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Grant: Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. 7:30 p. m.
Dicknout: Public worship 2:30 p. m. All are cordially invited,

### Caught On The Fly.

However politics may sway Us back and forth from year to years, We're all one nation on the day

When turkey comes our souls to cheer. Mrs. John Herr is seriously ill.

Mrs. Ale is having a new barn erect-A. A. P. McDowell spent Sunday in Detroit.

N. L. Wales, of Elkton, was in town Lue sday.

New time card of P. O. & N. R. R. in his issue.

John Ricker and wife were in Caro last week.

S. Champion is daily making ship ments of game.

Ralph Ballagh, of Owendale, was caller on Tuesday. Cass City Bank makes a fresh an

ouncement this week. High Dougherty, of Marlette, was in

own on business thir week. Robt. Charlton brought home leer from Shearer last week.

Some fresh bargains in the Real Estate Exchange adv. this week. 2 Macks have something to say about Fur capes this week in their adv.

Our readers will notice the S. T. & H R. R. have a new time card this week. The young folk of our town] will have a gay time at Roy Crosby's to

J. R. Wastell, of Page, Chope & Sooth Co., Detroit, was in town Wediesday. H. Freeman, general merchant, of

Gagetown, was a pleasant caller on Wednesday. Mrs. Geo. Smith and her daughter, Louie, of Gaylord, Otsego county, are

visiting at M. H. Quick's. Mr. Chase, of Detroit, was the guest a day's shooting this week.

Word comes from John A. Charlton, Meridian, Miss. that he has secured er's establishment.

know where to deal.

Settle with the printer before the close of the year, and start the new year with that little bill paid, Don't wait for a second notice.

Clark McKenzie has been very serous ill for the past week. Drs. Livingstone, of Caro, and J. H. McLean, of this place have been attending him and it is hoped that danger is now past and his recovery will be speedy.

S. Champion received by express on Wednesday one black Minorca cocker al from the Peninsular Poultry yards, St. Ignace, Mich., M. F. Stillwagnen Prop. who is considered one of the best breeders of poultry in Michigan.

During the week, through the Real McPhail, the sale has been effected of Martin Dew, on Fourth Street, to Deborah A. Killins; also 70 acres on Sec.

6, Novesta Township, to A. G. Berney. The man named Powell who gave Clothier McDougall and Deputy Sheriff Striffler such a chase as previously reported was captured the latter part of the week and was brought before Justice Brooker. After the reading of the charge Powell plead guilty and was asked to put up \$15 which included fine

R. W. Tavener, an ex-Romanist from Bay City, addressed fair sized audiences here in the rink Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon and in the Presbyterian church Monday evening. As ye editor was out of town we cannot give a lengthy report but we understand that he handled his of W. D. Schooley and participated in subject in a masterly and thoroughly \$2.00 per doz. All work guaranted. convincing manner.

A new swindling scheme that has been conducted in some parts of the the position of foreman in a large join-state resulted in a number of unsuspecting farmers being caught for var-Keep posted on the bargains by lous sums. The scheme is that of two reading all the ads. in this paper, and men showing goods they carry with when you get ready to buy you will them, consisting of calico, muslin and Topic: Leaders and Triumphs in India. other goods at fabulously low prices. They offer \$15 or \$20 worth at the low price of \$6, \$7 or \$8 and they do not want the cash, but accomodate the farmer by taking his note for 60 or 90 lays without interest. In a short time notes appear in banks calling for \$60, \$70 or \$80. Several who have invested in the scheme have received notices from the banks stating that their notes

are held for various sums. We apologize for mistakes and say they were inexcusable, as all an editor has to do is to hunt hews, and clean the rollers, and set type, and sweep the floor, and pen short items, and fold papers, and write the wrappers, and make the paste, and mail the papers, and talk to visitors, and distribute Estate Exchange, managed by C. W. type, and saw wood, and read the proofs. and correct mistakes, and hunt the the house and lot recently occupied by shears, to write editorials, and dodge the bills, and dun the delinquents, and take cussings from the whole force, and tell our subscribers that we need money. We say that we've no business to make mistakes while attending to these little matters, and are obliged to turn a smilling countenance to the man who tells us our paper isn't worth a \$1 any how and that he could make a better one with his eyes shut.—[Ex.

> "Never put off till to-morrow" What can best be done to-day, Don't assert in tones of sorrow Advertising does not pay. Try it now, be enterprising, Put your add in right away, And you'l find that advertising Will unquestionably pay.

I will again open up the Gagetown Photograph gallery on Nov. 28th up to Dec. 4th, "6 days only." Best cabinets

Our Churches.

PAITIST CHURCH. Conquest Meeting for November.

#### SUGGESTIVE PROGRAM.

1. OPENING EXERCISES

1. Missionary Praise Service. 2. Prayer.

3. Bible Reading: Responsive: Matt. 13:18-33. II. DISCUSSION OF TOPICS

LEADERS AND TRIUMPHS IN SOUTHERN INDIA.—THE LONE STAR MISSION. I. Beginning of Mission Work in India.

2. Small Beginnings in Telugu Land. 3. Dr. Jewett's Wonderful Faith. 4.2The Terrible Famine.

5. The Pentecostal Harvest. 6. Présent Obstacles and Encouragement. LEADERS AND TRIUMPHS IN NORTHERN NDIA.—THE ASSAM MISSION.

1. An Early Misapprehension. 2. Geographical, Climatical and other Obstacles 3. Light on the Hills. 4. Later Triumphs.

5. The Assam of To-Day III. E CLOSING EXERCISES 1. Summary of the Topic.

2. Prayer for Assam in her Special Need. 3. Prayer for the Converts in Telugu Land 4. Missionary Collection. 5. D oxology and Mizpah Benediction.

For further reading on the above topics are rec? ne nded the following books and leaslets, from most of which the above material has been com piled; Dr. Mabie's "Brightest Asia," chapters on the Telugu Misson and Assam; Dr. Smith's "Missionary Sketches;" "Our Gold Mine;" "A Century of Baptist Foreign Missions;" the leaflets; in 'Studies on Baptist Missions" issued by the W omen's Societies upon the Telugu and Assam Missions; "From Darkness to Light," by Dr. Clough; Missionary Handbook for 1893, Missionary Magazines, "Helping Hands," etc., etc.,

"What hath God wrought" is 'the subject for the B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening. Leader, Mrs. Seele

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. The young people are preparing a cantata to be given in the near future. Rev. B. J. Baxter, of Corunna, Mich., will occupy the pulpit next Sunday

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Dibble's are requested to call for same George were seen trooping back to in the possession of one wild turkey, three partridges, several quail and four Oliver, A. E. Cram and J. B. Webber, We understand that a group photo- McClinton, Chas. M. Stone piano; Geo. white on account will please call and graph was taken of these distinguished S. Farrar, Haynes Bros. piano; also a

could not be secured for this issue.

### J. A. McDougall left for Pt. Ed. ward, Ont., this morning. Wm. Meiser

Chas. H. Travis has returned from the very low prices named and our Colquet, Minn., whe he has been emreaders should avail themselves of this ployed for several years. He may

> of onions from Deford on Monday. He has already shipped some thirteen car loads of potatoes from the same

> ation was set for Wednesday, Nov There was rather a lively time in the meat market of McCullough and Brownlee on Wednesday when eight

windows were broken. Our laundry has changed hands. Jas. Wooley who has succeeded in working up a good busines, by industry and fair dealing, has disposed of the same to Chas. Robinson, of the woolen

ion, however, until Jan. 1st. ship, shot and killed a large wild parties guided by the noted local shots turkey this week weighing 20 lbs. Landlord Farrar knows a good thing when he sees it and secured the 20 lb. town, tired, dusty, but apparently happy | wild turkey and gave his guests the benefit on Wednesday for dinner.

Sebewaing, has been in this vicinity a part of this week and has effected office. of Detroit, and Prof. Waterford, of Pt. the following sales:—Chas. M. Webber, Huron, and J. D. Crosby, of Cass City. seven octavo piano style organ; Dr. N. gents with accompanying game but piano to Mrs. Cora Purdy, of Gage-

published in Detroit, has been geceived through the kindness of J. C. Wilcox, who has just resigned his position as Assistant Editor of the daily Tribune to take charge of this publication. It is the official organ of the Michigan Music Teachers' Association and is not

only neat in its make-up but replete same value in anything else for the

same amount of money? The home of Mr. and Mrs M. Hill, of Lamotte, was the scene of a happy event last Wednesday, Nov. 21st, it who pay their debts will please stand being the marriage of their eldest up." In response to this there was an daughter, Mina, to John E. Brown, a apparently unanimous uprising, "Now, well known and esteemed young man said the preacher, asking the others to of Cass City. The ceremony was performed in the midst of many friends and relatives of both parties by Rev. arose. "Ah, brother," said the preach-Copper, of that charge, assisted by ers, "why is it that you of all this con-Rev. Nichols, of Marlette. The bride gregation of brethern should be so difis a consistant member of the M. E. ferent?" "I dont know, parson," he Church, of Lamotte, and is loved and replied slowly as he looked around esteemed by all who know her as the over his friends and acquaintances in many beautiful presents received gave the meeting, "unless it is that I ain't a evidence. The happy couple took the liar." train for Detroit.

There are still a few people who cling to the idea that brains are monopolized by men, but they are dying off rap-

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The government saves a great deal of money under the new system of making postage stamps, but it is a little innoying to have to pin one on an enelope in order to have it stay there. Bill Nye wants some one to answer this question. Why should a man whose parents three or four generations back lived in trees and hung by their tails from the branches thereof, vote in America, not knowing a ring worm from a joint resolution, while the mothers of statesmen and warriors, taxed without representation, remain

dumb during the decay of patroitism?

The preacher was having a sort of a test meeting by asking the congrega tion questions on their conduct. "Now, brethern," he said, "all of you sit down, all those who do not pay wlll please stand up." One man alone

### To Our Subscribers.

During the last three months a large number of accounts have been sent to and see samples from the Enterprise those in arrears for subscription. A goodly number have responded, to whom we are thankful, but many have not, to whom we make the request that all arrearages be paid BEFORE December 15th. It may seem a small matter to

morning and evening. A union Thanksgiving service will (D. V.) be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday, Nov. 29th. Sermon by Rev. S. G. Anderson. Public

invited. Collection. M. E. CHURCH.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at E, W. Keating's. The topic for Epworth League Sunday evening will be "Conversion and Converts." Leader, Miss Jennie Walm-

The carpenters are rushing the work on the addition of the church as fast as possible. The roof is being put on at present. Landon, Eno & Keating

#### have charge of the work. Happenings on the Hill.

Dick Landon is the donor of a stuffed owl of his own catch and dressing. Edna Jamieson and Don Wales visited the different departments this week. A very interesting literary program

closed last Friday afternoon's session n the High School. Prof. Smith just closed a series of Monday morning lectures on the subject of health. The following are his

favorite perscriptions: Pure air, Pure water, Wholesome food, Sufficient sleep, Bath once a week. Plenty of exercise, Keep feet warm; Body dry and Head cool.

Jersey, were added to the Museum this week. Prof. Smith has several others which he wishes to exchange for other A very special line of crackers and

Several star fish from Barnegat, New

bysters for Thanksgiving, at H. B. Fairweather's. McCullough & Brownlee are making

a specialty of poultry, game and choice you but to us it is of vast importance. meats for Thanksgiving. Give them

Our Clubbing List, We have made arrangements with the publishers to club the following publications with the Enterprise at excellent opportunity of procuring a supply of good reading. These prices

are to new subscribers and old ones ENTERPRISE and Detroit Weekly Tribune..... \$ 1.50.

Farmer ..... \$1.70 ENTERPRISE, Toronto weekly Mail and Farmers Fireside.....\$1.60 Enterprise and Toronto Saturday

and White Ribbon Cook Book, ENTERPRISE and Toledo weekly. Blade.....\$1.50

The genial proprietor of the Tennant House, Mr. George S. Farrer has durng the last ten days entertained a large number of distinguished sporting guests. Thursday last several Samuel Champion and Elmer Mcrabbits. The guests were John J.

will look after his interests during his

A. A. McKenzie shipped a car load

On Monday, Jas. McArthur, of Novesta, was arrested and brought before Justice Brooker, charged with having sold intoxicating liquors on the fair ground during the Fair. His examin-

turkeys got loose and made a break for the large front windows. Fortu-If you don't see what you want on nately they were captured before the

> mill. Charlie does not take possess-Martin McKenzie, of Grant town-

Geo. Kemp, of G. W. Kemp & Co, of

A sample copy of the Song Journal.

with the very latest in music. Are you a regular subscriber of the ENTERPRISE, or are you reading a sample copy? Did you ever stop and think what it costs to take your home paper, less than two cents a week. Who wouldn't be willing to pay two cents each week for the privilege of reading all the current events of their immediate vicinity and at the same time get a good lot of other interestng reading matter. Can you get

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RAILWAY travel in Germany is almost free from risk, as only one passenger in 63,000,000 is killed. The figures in this country are simply frightful by contrast.

It is curious how many women named "Emma" have become famous in the musical world. There are Emma Eames, Emma Calve, Emma Nevada and Emma Abbott, all of whom were or are queens of song.

CHICAGO'S classic suburb, Evanston, is destroying her reputation as a lover of mild discipations only. Some of her citizens claim that they see a frightful ghost running through the streets at night brandishing a club.

LEO STEVENS and Robert McKim say, and are no doubt ready to swear, that they made a trip from Bridgeport to New York recently in a balloon. If they want the people to believe them let them return to Bridgeport the same way and advertise their departure.

CHINA is sick of war and beseeches the European powers to interfere and compel Japan to accede to a peaceful settlement. There is always something ludicrous about a big booby calling on bystanders to call the little fellow off and when a country of 400,-000,000 inhabitants asks to be saved from the fists of a country less than half its size the civilized world cannot but regard it with derision.

ACCORDING to a recent decision of the state supreme court of Minnesota, the bicycle has come to stay, with all the rights of any vehicle. Mr. N. A, Thompson's horse got scared at a bicycle, ran away, demolished the buggy, and nearly demolished Mr. Thompson, who brought suit for heavy damages, setting out that the bicycle had no right to the road. The supreme court of Minnesota decided that the defendant's bicycle was as good as the plaintiff's buggy, and in its decision the court used this sweeping language: "The bicycle is neither unlawful nor prohibited and cannot be banished because it is not an ancient vehicle or was not used in the garden of Eden by Adam and Eve."

OCCASIONALLY the tramp meets his Waterloo, and retires from the field in disgust. One of the most benevolent women in Cambridge was called to her door, recently, by one of these perambulatory citizens, who asked for some money to take him to Worcester. The good lady said she never gave cash in charity, but after hearing a pitiful tale she relented sufficiently to say if he would come with her to the railway station she would buy him a ticket to his destination. The tramp, with apparent gratitude, assented, and the pair proceeded to the ticket office. After its purchase, the lady bade the fellow to jump aboard the train, while she gave the conductor the ticket, but no sooner was her back turned than he leaped from the car and disappeared, probably cursing his luck in having struck a woman who had a head on her shoulders.

A SECRETARY of a large and prosperous building association pays the tribute to women borrowers that when a woman starts out to secure a home nickel here and a nickel there of fly the hall, and how the music drops which her husband is wholly ignorant | dead from the string, and how the and which helps to meet the weekly gates of the mansion slam shut with obligation in the building association. There is not a case on record in that city in which a woman ever undertook a leper! He was a leper!" to build for herself a home, where she band, in which she did not succeed. there is a will there is a way." Woman borrowers are what all sagaif ever miss a payment and they never flee to Canada.

It is a very large contract that the state of Massachusetts seems to be taking to "stamp out" the tuberculosis disease within its borders. We heartily wish there were better prospects than now appear probable for its success. The tuberculin test is to be applied to all cows or other cattle in the to a little Hebrew captive, a servant state. Two quarantine stations are girl in her house, to whom she tells to be provided. Cows that under the the whole story; as sometimes, when test show themselves to be tuberculous | overborne by the sorrows of the world, are to be killed. It is admitted by and finding no sympathy anywhere the promoters of this policy that else, you have gone out and found in tuberculosis cannot be entirely the sympathy of some humble domesfamily, and is there known as the which the world could not give you. dread destroyer consumption. It is vent animals from catching the disease from people.

lead into China. It sells the lead to him right away."

have been mortally offended if any Didn't they snatch me off in the night, one had hinted that his success was breaking my father's and mother's eer, drive on! Wash in Jordan! Ha! entirely owing to good luck.

#### TABERNACLE PULPIT.

'THE SICK GENERAL" AS A SERMON'S SUBJECT.

