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J. C. Lauderbach. MUSICAL.

LENZNER will give instruction on the organ beginning May 20th. One hour to one and one-quarter per lesson. Terms—20 lessons—\$8,

Caught on The Fly.

Jas. Tuckey is quite ill with gastric

John Murphy made a trip to Detroit

Miss Ethel Karr is visiting with an aunt in Detroit.

Mrs. E. Fancher, of Detroit, is visiting at Richard Fancher's. Miss Mary Fahrenkopf, of Gagetown,

was in town on Tuesday. I. A. Blackburn, of North Branch, did business in town Tuesday.

Mich., is visiting friends here for a

Miss Maud Treadgold has returned from an extended visit at her home near Ubly.

J. S. McNair has something of interest in his new adv. this week. Be sure to read it.

Fred Slocum, of the Caro Advertiser, and family, visited at I. B. Auton's Sunday. Miss Melinda Wright called on her

sister in Owendale Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Harry B. Outwater has secured duties last Monday.

Herb Frutchey had his wheel badly smashed on Saturday evening in a colision with another wheel.

The ladies of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Luther Karr on Wednesday Church have secured another treat for you send your children. He cannot afafternoon. Ten was served as usual. home here. P. R. Weydemeyer re- an entertainment at the church on the turned to Caro with him on Monday evening of Wednesday, May 20th. The

Frutchey, Ale & McGeorge shipped their first car load of wool on Tuesday They received about 3,000 pounds on that day alone

Albert Vogel's little son lies in a critical condition from disease of the kidneys, the result of scarlet fever contracted in Detroit.

Those attending the Epworth League Sunday evening are requested to bring their Bibles. The Epworth Hymnals will be used for the singing.

Miss Matie Higgins, who has for some time been employed in a Pt. Huron jewelry store, has been spending a short vacation with friends here.

Mrs. V. Paul is recovering and her attending physician does not think it will be necessary to amputate her hand. She was out to see Dr. Deming on pleads poverty and so on and accepts Monday.

The height of temperature on Monday is probably without a parallel for the 11th of May. The heavy rainfall in the afternoon, however, had a very cooling effect.

The creamery of Randall & Albertson, at this place, is again in full blast for a good season.

from Rev. A. McLeod, of Greenleaf, the illustrations are grand. Issued by relative to the circulation of a false re- the Monthly Illustrator Publishing port concerning himself. The same Co., 66-68 Centre Street, New York. will appear in our next issue.

to Cass City on Wednesday evening.

nate. Bad Axe, vice-president for Huron tive or accommodating clerk. Mr. Ale president for Tuscola County.

+ Fruit growers say that strawberries From a recent issue of the Portland never looked better on the 1st of May Oregonian we copy the following:than they do this year. With favor- Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Lynds

"God's I Will's," or the "Analogy Betheme for next Sunday morning and evening at the Baptist Church. All are cordially invited.

Jas. N. Dorman, of the Cass City Woollen Mills, has returned from Marlette, where he has spent several months, and is now ready for business at the old stand on Seegar Street. See his announcement in another column.

There are several items of important business to be attended to at the next regular meeting of Court Elkland, I. O. F., on Tuesday evening, May 26th. All the brethern are urgently requested to be present. Let there be a full at-

tains quite an elaborate report of the stop the horse when it wheeled and marriage of Miss Minnie E. Leonard, crossed the gutter and sidewalk just daughter of Rev. D. W. Leonard, of east of Laing & Janes' store and atthat place, to John McDonald, of Shab tempted to pass between that store and after returning to consciousness lay in to what extent is not known yet. The bona, which took place on May 6th. the Exchange Bank building. The a critical condition for some time. cause of the fire is supposed to be from After a three weeks' trip they will passage was too narrow to admit the We are pleased to state, however, that a spark of the engine of the noon train. make their home at Shabbona.

Nearly every newspaper in the state Miss Mila Ostrander, of Detroit, is proposing to put a stop to publishing church notices, resolutions, cards of thanks, etc., free of charge. Publishers are beginning to realize that their only stock in trade is their paper the town. He gives nothing to help and the space therein, and when they the churches, schools or public entergive away either they are simply out prise. He spends no money here. He that much. It takes money to run a pays no taxes. He has nothing in comnewspaper-a whole lot more than mon with our people. He can swindle some people imagine.

During the heavy rain storm on Tuesday morning, lightning struck the cold storage house of Frutchey & Co., wholesale dealers in eggs, destroying several rafters. The damage was not serious, however, but it remains a mystery how the electric fluid found school near Quanicasee and began his its way through the roof as not the smallest opening can be found Messrs, Herb Frutchey and Wm. Kile were in the building at the time and the former received quite a shock.

The Epworth League of the M. E. our citizens. Herbert L. Cope, son of Judge Laing spent Sunday at his Rev. R. L. Cope, of Grayling, will give program will consist of character impersonstions and recitals, and as Mr. Cope is everywhere well spoken of as a master of elocution it will be, without doubt, a most pleasing entertainment. The admission has been placed at 20 cents for adults and 10 cents for children.

with great success in many towns. A gan has been almost a constant sufferand goes from house to house, leaving and cheerful impressing all who came ing state. man calls to see if the books are want- resignation and Christian fortitude. ed, and if they are not he takes them | She was very fond of singing and never away with him. Usually they are not wanted. A few days later the woman The floral decorations at the funeral igent appears again, and on being told that the man has taken away the book the high esteem felt for her by her weeps copiously, says the villian has many friends. Two sisters and four the proffered compensation.

One of the eccentric characters known to New York half a century ago vas McDonald Clark, "the Mad Poet." An illustrated article by William Sidey Hillyer, in the May issue of The Monthly Illustrator and Home and Country, New York, recalls his vagarwith W. J. Albertson manager as for- ies, and many of his poems accompany merly. The prospects are excellent the article. The story is very interesting and well written. The table of We have received a communication contents of this number is varied and

Subscription, \$2.00 a year. Miss Libbie Randall, Miss M. Caro- On Tuesday morning, our newly line Fenn and Miss Matie Higgins appointed potmaster, Alonzo H. Ale drove to Unionville on Tuesday, where entered upon his duties. The office they called upon friends and returned will remain in its present location for sixty days, as Mr. Ale has not yet been At a regular meeting of L. O. T. M. able to decide upon a new location on Tuesday evening, Mrs. A. D. Gillies It is to be hoped the new location will was chosen delegate to the meeting of be made central and that all personal the Great Hive at Saginaw on June interests or feeling in the matter will 10th, with Mrs. J. C. Edgar as alter- be laid aside. Miss Hannah McDougall has consented to retain her position as President W. L. Webber, of the assistant for the present at least, State Michigan League for good roads which all will be glad to hear as it has appointed Chas. E. Thompson, of would be difficult to find a more attencounty and Geo. S. Farrar, of the same is fast mastering the difficulties of place, but recently of Cass City, vice- his new position, but customers will safe and will give instant relief. still be obliged to do their own licking. 25 and 50c. of T. H. Fritz.

On Saturday evening, while Wm. able weather home grown berries will celebrated the 40th anniversary of McWebb, a well known farmer living

be on the market the first week in their marriage last week at the resi- near Cedar Run, a few miles west of The Foresters are making arrange- 686 Ellsworth Street, Apr. 27. About serious accident happened whereby all ments to participate in the Decoration 40 friends enjoyed the evening and the occupants of the wagon at the ship has reported to the county clerk Day services in connection with Milo partook of an elegant supper furnished time were more or less seriously in-Warner Post, G. A. R. It is to be hoped for the occasion. The house was neat- jured. Mrs. Baily, a neighbor lady had the year 1895. every Forester will make an effort to by decorated with evergreens and been riding with Mr. McWebb but for-

City, Mich. Considerable excitement was occaafternoon by a runaway. Tim Toohey, of Gagetown, left his horse tied in and, pulling off the bridle, started off up Main Street. All went well until in front of Frost & Hebblewhite's store when the buggy collided with that of D. Hartwick's, wrecking one wheel. Last week's Unionville Crescent con- Some one then made an attempt to

buggy and it was left behind. The at this time, under the care of Dr. D. horse passed on to the alley and up P. Deming, he is gaining slowly and it near the Methodist Church where he to be hoped he will soon regain his was captured. The buggy was badly former health. demolished.

