was fixed at \$50, by a vote of yeas and nays as follows: Yeas — Bigelow, Bentley,

as follows: Yeas — Bigelow, Bentley, Hebblewhite, Frutchey, Striffler and the President, 6. Nays—Deming, 1.

On motion of Trustee Bigelow, the salary of health officer for the ensuing year was fixed at \$20, by a vote of yeas and nays as follows: Yeas—Trustees Bigelow, Frutchey, Striffler and the President, 4. Nays—Trustees Bentley, Deming and Hebblewhite, 3.

The Council then proceeded to the appointment of health officer by ballot, as follows: J. M. Truscott 4, N. McClinton

2, Jas. Deming 1. On motion of Trustee Striffler, John M. Truscott was declared appointed as health officer for the ensuing year.

Trustee Deming moved to accept a proposition from Wm. McKenzie to take the gravel out of the excavation of the McGregory building. Motion carried. On motion, Trustee Deming and the

village attorney were appointed as a committee to investigate and report at next meeting with reference to grade on Main street. On motion of Trustee Deming, Trustees Striffler, Bentley and Bigelow were added to said committee.

On motion of Trustee Striffler, the street commissioner was authorized to

take charge of getting grayel from the excayation of basements.

On motion, the Council then proceeded, by ballot, to the appointment of vil-

lage marshal for the ensuing year, with the result as follows: A. H. Muck 4, Samuel Jamieson 2.

On motion of Trustee Bigelow, A. H.

Muck was declared appointed as yillage

On motion of Trustee Hebblewhite, the Council decided to have the proceed-ings printed in the Cass City Enterprise. On motion of Trustee Deming, Wm. Jeffery was appointed poundmaster for

the ensuing year.
On motion of Trustee Bigelow, the committee on general improvements were instructed to report at next meeting such improvements as they deem necessary with reference to fire protec-

tion.
On motion of Trustee Hebblewhite, the President was instructed to hire some one to put the fire engine in working or-

der.
On motion Council adjourned.
HENRY STEWART, Recorder.

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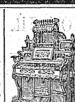
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GTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola,
Ss., At a session of the Irobate Court for
the County of Tuscola, holden at the Probate
Office in the village of Caro, on Saturday, the
25th day of March, A. D. one thousand eight
hundred and ninety-three, Present, Hon. John
C. Laing, Judge of Probate. In the matter of
the application of the Drain Commissioner of
the county of Tuscola, for the appointment of
three Special Commissioners to determine the
secessity for a drain through certain lands in
said county, and for the taking of private property for the use and benefit of the public for
the purpose thereof, and the just compensation
to be made therefor. Whereas, on the 10th day
of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and
interty-three, an application in writing was
made to this Court by the drain commissioner
for said county, for the appointment of three
Special Commissioners to determine the necessity for a drain through certain lands in said
county and described in said application, and
for the taking of private property for the use
and benefit of the public for the purpose thereof, and the just compensation to be made
therefor; and whereas, this Court did en the
25th day of March, A. D. one thousand eight
hundred and ninoty-three, upon a due examination of such application and of all the procedings theretofore taken in the premises, flud
the same to be in accordance with the statute
in such cases made and provided, and did
thereupon by an order entered therein, appoint
friday, the twency-eighth day of April, A. D.
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, as
the time, and the office of the Judge of Probate
in the village of Caro in said county, as the
place when and where a hearing upon such application would be had, and did then aad there
order that all persons whose lands were to be
traversed by such proposed drain, or who
would be liable to assessment for benefits in
the construction thereof, and who had not order that all persons whose lands were to be traversed by such proposed drain, or who would be liable to assessment for benefits in the construction thereof, and who had not released right of way, and all damages on account thereof, to appear at the time and place designated to be heard with respect to such application if they so desire and show cause, if any there should be, why said application skould not be granted; and whereas, there is now on die with this Court a description and survey of such proposed drain, from which description and survey it appears that the commencement, general course, and terminus of such drain are as follows: Traversing Sections 7, 16, 17, 18 and 20, town 14 north. range 11 east. Mich., commencing on the ne & of n w & of said section 20, 0.22 chains north of se corner, thence running s 890, w 300 chains; thence n 370, w 102,10 chains; thence n 360, w 17.42 chains; thence n 440, w 13.56 chains; thence n 380, w 102,10 chains; thence n 30, w 17.42 chains; thence n 440, w 13.56 chains and ending on the w fil & oin w fil & said section 7—23.12 chains south and 0.25 chains east of n w corner. Total length 201,34 chains, Also a branch, commencing on se & of sw & said section 17—n 490, c 0.04 chains, distant from sw corner, thence n 490, e 1.38 chains; thence n 4.43 chains; thence n 49%, e 24.98 chains; thence n 85%, e 26.00 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 890, e 11,54 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 890, e 11,54 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 10,70 chains; thence n 10,00 chains and ending 10.00 chains east and e.25 chains south of n wcorner of n w 4 of n w 4 said section 16. Total length of branch is 119.62 chains. And whereas, it also appears that the lollowing described tracts of lands, owned by unknown persons or nonresidents of the county of Tuscola aloresaid, will be crossed by said proposed drain and will be subject to an assessment for its construction to wit: S w 4 of the s w 4 and n e 4 of the w 4 of the s w scribed tracts of lands, not traversed by said