God Does Not Want This World to Be Full of Happiness, Lest We Should Want to Remain Here-The Sorrows of Every Life.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 18, 1873-Here we have a warrior sick, not with pleurisies or rheumatism or consumption, but with a disease worse than all of these put together. A red mark has come out on the forehead, precursor of complete disfigurement and dissolution. I have something awful to tell you. General Naaman, the commander in chief of all the Syrian forces, has the leprosy! It is on his hands, on his face, on his feet, on his entire person. The leprosy! Get out of the way of the pestilence! If its breath strike you, you are a dead man. The commander in chief of all the forces of Syria! And yet he would be glad to exchange conditions with the boy at his stirrup or the hostler who blankets his charger. The news goes like wildfire all through the realm, and the people are sympathetic, and they cry out: "Is it possible that our great hero, who slew Ahab and around whom we came with such vociferation when he returned from victorious battle-can it be possible that our grand and glorious Naaman has the eprosy?" Yes. Everybody has some thing he wishes he had not. David, an Absalom to disgrace him; Paul, a thorn to sting him; Job, carbuncles to plague him; Samson, a Delilah to shear him; Ahab, a Naboth to deny him; Haman, a Mordecai to irritate him; George Washington, childlessness to afflict him; John Wesley, a termagant wife to pester him; Leah, weak eyes; Pope, a crooked back; Byron, a club foot; John Milton, blind eyes; Charles Lamb, an insane sister; and you, and you, and you, and you, something which you never bargained for, and would like to get rid of. The reason of this is that God does not want this world to be too bright; otherwise, we would always want to stay and eat these fruits, and lie on these lounges, and shake hands in this pleasant society. We are only in the vestibule of a grand temple. God does not want us to stay on the doorstep, and therefore he sends aches, and annoyances, and sorrows, and bereavements of all sorts to push us on, and push us up toward riper fruits, and brighter society, and more radiant prosperities. God is only whipping us ahead. The rea-

ert Hall had more rapturous views of heaven than other people had was because, through their aches and pains, God pushed them nearer up to it. If God dashes out one of your pictures, it is only to show you a brighter one. If he sting your foot with gout, your brain with neuralgia, your tongue with an inextinguishable thirst, it is only bec ing to substitute a better than you ever dreamed of, when the mortal shall put on immortality. It is to push you on, and to push you up toward something grander and better, that God sends upon you, as he did upon General Naaman, something youdo not want. Seated in his Syrian mansion. all the walls glittering with the shields which he had captured in battle; the corridors crowded with admiring visitors, who just wanted to see him once. music and mirth and banqueting filling all the mansion from tessellated floor to pictured ceiling, Naaman would have forgotten that there was anything she rarely ceases her efforts until the better, and would have been glad to last penny of the mortgage obligation stay there 10,000 years. But O, how is lifted. She finds a way to save a the shields dim, and how the visitors

son that Edward Payson and Rob-

sepulchral bang as you read the closing words of the eulogium: "He was There was one person more sympahad half a co-operation from her hus- thetic with General Naaman than any other person. Naaman's wife walks She has proved the truth over and the floor, wringing her hands, and tryover again of the old maxim, "where, ing to think what she can do to alleviate her husband's suffering. All remedies have failed. The surgeon-general cious building association managers and the doctors of the royal staff have hunt for. Women borrowers seldom | met, and they have shaken their heads, as much as to say: "No cure; no cure." I think that the office seekers had all folded up their recommendations and gone home. Probably most of the employes of the establishment had dropped their work and were thinking of looking for some other situation. What shall now become of poor Naaman's wife? She must have sympathy somewhere. In her despair she goes

stamped out. It exists in the human tic-Rose, or Dinah, or Bridget-a help What a scene it was: one of the not proposed to test and kill people grandest women in all Syria in cabinet who have consumption. After the council with a waiting maid over work of stamping out tuberculosis in the declining health of the mighty cattle has been completed, it is quite general! "I know something," says likely to have to be done over again, the little captive maid. "I know someas no way has yet been devised to pre- thing," as she bounds to her bare feet. "In the land from which I was stolen there is a certain prophet known by the name of Elisha, who can cure al-In spite of commercial restrictions, most anything, and I shouldn't wonder a New Jersey company is getting its if he could cure my master. Send for "Oh. hush!" you the Japs, who make it into bullets, say. "If the highest medical talent in which are fired into the Chinese, who all the land can not cure that leper carry their loads back home, since there is no need of your listening to there is no surgical corps in the field. any talk of a servant girl." But do not scoff, do not sneer. The finger of THE unsuccessful advertiser fre- that little maid is pointing in the right quently attributes his failure to ill direction. She might have said: treat a poor unknown woman like that, luck, but Printer's Ink says that if he "This is a judgment upon you for had been successful he would probably stealing me from my native land. in my chariot and wait, and wait? I

heart? And many a time I have lain ha! The slimy Jordan—the muddy

and cried all night because I was so Jordan—the monotonous Jordan! I homesick." Then, flushing up into won't be seen washing in such a riv childish indignation, she might have said: "Good for them: I'm glad Naaman's got the leprosy; I wish all the Syrians had the leprosy." No. Forgetting her personal sorrows, she sympathizes with the sufferings of her master, and commends him to the

famous Hebrew prophet. And how often it is that the finger of childhood has pointed grown persons in the right direction. O Christian soul, how long is it since you got rid of the leprosy of sin? You sav: 'Let me see. It must be five years now." Five years. Who was it that pointed you to the divine physician? 'O," you say, "it was my little Annie, or Fred, or Charley, that clambered on my knees, and looked into my face, and asked me why I didn't become a Christian, and, all the time stroking my cheek, so I couldn't get angry, insisted upon knowing why I didn't have family prayers." There are grand-parents who have been brought to Christ by their little grandchildren. There are hundreds of Christian mothers who had their attention first called to Jesus by their little children. How did you get rid of the leprosy of sin? How did you find your way to the divine physician? "O," you say, "my child-my dying child, with wan and wasted finger, pointed that way. O, I never shall forget," you say, "that scene at the cradle and the crib that awful night. It was hard, hard, very hard; but if that little one on its dying bed had not pointed me to Christ, I don't think I ever would have got rid of my leprosy." Go into the Sabbath school any Sunday and you will find hundreds of little fingers pointing in the same direction, toward Jesus Christ

and toward heaven. Years ago the astronomers calculated that there must be a world banging at a certain point in the heavens, and a large prize was offered for some one who could discover that world. The telescopes from the great observatories were pointed in vain; but a girl at Nantucket, Mass., fashioned a telescope, and looking through it discovered that star and won the prize, and the admiration of all the astronomical world, that stood amazed at her genius. And so it is often the case that grown people can not see the light, while some little child beholds the star of pardon, the star of hope, the star of consolation, the star of Bethlehem, the morning star of Jesus. "Not many mighty men, not many wise men are called; but God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the mighty; and base things, and things that are not, to bring to nought things that are." O,do not despise the prattle of little children when they are speaking about God, and Christ, and heaven. You see the way your child is pointing; will you take that pointing, or wait until, in the wrench of some awful bereavement, God shall lift that child to another world, and then it will beckon you upward? Will you take the pointing, or will you wait for the little Hebrew captive pointed in the right direction. Blessed be God for the saving ministry of Christian

children. How the countrymen gaped as the procession passed! They had seen Naaman go past like a whirlwind in days gone by, and had stood aghast at the clank of his war equipments; but now they commiserate him. They say: "Poor man, he will never get home

alive; poor man!" General Naaman wakes up from a restless sleep in the chariot, and he says to the charioteer: "How long before we shall reach the Prophet Elisha?" The charioteer says to the waysider: "How far is it to Elisha's house?" He says: "Two miles." "Two miles?" Then they whip up the lathered and fagged out horses. The whole procession brightens up at the prospect of a speedy arrival. They drive up to the door of the prophet. The charioteers shout: "Whoa!" to the horses, and tramping hoofs and grinding wheels cease shaking the earth. Come out, Elisha, come out; you have company; the grandcompany that ever came to est your house has come to it now No stir inside Erisha's house. The fact was, the Lord had informed Elisha that the sick captain was coming, and just how to treat him. Indeed, when you are sick, and the Lord wants you to get well, he always tells the doctor how to treat you; and the reason we have so many bungling doctors is because they depend upon their own strength and instructions, and not on the Lord God, and that always makes malpractice. Come out, Elisha, and attend to your business. General Naaman and his retinue waited, and waited, and waited. The fact was, Naaman had two diseases-pride and leprosy; the one was as hard to get rid of as the other. Elisha sits quietly in his house and does not go out. After awhile, when he thinks he has humbled this proud man, he says to a servant: "Go out and tell General Naaman to bathe seven times in the River Jordan, out yonder five miles, and he will get entirely well." The message comes out: "What!" says the commander-in-chief of the Syrian forces, his eye kindling with an animation which it had not shown for weeks, and his swollen foot stamping on the bottom of the chariot, regardless of pain. "What! Isn't he coming out to see me? Why, I thought certainly he would come and utter some cabalistic words over me, or make some enigmatical passes over my wounds. Why, I don't think he knows who I Isn't he coming out? Why, when the Shunamite woman came to him, he rushed out and cried: 'Is it well with thee? is it well with thy husband? is it well with thy child?' and will he and let me, a titled personage, sit here won't endure it any longer. Chariot-

er as that. Why, we watered our horses in a better river than that on our way here-the beautiful river, the jasper-paved river of Pharpar. Besides that we have in our country another Damascene river, Abana, with

foliaged bank, and torrent ever swift and ever clear, under the flickering shadows of sycamore and oleander.

Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? After all, it seems that this health excursion of General Naaman is to be a dead failure. That little Hebrew captive might as well have not told him of the prophet, and this long journey might as well not have been taken. Poor, sick, dying Naaman! Are you going away in high dudgeon, and worse than when you came? As his chariot halts a moment, his servants clamber up in it and coax him to do as Elisha said. They say: "It's easy. If the prophet had told you to walk for a mile on sharp spikes in order to get rid of this awful disease, you would have done it. It is easy. Come, my lord, just get down and wash in the Jordan. You take a bath every day anyhow, and in this climate it is so hot that it will do you good. Do it on our account, and for the sake of the army you command, and for the sake of the nation that admires you. Come, my lord, just try this Jordanic bath." "Well," he says, "to please you I will do as you say." The retinue drive to the brink of the Jordan. The horses paw and neigh to get into the stream themselves and cool their hot flanks. General Naaman, assisted by his attendant, gets down out of his chariot and painfully comes to the brink of the river, and steps in until the water comes to the ankle, and goes on deeper until the water comes to the girdle, and now standing so far down in the stream, just a little inclination of the head will thoroughly immerse him. He bows once into the flood and comes up and shakes the water out of nostril and eye; and his attendants look at him and say: "Why, general, how much better you do look." And he bows a second time into the flood and comes up, and the wild stare is gone out of his eye. He bows the third time into the flood and comes up, and the shriveled flesh has got smooth again. He bows the fourth time in the flood and comes up, and the hair that had fallen out is restored in thick locks again all over the brow. He bows the fifth time into the flood and comes up, and the hoarseness has gone out of his throat. He bows the sixth time and comes up, and all the soreness and anguish have gone out of the limbs. 'Why," he says, "I am almost well, out I will make a complete cure," and bows the seventh time into the flood and he comes up, and not so much as a fester, or a scale, or an eruption as big as the head of a pin is to be seen on him. He steps out on the bank and says: "Is it possible?" And the attendants look and beckening? Blessed be God that the say: "Is it possible?" And as, with the health of an athlete, he bounds back into the chariot and drives on, there goes up from all his attendants a wild, "Huzza! Huzza!" Of course they

go back to pay and thank the man of God for his counsel so fraught with wisdom. When they left the prophet's house, they went off mad: they have come back glad. People always think better of a minister after they are converted than they do before conversion. Now we are to them an intolerable nuisance, because we tell them to do things that go against the grain; but some of us have a great many letters from those who tell us that once they were angry at what we preached, but afterward gladly received the gospel at our hands. They once called us fanatics, or terrorists, or enemies; now they call us friends. Yonder is a man who said he would never come into the church again. He said that two years ago. He said: "My family shall never come here again if such doctrines as that are preached." But he came again, and his family came again. He is a Christian, his wife a Christian, all his children Christians, the whole household Christians, and you shall dwell with them in the house of the Lord forever. Our undying coadjutors are those who once heard the gos-

pel, and "went away in a rage." I suppose that was a great time at Damascus when General Naaman got back. The charioters did not have to drive slowly any longer, lest they jolt the invalid; but as the horses dashed through the streets of Damascus, I think the people rushed out to hail back their chieftain. Naaman's wife hardly recognized her husband; he was so wonderfully changed she had to look at him two or three times before she made out that it was her restored husband. And the little captive maid, she rushed out, clapping her hands and shouting: "Did he cure you? Did he cure you?" Then music woke up the palace, and the tapestry of the windows was drawn away, that the multitude outside might mingle with the princely mirth inside, and the feet went up and down in the dance. and all the streets of Damascus that night echoed and re-echoed with the news: "Naaman's cured! Naa-man's cured!" But a gladder time than that it would be if your soul should get cured of its leprosy. The swiftest white horses hitched to the king's chariot would rush the news into the eternal city. Our loved ones before the throne would welcome the glad tidings. Your children on earth, with more emotion than the little Hebrew captive, would notice the change in your look and the change in your manner, and would put their arms around your neck and say: "Mother, I guess you must have become a Christian. Father. I think you have got rid of the leprosy." O, Lord, God of Elisha, have mercy on us!

Huge Maine Heron. A Maine woman recently shot a heron that 's more than five feet in height.

### THE ACTRESS' WILES.

STAGE WOMEN WHO HAVE CHARMED ROYALTY.

Miss Jeffreys, an Irish Actress, the Latest to Win a Husband-Some Stage Beauties of the Past Who Are in Upper Social Berths.

ANOTHER ALliance of a matrimonial character has been consummated between Great Britain's aristocracy and the stage. This time it is the second son of the earl of Howe, while the lady is an Irish girl by the

name of Miss Jeffreys, who is the principal attraction just now at Terry's theater in London. The affection between the two is of long standing and they were to have been married two years ago, when the engagement was broken off in deference to the protests of Lord and Lady Howe. It is understood that neither the earl nor the countess have relented in the matter, and that they have cut off the allowance of their son Freddy as a manifestation of their displeasure, the result



being that the new Mrs. Curzon has thrown up none of her theatrical engagements, but keeps on performing, presumably with the object of keeping the pot boiling for herself and her husband. His older brother, Lord Curzon, as well as Lady Curzon, the best four in hand whip in England, and their only boy, a 10-year-old lad, were upset with the coach the other day and came narrowly near losing their lives, in which case the husband of Miss Jeffreys would have become Viscount Curzon and heir to the earldom. It does not necessarily follow that because a peeress or lady belonging by marriage to the aristocracy has been



appearance at court. Queen Victoria merely insists that no lady should be presented at court as long as she is on the stage. And as an illustration thereof it is only necessary to point out that Lady Martin, spent a part of her who life on the stage, is not only frequently admitted to the queen's dinner table, but is treated with the most marked friendship and consideration by her majesty. In this Victoria follows the example of her grandmother, Queen Charlotte, the wife of King George II. When the Lord Derby of those days married the famous Miss Farren, the



DOLLY TESTER. tain what Queen Charlotte's views were as to her appearance at court. Her majesty, who was infinitely more straitlaced than the present occupant of the British throne, replied that she had no objection to Lady Derby's appearance at court, because she had neard that Miss Farren, during her theatrical career, had always borne a most excellent reputation. It is merely because Queen Victoria would be inable to make a reply of this kind to any request of the same character in their cases that the gates of Buckingham palace remain closed to the countess of Clancarty, nee Belle Bilton; to the dowager marchioness of

christ, and the Hon. Mrs. Hubert Duncombe, nee Nellie Lamar, who is there fore the sister-in-law, of the lovely duchess of Leinster, of Lady Helen

Vincent and of Lady Ulrika Duncombe Of course there was also the morganatic wife of the duke of Cambridge. who was a Dublin actress: while on the continent there are a number of roval princes and great nobles who have sought their wives upon the stage, the most notable case being that of the late King Ferdinand of Portu-



SOPHIE HENSLER.

gal, who married as his second wife a Boston actress of the name of Sophie Hensler, upon whom he conferred the title of countess of Edla in her own right. Prince Alexander of Battenberg, the former ruler of Bulgaria, jilted Emperor William's sifter, Victoria, to marry the actress Mlle. Loisinger. Prince Windischgraetz, uncle of the present prime minister of Austria, married, not morganatically, but in the fullest sense of the word, one of the Taglione girls, the most notable ballerinas of the present century. The reigning duke of Saxe-Meiningen is married morganatically to an actress. and so, too, is the eldest brother of the empress of Austria.

SQUAW MEN.

Characters Held in Just Contempt Among Mexicans.

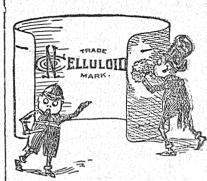
The discovery that Henry Graeme had been personating a girl, Etta, as a servant in a Brooklyn house, finds its counterpart among the Mexican households in the Spanish-American regions of the United States. Cases in these regions are not infrequent of persons, male by sex, who all their lives have chosen to wear women's clothes and to labor at those household avocations reckoned distinctively as woman's Such a case is thus described by a visitor to New Mexico: "Stopping to dine at a little plazita about twenty miles south of Santa Fe, my driver, an old timer, called my attention to what eemed to be a strapping woman workng among the female servants of the vealthy old Mexican don's household across the way. This slabsided, rather ungainly person with coarse features and a chin that suggested the razor, was attired in a calico gown wore gold earrings and had the hair braided behind. 'It's a man, such as it is!' said the driver. 'All he has to say about his wearing of woman's togs is that when a boy his mother always dressed him in girl's clothes, and he never learned to dress [differently. As he grew up he was set to work about the house with the women, where he is now, treated with about the same sort of forbearance and contempt that a "squaw man" receives among Indians. As I put it up, it was to get rid of being set to the hard, dangerous work of herding cattle and sheep when Indians were bad in the territory, that cowardly boys growing up to be peons virtually slaves, to the wealthy Mexicans, chose to be squaws and work with the women. You'll find such cases now here and there in the Mexican towns and among the Indian pueblos.