No peddler does anything to help

you-and often does-you can't help yourself. He has no store down street to which you return goods that are not up to sample. The itinerant merchant has no reputation to sustain. Dist. No. 2, Evergreen. He can cheat with impunity. The home merchant is and does opposite. He bears his share of the burdens of good government. When a subscription is passed, he is the first approached. He spends all his money here. He builds a home which enhances the value of all property. He helped pay for the church in which you worship, and the school to which ford to misrepresent his goods or swin-

prevent that.

The funeral services of Miss Nellie Landrigan were held in the Presbyter ian Church on Sunday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. B. J. Baxter in an impressive manner. His text was chosen from Isaiah xl. 6-8. Deceased was the eldest daughter of John Landrigan, who died about two years ago. After his death the family moved to A new swindle is being worked town from the farm and Miss Landripooks for examination. Next day a in contact with her admirable spirit of wearied of hearing the songs of Zion. were more lavish than usual showing is feared that the eldest sister, Julia, will not survive long as she is failing be heard fast. [As we are about to go to press we learn that Julia Landrigan passed away yesterday noon.]

Teachers' Reading Circle.

The next meeting of the Cass City R. C. will be held in the High School room, Saturday, May 23rd, at 1:30 p. m. Program is as follows:

Devotional exercises. . Conducted by G. Masselink Feacher's power to influence and inspire.... Howard Luther.

ussion led by Miss Nancy McArthur.. artificial Incentatives used in school... Martha McArthur

.General discussion The R. C. work for this month i from page 190 to 217 in "School Management" and the cherry, apple, dandelion and strawberry in the botany.

Chop feed at the City Mills at \$13 on, bran at \$11 and Middlings at \$12.

HOWARD LUTHER, Sec'y.

A ten-cent package of Magic Dyes colors one to ten pounds of goods, according to shade desired. Get them of T. H. Fritz.

A Moushold Necessity. No family should be without Foley's Diarrhoa and Colic Cure. Perfectly

Serious Runaway.

dence of their son, Mr. E. A. Lynds, at town, was returning to his home a flowers. The evening was pleasantly tunately reached her home before the change bank, F. O. Watrous, has made passed in conversation, instrumental accident happened. After stopping to tween the Blessings of Ancient Israel and vocal music and games. Numer- allow this lady to alight, one of the itors will be paid in full.—[Detroit and the Modern Church," will be the ous presents were given, representing horses in starting slipped his head out News. the ruby anniversary. The couple of the bridle and became unmanagelook as though they might reach the able. The other horse took fright and golden anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. they commenced running. The wagon Lynds lately came here from Cass struck an obstruction at the roadside and Mr. McWebb was thrown out with considerable force striking upon his sioned on Main Street on Tuesday head. He received a severe cut and injuries causing concussion of the brain. The wagon, however still kept its upfront of J. H. Striffler's implement right position until a culvert was depot where it became frightened at reached when one wheel passed over the ringing of a dinner bell near by the edge and threw out the remaining occupants, Mrs. McWebb and their eldest son, Willie. The former was injured about the head and hips but not seriously and Willie had his left arm fractured and head bruised. He is expected. Mr. McWebb's injuries were of a more serious nature. He lay unconscious for twelve hours and even

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mr. Maturean was called to Saginav by the death of a sister.

Mrs. Dinkall, of Detroit, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Horner.

Ben Palmater sports a new spring wagon purchased from M. D. Mills. the state convention K. O. T. M. Luther Mills, of Marlette, has commenced his spring term of school in

Miss Hattie Sutton started for Flint Wednesday the 13th, where she expects to reside for some time.

M. D. Mills has enlarged his store to nearly twice its former size and is doing a rushing business this spring.

A number from here attended the Baptist quarterly meeting held at Clifford. All report an excellent time.

There will be an ice-cream social at J. Rule's, one mile south of the corners dle you. Self interest alone would May 20th. An interesting program will be furnished and a pleasant time is anticipated.

A birthday party was given by Anna Crawford to her young friends Saturday afternoon. The young people enjoyed themselves immensely and after refreshments wended their way home-

The apple, pear, cherry and plum trees are budded very full in this sec- ald Tuesday. tion. We are in hopes frost may keep its distance this spring so Michigan plastered. Mr. Mason, of Wickware, is woman book agent appears in town er since that time but was ever patient may regain her record as a fruit bear- the mechanic.

Notice

The Board of Review for the village of Cass City will meet at the office of the Exchange Bank on Thursday and Friday May 21st and 22nd, 1896, for the Catholic Church. purposes of reviewing and correcting the assessment roll of said village and been collecting her books all over town, brothers are left to mourn her loss It any person deeming themselves aggrieved by the assessment may then Catholic Church Tuesday morning.

P. R. WEYDEMEYER, Assessor.

Marycons Elesalts.

From a letter waitten by Rev. J. Dunderman of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery.as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was past rof the Baptist Church it River Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. ed she could not survive them. A friend eccommended Dr. King's new Discovery;

For every quarter in a man's pocket there are a dozen uses; and to use each one in such a way as to derive the greatest benefit is a question every one must had been confined to her bed for some solve for himself. We believe, however, three months. The funeral was held that no better use could be made of one of these quarters than to exchange it for e bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, a medicine that every family should be provided with. For sale by T. H, Fritz.

Farmers Attention. Cheap reliable insurance at low

rates. 4-24-tf E. B. LANDON.

DECHEN

LIVINGSTON—In Novesta, on Tuesday, May 12th '96, the wife of D. Livingston of a daughter.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS. Copper ore has been picked up on a

farm near Oxford. Lee's sawmill at Millington was

burned last week. Loss, \$1,000. The supervisor of Brookfield town-

eleven births and five deaths during The proprietor of the Unionville Ex

an assignment to C. H. Geyer. Depos-

A Standard Oil man, according to the Vassar Times, left \$5 with a Fairgrove merchant recently as the result of oil. It fell short one and one-half

The Superintendent of Public In struction, H. R. Pattengill, has selected Croswell as the place for holding the Teacher's Institute for Sanilac County. The Institute will commence the first Monday in July and continue

The elevator of D. Quail & Son, at Croswell, caught on fire May 7th at noon, and was damaged to the extent making as good a recovery as can be of \$200 on building and \$1,000 on contents, fully insured. There were about 7,500 bushels of grain in the building, which was also damaged some by water,

HAGEROWN.

L. C. Purdy made Caro and home on

his wheel Sunday. The village board of review finished their labors Tuesday.

M. McMillan and his two sons were at the county capital Monday.

The union Y. P. S. C. E. are planning for a social on Decoration Day. Dr. Lyman is to be the delegate to

W. W. Hargraves, of Elmwood, was n town Wednesday on business. T. C. Maynard was in Saginaw the

fore part of the week on business. John Anyon attended court at Caro as a witness in the McWebb case

This nice weather makes the farmers feel anxious to get their crops in.

There will be an ice-cream social at Mrs. Helen Gage's Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. C. Kerr, of Owendale, is reovering from her late severe illness. Mr. Masters has rented Armstrong's

shop and will start shoemaking at

Mrs. Helen Gage and her sister, Mrs. S. A. Johnson, were at Caro Tuesday on business.