and it further appearing that the following described tracts of lands, not traversed by said proposed 4rain owned by unknown persons or non-residents of the county of Tuscola atoresaid, will be subject to an assessment for its construction, to-wit: N ½ of s e ½, s w ½ of s e ½ see 7; s e ½ of s w ½, s e 1-4 of s e 1-4 see 8; n u 1-4 of n e 1-4. s w 1-4 of n e 1-4. s w 1-4 of n w 1-4, s w 1-4 of n w 1-4, s w 1-4 of n w 1-4, s e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 of n w 1-4, s e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 of s w 1-4, s e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 of s w 1-4, n e 1-4 of n e 1-4, n w 1-4 of s e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 see 18; n w 1-4 of s e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 see 18; n w 1-4 of n e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-4, s w 1-4 see 18; n w 1-4 of n e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-4 see 18; n w 1-4 of n e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-6 see 12, town 14 north, range 11 east; s ¾ of e ½ of n e 1-4, n e 1-4 of s e 1-4 see 12; town 14 north, range 10 east. Now, therefore, all such unknown or non-resident persons, owners of the above described lands, and each of them, are hereby cited to be and appear before this Court, at the time and place last above set forth; to be heard with respect to such application, if so they desire, and show cause it any here be, why the said application for the appointment of three Special Commissioners as aloresaid should not be granted. And it is further ordered that the said prain Commissioner sive notice of the pendency of said application, so far as it affects said lands and the persons interested therein, by causing a copy of this citation to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a weekly newspaper published and circulating in the said county of Tuscola. in which said county all of said lands are located, for at least two weeks previous to said day of hearing. JOHN C. LAING, Judge of Probate

Citation to Unknown or Non-Resident Owners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Tuscola, holden at the Probate Office in the village of Caro, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety three. Present, Hon. John C. Laing, Judge of Probate, In the matter of the application of the Drain Commissioner of the county of Tuscola, for the appointment of three Special Commissioners to determine the necessity for a drain through certain lands in said county, and for the taking of private property for the use and the benefit of the public for the purpose thereof, and the just compensation to be made therefor. Whereas, on the 10th day of March, A. D, one thousand eight hundred and nine ty three, an application in writing was made to this Court by the Drain Commissioner of the county of Tuscola, for the appointment of three Special Commissioners to determine the necessity for a drain through certain lands in said county and described in said application, and for the taking of private property for the use and benefit of the public for the purpose thereof, and the just com-pensation to be made therefor; and whereas, this Court did on the 25th day of March. A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, upon a due exam ination of such application and of all the procedings theretofore taken in the prem ises, find the same to be in accordance with the statute in such cases made and provided, and did thereupon by an order entered therein, appoint Friday, the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, as the time, and the office of the Judge of Probate in the village of Caro in said county, as the place when and where a hearing upon such application would be had, and did then and there order that all persons whose lands were to be trav ersed by such proposed drain, or who would be liable to assessment for benefits in the construction thereof, and who had not released right of way, and all damages on account thereof, to appea at the time and place designated to be heard with respect to such application if they so desire and show cause, if any