A Merry Emperor. The Emperor William is generally supposed to be a man of austere life. rigid and punctilious in his intercourse with those about him, and habitually absorbed in affairs of state. An evening on the imperial yacht Hohenzol lern is anything but dull, says the San Francisco Argonaut. Eccentric variety performances are provided, consisting of singing and playing in character. exhibitions of rapid sketching in caricature, impromptu verse making, etc. Among the participants in these merry makings are embassadors, ministers and professors, who are included among the emperor's guests.

Physical Development Increasing. Two statues lately exhibited in Boston were modeled after measurements made from the average man and the average woman. The statue of the average woman is the result of 5.000 measurements made by Dr. Sargent of Harvard, who says that it is 50 per cent removed from the perfect type. The faults of the figure are the hollow back and a weak waist. The oval fullness about the chest, it is said, is not found in any female figure in art. While the average woman may still fall far short of perfection in her physical make up, the number of vigorous, well formed young women who take an active interest in out of door life and physical development is increasing every day.

Death Roll of Forest Fires.

The death roll of the western forest fires is a long one. It seems certain that more than 600 persons perished in the fire at Hinckley. The population of the place before the calamity was about 1.200. Evidently more than half the inhabitants were caught by the flames. There is grave reason to fear that the total number of the dead will never be known. Possibly it might reach a thousand. The fires have Ailesbury, nee Dolly Tester; to the burned over twenty counties, and sixcountess of Orkney, nee Connie Gil- | teen towns have been destroyed.



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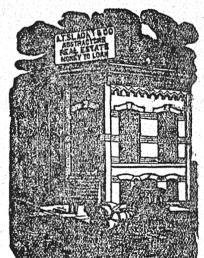
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and the Epistles,
When the other boys were burning tarburrels down the street
And I've stayed and le rined my verses when
I heard their willow whistles, And I've stayed and said my chapter with fire in both my feet.

And I've had to walk beside her-when she went to evening meeting, to be kicking, to be off: And I've waited while she gave the folks a word or two of rectin. First on one foot and the other, and 'most strangled with a cough.

"You can talk of Young America," I say, "till You are scarlet, It's Old America that has the inside of the Then she raps me with her thimble and calls me a young variet, And then she looks so woe-begone I have to

Eut! There always is a peppermint or a penny in her pocket—
There never was a pocket that was half so big and deep.
And she let; the candle in my room burn way down to the socket,
While she stews and putters round about till I am sound asleep.

There's always somebody at home when every

one is scattering:
She spreads the jam upon your bread in a way to make you row:
She always takes a fellow's side when every one is battering
And when I tear my jacket I know just where to go! And when I've been in swimmin; after father

said I shouldn't.
And mother has her slipper off according to the rule, It sounds as sweet as silver, the voice that says "I wouldn't"
The boy that won't go swimmin; such a day would be a fool!"

Sometimes there's something in her voice as if she gave a blessing, And I look at her a moment and I keep still as a mouse— And who she is by this time there is no need For there's nothing like a grandmother to have about the house!
—Harriet Prescott Spofford.

### MY JO, JOHN.

BY HELEN B. MATHERS. CHAPTER XIV-CONTINUED.

"John . . . John" . . . said the poor woman, a moan break-

ing from the very depths of her heart, "where are you? Tom, Tom, we must go at once and find him!"

"Fletcher and I have been looking for weeks," said Tom gravely. "We have communicated with the police. we have been to Scotland Yard, and everything short of advertising him has been done. He would never forgive us for doing that, if- if-" Tom besitated, "he is alive."

"Oh. my God!" cried Mary, like a wild thing. "It was all my doing. Mine-mine! He was ruined, and I behaved like a brute to him, and he thought I knew it, and that was why I left him!"

"I am afraid that was so," said

Tom sadly. "Mr. Goldsworthy dropped a word or two to that effect, and you know how proud the old dad was--he could never have borne to live upon a woman."

"Only that woman was his wife." said Mary, in agony. I begin to understand now—and his letter. O! blind, blind!"

She threw herself face downwards on the couch, trembling as if with ague, and Tom tried to soothe her. "Homeless, hungry, alone!" she said "while I-

"Mother," said Tom, almost stern-Ty, "you were not to blame. He did not tell you, and how were you to know? And his position with regard to Lady Blanche was equivocal enough to make any wife angry. Beast!" he ejaculated with extra-

ordinary vigour. "Who?" said Mary, lifting her pale face.

"Her! She! That woman. went up to the North to see her. She denied herself to me. I I sat insisted. She declined. in the hall six hours, and wore her patience out at last. She told me insolently that she knew nothing whatever of my father's movements."

"Tom," said Mary, "What had she get on?"

"I don't know the color, but next to nothing, as it was dinner time." "And do you think her so handsome?

"I think her a painted devil. Well, she swore she hadn't seen or heard from father since August, when he spent a few days at the castle. She scarcely hid her scorn of him as a broken-down gentleman, who had bored her to extinction, and said in. solently that father had been impertinent enough to associate her with his separation from his wife, and she had never been mixed up in affairs of that kind, and did not mean to be now."

"So his cozy corner was made cold to him," said Mary almost unconsciously.

"I told her straight that she and her cursed speculations had been the ruin of him," went on Tom," "and that though I had always heard her spoken of as the 'decoy duck' I never knew how thoroughly applicable the term was to her, till I saw her. And I told her that the woman who went into the streets daren't stand up against it, so I just for a living was worth fifty such as turned and went away, and then I whe, who ruined and despoiled hon- made some inquiries—they took me est English gentlemen to pay for a long time—but I'm pretty well their luxuries and buy jewels to hide su e I've found out the court he's in their brazen nakedness. And then

"Tom! Tom!"

you the rest." "I am coming with you, Tom," for her cloak. "Do you think I py, perhaps, by-and-by. can eat, sleep and drink here while

"What can you do, mother?" interrupted Tom, sadly. "You can't and tell us if he is found to-night." dress yourself in rags and exploit the Tom looked at his watch. East End, as Fletcher is doing now." "The East End. That awful place of an hour, he said. "Is there any

Mary in horror-stricken accents.

"Yes-Fletcher thinks he's got a clue, and he's following it up like a bull dog. And Martha's helping him!" he added, with a rueful attempt at a laugh.

"A clue?" said Mary, catching her breath, "and when will you know if it's a true one—to-night?"

"I hope so-but I doubt it." Mary's face was turned toward the window, the blackness of which reflected the low couches, the flowers and the pictures in the room, reflected also Tom's figure and hers, as they stood together.

As she looked, something seemed to come between them, and she gripped Tom's arm, pointing with her other to the window.

"There's someone outside," she said, in a voice entirely unlike her own, and in a second had dashed forward and was tearing at the wood and glass to get it open.

"John!" she said, springing out nto the dark after a dark something that eluded her. "John!"

No man could have resisted such a ery, and the figure came back, a thing in rags, and stood before her the veriest scarecrow that ever appeared in a lady's presence.

"Ma'am," it said imploringly. It was Fletcher. Mary laughed with a laughter

more dreadful than any tears. She seized him by the arm and dragged him into the warm, fragrant room and demanded of him his news. "He is alive, ma'am," Fletcher

said solemnly, "and he is well." "Thank God! Thank God!" and Mary's grasp relaxed and she stood

alone. "Tell me quick. Where is Fletcher shook his head. He was like the wraith of his respectable self, and yet he held his head up,

and was his very self still in all but appearance. "That I have not found out yet, ma'am," he said, "but I know the neighborhood he is in, and expect to find the house to-night or to-mor-

row. '' Mary uttered a low moan of intense disappointment, much as a starving creature may to whose lips bread is approached only to be

snatched away. "You followed up that clue we got esterday?" said Tom swiftly.

"Yes, Mister Tom. And last night about 7 o'clock, what seemed to be about his dinner time, poor soul! I saw him outside a dried-fish shop, looking in and considering what he'd buy, and at last he bought two bloaters for a penny-bloaters for dinner, Master Tom-bloaters! The woman treated him as if he was a prince and wrapped them up very careful and he put them in his pocket and went on."

"Was he-was he wrapped up?" said Mary, thinking of the sharp frost of these early November nights. "Not much," said Fletcher, hestatingly, "but he was tidy, no rags, ma'am, and clean linen-you know he never forgot that if he did everything else, but his hat and boots were very shabby, and he walked a bit bowed like, as if he'd been sitting over his books a good while." "Go or," said Mary, almost

fiercely. Presently he stopped at a bookshop - seems wonderful-like they should have book-shops in Whitechapel-and he stops, and he takes up first one, then another, lovingly, just as ladies take up their favorite flowers, and he fidgets about a bit. and he feels in his pockets and his face brightens up, and in he goes, and without any haggling, for he never could haggle, he buys a book for sixpence, and comes out with it, looking almost happy."
O! that "almost!" Mary winced

again. "Come, hurry up," said Tom impatiently.

"And then he goes on again, into worse and worse neighborhoods, that wouldn't have dared to tread on my own account less Id been in rags, and I see people nudging one another to look at him, for you don't see many gentlemen in those parts. But he'd no watch-there was nothing to steal, and he'd that look in his face that the smallest child 'ud trust, and I knew he was safe enough so I just followed on, and it seemed to me that he was going to stop at the mouth of a low alley, when he turned sharp around and saw me. Fletcher drew a deep breath, and an expression of acute pain crossed his

"Before I could so much as speak, he waved me off quite wild-like. If he wasn't such an abstanious gentleman, you'd have thought he'd been drinking, and "Fletcher," he says, "I never sent for you-how dare you

come spying after me?" "I begged and implored him to listen to rae, but he didn't seem to hear, only says, 'Go home, and don't let me catch you here again! What business have you in those rags? Remember I left your mistress in your care, and I expect to be obeyed. There was that flash in his eye, I -Slum court it's called-and I'm going into every house in it. on one pretext or another, to night. And "And since then—but I have told now I must be going, as it's getting

late. Mary was calmer now, with a prosaid Mary, getting up and reaching found feeling that she might be hap-

Tom," she said turning to him. "take me up to town at once, somewhere that Fletcher can come to

"There is a train in three-quarters you call Whitechapel?" whispered one to harness the pony to the carriage?

"I will," said Fletcher promptly, A USEFUL OPPONENT. and was shortly recognized and welcomed by Mayfly, who like most animals was not to be confused in a personality by a mere change of clothes.

'You must eat something first, mother," said Tom as they crossed the hall to the dining room, where the table was already spread for dinner, delicately bright with its glass and silver, and the autumn leaves that made a crimson wreath round the candelabra with its white shades.

"I am not hungry," said Mary, looking straight before her, and seeing instead a bare board, with a crust and a bit of dried fish upon it. "I have eaten too much and too long. I have eaten right through the time that he has starved!'

She rang the bell and Polly came "I am going to town for a few

days," she said, "put me up a handbag and a change of linen-quick." The pony carriage came round as if of its own accord just as the bag was ready. On going out Mayfly was discovered in sole possession, and Polly stared as mother and son drove away.

But outside the gate, a scarecrow jumped up behind, and went all the way as far as the railway station, where it once more miraculously disappeared. "Fletcher," said Mary, turning

her head once, "where is Martha?" "In Whitechapel, ma'am, in a decent lodging, and very comfortable she has made it. She sent you her

duty, and was sorry to be away so ong. Mary smiled into Tom's face in the dark, and Tom grinned back.

CHAPTER XV. The tallow candle wanted snuffing and John Anderson stretched his

hand out for the snuffers. There were none, and he went on eading with difficulty, the light was so bad. But he persevered, perhaps because the page was so much pleasanter to look upon than the squalid room, with its dirty, unwashed floor, its bulging, discolored walls, and a dismal ceiling that his head almost touched when he stood upright.

A pallet, on which the linen was clean, a tub, a portmanteau that had seen better days, a jug and a basin, a saucepan, frying-pan and sooty kettle, with the chair and rude table at which he sat, completed the furniture of the room. This being almost at the top of the house, no blind was required, and indeed the blackness of the night made one, though through the obscured glass shine. It was close on midnight. but the miserable place was alive with shouts and voices, and heavy steps that stumbled and pounded on the crazy stairs. The only quiet spot in it was this little room uptairs, and John's privacy was not likely to be invaded, for, no matter what orgies or rows might be going brought in a note on a tray. It is forward, it was an understood thing unusual for notes to arrive at three that the "gentleman was not to be disturbed.

his door, and when presently it opened, he did not look up, sup- then tore it into fragments, and put posing it would close again when the them carefully, very carefully, in the intruder discovered his mistake.

table where he sat, and a loving of paper curl and break into a thouyoung voice cried: "Dad!" and then sand pieces. choked as the tall, bent figure sprang up, and the two stood face drew a deep breath of relief.

could you?" For a moment John's heart leaped. and the warmth of that young blood all," he said, with a forced attempt to gripped hands, then he drew himself up and said proudly:

"And why are you here, Tom?" "Why?" us, we were going to desert you?" [TO BE CONTINUED.]

Nothing Unscaled Among the Alps. least without professional guides, but few remain the mere ascent of was tanding at the window of the which confers any brevet of distinction in this field of athletics. As in which boast semi-professional experts, the standard has been raised. traverse such peaks as the Matterhorn and descend on the opposite side, or across the Dom du Mischabel, the highest peak on Swiss soil, which presents little difficulty until one descends the steep rock face above Saas. There are still a few summits left which are admitted to be somewhat "tough," and one of given his verdict in favor of Chamouny as a happy hunting ground. -Scribner's Magazine.

Musical Int lilgence Gruff Old Gent, to dude-How's your sister coming on? I haven't

seen her for a long time. Dude-Why, she ith in Italy. took the pwize at the conservatory of muthic in Rome.

"Did she go to Italy to learn to play the piano? "Yeth sir." "Weil, If she did that the Ameri-

cans ought to give her another

prize."-Texas Siftings. Coffin Wood Is Mined. Trees from which coffin wood taken in Tonquin are mined instead of being taken from the living forest. They are found buried under a

My husband was a gambler, a member of a prominent club. Night after night I was left alone, while he pursued his calling at the club, presumedly a gentleman, yet only intent upon winning the money of his acquaint-

ances. Time after time I had urged him to give up his despicable business but he turned my entreaties aside by offering excuses which were not at all satisfac-

"We live well," he said, "and I need money to pay our expenses. You are well aware that when I married you I nad no visible means of support, although your parents were laboring under the most delightful delusion that was am illionaire and acatch in the matrimonial market worth more than passing attention. Therefore, when it came to setting up a house I had to make some money. And money I nade by playing cards, which is easy enough when you know—

his face and settled there.
"'When you know how,' I suppose ou were going to say," I remarked, wondering why a sentence should have been begun only to be left unfinished. "Yes," he answered, "in all games which combine chance with skill, the skill is bound to tell in the long run. With a cool hand and a level head the odds are in your favor, especially when

you are playing against men with

more money than brains and fonder of whisky than soda. "My luck as you have good reason to know has been phenomenal. It accounts for the horses you drive; it accounts for this luxurious furniture; accounts for my balance at the bank. It has enabled me to keep you in the best society, in the fashionable circles which surrounded you when you were born—destined to marry a Standard Oil millionaire, or the son of a Sugar Trust Senator, at least, f it had not been for the penniless adventurer who made such capital out

of his good looks and charming man-"Good looks and charming manners, ndeed," I said, thumping him on the houlder.

"That's all," he said.
"Well, and what is there to prevent you from leaving off now without empting Providence any farther?" "Good gracious, child," he said quite angrily, "don't you see? The men in the club expect at least a chance of getting some of their money back. They--'

"I don't see the good of winning at all if you feel bound to go on playing

till you lose."
"I don't intend to lose," he said, quietly. "Winning back lost money is the most expensive game a gambler plays. It makes him demoralized and reckless. Besides, people grow susno diamond points of starlight could pictous of a man who gives up play before play gives him up. Society would have nothing to do with us were the ghost of a suspicion cast on my honesty by some evil minded cellew at the club. The loss of society's smile would be nothing to me, but to you-Nothing to him, indeed!