James Bingham and his wife have returned to Petersburg, Va., to remain the summer.

attended the wedding of Sarah McDon-John Higgins is having his house

Mrs. Hitchcock and daughter, Iris,

Clare Purdy and Dr. Donovan are to address the C. E. convention in Fairgrove on the 27th

Jack Freeman has moved into the Fredsmouth homestead, west of the Patrick Quinn and Miss Saran Mc-Donald, both of Brookfield, were made

man and wife by Fr. Krebs at the Mrs. Geo. Carr, who underwent a very serious operation last Tuesday, is improving very rapidly. Dr. Donovan performed the operation, assisted by

Dr. and Mrs. Edwards.

Jane, the wife of Isaac Lang, of Grant, died Tuesday night of dropsy. Mrs. Jane Lang was the daughter of James Friend, of Orford, Ont., and was married to Mr. Lang Oct. 21st, 1873, at Terrible paraxysms of coughing would Ridgetown, Ont., and leaves a husband ast hours with little interuption it seem- and five children -three girls and two boys. The youngest is eleven in Augit was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles at T. H. P. Church and died very happy. A few minutes before she expired she talked with Mr. Lang and her children, telling the children they had better retire as they were sleepy. Deceased was 40 years old March 31st last and at their residence Friday noon and the remains laid at rest in the Grant com-

Enckiens Armica Solve. The best salve in the world for Cuts Sores, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. For sale by T. H. Fritz, druggist.

The indications point to a greater interest in base ball this season than usual. No way to stop it.

Congress has prohibited prize fighting in the territories. It should now prohibit fights in congress.

New York railroads are now compelled to check bicycles, the same as trunks, and they musn't smash 'erm

Some scientists intend to go to Mexico to study stars, it is said. It was for that that Peter Maher went there wasn't it?

General Weyler's work is deteriorating somewhat, but then one can't do good editorial work where all is not | first time in American history that such calm and peaceful.

The man who wrote "After the Ball" has been sued for damages by a bicyclist. It appears to be a case of "screecher" vs. "scorcher."

Should Mr. Armour have to pay the State of New York \$1,150,000 for selling oleomargarine, that bold and greasy Croesus will be considerably cowed.

A shortage of thirty millions has been discovered in the securities of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, but the owners don't mind a little thing like that.

It's the same in politics as in other things. The "bosses" are always willing to let the people have their own way when they find they can't help themselves.

From this distance it looks as if it would be easier to make up a list of not in the conspiracy than to enumerate those who were in it.

The county commissioners of Spokane called for bids for the burying of the county poor, and although one undertaking firm offered to do the work at one cent each, no award was made.

The stone slab upon which George Washington once took oath is broken, while the oath is still intact. In these days it is not likely that the man in public life would permit the eath to outlast the slab.

In Sweden, according to travelers who have resided in that country, it is a household custom to provide rooms where the children may go and cry, and scream, and make all the noise they need to. In all other parts of the house they are expected to be quiet and mindful of the presence of their elders. On the whole it seems rather a good plan -good for the children and good for the elders, too.

The clergymen of Warrensburg, Mo. are in open warfare against High Five, a game of chance, which twenty-seven of the Warrensburg church ladies have been playing. The ladies have filed counter accusations against the clergymen for playing the game of Up-Jenkins, which they say knocks High Five sky high. At this distance it looks as if the ladies would play the dickens with the pastors.

recognizing the Roentgen discovery as | ceased to teach. a means of establishing a fact in evidence is that in which the District have to become a member of the Greek stored it to its ancient rank of a king-United States court at Wichita, Kan., Orthodox Church. on April 4, directed that a shadowgraph be taken of the wrist of Peter Noel, who is suing the Santa Fe road for \$10,000 damages for wrongly setting the fracture of his wrist. The question of what the best evidence is in a case of that kind came up, and all the parties interested, as well as the court, agreed in the light of modern science, a shadowgraph of the wrist would be the best evidence. Consequently the court directed Lucien Blake, professor of electricity in the state university of Kansas, to make the test in court.

Of the various woods classified by the national forestry commission, white pine ranks first from the standpoint of commercial use, and the other pines next, these being used chiefly for house finishing and other kindred purposes. The general use of oak in the better grade of house finishing and in manufacture of furniture gives that wood next place. Then comes the less important hard woods, including ash, birch, maple, etc. Hickory, which is used chiefly for wagon stock, is one of the woods least used, the annual cut not reaching more than 250,000,000 feet, as against 3,000,000,000 feet of oak, Black walnut has now become so scarce that it has practically ceased to be quoted in the lumber market. A small quantity still exists in Kentucky, Tennessee and Missouri, but it is sold by the single tree.

The supposition that pirates no longer exist is quite erroneous. The Riffian pirates of the mountains opposite Gibraltar appear to carry on their work in defiance of all nations. When we consider the case of the Armenians go far toward maintaining its monarch and that of the Riffian pirates, we may easily perceive how feeble the civilized

The medical writer who not long since inveighed against soup as un-

world has become.

"QUEEN OF SERVIA."

AN AMERICAN HEIRESS MAY HAVE THE TITLE.

only Ten Million Dollars and a Little Nerve Needed to Become the Consort of the Young King-His Father Coming to America.



(Paris Letter.) HAT AMERICAN girl wishes to become a queen? The only requisite is millions. The box King Alexander of Servia needs ready money very badly and he has decided that an American heiress will

solve all the troubles of his bankrupt kingdom. A throne is, therefore, awaiting any American girl who has sufficient wealth to meet the requirements. This is probably the an opportunity has ever been offered.

Along with the distinguished title of queen goes a palace, a crown, a collection of royal jewelry of stupendous antiquity and a number of castles scattered throughout Servia.

Servia is one of the kingdoms that sprung out of the ruins of the Roman Empire. The people are Slavonic, with some slight traces of the Roman influence. For centuries it was strong and independent, and then the great power of the Turkish empire forcing its way into Eastern Europe overwhelmed it. From the fourteenth century it was a Turkish province, and only at the end of the last century did it begin to assert ts independence.

But the national spirit was never crushed. There was always an hereditary chief and a nobility, rough, but without the faults of a similar class in richer countries. A more interesting nationality could hardly be found in Europe.

The King has great personal power, is commander-in-chief of the Servian those Transvaal Englishmen who were army and supervises the acts of the national legislature. His Queen would share to a great extent in many of his powers.

She would be mistress of a large palace in the capital, Belgrade; of the stopped at an open-air beer garden and castle of Topschider, and a splendid sat down. He ordered the waiter to park near the capital, and of many bring two glasses of beer, one for himother residences. She would have a self and one for the cabman.

something about the person and manners of the young man.

It should be said at once that only the joy of becoming a queen could possibly compensate a woman for marrycharacter has said:

"It is no little thing, I ween, To be a regular, regular, regular, right-

down, royal queen." Not only is he very ill-mannered, coarse and unclean, but he is violent, strong willed and very powerful physically. The girl who has known what it is to have all men bow down and worship her in this country find everything changed. If she were not thoroughly subdued and submissive His Majesty would undoubtedly take her by the hair and throw her a few times against the wall as a corrective. Sometimes, perhaps, he would do this merely because his breakfast had disagreed with him.

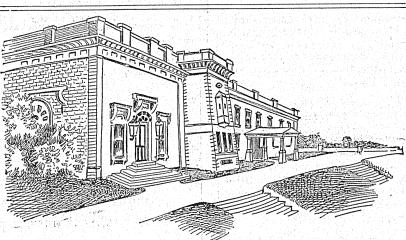
The King is now nineteen years o age and remarkably strong. His figure is tall and well but heavily made. His head is as round as it can well be. His forehead is low, his jaw firm, and his short, black hair stands straight over the top of his head. He has a small black mustache and a small snub nose.