scription and survey of such proposed drain, from which description and survey it appears that the commencement, general course, and terminus of such drain are as follows: Traversing sections 29 and 30 town 13 north, range 11 east, Mich, the center line of which is described as follows: Commencing at a point on the ne % of ne % said section 30, 18.42 chains west and 1.42 chains north of the enains west and 1.42 chains north of the secorner, thence s $67\%^{\circ}$, e 8.20 chains; thence n $88\%^{\circ}$, e 15.70 chains; thence s $1\%^{\circ}$, e 23.36 chains; thence s $36\%^{\circ}$, e 5.44 chains; thence n $88\%^{\circ}$, e 67.07 chains; ending on the n e % of s e % section 29, township aforesaid, 7.50 chains south of n e corner of same. Total length of said proposed drain is 123.75 chains. And whereas, it also appears that the follow-ing described tracts of lands, owned by unknown persons or non-resident of the county of Tuscola aforesaid, the execution of a release of right of way and damages for which has been neglected or refused, will be crossed by said proposed drain and will be subject to an assessment for its construction, to-wit: The neglect of the construction o of ne ¼ sec 30, t 13 n, r 11 e; s w ¼ of ne ¼ sec 30, t 13 n, r 11 e; s w ¼ of ne ¼ and ne ¼ of s w ¼ and ne ¼ of se ¼ sec 29, t 13 n, r 11 e. And it further appearing that the following described tracts of of lands, not traversed by said proposed drain owned by unknown persons or non-residents of the county of Tuscola aforesaid, will be subject to an assessment for its construction. to wit: No 1/4 of ne 1/4, se 1/4 of ne 4 sec 30, s w 14 of n w 14, se 4 of n w 14, se 4 of n w 14, n w 14 of s e 14, n e 14 of s w 14, n w 14 of s w 14, n w 14 of s w 14 sec 29; s e 14 of n w 14 sec 28; s e 14 of s e 14 sec 29; except a piece of land com. at s e corner of seme the property spinor with 20 of s w 14 sec 29; same, thence running north 20 r, thence west 38 r, thence routh 20 r, thence cast 38 r to place of beginning: blocks A and B, lot 5 b D, lots 3: 4, 5: 6, 7 and 8, b E; lots 5 and 6. b C; lots 1. 5, 6, 7 and 8, b F; lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 8, b G; lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, b H, yillage of Deford. Now, therefore all such markets are such as a therefore, all such unknown or non-resident persons, owners of the above described lands, and each of them, are hereby cited to be and appear before this Court, at the time and place last above set forth to be hard with respect to set forth, to be heard with respect to such application, if they so desire, and show cause, if any there be, why the said application for the appointment of three Special Commissioners as aforesaid should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that the said Drain Commissioner give notice of the pendency of said application, so far as it affects said lands application, so far as it affects said lands and the persons interested therein, by causing a copy of this citation to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a weekly newspaper published and circulating in the said county of Tuscola, in which said county all of said lands are located, for at least two weeks previous to said day of hearing.

JOHN C. LAING, Judge of Probate

there should be, why said application

should not be granted; and whereas, there is now on file with this Court a de-

Guardian's Sale of Real Estate. State of Michigan, county of Tuscola, ss. In the matter of the estate of **James Urials**

In the matter of the estate of James Uriah Playford, minor,
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as guardian 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 Jamany, 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 28th day of April, A. D. 1893, at two o'clock in the afternoon 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:

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