Horace--A neat maid opened the door and o'clock in the morning, but Horace Linley did not seem in the least sur-

So that he had no occasion to lock prised.
is door, and when presently it He took it, rend it through quickly,

But the steps came right up to the them, he watched the blackened scraps He watched the flames leap upon

"Thank Heaven!" he said. Then he "I shall have to go out for half an "Father," said Tom, all the color hour," he remarked, getting up and in his handsome young face, and holding out his coat for me to put on. tears in his eyes. "Oh! father how He turned as he reached the door and kissed his hand, an unusually serious expression in his face. "Perhaps I

smile, "only you must give me time." I sprang to my feet but he was gone. Then my pent-up feelings found an outlet, and I cried a little to myself. said poor Tom. "Did wondering at the secret trouble which you think that because you deserted was gnawing at my husband's heart. That look on his face haunted me all

night and for many a long day after. Laurence Cushmore, my husband's To-day, when every great peak has friend, told me afterward, the end of been thoroughly explored, when the story, although he never guessed famous climbers have achieved the the truth. About a week must have most difficult summits alone, or at passed since that nocturnal conversa-least without professional guides Nonpariel Club talking with my broth-

er Lacy. 'Well, if you don't' know who the all professions, and in all sports fellow is I'm sure nobody else does," he said. Lacy had a reputation for head. He was in a shaving saloon the knowing everybody in the city. In order to take a high rank, or to can't imagine how he ever came to be "make a record," the aspirants for elected, or, rather, why we never the honors of the Alpine club must blackballed him. There was a time

when we were select at the Nonpariel Club, at all events." "He played a confoundedly good game of cards," said my brother. He had an intense admiration for any one

who could make money. "So much the worse," said Cushmore, turning his pockets inside out with a comic gesture of despair. "He cleaned me out last night. One does the most successful enthusiasts in not mind losing one's money to a felthe matter of rock peaks has recently low like Horace Linley, that lucky brother-in-law of yours, but when it comes to an interloper like this man Balsam, or whatever the fellow's name is, it—well, you know what I mean, He's so confoundedly confident about his luck, too. Brags about it all the time. By Jove, I would give anything to see him fleeced-not that I have much left that is worth having even at

a gift."
"Horace is the only man who could prove amatch for him.' "And Linley won't play with the brute, small blame to him either—" "Linley is going to play with him tonight."

Both the men turned, and found Jared Henderson at their elbow.
"Don't you believe it," said Lacy, helping himself to a cigar from the new-comer's case. "It's a fact. They are to play poker

-ten dollars ante, and betting unlimit-

Cushmore whistled.

## "Horace refused to have anything to

do with him last night; whereupon Balsam remarked: And just as well. too, if he wants to keep his reputation as the best player in the club,' which brought Linley up to the scratch like the thoroughbred that he is.

"You don't mean to tell me that the fellow had the cheek to say that." Lacy was tremendously shocked. He could not understand anyone being rude, even

"He did, though. Now for dinner at Delmonico's, and then back here to see

them play." And the three men casting a look of mutterable disgust in the direction of the great leather chair in which the new member of the club sat reading his evening paper, went out into the ms evening rearrant roar of Broadway.

The chief card room of the Nonpariel Club was crowded as it had never been crowded before that night. The news of the great contest had spread abroad, and prominent actors and men about town were there to see the contest between Horace Linley and the comparatively new member of the club A peculiar expression flitted across James Balsam.

Lacy and a group of his intimate friends stood just behind my husband's years old. are believed to be more than 4.000 chair, and Cushmore was on the opposite side of the table.

winner. He had the most astonishing the world her place in the ceremony luck in drawing. If he needed a king, is to the left. or an ace, or a jack, he was almost certain to draw it.

The bets ran high, good hands were the rule, but Linley was in hard luck. After an hour's play he had lost at

Toward midnight something occurred which made Cushmore raise his eye-brows. He looked across to Lacy. Jared Henderson, who was an exceedingly nervous man, turned white to the lips, and suddenly left the room. Balsam had been detected cheating. With his face darkened by an angry

frown. Horace pushed back his chair "These cards are marked," he said, quietly; "they must have been smuggled into the club with the connivance of one of the servants---" "It's a lie!" Balsam hissed. He look

ed around the room, hoping to find some support among the members, and finding none, he made a sudden move ment toward the door.

In a moment, Cushmore sprang as

him and seized his wrists.
"Not so fast, my friend," he said. Lacy sent a waiter for a policeman, but my husband called the man back. "Don't make an ass of yourself,"

he said; "whatever happens, let us have a bottle on hand. avoid a scandal." Then he turned to his opponent. "There's the door," he said, pointing

with his finger. "Go." The other put his hand in his pock et drew forth a huge roll of bills, and laid his winnings on the table, feeling like a whipped dog.

Horace removed a few of the notes-

probably a hundred dollars—and handed them to Balsam, without a word. A murmur of approbation at his gen erosity ran round the room. When the door was closed upon Bal-

sam, and those who had witnessed the disgraceful episode had returned to the card-room, my husband begged to be allowed to say a word publicly.
"Gentlemen," he said, "I am going to act on impulse. From this moment. and in your presence, I swear solemnly never to touch a card again for the remainder of my life. Whether I am a fool for my pains or not, will prob ably be a matter of dispute, but my

mind is made up. I have never be-

fore seen cheating at cards, and never again will I, willingly, submit to such an experience. I am impelled to the course I am about to take, and I take it confident that I shall at least have your sympathy.' There were murmurs of applause, which were drowned in louder murmurs of surprise, and several men said openly that they considered Horace

on all sides that my husband had conducted himself admirably. I never knew until the day of my husband's death the truth of the matter. As he lay dying, mourned by hundreds of acquaintances, and above all, by the members of the Nonpareil Club, he called me to him and told

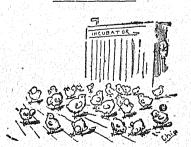
an idiot However, it was admitted

me the secret of his life. Ah! how shall I tell the rest? My Horace, the husband whom I loved, who was more to me than all the world, was the most successful card-sharper of this or any other age. Balsam was his accomplice, and he used him more ingeniously to cover his retreat from the card-tables, after he had become a millionaire. Not a soul ever suspected him, or guessed the se-

Forgot an Important Point.

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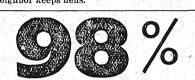
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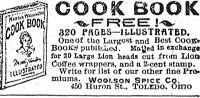
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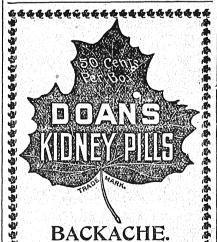




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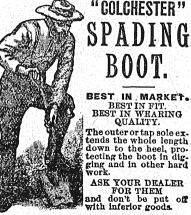
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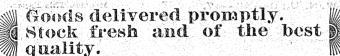
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Died August 17, 1894, in the 53rd year of her age, Maggie, wife of John L. Jones, in Sanilac Co., Mich. Mrs. Jones' madien name was Sellars, and she was born and raised in Greene Co. where many of her people still reside. Her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. ellars, live in Waynesburg. For the past 18 years she has lived in Michigan and who all knew her well were proud boast of her friendship; all were bettered by their intercourse with her. and impressed by the sweet influence hat she shed around. She possessed most sweet and winning disposition

nd qualities of head and heart which once won the hearts of all. She had ot an enemy in the world. No mind ame in contact with hers, but was richer for the meeting. No heart same under her gracious influence, but

vent away elevated into purer and obler inspirations. Her lips never pened against the faults of others and her ears were ever closed to the words of ill report. She promoted good deeds by her example, and exemplified not only the cardinal principle, alike the finer qualities of the true woman, the crowning excellencies of uman attainment.

Tenderly devoted as a wife, she has gone to the marriage supper of the amb.

Affectionate, considerate, prudent, sacrificing, as a mother, she leaves to her son and daughters the precious legacy of an example whose influence is an inspiration. Ever ready to do good and to communicate, the poor and needy feel that they have lost a helper—the sick and afflicted miss their sympathizing friend. Unostentations and unobstrusive in the dis charge of the obligations of her Christian profession, yet none the less a loyal lover of Zion, the church below is only reconciled to her absence by the thought that she is now participating in the worship of the church on high. A happy home with such a mother and what is home without a mother? We commit it to the care of their mother's God, as we render this tribute to one

Whose image never will depart, Deep graven on their grateful hearts, Till memory be dead, To one whose love for them did last When lighter passions long had passed, So deep it was and pure."

It is not as if they were lost to us, those who have gone before, they have only gone home, up there with Jesus. and waiting to welcome us. Those are now in the very presence of the

Lord and the redeemed ones. Mrs. Jones left a family of five girls have made arrangements for all old and one son. The oldest, Mrs. Libbie Chisholm, and children were visiting her parents when her third child sickened and died on Friday, Aug. 17, 1894, a little more than a week before his hard tack and old army yarns. Latch grandma's death. At her death, Mrs. string on the out side all day. Chisholm was very low, and she, too, passed away Sept. 9, 1894. May the God whom Libbie trusted and served sustain, in their hours of sorrow and paid at once. loneliness, her husband, father, broth- 9-7

er and sisters, and all who mourn her Two Papers For Less Than departure, and bless her little children and lead them by the path their mother trod up to that home where there shall friends may meet to part no more.

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But death had not vet finished his work. The next victim was Johnie, the eldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Chrisholm a bright, beautiful boy, a special favorite among the circle of friends. Then Essie, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, the darling of the family, was stricken down and after battling three weeks with the terrible disease, passed away to join the loved ones already on the other shore. Essie was born in Greenleaf, Sanilac Co., Mich., she be missed by the bereaved family, er, Detroit, Mich. of which she was a cherished member, while they have our deepest sympathy. We trust they may fully realize the promise of the dear Father, who does not willingly afflict, "That as one whom mother comforteth, so I will comfort

"Dearest Essie, thou has left us Here thy loss we deeply feel. But 'tis God who hath bereft us He can all our sorrof heal.'

#### Mrs. T. D. Barnes. ARGYLE.

A shoemaker in town.

F. Darr is again in the blacksmith

Hunting is the occupation of th sports now adays. A. Herdall is making preparations to

ouild an addition to his store. Wm. McLean went to Ypsilanti. He

will spend a while at the State Normal T. Patterson went to Renwick, Ont. last week, where he will work during the winter.

Chas, Klein returned from Sand Beach last week where he has been working during the summer.

A very enjoyable time expected to be night, Nov. 29th. All will be welcome Maccabee box social was held at Argyle Centre in the Maccabee hall on moved their grocery stock and bakery Friday eve. The crowd was small but into the building formerly occupied by had a very enjoyable time. Proceeds Mr. Sponenburg. a out \$4.

### GAGETO WN.

Mrs. Walt Ricky is visiting relatives in Canada.

Dr. Morris was in Cass City Wednesday on business.

Joseph Mosack has his new barn and neds near completion.

A. J Palmer has received a big consignment of Holiday goods.

Fredrick Wurst and daughter, of Linkville, were in town Wednesday on pension business.

Charley Maynard has swapepd his bay pacer for a chunck of Michigan Ave-

nue property Detroit. J. G. Lehman has been puting on some needed repairs on the Catholic

school the past week. The Gagetown Dramatic Club will have something to interest the in-

quisitive in the near future. James McDougall weilds the hammer at Hennesey's blacksmith shop, during the latter's absence.

Mrs. Lillian Cole and her husband, of Detroit, attended the funeral of her brother, Roland Gage, Sunday,

The Lady Maccabees sanwiched their leige lords Tuesday evening at the residence of their victim, J. Taget. P. Fehrenkopf and R. S. Brown astended the execution of the eleven

new Foresters at Cass City Tuesday Roy Gage, of North Branch, grandson of P. H. Gage has returned to his home after a two weeks visit with rela-

tive here. T. F. Smith's folks gave a party to the young people last Friday evening in the honor of their daughter, Susie's school the past week.

Laronga Brothers left for Detroit Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Daniel with whom we used to walk and talk Shane, who died at her home in that City Monday of heart disease.

> The members of T. B. Myer's Post soldiers and especially those drawing pensions to meet G. A. R. hall, Dec. 4th to have their vochers made out, and partake of free luuch of coffee

All accounts and notes due must be

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#### ELLINGTON

Wit Bailey and J. H. Mosher return ed from their hunt below Sebewaing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson re turned from their visit up north last

Andrew Campbell is now engaged with a number of hands lumbering his forty on section 28.

Benjamin Southworth, Jr. will go up to Maple Ridge the last of this week to

spend the winter. J. F. Brock is the new director of District No. 5. of Ellington in place of list below:

Fred Keileitz, resigned.

#### KINGSTON

Alfred Moyer visited Imlay City on Wednesday.

Mitchell & Co. lost one of their horses on Saturday last.

A son-in-law of Mr. Killins' has rent ed a part of Mrs. Pelton's house.

The drug stock of N. B. Sponenburg was moved to Detroit last week, by Mr. LaFlamboy. We have not heard what had at Vater' Hall on Thanksgiving vocation Mr. S. intends to follow now that he has given up that of druggist.

> Martin VanTassel, who has been working in W. P. Millikin's livery for

The Misses Doyle and Deitz hav

some time, went to Flint on Thursday last to spend the winter. Notices have been posted announcing the sale of the Kingston Co. oper-

ative butter and cheese factory located here by Davis & Rankin, builders, on a rexecution sale. Frank Saigen, A. B. Payne, J. Noble

and Elmer Arnold made up a hunting party that started north last Saturday morning from this place with team and wagon. Consignments of wild game are expected(?) to reach here by the first of the week.

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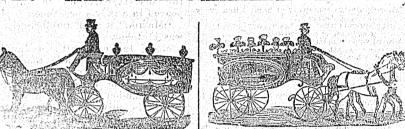
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#### HAPS AND MISHAPS!

As Told by the Enterprise's Corps of Correspondents

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

HAST GRANT.

Duncan and Jack Battel visited with their sister, Mrs. Parr, of Rescue, on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Monday, where he will visit with we might suggest it a fact as they can't friends for sometime. be downed in the Thumb. Geo. Parr and sister, Lucinda, called

#### WICK WARE.

Rob Wilson, of Gagetown, is home for the winter

Thomas Nicol, County Drain Commissioner, was in this vicinity Sunday. H. E. Hunter and daughter, Martha, of Watrousville, are visiting in this

Everybody is coughing in these parts. All it lacks of the whooping cough, is the "whoop."

Mr. Bartlet, of Evergreen, has moved on his farm which he purchased of S.

Robert Charlton returned home from the north last Friday where he has

been hunting "dears" and birds. Wm. Blackwell and family have

moved north of Cass City on a farm which they rented of E. C. Poppleton. A meeting was held in the school house last Thursday evening to consider the question of a Christmas tree. Arrangements were made satisfactory, an excellent program is being prepared, and a grand time is expected

#### DEFORD.

Our town alive with potatoe venders rom all nations.

Relatives from Almont visited B. failed to materialize largely. Sharp last week.

nealth this winter.

Ambrose Huffman is home from north woods with mangled limbs.

Some bagas are frozen in the soil at present, but we hope for a thaw up. News yery scarce for all are completing fall work. There is no time for visiting and gossip.

north of Novesta post office.

Mert Crittindon and Maggie Mcracken have joined destines and go west, not very far west however, but up into Columbia township where Mert has a drain job. They have started out as if they meant business and we trust Particulars later. the star of their ambition may never grow dim.

Parties from Armada county came up here last week and killed five deer that the settlers could have gathered in if disposed to break our game laws. They were cheeky fellows and brought them to the station and shipped them home, all in broad day light. We trust our game warden will put a stop house. to strangers taking meat from under our nose, that we dare not even smell-

### KARRS' CORNERS

William Randall has moved into the Harrison house.

William Karr has moved into the John Bird house.

Parmer Karr has taken a wood jok outh of Gagetown.

David Laffrity made a business trip | ing the latter at present.

to Bay City last week. Miss Lottie More, of Bay City is vis ting at J. Darling's at present.

Miss Mertie Maxfield, who has been working in West Grant is home again John Kilburn has built a new sheep pen. The boys say he shingled it with

Parmer Karr and his best girl were oleasant caller at Mr. Muma's last Sun-

Zack Battel, who has been in Manitoba for the past few years has return-

C. Dewey has rented his farm to his son Louis, who intends to try the

game for a while.

were united in marriage at the resi- the Asylum. dence of the bride's uncle, Parmer Karr. Several relatives and friends were present and a good time was had. We wish the young couple success, joy and happiness all through life.

### OWENDALE.

Charley Vantiffling was at Caro on

Dan McCollnm was at the County

Seat on Monday. Ralph Ballagh was in Elkton and

Bad Axe Saturday on business. Charley Chisholm and Toney Hughes were at the County Seat on Monday.

and bought some fine hogs and cattle the past week for the Eastern market.

Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at T. H. Fritz's, Drug Store.

Nathan Lundy has purchased some cedar off the Anderson forty and is nanufacturing it into stakes and posts. John Ballgah and Sister Minnie, ac-

companied by Miss Stevens, of Teeswater, were the guests of R. Ballagh and family Sunday last.

John McCollum has purchased the entire crop of hay on the Cosgrove and White farm east of town. Jack is a hustler, as he. through the purchase. will press over 100 tons of hav.

A social hop at the residence of Ed Owen on Tuesday evening of this week Frazer's String Band furnishes the E. Reader started for Canada, on music. A good time is anticipated and

A grand box social will be held in on Mr. and Mrs. John Battel on the Methodist church south of town on thanksgiving evening, Thursday the 29th of November, for the benefit of Rev. Eastlake. The above gentleman will finish his fifth of November discourse on Orangeism on the above date. Doors open at at 7;30. Good music. Come one and all.

#### ELMWOOD.

Jas. Whitsell visited relatives in

reenleaf on Sunday.

J. Millers and Mrs Edgar visited relatives in Watrousville part of last week. W. A. Lockwood has gone to Bay City to visit with relatives for a short

W. N. Willey, of Bay Port, is helping A. J. Spittler on his job of cutting edar in Dodge's swamp at present.

Mrs. Wm. Ostrander, who has been visiting W. A. Lockwood's for some time past, returned home on Monday

I. Waidley hulled his mammoth clover this week having about thirty bushels of seed. P. Gage's machine lid the work.

Jas. Walters and Geo. Peddie have purchased 40 acres of timber land in sec. 30, Oliver township, and intend to take the timber off this winter.