The rapid development of his muscular powers during his teens was a source of surprise to his attendants, and by no means of joy. He never hesitates to inflict corporal punishment when he is displeased. Once he is related to have knocked the heads of two courtiers violently together. At another time he threw one of them into

the sea. He did not acquire much learning from his tutor, Dr. Lazar Dokies, and showed little sympathy with modern ideas on the subject of personal cleanliness. He is an antique Servian in his ways. The founder of his dynasty, whose family name is Obrenovitch, was a swine herd, and a student of heredity would at once connect this fact with the characteristics of the young king.

In spite of his faults, it is likely that he will have more success than his father in holding the difficult position of king of Servia. His rough and ready ways are not displeasing to the common people, and he has many democratic traits.

He hired a cab and went for a drive near Buda-Pesth. After a time he



THE PALACE, BELGRADE.

great suit of ladies of the bedchamber, courtiers and chamberlains at her disosal, for although Servia is poor, there is no lack of officials with high-sounding titles.

She would receive at her court the homage of noblemen who held their feudel estates before William the Conquerer invaded England, even before the Eastern Empire had gone to ruin, duty it is to carry beer to the cabman. Probably the first instance of a court | and the philosophers of Greece had

It is also probable that she would

Ex-King Milan, father of the young contention between Russia and Austria, monarch, will come to America him- and has been the scene of bloody wars self to conduct the negotiations for and assassinations. the securing of an American bride for his hopeful. Milan is an interesting thrift, with no political skill. He was wanderer on the face of the earth, bent disgraced by the defeat which Prince on his own amusement. He passes a Alexander inflicted on the Servians. considerable portion of the year in He quarreled with his nandsome wife, Paris. The porters of the Hotel Queen Nathalie, who has no better Chatham have often had the task of temper than himself, and treated her bearing the royal person up the stairs | shamefully in public. Then he divorced to its bedroom. Milan's arrival will her and expelled her from the country. certainly be a welcome event to the For a time she kept her son with her. porters of America.

are to include an unconditional trans- | On these occasions young Alexander beference to the King of a large sum of | haved with mcuh spirit, and resisted money—at least ten millions. Servia the kidnappers furiously.



ALEXANDER, KING OF SERVIA. (Wants an American Wife.)

s a very poor country, and that would in good style and enabling him to open his legislature, the Skuptschina, in a handseme suit of clothes.

If an American girl should marry the King she will certainly be the first who ever became a Queen. It is, therehealthful had perhaps not heard of the fore of the greatest interest to Ameri-Paris lady, aged 104, whose chief ar. can girls, to their parents and to the Hungary. ticle of diet was soup a trace of a cerplexed American nation to know

"Excuse me; it is not my duty to carry beer to the cabman," said the haughty Hungarian waiter, who was bow deep and profound and the habitunot impressed by the appearance of his youthful customer.

"All right," said Alexander, "I'll wait

on him myself. That poor fellow must be awfully dry; and it would be crue to make him wait for the man whose Early in this century Servia was a helpless dependency of Turkey. A series of revolutions in the Balkans redom. Since then it has been a bone of

King Milan was a hot-headed spend-Twice King Milan caused the boy to be The terms of the marriage contract | kidnapped and taken from his mother.

> Then a revolution drove Milan from the throne of Servia, and Alexander was proclaimed King, with a council of regency. In 1893, when only seventeen years of age, he executed a coup d'etat, deprived the regents of their power and became King of Servia in fact. Another instance of his precocity

was his falling violently in love at the ess, aged thirty-three. had dropped. He has excellent eye-

in the park of the royal castle of Topschider. The intimacy was continued. The Ministers endeavored to palliate it on the ground that it was the natural attachment of a boy deprived of his mother's care for a lady of mature years. But there were circumstances which, in her husband's opinion, did not coincide with this view and he sent

her away to her mother's home, in

Alexander started to follow her, and ring.

got as far as Buda-Pesth, where the TALMAGE'S Regent Kistics caught up with him and brought him back to Belgrade. Then he announced his intention of horsewhipping the woman's husband, and ing him. But then, as Mr. Gilbert's the latter was obliged to keep out of his way.

That was two years ago. Now the King is willing to settle down with a wife who will give him lots of money and obey him.

Here, then, is the chance of her life for an adventurous, ambitious American girl. She may become the wife of a man who is not only a king in rank. but has far more personal power than an English sovereign has. She will also have the advantage of being in the center of the most perilous disturbances in European politics.

Several attempts have been made to secure a European princess as a bride for King Alexander, but all in vain. Proposals for the hands of the Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia, of the eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Vladimir. of the Princess Sybil of Hesse, of the Princess Fedora, sister of the German Empress; of the Infanta Memedes of Spain, and of many other princesses have been rejected.

Marriage Customs. Many and curious were the old customs in Wales relating to marriage. The following is an account of the bidding ceremony, an old custom which is said to be celebrated even to this day in rural parts of Wales: The bidder goes from house to house with a long pole and ribbons flying at the end of it, and standing in the middle floor in each house he repeats a long lesson with great formality. He mentions the day of the wedding, the place, the preparations made, etc. The following is a specimen: "The intention of the bidder is this: With a kindness and amity, with decency and liberality for - and - he invites you to come with your good will on the plate. Bring current money—a shilling or two or three or four or five-with cheese and butter. We invite the husband and wife, children and men servants from the greatest to the least. Come there early; you shall have victuals freely and drink cheap, stools to sit on, and fish if we can catch them, but if not hold us excusable, and they will attend on you when you call upon them in return. They set out from such a place and such a place."-Exchange.

The White Man Not Outdone General credence is not given to the story of the remark attributed to George Washington that he "would not be outdone in politeness by a negro." Nevertheless, it is a story that goes and it evidently has been taken to heart by Mr. Thomas B. Reed. One day last week Mr. Reed was sauntering along a fashionable uptown street during calling hours while ladies were alighting in droves from their carriages. Two colored brothers, decidedly the worse looking for wear and belonging to the faction which, by casting from ten to twenty-five votes apiece, recently secured the election of a Reed delegate rom the district to the national repub lican convention, were hanging around watching the scene. As Mr. Reed was passing they tugged at the battered make more conspicuous the dignity, the pates and said: "How do, Mr. Speaker."

elevated, his hat removed clean from important and anxious deliberation. his head, his body bent forward in a We put a halo around great men of the al cynical smile which plays around his lips melted into one of extreme cordiality as he replied: "Good morning. gentlemen."-Baltimore Sun.

Weary Willie's Ruse. She didn't wait for Weary Willie to begin his harangue but slammed the door shut as soon as she spied the tattered form on the step and was rapidly retreating down the hall when the bell began to ring again and so violently that she did not dare open the door again. Her husband came, however, prepared to kick the wretch downstairs, out the look of pain on the visitor's face restrained his wrath.

"I wouldn't have troubled you agin, said he, "but it hurts me feelin's to have the door shet on me that way. moving the remnants of his thumb from the jamb of the door.

He got a dollar and a bottle of arnica, readjusting the bit of beef that served dog had lost five years before, he une.

Men and Their Hats.

"Well, well," remarked a leading hatter the other day, "everybody has smiled at the vanity of women as they take long and fond glances at their reflection in the store windows, but woman is not a marker for the ordinary man. The uglier a man is the age of fifteen with a handsome count- longer it takes him to suit himself with a hat and the oftener does he look He met her first at a court festival into the glass while buying one. I have which he attended with his tutor, Dr. an unusually unprepossessing customer Dokics. He was then King under a re- who would exhaust the patience of Job gency. On entering the ballroom she He came into the store the other day was stooping to pick up a jewel she after the spring styles had arrived and consumed two hours and ten minutes existence! I know that there was an sight, which enabled him to see the in getting a hat that pleased him. The ewel and appreciate her attractions. next day he returned the hat and had nent men of those good times were good He remained at her side all the even- one made to order. This man is so ugly ing, in spite of the protestations of his that nothing could improve his looks did not believe in any thing good until Ministers, and met her by appointment but a mask."—Philadelphia Record.