A. A. Hargrave had some friends from Caro spend Saturday with him-They put in the day hunting, They did considerable hunting but the game

The following letters were uncalled Miss Josie Retherford has very poor for in the p. o. at Elmwood: S. Ewens H. D. Evertt, H. Hillier, Gust Hubert, Frank Wolman, James Holmes, Geo Laford, Miss Mary Smith, Burnett G. Shaffer, Chas C. Venning, Gertie Williamson, Mrs. Yargland.

A spelling society was organized in the Cedar Run school house on Saturday night. The following officers were Philetus Gibbs, of Big Beaver, Oak elected: A. J. Spittler, Pres; A. E. land county, has moved onto his place | Hendrick, vice pres; Louise Leach, sec; A. A. Hargrave, Treas. Meetings to be held on Saturday evenings at

### NOVESTA.

A wedding is reported for this week

R. Kennedy purchased a colt in the vicinity of Cass City Monday. Whooping cough is reported in

school district No. 5 at present. J. Smith, of Cass City, moved into the house lately vacated by J. Delong-

Elder Brown, of Yale, is holding revival meetings in the Ferguson school You can get more and

T. Gillis intends going to the vicinity of Reece to work on a hay press this

D. Livingstone, wife and daughter visited friends in Elkton Saturday and

Mr. McVanwell and Mr. Graham, of Rodney, Ont., are visiting A. Leitch and other friends here. D. McMullen, of Kintyre, Ont.,

brother-in-law of J. McAllum, is visit- Than anywhere in town. J. Delong moved his family to the

house lately vacated by C. Rohr as he rented the above place for a term of

Oyster supper at R. H. Warner's Wednesday evening was well attended. A good time was reported.

J. Sanford has built a new woodshed He believes in having his wood under cover this stormy weather.

The entertainment at the Quick school house Friday evening was a fizzle as the lecturer failed to put in an appearance.

Geo. Hamilton, of Pontiac, who has been visiting friends here and hunting for some past, returned to Pontiac James Profit and Mead McIntyre | Wednesday to resume his duties in

> Henry Loyd, of Wadrsville, Ont. returned home last Tuesday rfter a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. Ellison, and other friends here. He vicinity. We are prepared to show was well pleased with the looks of this you a nice assortment of Fall and

### Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. Kings New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding LaGrippe. Terrible paroxsoms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. R. Case, of Rescue, was in this part A friend recommended Dr. King's New



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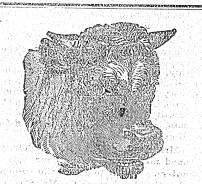
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A CHAPTER OF THE DOINGS OF MICHIGANDERS.

Smugglers Caught in the Act at Port Huron.—Coal Gas Kills a Young Lady at Bay City.-Thanksgiving Proclama tion.-State Sunday School Workers.

Smugglers Caught at Port Huron. Customs Officer Fred A. Buzzell, at Port Huron, captured two alleged smugglers and seized about 1,500 of celluloid, worth about \$1,500, which was smuggled over the river to escape a duty of 50 cents per pound. Henry Cumphrey, a well-known diver, and Charles King, a drayman, are the parties under arrest. The celluloid is in six cases weighing about 250 pounds each. It was brought over in rowboats at night, but unfortunately one case fell overboard at the dock, and it was while Cumphrey was getting this case out of the river that he was arrested. The five cases had been taken to the denot and were to be shipped to a firm in Chicago. It not only celluloid but opium. John

Her Wedding Gown for a Shroud. Escaping gas at the residence of William Hammond of Bay City, was the cause of the death of Kate Connors, aged 22, and the placing of Nina Hammond, aged 13, next to the grave. Both occupied the same room. A new coal stove was placed in the house and the pipe was put in by Hammond himself. It appears that he ran it so far into the chimney that there was no outlet for the gas. Miss Con-nors complained about the way the stove was acting before she went to bed, but did not make an investigation. In the morning it was discovered that the house was full of gas and smoke. but it was not considered serious. Miss Connors was to have been married in a few days and her wedding trousseau was all ready.

Gov. Rich Says, Let Us Give Thanks. Gov. Rich has issued the following proclamation:

In accordance with the time-honored custom, I hereby appoint Thursday, November 29, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer. On that day the people of this state are requested to desist from secular pursuits and assemble at their respective places of worship and return thanks to the giver of every good and perfect gift for the blessings they enjoy. When gathered around the family table, loaded with the good things of every clime, do not forget the poor whom ye have always with you, and to whom a substantial remembrance on this day of peace and good cheer will soften to some extent the hard lines in which their lives

A Watchman's Battle With Burglars. A pitched battle occurred at Vicksburg between Night Watchman Barnev and two burglars. One burglar entered the carriage shop belonging to Wintersdorf & Son. The other stood guard outside. Barney saw the flicker of a match in the shop and proceede to investigate. Upon approaching the buildings the man outside several times ordered him to halt and then fired. Barney responded with his gun. The burglar inside jumped out of the window and all three took a hand in the battle. One ball passed through Barney's cap, plowed a furrow in his scalp and knocked him down. Upon exhausting his gun Barney went for help and another revolver and the burglars decamped.

Murdered to Get Life Insurance. Augustus Vetter, a farmer near Buchanan, was brutally assaulted by his father-in-law, George Swaringer, with a hammer while in bed. He has since died of his injuries and his assailant has been arrested. Bad blood has existed between the two men for some time and that Swaringer, who is 60 years of age is of a quarrelsome disposition. Vetter carried a life insurance policy for \$2,000 in the Maccabees and it is alleged that there was a scheme on between his wife and her father to get the money which was in her name. Vetter was able to tell of the assault before he died and also accused his wife and her father of having previously tried to poison him.

Whole Family Arrested for Murder. Mrs. Susan Swartz was arrested at Colon on the charge of complicity in the murder of Williard M. Johnson. She is also charged with concealing murderers. Three sons and her husband are also behind the bars. youngest son and father are charged with complicity; the two other sons with direct murder.

Robert Cragin, aged 14, of Niles, threw kerosene in his father's furnace. Flames shot out and burned him horribly. He will not recover.

Hon. W. R. Burt, of Saginaw, denies the story of the consolidation of the C., S. & M., the T., A. A. & N. M. and

the D., B. C. & A. railroads. Ionia's Sunday closing ordinance has been overthrown on the ground that the city charter gave the council no

power to pass such an ordinance. John De Mann, seven years ago, be ing then 19 years of age, killed Chris Rickling at Grand Rapids. He was

sent to Jackson for 15 years. He has been constantly planning to escape, but the strain has caused him to become violently insane.

Deputy Sheriff Phelps, of Washtenaw, arrested six men, all hitherto respectable citizens of Augusta township, for stealing chickens, wheat, oats, etc., from farmers. Other arrests will follow, as there is in all probability an organized gang in that vicinity composed of farmers and hired born, will be sent to the Michigan Unimen, who have been disposing of their ll-gotten gains in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Slasher-No. Mr. Slasher, vou need not have the butcher call for orders. I wish to go to the shop and would think beef grew on a vine. Mrs. Slasher-And so it does. Mr. Slasher-on a bo-vine.

341,000 CHILDREN

Represented at the Michigan Sunday School Convention at Grand Rapids.

The state Sunday school convention opened at Grand Rapids with a mon-ster mass meeting which filled Lockerby hall to overflowing and hundreds were turned away. There were fully 1,800 delegates in attendance at the meetings, which were the largest ever held in the state. President George Parsons, of Watervliet, presided. Mayor Fisher welcomed the guests to the city. Gov. Rich spoke, favoring the church and Sunday schools as a matter of public economy, if for no other reason. Gen. O. O. Howard, the recently retired major-general of the United States army, the well-known Christian soldier, was the card of the convention, and his speech was most characteristic of the man. He favored more united effort in church work between the denominations and the elimination of individual and church selfishness. He praised the work being done by the young people's associations in the churches.

The executive committee's report

showed that the members of the committee had attended 170 rallies and conventions and had traveled 15,180 miles the past year. There were 64 counties which held rallies, some of is thought that those arrested are them two, during the year. All the members of a large gang of smugglers who have been successfully smuggling Secretary M. H. Reynolds, of Owosso, reported 4,000 schools, 46,000 teachers Kerwin was later arrested as one of 341,000 scholars in Michigan. Treasthe gang. ported receipts, \$2,483.75; expenditures, \$2,451.37; balance, \$32.28. Officers were chosen as follows: President, Thos. E. Barkworth, Jackson; vice-presidents, G. L. Wright, Hancock; J. E. Bolles; Detroit; J. H. Grant, Manistee; Rev. Thos. Middlemas, Alpena; Rev. Wm. Hall Williamson, Grand Rapids; recording secretary, A. H. Cross, Lyons; treasurer, W. L. C. Reid, Jackson: executive committee, E. A. Hough, Jackson, chairman; W. C. Sprague, Detroit; Rev. Washington Gardner, Albiert A. H. Smarthout, Saginary. Albion; A. H. Swarthout, Saginaw; C. E. Adams, Detroit; Leonard Lawrence, Detroit; Rev. H. M. Morey, Ypsilanti; J. M. Davis, Kalamazoo; E. K. Mohr, Grand Rapids; H. M. Ford,

> Schooner Capsized—Three Drowned. The little schooner Antelope capsized while attempting to make port at Grand Haven. The three men who constituted the crew were drowned. They are Capt. John Larsen and brother and a Swede, known as Chris, all of Whitehall. Ten minutes after the capsizing of the Antelope the little sailing scow Alert, light, tried to make the piers but failed and went on

the beach. Her crew were rescued.

Baptist Congress. The twelfth annual Baptist congress was held at Detroit. This congress is a gathering of the leaders of Baptist thought and work and is each year productive of many valuable thoughts and ideas. President A. G. Slocum. LL.D., of Kalamazoo, presided over the meetings. A number of splendid papers were read and discussed. One of the features of the congress was a reception at the home of Rev.

L. H. Trowbridge. MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

Marlette is now lighted by electricity

Frank Bean died of black small-pox at Clawson. John Johnson, of Holland, suicided

it Manistee. Ludington wants a tannery, and has all the natural facilities.

C. A. Mapes' dry goods store at Vas sar was burglarized. Loss \$100.

Weaver & Mabee's cider and feed mill burned at Watervliet. Loss \$3,000. The south pier at the mouth of Holand harbor has been washed away by the storms.

Coal gas nearly ended the lives of the nembers of John Vantoll's family at Grand Haven.

A Benton Harbor concern has just Great Britain.

William Langsford, a laborer in the Negaunee mine, was instantly killed by a fall of rock. Lieut-Gov.-elect Milnes lost \$65 cash

and 12 watches from his Coldwater store. Burglars. Grand Rapids furniture manufactur ers are strongly agitating the abolish

ng of the factory at Ionia prison. The roller flouring mills, owned by S. M. Trobridge & Son, at Geneva have burned. Loss about \$12,000.

The Aldrich Memorial Deaconesses Home at Grand Rapids was dedicated with appropriate and impressive cere

Luke Sharia, of Sodus, was robbed

of \$3,500 in gold. He had no faith in banks and buried the money in his voodshed. The merchants and citizens of Iron-

wood are jubilant over the resumption of operations by the Ashland mine, ocated in that city. While hunting deer on the Muskegon river, near Marion, L. C. Hancock

vas instantly killed by the accidental lischarge of a gun in the hands of J. Lafferty. Fred Gordon, colored, broke into the coom of Miss Taylor near Chelsea and attempted to assault her The girl's

clothing was all torn off before her mother came to the rescue. S. M. Trowbridge & Son's flouring mill near South Haven was destroyed by fire. The building was full of grain

and new machinery had but recently been put in. Loss \$20,000; not insured. Mrs. John Winger, of Dexter, gave birth to twin girls, weighing about 10 pounds, that were connected like the Siamese twins, with the further peculiarity that they had but one abdomen. The twins, which were dead when

versity. Warren Martin, Lou Smith and Will Hinckle recently stole a pair old shoes worth about 75 cents at Union ity. They were arrested, tried and pick the beef myself. Mr. Slasher—found guilty. Smith and Hinckle got Pick the beef! To hear you talk one 60 days each in the Detroit House of Correction and Martin went to the county jail for 30 days. It cost the

county about \$250 in costs.

tection to upper peninsula game. Midland citizens have appointed a

committee to explore for coal in that vicinity. John Small was shot and killed by a

friend while hunting near Petoskey Accident.

Mrs. J. Lynch, of Grand Rapids. suicided by cutting her throat. Demented.

Henry Miller, a hardware dealer of Conklin, accidentally killed himself while hunting.

A bread war is on between Marcellus bakers and nine loaves are being sold for a quarter. Will Corrothers, a colored boy at

Battle Creek, received \$11.25 bounty for 375 dead sparrows. Centerville citizens will vote on December 4 on the question of bonding

the village for \$10,000 for water works. Peter Samelink, a bachelor, near Holland, has donated \$5,000 for the building of a new hall at Hope college. 1The principal business firms of Marine City have agreed to close their stores

E. M. Clapp died in bed at Grand Rapids from alcoholism. He was formerly a prominent lawyer at Galesburg.

day.

Rev. Conrad Volb, of St. John's Lutheran church, Saginaw, has just given supreme command of the Chinese finished the fortieth year as pastor of navy.

Saginaw street car lines have been consolidated, electricity will be used on all lines and the fare raised to five cents straight. The trial of Mrs. Ira Hurd, of Allegan, for murdering her husband, has

been continued until the December term. Bail \$10,000. The Masonic temple at Kalamazoo as been dedicated, Chief Justice McGrath, of the Michigan supreme

ourt making the address. The schooner D. S. Austin went aground at Ludington. One sailor was Hillsdale; Geo. Parsons, Watervliet; W. C. Lowe, Jackson. In chosing a fatally injured, but the others were taken off by the life savers.

place for next convention Detroit was A young man named Proctor Atwood of Port Huron died suddenly at the Kimball House near that city. The cause of death is a mystery.

> Jacob Deerhammer was murderously assemulted and left for dead in his barn at Carp Lake, by some one whose identity and motive is unknown.

The bakers of Imlay City are at war with one another at present, and as a result the good people of that village get their bread for two cents a loaf. H. B. Maiming, of Saginaw, was

cleaning a rifle at Otter Lake. It was discharged, and C. W. Bakel, a druggist, was shot in the hip. He will recover. L. H. Hall, telegraph operator of a branch of the D. L. & N. road, near Lakeview, tried to board a 15-miles-an-

hour freight train and was instantly The Southern Michigan Telephone company, with headquarters at Athens, is extending its lines through Branch, St. Joseph, Kalamazoo and Calhoun

Nicholas Scanlan, postmaster at Lamont, pleaded guilty to embezzling and was sentenced to two and one-half trouble.

H. C. Cole, aged 80, left Lansing for New York where he was to marryhis third time. He blew out the gas in a Binghampton hotel and now his intended is in mourning.

S. Helmback, a Schoolcraft farmer. fell from his wagon, while intoxicated, and broke his back. Everything possible was done to save his life, but he died the next morning.

Brig.-Gen. E. N. Bowen, of the Michgan National Guard, has been honorably discharged and Col. Charles R. Hawley, of Bay City, has been promoted to fill the vacancy.

Rev. Alfred Klein, of St. John's Evanrelical church, Port Huron, hanged himself to his bedroom door with a shipped 3,000 barrels of pickels to curtain cord. Insanity induced by nervous prostration was the cause.

Hall, Bodewig, Jewett and Johnson, the alleged Battle Creek train wreckers, were arrested on another warrant, charged with conspiracy. They are still held on the charge of train

wrecking. Minard Mix, of Onekama, who was struck on the head with an ax by Samuel Smith a few days ago, is covering from his injuries. Smith's examination has been set for December 4, and he is out on bail.

Liphardt, the convicted boodling chool inspector of Detroit, has been granted an order for admission to \$10,000 bail and a stay of proceedings until the January term of court, when he will have another hearing.

Some fellow donned the garb of a Salvationist at Saginaw and went about the city soliciting subscriptions to aid in giving Gen. Booth a reception. He is a fraud pure and simple and he is stuffing the money down into his ieans.

John Johnson, a Finlander, was found 20 miles from Oscoda with several bruises on his head and face, unable to move. A teamster loaded Johnson into his wagon, but before they were half way to Oscoda the Finander was dead.

Three cases of supposed smallpox are reported at Sebewa, Ionia county. One of the patients suspected is Supervisor Charles E. Holliday, who is executive officer of the township board of health. Sebewa people are considerably excited, as Holliday sat on smoke and fumes from which suffothe election board. Two other mem-cated to death four workmen in the bers of his family are down with the tunnel. The fire did about \$5,000 same disease.

Wilbur H. Robinson and Frank Seier were arrested at Niles for pillaging farmers' houses in Cass county, and the former has made a complete confession. The young men were bound over for trial. Robinson comes from a prominent and wealthy family. heir to an estate estimated to be worth \$25,000. He was engaged to be married soon. Nothing is known of

While on her way home Mrs. H. C. Worden, living four miles south of St. Louis, wrapped her infant child in her shawl. When she got home the child was found to be smothered to death.

### Marquette people want better pro- | NEWS OF ALL KINDS.

The Japanese Troops Meet with Reverses Inhabitants Killed.

Pig Tails Repulse the Japs. consequence of the defeat the Chinese

effect that the Chinese still hold two forts at Talien Wan, and have repulsed the Japanese after desperate fighting. The Japanese are said to be closing at 8 o'clock every evening except Satur-

> Chemulpo, Korea: Numbers of Korean soldiers who have been sent against the Tonghaks have joined the rebels, whose numbers are increasing laily. The country south of Seoul is in a state of great turmoil. Advices from Fusan, Korea, under date of November 16, state that a battle has been fought between Japanese troops and rebellious Tonghaks, in which the former were victorious.

China Apologies to Great Britain. was saluted by the guns of the Taku forts.

Rome: Earthquake shocks occurred in southern Italy and Sicily lasting all night. At Messina the first quake lasted 12 seconds. The terror on the part of the people was universal. At Reggio six shocks were distinctly observed. Little damage was done in Reggio, the capital of the province, but there was great loss of life and much damage to property elsewhere in the province. The village of San Procopio, was almost entirely destroyed. Here 60 persons were killed. Forty-seven of these met their death in a church to which they had fled for refuge. At Bagnara seven persons were killed. Eight lost their lives at Mamerlind while many others were injured. The inhabitants are obliged to camp in the open air. At Bagnara many of the inhabitants were injured. The damage reported at Tacchini in several other places is very heavy.

Hawallan Election One-Sided. Honolulu, via Victoria: The first ection of the new republic was failure from a political point of view. On this, the principal island, there was only one man who ran against the government ticket and he was defeated. Every candidate was pledged to support annexation to the exclusion of everything else. This was the platform of the American union party for either senator or representative. Now that the election is over the public mind is wondering when the two houses will meet for their first session. No definite date has been set yet, but it is hardly likely that the legislature will be called together until after January 1.

It Cures Consumption. Depositions taken at Cincinnati in the case of Dr. Amick vs. Reeves develop some remarkable facts. It was shown that the Amick Chemical company of that city has supplied 40,000 doctors with Dr. Amick's chemical treatment for consumption, as much as \$1,000 worth of sample medicines being distributed daily. Each patient receives a trial outfit and an inhaler. The company offered as evidence its files containing thousands of reports from physicians of cures covering every stage and phase of the disease.

Cook Gang Held up a Train.

Passenger train No. 2 on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, was held up and robbed four miles north of Muskogee, Mo., by Bill Cook and 14 men. The information received is to the effect that the robbers cleaned out the express car of its entire contents; \$286 in money and eight gold watches being secured. One of the train's crew claims to have recognized Bill Cook as one of the bandits.

Lapaz, Bolivia: There have been violent shocks of earthquake along the northern coast of the Chilian line in this country. One hundred people have been killed by the seismic disturbances within a radius of 40 miles from this city. The cathedral here has been rendered unsafe. One tower was thrown down.

Four Miners Suffocated. A workman dropped a lighted candle in a keg of powder at Perigo mine tunnel, Black Hawk, Colo. The powder did not explode, but a fire started, the

worth of damage. The United States iron and tin plate works at McKeesport, Pa., will make an attempt to start up. The company has fitted up the old hotel near the plant and placed attendants in charge, which indicates that there will be outside men brought in to attempt to run

Gov. Flower, of New York, has signified his willingness to permit the at-tempt to bring to life a man executed in the electrical chair in order to settle the controversy as to whether the electricity or the autopsy which followed badly whipped. The latter went home, lows was the cause of the criminal's

the works.

**EVENTS OF GENERAL INTEREST** AND IMPORTANCE.

About Port Arthur. - Italian Towns Destroyed by Earthquakes and Many

London: A dispatch from Shanghai says Gen. Wei has been beheaded in army suffered at Ping Yang. From Tien Tsin: emanating from Port Arthur are to the

gradually around the Chinese position. At Port Arthur every preparation has been made for the Japanese attack, and the garrison is resolved to offer vigorous resistance. Part of Gen. Sung's army has retaken Kinchow and Mo Tin Ling. The Japanese were routed and pursued for miles. Thou sands of Chinese refugees fleeing from Kinchow were mistaken for the enemy by the Chinese troops and were fired upon. Hundreds of them were killed. Col. Von Hennekin has been

Tien Tsin: The officials of the Chiese government have made the apologies demanded by the British government officials for the outrage committed by Chinese soldiers on for the outrage oard the British steamship Chung King in August last. The Chung King

CHICAGO, May 2.—(Special).—Less than one year ago Frank Schrage did not possess a dollar in the world outside of he income derived from a small drug ousiness, and only a few years ago he 60 Killed by an Earthquake. vas a poor German immigrant without a home. To-day Mr. Schrage can be called a millionaire, as a result of a liscovery of a sure cure for rheumatism. A syndicate to-day paid him \$100,000 cash for his discovery and arranged to pay him \$100,000 a year until he has received \$1,000,000 in all.—Philadelphia Press. Swanson Rheumatic Cure company 167-169 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill. are the proprietors of this celebrated remedy. Never fails. Testimonials free. Hustling agents wanted. Mail Col. Colt May be Held for Murder.

The shooting of five citizens of Washington C. H., O., by the Fourteenth Ohio National Guard by order of Col. Coit, when protecting Dolby, the Negro who raped a helpless woman and was sentenced to prison for 20 years, may result in serious trouble for Col. Coit and Sheriff Cook. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the five deceased men were killed by leaden balls fired by Ohio State National Guards under command of James F. Cook, as sheriff of Fayette county, and A. B. Coit, as colonel of the Fourteenth Regiment of Ohio National Guards, when there was no mminent danger of serious destruction of property or the remotest danger of the prisoner, William Dolby, being rescued from the custody of Sheriff Cook. It is said in case indictments are found against them that there will be a change of venue and the trial be held in some other county.

Coal Miner's Wages Reduced

The operators in the Clearfield, Pa., coal district have taken the initiative in reducing the price of coal mining.

The Bell. Lewis & Yates Mining company have posted a notice the rate in their mines would be reducted 5 per cent per ton to 35 cents. About 2 000 men are affected and there is talk of a strike. The Berwind-White Mining company in the same district, employ-6,500 men, will probably follow this example of reduction and a general lowering of the scale rate in the districts will result. The operators in the Pittsburgh district have threatened to make reductions, and will now probably be forced to this end in order to compete with coal from the Clear-

which has been drilled repeatedly without yielding any more than a 10barrel well.

Another \$50,000,000 Bond Issue. Washington: Secretary Carlisle has ssued his call for bids for \$50,000,000 per cent 10-year bonds, interest to be paid in coin, which is interpreted to mean gold. They will be dated February 1, 1894.

The lifeless body of August Kindler, German living alone near Sebewaing was found hanging in his house. The National Grange convention was held at Springfield, Ill., and every

state but two reported large gains. The Chicago Times says: At the proper time and at the proper place a senatorial boom will be started for

"Bob" Lincoln, which, by those interested in the proposed coup d'etat, is expected to land the son of Abraham Lincoln in the United States senate as the successor of Senator Cullom. James Mahaney shot John Richards twice at Hubbard, O., and he will die. The two young men, in company with Martin Rostsech, were butchering A SHIP TO BE PROUD OF.

Forest Fires Burn Mining Towns.

one fatally. The loss will reach \$2,

Talcott and Prussian mine and mill.

Disastrous Storms in Great Britain.

and, and the loss of life and damage

o property was very great. At Bath

Somersetshire, the river Avon reached

Sussex are increasing. Many houses at Windsor and ut Eton have been

flooded. At Worthing, Sussex, the bodies of seven drowned sailors have

been washed ashore. Altogether 20

lives are known to have been lost by

Spurnhead, county of York. Twenty-

wo persons were drowned. Larnica, Island of Cyprus: The sea-

port town of Limasol, on this island, has sustained much damage through the recent floods, during which 22 per-

HE'S A RICH MAN NOW.

Poor German's Lucky Discovery—Gets

\$1.000,000 for a Rheumatic Cure.

this long-continued storm.

sons were drowned.

000.000.

Dispatches from Boulder, Col., says: The Mammoth American Liner St. Louis A forest fire, which started from a camp fire, has been raging north of Launched-Christened by Mrs. Cleveland the mining camp of Gold Hill, a town of about 500 inhabitants, 15 miles The magnificent steamship St. Louis of the American line, was successfully northwest. The timber was as dry as launched at Cramps' shipyards at powder, and it was not long before the Philadelphia. The affair was witnessed town was burning. The miners and by fully 50,000 people. Mrs. Cleveland broke the traditional bottle of chamstore keepers soon saw the futility of trying to save the buildings, and sent their wives and children to Boulder nagne on the bow of the noble ship as it glided down the ways, at the same while they conveyed as much of their time saying: "I christen thee St. Louis." In this instance and for the moveable property as possible into the mine tunnels. The flames utterly defirst time since the ceremony was obstroyed Gold Hill town, and threatserved at Cramps' shippard the champagne was of American manufacture. Ward, four miles west, Talcott, Cop per Rock and Sunshine. Gold Lake, a After the launch the invited guests to ummering place with pretty cottages the number of 400 were entertained at a lunch in the office of the superinand a big hotel, was totally destroyed. Several ranches and miners' homes in tendent, where President Cleveland the intervening territory were burned. Three men were badly burned, but

tendent, where President Cleveland made a short addr 3.

The St. Louis is chizity remarkable in that she is the first modern merchant-marine structure of anything approaching her dimensions built in the United States. She will also be the ploneer in what promises to become in time a spirited contest between the present English built ocean greyhounds and those which will be turned out from American shipyards. When completed she will take her place among the vessels owned by the International Navigation company, which include the Parts. New York and St. Paul. More than 6,000 tons of steel have already been worked into the mammoth steamer, which, when completed, will exceed in length and tonnage both the New York and Paris and equal that of the other great transatlantic liners. Her length over all is 554 feet; length between perpendiculars. 535 feet; extreme breadth, 63 feet; depth molded, 42 feet; number of decks, 5; depth of water bottom, 4 feet; number of principal watertight compartments, 17; distance of collision bulkheads abaft of stem, 33 feet. A courier reports the destruction of bout one-half of the property of Camp London: Stormy weather and floods prevailed over the south part of Engthe highest point of the century. Thousands of people are homeless, and are being fed by the authorities. Several ships' boats have been washed ashore about Dover. The floods in

"Jack. the Strangler" in Denver. 'Stranglers' row," Denver, is becom ing as famous as Whitechapel, London. because of the mysterious murders of low women. It has just been the scene of another murder. About 1:15 LATER.—The British ship Culmore, Capt. Read, foundered 80 miles off a. m. No. 1975 Market street was visited by the fiend whose strange hobby is to choke lewd women to death, and when he left the place Kiku Oyama, a Japanese girl. who ran the place, was a corpse with the marks of the strangler's work upon her throat. This murder was committed in the same row of houses in which Lena Tapper and Marie Contassoit were strangled recently. The mode of her death was exactly similar. The excitement among the women of ill fame in that part of the city where the three murders by strangulation have occurred rivals that produced by

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Wheat, No 2 red
No 1 white.
Corn, No 2 mixed
Oats, No 2 white.
Hay, No 1 Timothy
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WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE.

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tankage available was wholly inadequate to take care of the well's output.
As a result the ground around the well
to a depth of four feet was covered
with the oil. The well is in territory
which has been drilled repeatedly

WEERLY REVIEW OF TRADE.

New York: Dun's weekly trade review says:
In nearly all branches of business a gradual
improvement appears and the hopeful feeling
continues. It will take time to lift business
out of its depression, and the progress made,
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of repeated that the bonds will be taken
at once. The effect is less easy to anticipate,
for the Trady. part by the call for bonds; wheat, corn and oats have advanced. The failures of last week were 270 in the United States against 232 last year, and 38 in Canada against 36 last year.

New YORK: Bradstreet's trade review says:

Parhametha most togenious force who feet to the control of the co Perhaps the most conspicuous favorable feature of the general trade situation is found in numerous reports from merchants and manunumerous reports from merchants and manufacturers throughout the country of a disposition to regard the business outlook more encougingly and with increased confidence in an early improvement in trade. Even in many portions of the south and southwest, advices from the interior are that the country merchant is doing an increased volume of business, based on favorable weather and large cnops. This is the more striking in view of the centimed reports of the unfavorable effect on trade in the south and the low price of cotton. The favorable change in the movement of prices continues with higher quotations on staples. The leaders in the wool trade say prices have reached the lowest figure and the increased demand points to an advance, although the competition with Australia is felt.

While Abraham Smith and his wife were in the field picking cotton near Kellar, La., their cabin burned, cre mating their three little children. J. Hindes and family, at Saginaw

awoke to find their house a mess of flames. It was easy for the younger people to get out, but not so for Hindes' aged mother. A mattress was placed under the second-story window. Hindes carried his mother through the smoke, let her down from the window as far as he could and sien let go, supposing she would strike on the matgot a revolver and returning shot breaking both legs, and it is feared Richards in mistake for Rostsech.



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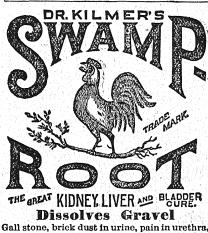
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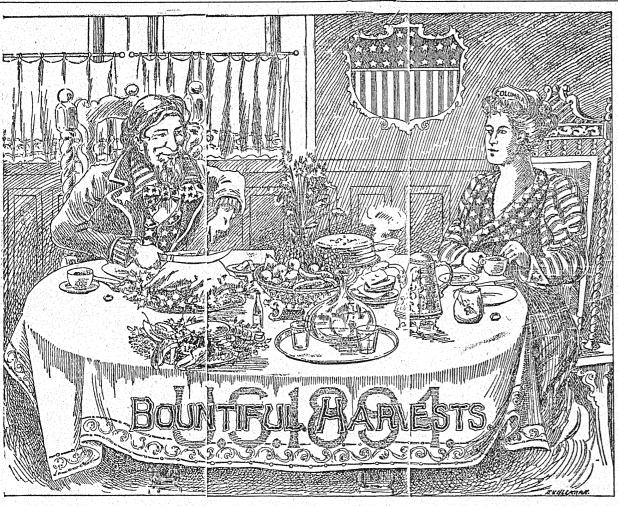
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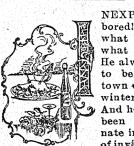
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#### HIS THANKSGIVING.



NEXPRESSIBLY bored! That was what he said and what he meant He always wanted to be away from town on these dull winter holidays. And he had always been very fortunate in the matter

of invitations. This year he had been asked to go up the Hudson to the De Pettits' place. And now that was spoiled, old Mrs. De Pettit having been so inconsiderate as to die of heart disease the week previous, the invitations for the houseparty were all recalled. And Lorrimer had the pleasing prospect of a long, stupid day in his batchelor apartment varied by an evening at the club, perhaps, though he meant not to show himself there, if possible, owing to the likelihood of meeting Sargent, who never was asked anywhere by swell neonle and who would rejoice in jealous consequence at Lorrimer's dis-

With these thoughts the young bank attache, whose hours were immaterial, and whose income was the result of a awakened to a gray November dawn. 'It's that confounded Thanksgiving

tried again to sleep. 'The day is a stairs will be up in a minute. What come off,' doleful one," he meditated; 'it's a shall I do?" plebeian feast in every sense. The upper classes require no one to tell them when and for what to pray; they know enough to render thanks to the Lord every day in the year—especially Sundays in church like decent Christians. As for this gorging oneself on ordinary barnyard fowl, it thoroughly

wearies me. Inexpressibly bored, Mr. Wilson Lorrimer fell into another doze, which presently became slumber, and lasted till noon. Not employing a valet, and having given the young colored lad who cared for his rooms and made his coffee on a patent gas arrangement from a drop tube strict orders not to appear until midday, he suffered mo disturbance. Chris, the boy in question, had therefore just arrived and was busy fixing the bath, when Mr. Lorrimer opened his eyes. It was not Chris who awakened him, however, but the persistent incessant ringing

of the street bell. "For Leaven's sake," said Lorrimer, "go down and see what idiot is doing

Chris obeyed promptly, though it meant four flights of stairs; but he



"SHE'S YELLIN" AGAIN."

was a long time returning. He came not back alone. A rustle of skirts betokened company. Mr. Lorrimer wondered if his laundress expected a holiday gift. He was out of bed and had crawled into his slippers and profuse bath robe.

"Tell her to wait outside," he cried; "you hear me, Chris? Tell her to stay out. What does she want, any- don't remember the least thing about way, coming here at daylight?" He it." had not much idea of the time of day.

A high soprano voice suddenly startled him: "I will go in-I will see him! Oh, you Lorrimer, you; you can't escape me now! I've found you ing it seemed. He had reduced the out, try as you may, to hide in there. I tell you I will see him!"

"What the deuce-" yelled the young gentleman, who then made use to report. of a stronger word. "Come in here. What are you doing with a woman out there? Come in and shut the door. she's made a mistake. She's looking for another man. I don't know

"No, you don't shut the door," the woman screamed; 'no you don't, Mr. Lorrimer. I'm your wife, and I won't be thrown out. Oh! I've had a hard enough time to find you these two years. I've worked my way across the continent to find you. Oh, yes! it's easy to marry a poor girl out in youthe wild mountains of the west and thinks I'll appear in public with then get tired of her and desert her herwhen her twin babies are only a month old, so she can't follow you.