> Faith. Faith finds its most intelligent expression not in wrods, but actions. There is always a reciprocal protection between the believer and his belief. A good man is himself everywhere. A godly man takes God along.—Rev. J. I. Scott.

> Many a woman draws a long sigh

SERMON.

A PLEA TO CONGRESS BEFORE IT ADJOURNS.

"Let the Name of God Be Written in the Constitution" He Says-God Will Settle the Silver Question in His Own Time and Way.



text stand for lawmakers. Joseph was the Lord Treasurer government, and among other great things which he my text, was to teach his senators wisdom; and if any

wisdom, it is senators, whether they stand in congresses, parliaments, or reichstags, or assemblies, or legislatures. By their decisions nations go up or down. Law-makers are sometimes so tempted by prejudices, by sectional preferences, by opportunity of personal advancement, and sometimes what is best to do is so doubtful that they ought to be prayed for and encouraged in every possible way, instead of severely criticised and blamed and excoriated, as is much of the time the case. Our public men are so often the target to be shot at, merely because they obtain eminence which other men wanted but could not reach, that more injustices are hurled at our national legislature than the people of the United States can possibly imagine. The wholesale belying of our public men is simply damnable. By residence in Washington I have come to find out that many of our public men are persistently misrepresented, and some of the best of them, the purest in their lives and most faithful in the discharge of their duties, are the worst defamed. Some day I want to preach a sermon from the text in II. Peter: "They are not afraid to speak evil of dignities. Whereas angels, which are greater in power and might, bring not railing accusation against them before the Lord. But these, as natural brute beasts, made to be taken and destroyed, speak evil of the things that they understand not." So constant and malignant is this depreciation and scandalization in regard to our publicmen that all over the land there are those who suppose that the city of Washington is the center of all corruption, while, what with its parks and its equestrian statuary, and its wide streets, and its architectural symmetries, and its lovely of that immortal document radiant homes, it is not only the most beautiful city under the sun, but has the highest | word with Thrones! At the beginning, style of citizenship. I have seen but one intoxicated man in the more than

American continent.

ever graced the capitol, will take place.

The two or three unfortunate out-

breaks which you have noticed only

remnants of hats surmounting their fraternity, the eloquence, the fidelity which have characterized those two Instantly the hand of the speaker was bodies during all the long months of past because they were so rare in their time. Our senate and house of representatives have five such men where once they had one. But it will not be until after they are dead that they will get appreciated. The world finds it safer to praise the dead than the living, because the departed, having a heavy pile of marble above them, may not rise to become rivals. But, before the gavels of adjournment drop and the doors of Capitol Hill shut, there are done, and let us pray God that they may be accomplished. More forcibly than ever before, congress has been implored to acknowledge God in our constitution. The Methodist church, a church that is always doing glorious their names as well as I could. Then things, has in its recent Wilmington conference requested our congress to them, and there I broke down. But, amend the immortal document, which And as he spoke he was engaged in re- has been the foundation and wall and dome of our United States government, by inserting the words, "Trusting in Almighty God." If that amendment is to say nothing of a square meal. Then, made, it will not only please all the good people of the country, but will as a complement to the stub that a bull- please the heavens. It was only an oversight or a mental accident that the tackled the next house.—Detroit Trib- fathers who made the constitution did not insert a divinely worshipful sentence. They all, so far as they amounted to anything, believed in "God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son."The constitution would have been a failure had it not been for the Divine interference The members of the convention could agree on nothing until, in response to Benjamin Franklin's request that the meetings be opened by prayer, the Lord God was called on to interefere and help, and then the way was cleared, and the states signed a document; a historical fact that all the rat-terriers of modern infidelity cannot bark out of exception to the fact that the promimen. Tom Paine, a libertine and a sot. he was dying, and then he shricked out for God's mercy. And Ethan Allen, from one of whose descendants I have received within a few days a confirmation of the incident I mentioned in a recent sermon, as saying to his dying daughter that she had better take her mother's christian religion than his own infidelity. The article sent me says: "The story has been denied by the one at St. Louis and the other at some of the Allen family, but the Bronson family, some of whom were with ventions adjourn, I ask that they ac- all her window curtains on the rods every time she looks at her wedding the dying girl, affirm that it is substan-knowledge God in the platforms. The with her old engagement rings."—Chi-

firmation is worth more than many de- here this morning or will read these ting in a Presbyterian church, his adthe meeting, and no gentleman would do that. I do not wonder that some of ENATORS in this decent men of the revolution believed in God, and our American congress, now assembled, will only echo the sentiments of the fathers when they enof the Egyptian throne the name of God in the constiinserting that acknowledgement of divinity than our fathers had. Since did, according to then the continent has been peopled the Pacific built, and all in peace, showing that there must have been super-

1812, and ours the victory! Since then

which we came to greater prosperity all the foreign despotisms were planning for our demolition, we are a united people and tomorrow you will find in both nouses of congress the men who fought for the north and the south, now sitting side by side, armed with no weapon except the pen, with which they write home to their constituents who want to be appointed postmasters. The man who cannot see God in our American history is as blind of soul as he would be blind of body if he could not at 12 o'clock of an unclouded noon see the sun in the heavens. As a matter of gratitude to Almighty God, gentlemen of the American congress, be pleased to insert the four words suggested by the Methodist conference! Not only because of the kindness of God to this nation in the past should such a reverential insertion be made, but because of the fact that we are going to want Divine interposition still further in our national history. This gold and silver question will never be settled until God settles it. This question of tariff and free trade will never be settled until God settles it. question between the east and west, which is getting hotter and hotter and looks toward a republic of the Pacific. will not be settled until God settles it. We needed God in the one hundred and and we will need Him still more in the next one hundred and twenty years. Lift up your heads ye everlasting gates of our glorious constitution, and let the King of Glory come in! Make one line with Omnipotence! Spell at least one or at the close, or in the center, recognize him from whom as a nation we six months of my residence, and I do have received all the blessing of the not think any man can give similar past and upon whom we are dependent for the future. Print that word "God," testimony of any other city on the or "Lord," or "Eternal Father." or "Ruler of Nations," somewhere between The gavels of our two nouses of na-

tional legislature will soon fall, and ad- the first word and the last. The Great

journment of two bodies of men as tal- Expounder of the constitution sleeps at

whom all nations must bow or go into defeat and annihilation-"God?" Again before the approaching adjournment of our American congress. it ought to be decided and forever settled that no appropriations be made to sectarian schools, and that courtship hetween church and state in this country be forever broken up. That question already seems temporarily settled. I ion there were in America, and I recited he asked me the difference between when I told him that no religious denomination in America had any privileges above the others, he could hardly understand it. The Greek church first in Russia. The Lutheran church first in Germany. The Episcopal church first in England. The Catholic church first in Rome. Mohammedanism first in Constantinople. The emperor wondered how it was possible that all the denominations in America could stand on the same platform. But so it is, and so let it ever be. Let there be no preference, no partiality, no attempt to help one sect an inch higher than another. Washington and Jefferson and all the early presidents, and all the great statesmen of the past, have lifted their voice against any such tendency. If a school or institution cannot stand without the prop of national appropriation, then let that school or that institution go down. On the other side of the sea the world has had plenty of illustration of church and state united. demoralization born of that relation on this side of the Atlantic. Let that denomination come out ahead that does manity. Men, institutions, and religof religion.

soon still humming near his nillow of

dust its prolonged lullaby but is there

not some one now living, who, in the

white marble palace of the nation on

become the irradiator of the constitu-

tion by causing to be added the most

tremendous word of our English vocab-

ulary; the name of that being before

But now, that I am speaking of national affairs from a religious stand- alities that is going to make the Ameripoint, I bethink myself of the fact that | can the greatest nation of the ages. two other gavels will soon lift and fall, tially true. In such a matter one con- men who construct those platforms are cago Record."

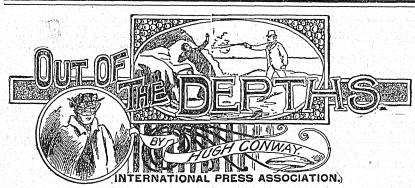
reals." So says the article sent me. words. Let no political party think it There is no doubt that Ethan Allen was can do its duty unless it acknowledges the vulgarest sort of an infidel, for, sit- that God who built this continent, and revealed it at the right time to the dismirers say he struck the pew in front of | coverer, and who has reared here a him and swore out loud, so as to disturb prosperity which has been given to no other people. "Oh!" says some one, "there are people in this country who his descendants are ashamed of him; do not believe in a God, and it would be but of course they could not help it, an insult to them." Well, there are and are not to blame. But of all the people in this country who do not believe in common decency, or common honesty, or any kind of government, preferring anarchy. Your very platform is an insult to them. You ought not to regard a man who does not betution. We have now more reason for lieve in God any more than you should regard a man who refuses to believe in common decency. Your pocket-book is not safe a moment in the presence of an and great cities from the Atlantic to atheist. God is the only source of good government. Why not, then, say so, and let the chairman of the committee nal supervisal. Since then the war of on resolutions in your national conventions take a pen full of ink great financial prostrations, out of and with bold hand head the document with one significant "Wherethan anything that preceded. Since as:" acknowledging the goodness of God then sanguinary 1862, 1863, 1864 and in the past, and begging his kindness 1865, and notwithstanding the fact that and protection for the future. Why, my friends, this country belongs to God, and we ought in every possible way to acknowledge it. From the moment that, on an October morning in 1492, Columbus looked over the side of the ship and saw the carved staff which made him think he was near an inhabited country, and saw also a thorn and a cluster of berries (type of our history ever since, piercing sorrows and cluster of national joys), until this hour our country has been bounded on the north, south, east and west by the goodness of God. The Huguenots took possession of the Carolinas, in the name of God. William Penn settled Philadelphia, in the name of God. The Hollanders took possession of New York, in the name of God. The Pilgrim Fathers settled New England, in the name of God. Preceding the first gun of Bunker Hill, at the voice of prayer all heads uncovered. In the war of 1812, an officer came to Gen. Andrew Jackson and said: "There is an unusual noise in the camp; it ought to be stopped." General Jackson said, "What is the noise?" The officer said, "It is the voice of prayer and praise." Then the General said, "God forbid that prayer and praise should be an unusual noise in the encampment. You had better go and join them." Prayer at Valley Forge. Prayer at Monmouth. twenty years of our past national life, Prayer at Atlanta. Prayer at South Mountain. Prayer at Gettysburg. "Oh! says some infidel, "the northern people prayed on one side and the Southern people prayed on the other side, and so it did not amount to anything." And I have heard good Christian people confounded with the infidel statement. when it is as plain to me as my right hand. Yes: the Northern people prayed in one way, and the Southern people prayed in another way, and God answered in his own way, giving to the North the re-establishment of the government, and giving to the South larger opportunities, larger than she had ever anticipated the harnessing of her rivers in great manufacturing interests. until the Mobile and the Tallapoosa ented, as upright and as patriotic as Marshfield, Massachusetts, the Atlantic and the Chattahoochee are Southern Merrimacs, and the unrolling of great Southern mines of coal and iron, of which the world knew nothing, and opening before her opportunities of yonder hill, not ten minutes away, will wealth which will give ninety-nine per cent more of affluence than she ever possessed; and instead of the black hands of American slaves, there are the more industrious black hands of the coal and iron mines of the South which are achieving for her fabulous and unimagined wealth.

This

And there are domes of white blossoms where spread the white tents.
And there are ploughs in the track where the war wagons went war wagons went,
And there are songs where they lifted up
Rachel's lament.

I take a step further, and say that before the gavels of our senate and wish it might be completely and for- house of representatives and our politiever settled. All schools and all in- cal conventions pound adjournment, one or two things that ought to be stitutions, as well as all denominations, there ought to be passed a law or should stand on the same level before adopted a plank of intelligent helpful-American law. Emperor Alexander of ness for the great foreign populations Russia, at his Peterhoff Palace, asked which are coming among us. It is too me how many denominations of relig- late now to discuss whether we had better let them come. They are here. They are coming this moment through the Narrows. They are this moment taking the first full inhalation of the free air of America. And they will continue to come as long as this country is the best place to live in. You might as well pass a law prohibiting summer bees from alighting on a field of blossoming buckwheat; you might as well prohibit the stags of the mountain from coming down to the deerlick, as to prohibit the hunger-bitten nations of Europe from coming to this land of bread-as to prohibit the people of England, Ireland, Scotland, Italy, Norway, Sweden and Germany, working themselves to death on small wages on the other side the sea, from coming to this land where there are the largest compensations under the sun. Why did God spread out the prairies of the Dakotas and roll the precious ore into Colorado? It was that all the earth might come. and plough, and come, and dig. Just as long as the centrifugal force of foreign despotism throws them off, just so long will the centripetal force of American institutions draw them here. And that is what is going to make this Let us have none of the hypocrisy and the mightiest nation on the earth. Intermarrying of nationalities! Not circle intermarrying circle, and nation intermarrying nation. But it is going to be the most for the cause of God and hu- Italian and Norweigan, Russian and Celt-Scotch and French, English and ions getting what they achieve by American. The American of a hundred their own right arm of usefulliess, and vears from now is to be different from not by the favoritism of government. the American of today. German brain, As you regard the welfare and perpetu- Irish wit, French civility, Scotch firmity of our institutions, keep politics cat | ness, English loyalty, Italian aesthetics packed into one man, and he an American! It is this intermarriage of nation-

> "Your daughter has had a great many Chicago, and pefore these national con-admirers." "Oh, yes; she puts nearly



CHAPTER I.



my own; as I myself am the heroa pitiful enough well begin by spar-

ing a few lines to those of another man, a man on whose grave the grass has been growing for many a long year.

home, from the day when I first knew Abbey, a fine old house in that part of life, yet without a hope of saving it. wooded Somersetshire where railways have not yet come.

Although Mr. Loraine was a man of wealth, and, moreover, by education, and, I believe, family, fully entitled to take a high social position, Herstal Abbey was not his ancestral home. He had acquired it by simple right of purchase, having bought out an old, improvident, but popular county familybought it out so completely that if he did not literally step into its shoes, he sat in its very chairs and used its very tables.

Such a wholesale buying up of one of their own class by an unknown man always annoys, perhaps frightens, county people, and Julian Loraine's neighbors for some time looked at him askance. He took none of those steps by which a new-comer may occasionally gain access to the magic county circle. He brought no introductions. He gave no large subscription to the hunt indeed, there was not much hunting in that part. He did not, in a covert way, let his willingness to give grand entertainments be known. He simply completed the purchase of Herstal of a lower organization would naturabode in the old house, and troubled the responsibility. nothing about his neighbor, which no

doubt annoyed them all the more. Little Julian Loraine cared for this. The truth is he was one of the most unsociable men alive, and his cynicism, if distributed through the county, would have made Somersetshire a region in which life would have been unhearable. He was-I pen the words reluctantly-an utter disbeliever in humanity. Perhaps the life which he had hitherto led brought him to this state

of mind. For in a very short time his neighbors very fastest of the fast. The wonder | ing the number was the same as when was that he was still wealthy. At one they landed, only that the place of one the totals. The net loss is 1s 11d per hearts, who rocked the baby and pared time it was thought he had run through of the women was taken by a crying, everything, for he had disappeared, and prematurely born infant. no one saw anything of him for two years. But it turned out he had only been leading a roving life in far countries. Repenting, let us hope- No; it a portion of what was rightfully her Julian Loraine was not a nice man.