Oh, yes, Will Lorrimer-" Mr. Lorrimer gave a hoarse shriek heavily that it nearly closed up with him. Chris, having heard the wild cry, banged the door shut in the furious woman's face and came in, looking scared.

'em bad! Wouldn't blame any man no use trying to help some people." for leaving her. Golly, but she's

"Oh, Chris!" returned the gentleman, faintly. "I-I swear I don't rehis uncle being president of the bank, member any woman out west. There was a girl, but I didn't look at her legacy rather than of his salary, en- much. But she-she seems to know deavored to compose himself to slum- my name and the time I went out ber and again, after troubled dreams, there and came back. Oh! I don't know -what does she mean-what does she look like? Quick, tell me; she's kick- Well, why doesn't she go away day," he grumbled, turned over and ing the door in. The people down ... She's straightening her hat; it

Perspiration was on his forehead. "She ain't bad looking," said Chris, "she's kind of short and thick. She's true." got yellow hair cut short and curly and seems like she touched up her knees trembled. cheeks with paint. Looks kind o'

tough." Lorrimer groaned.

'She's yelling again. Go there, Chris, go and save the door. Hear her. She says she's got the twins the squalling brats come up here. She's his wife—and just to think that She's telling the names of the fellows smooth-faced, innocent-looking—" I was with—see that—Crosby—Ruttan Then why didn't you put your head if I did it when I was drunk-married man?" that slangy, horrid thing? She had yellow hair that curled—she might ful thing-and had twins and deserted loor flew open. them-oh, but that couldn't be. I might have been for a night. Chris, out." He sprang behind a screen. go out again-and-and-question her. "Keep her out" Say I'm sick and ask her all about it. Tell her I never did anything so chokingly.
wicked—and all the circumstances "Call Chris. Put her out!" have slipped my memory. Get the mer bobbed up and down, frantically. particulars."

Chris flew out and shut the door behind him. At that instant the street bell began to ring again. Lorrimer burried his face in the pillow and stopped his ears with the bath-robe. It was the twins perhaps. He forgot that two years old is young to reach

a bell-button. The next he knew Chris had returned, letting himself and another in with the latch key. Lorrimer felt a hand on his shoulder and heard the voice of a former college chum and intimate friend.

"Hazard!" he gasped. "Is that you?" "What's the row?" asked his friend. Oh, Hazard, that woman-you saw ner; what shall I do? What will people think?"

"Well," said his friend, judicially, 'you know it might seem queer to see a young blonde female at the door of a straight laced fellow like yourself. at this time of day. It's quite too early, my boy, or else it's quite too You ought to manage better." "I think you might leave out your

joke and help me a little," said Lorrimer, scrambling to his feet in a fit of desperation. "Won't you, for heaven's sake, go out and send her away? It's easy to say I'm sick-say I've got smallpox or whooping cough or any. thing horrible, I beg of you. Offer her anything to go away. Tell her J

"I'll do my best, old man," said Hazard, bravely, and hurried out. Lorrimer held his breath and crept near the door. Hazard was succeed. conversation to whispers, broken now and then by something like a sob

agreed to compromise. I've promised her a lot of things-had to-"What did you promise?" Lorrimer wrapped his bath robe closer and

After many moments Hazard came

looked resolute.
"Well, first she says as to-day's Thanksgiving she requires a good dinner. She doesn't insist on Delmonico's-in fact, there are other places she might prefer-more select and expensive. A party of six would suit her-including herself and

"What!" roared Lorrimer. "She

"Hush! Go slow, old man. The twins won't be in evidence. She'll look better in evening dress. Thenas to the wine. There must be at and fell back on his folding-bed so least a dozen of champagne and a box of cigars for each of the six."

"Drive her away!" cried Lorrimer, She'll ruin me! Drive her away!" "Hush, hush! There-she heard g scared.
"My, Mr. Lorrimer, but she's got Oh, well, you've spoiled it all; there's "I'll agree-I'll agree," gasped Lorrimer exhaustedly, "I'll agree."

"All right, I'll tell her." The kicking ceased. Hazard came back. "She says for you to call out loudly in your own voice that you

'I promise!" yelled Lorrimer. 'On your honor as a gentleman?" "On my honor as a gentleman.

"But, I say, Hazard, it's an infernal

shame. I-' "Old man, I'm afraid it's all too

"That I married her?" Lorrimer's "Well, perhaps not you yourself exactly. But some one else might have

used your name-pretended to be you-' Lorrimer jumped a foot high. "Crosby! Crosby did it. It's his down stairs. Oh, what will I do if work That woman's name is Crosby

-. Oh, she knows something. What out and let her see you weren't the "I'll do it now " "I'll tell her then." Hazard ran to

have cut it-what if I did this dread- the entry. There was a scuffle and the "Keep her out!" cried Lorrimer.

wasn't drunk for a year, though I don't want her to come in. Keep her "I can't, old man," said Hazard,

The woman made a wild dash at him and seized his hair. There was a



ORRIMER MOMENTARILY ANTICIPATED THIS. struggle; the screen overturned; the

two rolled over and over. "I say," said Hazard, "for goodness sake! the joke's gone far enough. Crosby, get up and take off that toggery. You can't play football in petticoats. Lorrimer, there's no use getting mad. It was only a little lark. We thought you'd see through the

hampagne and cigars." "Of all idiotic foolery," began Lorimer, disgustedly, as he got up and earranged his draperies. "To come to a man's house at daybreak and nake fools of yourselves! Why don't you hire a wagon and parade the streets with penny trumpets? Of course that dinner business falls brough.

"Not a bit of it," the others cried in unison. "It was a promise on your honor as a gentleman.

"Lorrimer reflected "But what if I have another engagement?" "Oh. that's all right. You order

the dinner; we'll eat it." "But I haven't though," he immediately added, "To tell the truth, I'm awfully obliged to you fellows. I hadn't a thing in view; I was just going to be bored to death." 'Ha, and we saved you," said

"Yes," put in Hizard, "we've made it a day of real Thanksgiving for you,'

"I'd like to know how." "Why, you've a heap to be thankful for, old man; you ought to be wild with joy that it isn't true."

"The wife and children." "Oh, go away, please. I'd really like to be allowed to dress. I'll meet you fellows at Del's at 6."

STATES AND NATION. ome Differences About Observance of

Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving a legal holiday in the United States. It is set apart as a day upon which all the people may join in returning thanks to Almighty God for the blessings of the year. All the states do not join with the national government in the thanksgiving. Some states in the south and west, though recognizing the day in spirit, set apart for observance, some other day than that designated in the presidential proclamation. In 1893 the state of Oregon had two separate days for Thanksgiving, the governor refusing to observe the presidential proclamation sent from Washington. Those opposed to the governor's course celebrated the national holiday while those loyal to the governor gave thanks on the day set apart by him.



THE GUNPOWDER PLOT.

Its Discovery Caused the First Thanks

giving Day in England. The first Thanksgiving day in England followed the discovery of the "Gunpowder Plot." Had that plot been successful a majority of the then rulers of England would have been blown into eternity without a moment's warning. Parliament had passed a bill making it a penalty for Catholics to worship in public. The law met with considerable opposition and endeavors were being made to repeal it. While parliament was in session, one Guy Fawkes, succeeded smuggling 100 barrels of gunpowder into the coal dumps of the parliament buildings. The plot was discovered in time to save what would have proved one of the greatest crimes of Christandom. The manner in which it was discovered was believed to be the work of God, and thanksgiving praises were ordered throughout the kingdom. Only in recent years was the custom

IN ANCIENT TIMES.

Thanksgiving May Have Originated with the Hebrews. The best authority we have on the subject says that the custom of Thanksgiving originated with Moses. A writer in an English encycloapædia, however, says that it is quite probable that the custom antedates the deliverer of the Israelites. The Hebrews were accustomed to celebrate plenteous harvests, but when famine came there was no day of thanksgive ing. It was after the dawn of the Christian era that the custom assumed a national character. The first national day of Thanksgiving followed the recognition of the Christian religion by the Roman rulers.

Surely a Mistake. Poor Mike was very ill-almost as ill as he was short, and what that meant those who know him best can

say, for physically he was hardly more than a dwarf. The doctor was called in and after investigation, informed Mrs. Mike of him. A doctor gets paid for his exthat her husband was suffering from actinomycosis, a name which appeared to strike terror to the soul of the

anxious woman. "Act phwat?" said she.

"Actinomycosis," replied the doc-"Him?" cried Mrs. Mike. "Ah, docther, how can yez say thot? A litte man loike Moikel coulden't hould the name of ut, much liss th' disage thot goes wit ut!"

A Great Shock.

Caller-Is Prof. Missem, the weather prophet, at home? Servant-Yes; but he can't see any one. He is suffering from shock Caller-My! my! Have some of his

predictions come true?

dollars more please."

A Corrected Bill. Householder-Did the master plumber make the corrections in that bill I returned to him? Collector-Yes, sir, and he found an overcharge of \$2.

"Aha! Just as I said." "Yes, six; but it took himabout an hour to look up the items, and he charges \$5 an hour for his time. Three

Not a Fool.

Park Guard-Sorry to disturb vez, but it's too late to be sittin' here. Young man (apologetically)-We didn't know it was so late. Fact is, we are to be married next year. Park Guard-Begorry, d'yez think O'm fool enough to be supposin' you wor married lasht year?

Another Customer Lost. Mrs. De Painteur-This stuff won't do at all, and you will have to take it back. It doesn't harmonize with my

complexion. New Clerk (convincingly)-But, madame, it harmonized with the complexion you had when you selected it.

An Inducement



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Mrs. Corkright (a Kentucky mother) Now, Breckenridge, take your castuh oil like a little man, and I'll give you a

Little Breckenridge (who is ailing)-Kah! I don't wantuh take the nasty

Mrs. Corkright-Be a good boy and I'll let you play with yore paw's new bowie knife. Breckenridge (snarling)-Naw!

lon't wantuh do it! Mrs. Corkright-Swallow it quick and yore paw will take you along the next time they lynch a nigguh, and-Breckenridge-Whoop! Give it to me, quick!-Puck.

Emancipation's Woes. First Clubwoman (a few years hence) Men are enough to drive a woman

crazy. Second Clubwoman-Indeed, they

First Clubwoman-Only think. For ive nights last week I remained at the club terribly late, and yet, when I went home, I didn't once find my husd waiting at the top of the stairs to upbraid me for neglect. The heartless brate was in bed, sleeping like a top, and actually smiling in his dreams.

A Quick Wedding. Hyski (Pennsylvania coal regions)-And so your daughterski is marriedski? Mrs. Lowski—Yes, and it was a very quiet weddingski. De guests used knives instead of pistols.—New York Weekly.

Love's Young Dream. Jones-A penny for your thoughts,

my dear. Bride-Please don't disturb me, darling. 1 am working at such a It makes my head ache problem. "At least tell me what it is about." "I was wondering how we could

spell our name if we got rich." A New Amusement. study grammar this term. Little Boy-Wot's that for? Little Girl-That's so I, can laugh

News. Rather Discouraging. Country Boy-I'm disgusted. School Mate-What at? "I saw a city feller with a gun this

wien folks make mistakes.—Good

morning, an' you know its against the law to kill game till next Monday."

"Well, I just said I'd foller him and git the reward." "Yep." "Well, I follered him bout forty miles

to-day, an' he missed everything he shot at."-Good News. Not a Man.

Little Dot-Who was it that first said "beauty is only skin deep." Little Dick-I never heard her name

End of the Season. Little Ethel-I don't b'lieve the rings that peddler has got is gold. Little Johnny-Why? Little Ethel—They is too cheap. Little Johnny (thoughtfully)—Mebby he got 'em at a summer resort pawn

broker shop. Sure of a Living. Proud Mother-Little Dick is the most ingenious boy. He'll be a great

inventor. Practical Father-If he has a bent for experimenting. I'll make a doctor periments; an inventor doesn't.

About the Size of It. Teacher-"Make hay while the sun shines." Do you understand the inner meaning of that? Bright Boy-Yes'm.

"Give an illustration." "It means that you've got to make all the money you can while congress isn't in session, so as to have something to live on when it begins again."

AN AID TO MILKING.

The Collegian's Advice to His Father Which Resulted Disastrously.

A college student in one of our Western states had returned home after his course was finished to find that his father, a clergyman with a small salary, was eking out his living by running a small farm. One of the adjuncts of the farm was a cow, a pretty good animal, which, however, had a strong aversion to being milked.

Here was an opportunity for a display of the lately acquired knowledge of the juvenile collegian, says the Voice. "Father," said he, "Professor Gsays if one will place a weight upon a cow's back it will make her give down the milk."

The reverend gentleman, favorably mpressed with this information that his son had learned from Professor —, decided to try the simple remedy. Instead, however, of placing weight upon the cow's back, the elergyman placed himself upon it. But then he answered the purpose. The cow, however, was still obstinate. "Tie my legs under the cow," said

the father to his son. The son did so. But the cow, unused to such unusual and arbitrary proceedings, manifested her displeasure by rearing and plunging, entirely unmindful of the dignity of the perconage astride her spinal column. It was getting altogether too interesting for the two bipeds concerned in the transaction.

"Cut the rope! Cut the rope!" shouted Mr. V—to his dutiful son, meaning the rope by which he was

attached to the cow. But the son, being somewhat excited, cut the rope by which the cow was fastened to the stanchion. At once availing herself of the liberty thus offered, the cow took an unceremonious exit from the stable, and down the street she went. The minister accompanied the cow, but in a manner not exactly befitting the dignity of his proession

As it happened, one of the sisters of the congregation was on the street as the race was in progress. Surprised at such a sight the good sister cried out: "Why, Brother V-, where are you going?"

His sense of the ludicrous coming to his aid, Brother V \_\_\_ shouted back: 'The Lord and the cow only know, I don't!"

The clergyman was eventually rescued from his awkward perch, and ever attempted the feat again.

HE JERKED HIS HEAD. How a Florida Groom Responded to the Interrogatories of the Notary.

It was a bashful young couple that appeared at the office of the county judge and applied for a marriage license, says the Florida Times-Union. The usual questions as to age, etc. were asked by Mr. Summers, the obliging clerk, and upon being answered in a satisfactory manner they were furnished with the document required to perfect their happiness. The groom then asked Mr. Summers. who is a notary public, if he would marry them, to which he replied that he would. Mr. Summers, seeing the bashfulness of the young couple, with great thoughtfulness shut the door and locked it, but he was not quick enough to keep out the reporter, who had "caught on to" the affair. The couple ranged themselves up in front of the railing and Mr. Summers commenced the ceremony. While he was going through the form the groom looked at the bride, who would drop her eyes, and then both would smile and give each other a slight pressure of the hand. When Mr. Summers arrived at that part of the ceremony where the groom s asked if he will take the bride for the bride, gave a little grin and then looking at Mr. Summers gave a couple of quick jerks of the head. "You must say, 'I will,'" said Mr. Summers, and after looking at the bride again Little Girl-Mamma says I must the groom ejaculated the necessary sentence. The bride was more prompt with her answer and the ceremony proceeded without further incident. Mr. Summers then gave them a certificate of marriage and the pair went

out of the office swinging hands and looking words of love.

An Explanation. Mrs. Hasdust - That Mrs. Uppercrust called to-day and left her card with "P. P. C.," marked on the corner. I wonder what it means. Mrs. Rollinginwealth—Oh, I believe she is going out of the city and she

wants you to know that she is going to travel in a Pullman palace car. The vulgarity of some folks is just terrible! A Modern One. Snip-I don't like that girl. She's

always giving a fellow taffy. Clip—Regular made of isn't she?

HUMAN SACRIFICES IN RUSSIA.

Vain Attempts to Abolish Such Savagery -Revelations of a Newspaper. It is probably known to few people that the practice of sacrificing human lives under certain conditions still exists in parts of the empire of Russia. The government and the orthodox church have attempted in vain to stop the inhuman practice, but up to the present time they have been unsuccessful. Revelations regarding the custom were made in recent issues of the Gazette of Yakootsh, Siberia. It prevails among a sect known as the "Tshukshen," not far from that city. Old people past the biblical limit as to age, and sick ones, tired of life, offer themselves as the sacrifices. When a "Tshukshe" decides to "offer himself up," he sends word to all his relatives, friends and neighbors, who visit him and try to persuade him to change his intentions.

But prayers, upbraiding, threats are iseless in such a case, and the fanatic prepares for his end. The friends and relatives leave his house and return in ten to fifteen days, bringing the death candidate white clothing and several weapons with which he is supposed to defend himself in the other world against evil spirits and shoot reindeer. After completing his death toilet the candidate takes his place in a corner of his house or hut. About him gather his relatives, who offer him the choice of three instruments of death, a knife, a spear, and a rope. If he chooses the knife, two friends hold his arms while a third plunges the blade into his breast. Practically the same thing is done if he decides to die by the spear. When he prefers the rope two of those present place it about his neck and strangle him to death. A cut is then made in the breast to let the blood flow out. All those present sprinkle their hands and faces with the blood, believing that it will preserve them from evil and bring them

fortune. The body, after the ceremony is placed on a sled, which is drawn by a reindeer, to the "cremation hill," near the village. The neck of the animal is cut at once upon arrival at the place. The body is stripped of clothing, which is then cut in small pieces and placed on the altar with the man or woman. During the cremation the "mourners" utter prayers to the spirits, begging them to watch over those mortals still left. on the earth. This custom has been followed by the sect for centuries.