But, nice or not, no one had any might have enjoyed mixing with the with. pick of the county society. But he treated civility almost as he treated coldness, with complete indifference; and it soon became understood that the owner of Herstal Abbey was a man who no longer cared to mix with his kind.

It was, of course, incomprehensible that any one should buy a fine property and settle down to the life of a recluse; the more so as the man was still in the prime of life, handsome and wealthy. But Julian Loraine was an incomprehensible man. I, for one, have never been able to determine his true character. Perhaps I have shunned investigating it. Perhaps, had I tried, I a large shell on the child's head. He, should have been unable to gather trustworthy information as to his true nature, from the fact that tales afloat concerning his early life would reach

ing to Saturday night; there were months during which Mr. Loraine went wandering off, Heaven knows where, leaving the child to the care of serv-

Whether at home or abroad, he kept up the establishment in a lavish, wasteful manner. He threw his money about in a cynical way, as one who cared not in the "Black Swan." What was to behow it went. He expected his servants come of the child? would rob him-no doubt they did. This he considered but human nature, and troubled nothing about it; but woe lous claim upon him. He was no nigto the man or woman who in the slightest degree neglected anything which his comfort or whim demanded! His dependents soon understood their master's peculiarities, and by the exercise of due care managed to keep their places for years and years, and no doubt grew rich upon the money he

As will soon be seen, I have related had charge of the child ventured to monocle.—Truth.

all, or the greater part of the above, S the tale which I from hearsay. The following incident am about to tell is in Mr. Loraine's life I can youch for, as I heard it from his own lips.

In the year 1853 he was returning from Australia. He did not tell me to present a nameless child, of humble hero—of these what had taken him there, but I suspages, I shall, bye pect he went in search of health. He his son I shall never know. I have tried and bye, be forced was in a sailing vessel—the "Black to say so much Swan" was her name. There were the child-from the need even his own about my own other passengers—men, women and nature felt of something he could love affairs that I may children. One night there was a crash, and call his own-but I cannot think a horrible grinding sound, a recoil, and so. It may have been pure cynicism. the "Black Swan" quietly settled down He may some day have wanted to turn to the bottom of the ocean. Whether round and say, "What is birth? See, I the disaster was due to a collision or to His name was Julian Loraine. His a sunken rock was never known. All as a gentleman, and every one thinks was over in five minutes, and Julian him to the day of his death, was Herstal | Loraine found himself swimming for | been a baser motive, that of revenge.

> In swimming, as indeed in every manly exercise, Loraine was all but uninto a small boat, which, it appeared, Mr. Julian, or young Mr. Loraine; yet collar and was pulled all but insensible kept it until the boy was nineteen, and into a small boat, which, it apepared, like many other boys of that age who was the only one lowered, or, at any, rate, was the only one that had suc- give himself airs. Then one summer's ceeded in getting away from the wreck. The sea, fortunately, was comparatively smooth or the tiny boat could not

> have outlived the night. When the than I have given it above, the story of that survived of the ship and her born on that rock.

Himself, four sailors, three women, and a baby in arms!

The sailors were pulling, not from the hope of reaching land, but to keep supposed to be my father; his was not a the boat's head to the waves. The mother, with her child clasped to her breast, and the two other women, were crouching in the stern sheets.

In the boat were a dozen biscuits and

a small keg of water. With the light all turned to Loraine for advice and aid. He was a man of commanding presence, to whom people Abbey and its contents; took up his ally turn in difficulties. He assumed

He told the men to sten the mast and hoist what sail they thought safe, and then to steer as close to the wind as possible. He assured them that land was not far off. His only reason, he informed me, for taking this course, was that he hated the labor of rowing. Any hope of their lives being saved he

However, before night-fall, they did reach land—a bare rock, but land. By this time one of the women was lving in the bottom of the boat, moaning, like one in agony. Her comfound out that he was by no means the panions of the same sex were exchang- unfortunate men who will be thrown unknown man they thought him. Peo- ing frightened glances. The poor thing out of work came to ask the reason. as carried ashore, and the true state say about this Julian Loraine. It was of affairs communicated to the men. A tailed balance sheet, showing that the soon made clear to the country-side that | tent or screen was by the aid of the sail | last year's working cost 72,000 pounds the new man's social claims to the right and the oars hastily rigged up, and in while the receipts were only 56,000 hand of fellowship were indisputable; an hour's time there were ten human pounds, and even Lord Londonderry mothers old and new-fangled will conbut other things were also made clear. beings instead of nine on that barren cannot go on indefinitely losing 16,000 tinue to do to the end of time—and

> The rough men and women did what they could for the poor little wretch. The woman with a nursing baby gave

This, in Julian Loraine's opinion, was longer the wish to keep Mr. Loraine at the most rash and misplaced expression arm's-length. Had he cared for it, he of false sentiment he had ever met

own child's.

Toward the evening of that day they scraped a grave for the mother. They did not fill it up at once, thinking that bye and bye the child must be laid in wages, heaven-sent labor leaders with

At one time it seemed that it must be so. The sailors and the women, no doubt, thinking that a gentleman is the men all over the country who, heaven than themselves, nearer brought the poor little wailing atom to Loraine, and asked him to christen it.

With death so close at hand to all, it was not worth while making any demur; but I can fancy the man's synical smile, as he sprinkled water from Julian Loraine, doing a priest's duty, and doing it for the pleasure of other

people. However, so far as he knew how, he

seen, and men, women and babies were soon in safety on board a homewardbound ship.

No one, not even her fellow passengers, knew the name or anything about the woman who had died. Her clothes, such as she wore, bore no mark. Her husband, if on board, had gone down

Loraine settled this. Perhaps he thought the child had a certain ridicugard with his money. He told some one-he would not have taken the trouble to see about it himself-to find a comfortable home for the child, and to apply to him when money was wanted. Then he went his way, and lived for years as he chose. Every now and then, when her pay-

master was in town, the woman who

bring him to see his benefactor. Some times the benefactor scowled, some times smiled his cynical smile and took notice of the little boy, who was called by his baptismal name, Master Julian. When the boy was seven years of age, Julian Loraine sent instructions that he was to be forwarded to Herstal Abbey, Somersetshire. Having been told by the good people about him that the grand gentleman he now and again saw was his father, he addressed him by that endearing term. Julian Loraine, no doubt, stared and laughed, but he said nothing forbidding the appellation being used. So to himself and the world the boy was Master Julian, only son of Julian Loraine, of Herstal Ab-

What strange freak induced the man and unknown parents, to the world as to think it was from affection toward take this low-born brat, bring him up him born to the station!" It may have I shall never know.

The boy grew up. He passed from the stage of Master Julian to that of was gone when he felt a hand on his his reputed father kept the secret are only sons of rich fathers, began to evening, when the man and the boy were sitting over their claret, Julian Loraine thought fit to relate, more fully morning broke Julian Loraine saw all the wreck and the history of the child

And I-for I was the boy to whom he told it-turned deadly pale and gasped for breath. I believe I had never really loved the man whom I lovable nature. Often and often I had reproached myself for lack of filial affection. But now, as I turned my dazed eyes to his face, and saw the satirical smile with which he regarded me, I all but hated him. I rose unsteadily.

"I must go and think all this over," I stammered out. "Certainly, go and think it over."