A Pointed Analogy. A young man of this city has attracted some attention among his acquaintances by his frugal habits-todescribe them by a gentler word than is employed by his less considerate critics. One of his friends undertook to convince him that his view of life

was mistaken. "You are wasting your time and energy in the pursuit of a mere shadow. You ought to enjoy life." "But I do enjoy life," insisted the thrifty youth.

"Not as you could. You are wasting golden moments on the apprehenons of the future. This talk about putting something by for a rainy day is all nonsense."

"Don't you believe it," was the earnest rejoinder. "That's what Noah's neighbors used to say when he was building the ark."-Washington Star.

Lamp Shades. An English electrical firm is introducing some striking novelties in electric lamp shades. These shades are made of a specially selected description of natural feathers, dyed in choice tints, and arranged in artistic shapes and combinations of color. Among other beautiful designs of shades for better, for worse, etc., he looked at floor and table lamps are the representations of various kinds of flowers, made separately and grouped together on skeleton frames. The result is an entire departure from the hackneved style of silk and lace shades now in vogue. The general construction of the shades is protected by a patent, and every design is registered. It is a noteworthy fact that the designer of nearly all the patterns is a young woman, who derives an excellent income from her

work. Doting Parent-Mildred, I don't like to see you moping about the house as if you had lost all ambition. Rouse yourself. Now I know that all you want is will power, and-Indignant Daughter-Will Power? Mamma, I don't care two straws for

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State of Michigan, County of Tuscola. Ess. At a session of the Probate Court for said coun ty, held at the Probate office in the village of Caro on the fifth day of November in the year on Caro on the fifth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and intery-four. Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William Patterson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mangaret Patterson, praying that administration of said estate be granted to her or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 4th day of December next; at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heir at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the Probate office, in the village of Caro and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is futher ordered, that said petitioner given notice to the persons interested in text details. dered, that said petitioner given notice to the per sons interested in said estate, of the pendency o said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ing a copy of this order to be published in the Cass City Enterprise a newspaper printed an circulated in said county, three successive week previous to said day of hearing.

Cass City Markets.

CASS CITY, Nov., 23, 1894.

Wheat, No. 1 white.
Wheat, No. 2 white.
Wheat, No. 2 red
Wheat, No. 8 red
Converted by Corn/per bu 5
Corn Meal, per cwt 11
Oats, per bu new 28 to 2 ickens -live, per lb...  $600 \begin{array}{c} 31/2 \ 0 \end{array}$ 

A Buttermilk Well. Did you ever see a buttermilk well?

I mean a well that yields buttermilk. No, there are no buttermilk wells about here that I know of, but I saw one out in northern Indiana once. It was connected with a creamery. There is no market for buttermilk there, and the inhabitants of the town, who can get all the buttermilk they want for nothing by simply going after it, never touch it. As fast as the great revolving churns have precipitated their wealth of golden butter the milky residuum is run off into the troughs that lead to the buttermilk well. From thence it is of these animals so fed defies words. Very little else is given them. Buttermilk pork is said to be superior, espe--New York Herald.

Sad Drowning Accident.

William Gage, of Linkville, received some wreath of flowers. The remains attended. Rev. Earl, of Caro, officiatwho desired to hear and see, there was not a mar nor a riffle in the whole proat Rowena.

Roland Theodore Gage was born in years ago the 26th of October last and and step mother, suitably inscribed, the acknowledgement of which Mr. the acknowledgement of which Mr. stretched across the river. The water cand will make his home at that place. Gage recieved only a short time before coming in ordinary depth to the sechis habits and quite a favorite with all and especially his schoolmates, of the filtinois Central crosses the which he leaves many in Cass City. After the close of school in the funy three hundred freet from aplatter place in '92 he went to Chicage and remained there till about the middle of July '93, when he went to above the fence, above spoken of, the unfortunately still alive. Sioux Falls, where he remained some time before he went to Rowena and to show that Roland never forgot his excellent parental training, the following letters which accompanied his remains amply testify and gives excellent example for other young men to follow.

Rowena, S. Dakota, Nov. 15, '94

To Roland's Father and Family: I thought you would like to hear more directly and possibly more in detail, the events of the night, and as I was the only one present it seems my place to write it. He came over before supper and brought a horse and buggy and after supper helped us (Nellie Davidson and myself) to do dishes. About half past eight he invited us to go for a ride. It being a lovely moonlight night we were glad to go. He suggested that we take our skates along and try the ice. The river is over two miles from here, but he thought we would like the ride any-Nellie however rerused to go that far and remained at home. Ou eaching the river we tried the ice be ore putting on our skates. It seemed ie edge but Roland under the bridge. When he reached the other side he called out "Be care full when you come through under the oridge for there is a thin place. I got my foot in." I answered, "Then I wont come." "Its nice when you get here though," he said. Then he said, "I dont know how I'm going to get oack again." Just then he started to come back very swiftly, thinking, i suppose, that if he went over it quickly it would hold him, but right under the oridge he went in. As soon as he went n, he commenced to use his hands, to keep himself up, but every time he caught hold of the ice it broke. I am not very quick to think, but the arst thing I thought of was a pole or something to throw him, but I could and nothing. Then I called to him to come towards the side where I was, as i text was Psalms 90th chapter 12th thought the ice was thicker there, but verse. The songs were taken from the scene of the theft. It was there ne did not seem to hear me. Then I Gospel Hymns, numbers 197, 85, 210 knelt down near the edge of the hole and reached out my hand as far as I could, trying to reach his. Just then ne went under and I lost my balance and went over too. I think I hung on to the ice for about lifteen minutes and called for help, but no one heard. got out I can haraly tell how, an rove the horse to the nearest house for help. A great many men went to to what they could, but when they got nim onto the shore he had been in the water an hour, and it seemed nothing ould be done. He never spoke to me after he started back through under

he bridge. It seems strange that God always takes the best away from us. Roland was very much loved in this country and every one who knew him mourn his death. I have spent the bitterest nours of my life since last Tuesday evening. We all send our most heartelt sympathy. I wish to say for the benefit of his christian relatives that Linough he never confessed Christ, be ore men. I feel certain from my conversation with him that he had Christ in his heart. He made many good reso-

utions on his 21st birthuay, such as total abstinence both in reference to vobacco and liquor, and thus tar, to ne best of our knowledge has kept Yours Respectfully, hem.

Souix Falls, S. D.

Rowena, S. Dakota, Nov. 17, '94

Wm. Gage, Esq. Linkville, Mich.

Dear Sir:—In reply to your letter of November 14th will say that I presume you have received a letter from Miss Wilson giving all the details of the accident of which she was an eye witness, and came very near being drowned also. So I will only tell you of those things which she most likely buttermilk well. From thence it is pumped up to feed hogs, being distributed by a system of troughs among the stay here he has been a gentlemen in Sunday the 11th, from the Presbyter than the girl.—[News.] pens. These hogs are merely kept to utilize the buttermilk, which would otherwise go to waste, and the fatness and any dealing with him speak well moved with her parents to Canada in the fatness and the fatness and the fatness are moved to the fatness and the fatness and the fatness are moved to the fatness and the fatness and the fatness are moved with her parents to Canada in the fatness are moved to the fatness and the fatness are moved to of him. He was liked by the young last. In 1855 she was married to Fin people and respected by the old folks. Ley McKinley. In 1867 they moved to the was staying at the time of his death. B w C tv, and from there here in 1872, tain." milk pork is said to be superior, especially when supplemented with corn. with C. A. Jo n on a young man of where they have since resided. A fam about his own age. They were batch-rily of six are left to mourn her loss.

ing on a farm about three miles from Rowena. They came to town on the day of the accident and spent the day here with the young folks and in the the sad news by telegram Wednesday, evening Roland was in the waiting room the 14th, that his son, Roland, had of the depot with the young men. been drowned the evening before at They were boxing and having a pleas-Rowena, South Dakota, and was asked led at N. M. Websters and took two of for instructions. Mr. Gage sent a the young ladies, (Miss Davidson and reply requesting the body sent to Gage Miss Wilson) for a ride, using Mr. town. The body was nicely embalmed fine moonlight night. After a short and placed in a nice oaken casket, ride they returned, Miss Wilson and decorated with Odd Fellow mountings Roland went to the river, about two and the plate encircled with a hand- and one half miles away to go skating People had been on the ice on the Sunday before and the weather had been reached Gagetown by express Satur- cool with a raw wind blowing most of day noon. The funeral was held in the time since Sunday, and this fact the Episcopal church and was largely had probably removed any idea either of them might have had of the ice being unsafe. It is likely also that hearing and McKenzie and Bolton, funeral ing of the people skating there on Sundirectors, and notwithstanding, that day gave them the desire to go on this the other a Methodist named Copper. the church was too small to seat all particular night. The place where they stopped to skate on is by the side of a main traveled road. A bridge of one span crosses the river here. It is ceedings. The casket and wreaths of probably fifty feet from pier to pier flowers came through just as they had and twenty feet from the surface of the river to bottom of the bridge. The been prepared for the funeral services Big Sioux River is of a very peculiar a person can walk for a long distance Elmwood, Tuscola county, Mich., 21 up and down it and the water will not received a gold watch from his father the case here at the bridge. The water and step mother, suitably inscribed. Is ten feet deep, but two rods above the bridge a common three wire fence is the news of his death. Roland was a ond wire and seldom in high water goremarkably nice boy, temperate in all ing over the top wire. Below the side of the river for almost half a mile.

> ples in the water. At this place the river freezes over in very cold weather and those familiar with it say that under the bridge ice is slow to form and quick to meit. The accident happened right under this bridge. The ice in that near each bank was three inches thick. It was the thin ice which broke under Roland and let him in the river. He wore a loosely woven suit which absorbed water rapidly and weighed him down. He could do but little with his feet for the skate blades would cut out in the water destroying the use of his and it was terribly mangled. The inreet in trying to keep above the water. Miss Wilson has perhaps told you in her letter all about the accident so pardon me for repeating this as I only ly mangled that he will never have know what happened there by what much use of them.—Sebewaing Blade. she says. The closest house with any one living in it was about 300 yards. Last Sunday evening the choir in The man heard Miss Wilson's screams the M. E. Church stopped singing for help but for some unaccountable eason failed to come to her assistance.

proach to approach. Between these

two bridges is where the young folks

do their skating. Just a few feet

bear marks of the ice where she strugstrong enough and so we put on our gied to drag herself out. She drove skates and started out. I stayed near the horse five hundred yards to the Sioux Falls. He was up and immediately started for the rescue. Every one worked hard but it was fully an and hooks and raised the body. They rolled him and made an effort to bring n m "too" again, but no one present fully understood what to do in the case. They did every thing they could mink of but it was of no avail. The body was taken to N. M. Webster's home toward one of his own family. Services held at Mr. Webster's by Rev.

and 181.

Yours Truly, F R. Wright. ELETON.

Nathan Farwell at 11 a. m. Thursday,

Nov. 15. There was a large gathering

of friends and acquaintances present.

selected from the townspeople. The

From the Courier-Herald. A. H. Ale let on Saturday for Manis-

Joseph Haist, of Ontario, was in town A large quantity of wood is being

marketed here.

there being no new cases. Miss Lola Bowers, of London, Ont s visiting at Fitzgerald's.

Patrick Bliss will represent this township as juryman for this term of court. this road, making the run to Caseville easier and hopes of recovery unless instead of Bad Axe.

nership in the Elkton house. Judge Brown's justice and supervisor duties keep him too busy to look after the

CASEVILLE.

From the Blade

eastern capitalists have just discovered it. An agent of an eastern house was here this week looking over the ground and "pits" conveniently located to water or rallroad, there seems no reason

located here.

Neighborhood News.

Don't lend your umberella Or your name to a bill. For the first won't come back

-Arkansaw Traveler-

Marlette is now lighted by electricity. Bread is selling in Imlay City for hree cents per loaf, or two for five. The Carsonville Journal has been enarged to a six-column quarto, which

speaks of prosperity. On account of the prevalence of liphtheria at Sebewaing, the churches remained closed last Sunday, and the

schools closed Monday. The Marlette circuit has two preachers—one Presbyterian named Zink and What a battery the'd make.—[Marlette

The Sanilac Jeffersonian, Lexington's old standby, has been purchased by a company of Croswell gentlemen and will be removed to that place this nature. Some places are so shallow that week. Houghton and Pray will be the Lilly McDougall. quill pushers.

Harry Weston has been appointed to be over thigh deep and other places 15 o Harry Weston has been appointed to to 20 feet deep but these latter places a position as railway mail clerk and on the day he reached his majority he are seldom long or wide. Such was commenced running on the P. O. & N. last Saturday: He expects to be transferred to a run out of Port Huron soon -[Mayville Monitor Sayings.

> The Lexington plug uglies decided to vindicate honor on the duel plan. One armed himself with a revolver, the other with a butcher knife, no seconds required. Just as the work of extermination was about to begin, the

river flows over boulders making rip-E. M. Denton's election to the office of Clerk of Sanilac will be contested only, and this keeps the ice down as far by his democratic opponent, John as the bridge in an uncertain condition McCafferty. Mr. Denton's name on the ballot read "E. M." instead of "Edward M." and it is claimed by some of the best lawyers that his election is the centre of the river was thin white not legal while others claim it is all right.—[Sand Beach Times.

Frederick Kothe, while employed in operating a sticking machine in Winter's planing mill Monday, got his right hand caught in the machinery dex finger had to be amputated and the thumb and two fingers were so bad-

when part way through the first verse All the evidence goes to show that she of a familiar hymn, just to see what did everything a woman could do or a the congregation would do but the lat man either to save Roland. She was ter was so much surprised at first that wet from head to foot and her limbs there wasn't but very little done. A few singers keep up the tune till fir-, the horse five hundred yards to the minister's house in the town of east choir in a church is not there to monopolize any portion of the services and its members enjoy having the nour before they could bring a boat whole audience assist them. Try it next Sunday.-[North Branch Gazette.

A gang of theives are at work in this vicinity and the southern part of Huron Co. A large number of farmers have from time to time missed grain, and received the same king regard and and one of our village farmers even tenderness that would have been shown | missed the roof, containing about 1000 feet of good lumber off his implement shed. Last week, Mat Stevens, living near Ruth, had 16 bags of clover seed stolen. The theif sold the grain in The singing was led by a choir of voices Deckerville at a small figure, and returned to the home of his sister near our popular Sher-or constable, R. F. Davis captured him, and he is now snugly lodged in the Huron Co. jail awaiting trial. His name is M. Ward. - Minden Herald.

Mr. Campbell, a blacksmith at Grindstone City, tried to end his earthly career on Tuesday last by tak ing a dose of about 2 ounces of Paris green. He got up earlier than usual going out doors and taking the poison then going back to bed. His daughter Diphtheria is nearly frozen out, called him some time afterwards when he said he had taken poison and was going to die. Dr. Gibson was immediately telegraphed for and upon arrival he found Mr. Campbell in a critical condition-stayed four hours and The Pontiac train has been taken off when he left Mr. Campbell was much iuflammation sets in. At this writing Brown & Riddle have dissolved part he is doing as well as can be expected. - Pt. Austin News.

A Vassar girl had a strong desire to become an aerial artist or queen of the slack wire. She strung a rope over the hay loft in the barn and conceived the idea that she could escape many a heavy fall while practicing by fastening We have the finest sand in the stote a rope to her ankles, allowing it to for the manufacture of glass, and some pass under the main line. The plan worked well until Sunday. Like all good girls, she had a fellow every Sunand said he would report very favor- day night, who always allowed his ably to the house. As we have good horse to eat the old man's hay during material. excellent shipping facilities his visit. He arrived a little early that night. As his rig approached the barn why a large glass business could not be the young lady, in her excitement, fell from the rope, and when he opened the would not speak about. Roland has been here side the first of last March. Most of the time he worked on the lan McKinley, aged 58 years, 3 months the wielder of the knife. Of course he worked to the lan McKinley, aged 58 years, 3 months the wielder of the knife. Of course he

> At sometime and somewhere somebody said: "Get the preachers and the women on your side and success is cer-

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rison, W. J. Cloakey, Mrs. H. C. Ed-

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One Way.

A young man, in company with several other gentlemen, called upon a young lady. Her father was also present to assist in entertaining the guests. He did not share his daughter's scrupvillage marshal arrived, and both are les against the use of spirituous drinks, poured out and would have been drunk, Ladies' woolen shawls from 1.00 to 6.00 but the young lady asked, "Did you call upon me or upon papa?"

Gallantry, if nothing else compelled them to answer, "We called on you." "Then you will please not drink wine,

The father urged the guests to drink and they were undecided. The young lady then added, "Remember if you call on me, then you drink lemonade; but if upon papa, why, in that case, I have nothing to say.'

have lemonade for my visitors."

The wine glasses were set down with their contents untasted. After leaving the house one of the party exclaimed, "That was the most effectual temper ance lecture I have ever heard." The young man from whom these facts were obtained broke off at once from the use of strong drinks, and holds a grateful rememberance of the lady who grateful rememberance of the lady who gracefully and resolutely gave him to BRICK. understand that her guests should not drink wine.-Ram's Horn.

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