He spoke carelessly and returned to his claret, while I rushed wildly from

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HIGH WAGES BUT NO WORK. What Fifteen Hundred Men Have

Our "workingmen's leaders," when they are tired of bringing libel actions and getting a farthing damages, would do well to study the remarkable statement made by Lord Londonderry to his miners at Rainton on Saturday last. says the Saturday Review. He proposes to shut Rainton colliery, and the he owner produced a complete and de-Loraine had led a terrible life—the rock. But not for long. Before morn-pounds a year. But the analysis of the always had unfailing cookies with figures is even more instructive than which to mend either broken heads or ton of coal raised. The total cost per ton at the pit's mouth is 8s 10 1-2d, and the selling price only 6s 111-2d. Of the cost, 6s 6d for wages. Now, in dear." 1887, just nine years ago, the pit was

> the closing of the mine. spread. Strikes, shorter hours, higher snug seats in parliament, Hyde Park demonstrations, and all the rest of it are, no doubt, very fine things, but if like the 1,500 at Rainton, have been thrown out of work, could be got to speak, we fancy they would cry out for lower wages and regular work rather than higher wages and no work.

A Queen with Scientific Tastes. Queen Amelie of Portugal, to the great delight of the king and her court, has discontinued experimenting on majesty spends her time in photo-bride, to the church or the funeral. concerning his early life would reach me last of all.

When he bought Herstal Abbey he was a widower with one son, a boy of seven. This boy he petted and neglected alternately. There were days when the child was with him from morn to eve; there were weeks in which he never saw him from Sunday morning to Saturday night; there were medical science, and by her experiments has reduced some of her ladies
"Ah my dear, you must unders in-waiting almost to death's door, so that the new old woman has other -The Gentlewoman.

> An Unfortunate Cham Checkerly-Poor Algy. He's so howwidly defawmed." Stripes—Defawmed?

Checkerly—Yaas, poor bey; his eyes



GOTE T IS TIME FOR you to take in sail.' as Emerson says. There is nothing left, Aunty. The modern, progressive, innovating, overturning, new

woman has"-"Hold, my dear, you are breathless. You mean to say she has left nothing for the old woman to do. Nevertheless, I shall not take in sail until the voyage is over, though I may have to shorten it up a bit," said

the older woman with a smile. "Spoken with the spirit of our Scandinavian ancestors who met death standing," replied the young girl; "still I think it nice to be out of the hurry and whirl of things, and have time to rest."

"Yes, my child, there is one thing that the old woman has, that the new woman has not, that is time. Let me tell you an anecdote to illustrate."

"Oh, do! Chauncey Depew says the modern speaker must have his joke," said the girl, mischievously adding, "I suppose it is the same with the ancient speaker, Aunty."

"A dear old woman said to me: 'My time don't count for much now; it is like hen's time.' Then she told me of an old farmer who attended an agricultural fair and saw an incubator for the first time. When it was explained he said: 'Well, it may be a great thing for savin' the hen's time, but with us, that don't count for much.' However. I think time ought always to count." "Even with hens and old women?"

innocently inquired the girl. "Women of affairs do not grow old," answered the other. "If there is any thing that can keep the spirit of youth fresh within us, it is keeping in touch with the world, having, as some one

says, a genius for humanity." "Now, you are talking about the new old woman; do you consider her an outgrowth of the new young woman?"

"A development, yes, certainly." "I should say they all had the develops, very seriously," laughingly remarked the girl

Without noticing this, her aunt continued: "We have some grand old women of that type, broad-minded, leading spir-

its. I heard one of them lately address a large meeting. Her voice was clear and cultured; her thought sparkled with wit and logic; she was nearly 80. I thought we are all making history; not all so eventful as this woman, yet we are storing away memories and traditions; why not learn to tell them well, one of the resources of age that make t interesting?"

"Yes, Aunty, it is good to tell a thing well, but not too often. It is a sure sign of dotage to repeat over and over." "You are thinking of that old-fash

oned old woman who sits by the fire, garrulous and grumbling, who entertains you with her rheumatism and other troubles, these being the only tragedies life has left."

"Yes, and I am thinking woman who knitted stockings and mended trousers and cut carpet rags, and pieced quilts, and nursed the sick, potatoes for dinner while she was resting herself."

"She is a creature of the past, my

"I am half sorry for it; but let me tell paying, the "wages cost" being 4s you of an old dame I visited on a sum-5 3-4d. The result to the men has been mer afternoon of blessed memory. She a gain of 2s 1-4d per ton in wages—and was in her rose garden where she received me, making a quaint picture of The reporter adds that the statements herself. There were roses in her cheeks, of Lord Londonderry caused a "pro- though she was over 80, and most of found sensation," and well they might. her time was spent out of doors among We fancy that the sensation will her flowers. She was never so happy as



THAT OLD FASHIONED WOMAN. them medically, in order thoroughly to when cutting the great fragrant roses, study the Roentgen light, and now her to send to friends, to the sick, to the

"Ah, my dear, you must understand that now the queen has a new hobby spheres', beside the rostrum. She is a the Portuguese court rejoices, espe- woman of resources, and still keeps a cially the king, as the queen was al- first-hand instead of second-hand interways insisting upon his trying new est in life. Oliver Wendell Holmes methods discovered by herself for re- talked of giving up to the boys, but he ducing his growing corpulency. It is fold me that as long as the muse did even said—perhaps maliciously—that not desert him he would not desert her. in consequence of the king's gratitude I like your old woman of the flowers; to Roentgen, the professor is to be in- even the little window garden with its vited to the court at Lisbon and will few geraniums and pot of parsley, from receive a high order from his majesty, which a green sprig may be had in winter to garnish a dish, is a pleasant care for an old woman. I remember my own grandmother's garden, the pinks and marigolds, larkspurs and primroses; there was summer savory prevent the wheels of the cars from and sweet marjorum and sage. I can slipping aside. The motive power was see her now, daintily putting up the furnished by horses. The date of which little bunches to dry for winter. Her these roads were first used is set down are so pwominent that he cawn't wears life was as peaceful as her posies, and as between 1602 and 1649.

THE NEW OLD WOMAN it was one long 'summer savory' of kind deeds, though it had not been

without its storms and trials.' "Wake up, my lady! You have left the new old woman, and gone dreamjourneying down the past."

"It is true we cannot get away from the past; it is a part of us; but life is more interesting for old people than it was then. Most of us have had leisure for books, and travel and social life. "Then, you do approve of leisure for the new old woman?"

"Yes, leisure, not idleness, nor listlessness, but restfulness. Considering life as a day, one is naturally busier in the morning; we have strength and vigor, and take our place and begin work. After crossing the meridian, we do not readily undertake new enterprises. Habits are the crutches of the old, and we hobble along on them. Though, naturally, life's cares drop away and fall behind us, as the shadows do in the afternoon, as we go westering with the sun, still it is well, as I said before, not to drop out of line entirely, to keep an interest in the world around us, not forgetting that world toward which we are journeying, being neither too worldly nor too other-worldly."

"Ah, that I may be like that when I have crossed over into life's afternoon. but it will be hard," said the girl, pen-

sively. "Not if you begin it in the morning, keeping your sympathies broad and active, putting away, little by little, treasures of experience and knowledge saving them as one saves dollars against age and want, doing something daily to help another onward."

"I believe it is possible to redeem the busiest life from the menial, the commonplace, by adding a trifle daily to its mental and spiritual stores."

NOT BRIGHT TO ORDER. Most Clever People Are Duller Than One Imagines.

"How I envy your opportunities of going among people who are clever," said a society belle to a literary wo man, according to the New York Triwhere nothing but personalities are talked, and of eternally meeting the same set. Now, you bookish people when you meet each other can always look forward to something interesting and new. I wish I could change places with you!"

"My dear," answered the literary woman. "I will tell you a secret. Clever people, as you call them, are duller than you imagine. Nothing is more depressing than what are called literary reunions. We poor authors dread them beyond everything-parties where we are invited to meet each other and are expected to shine. We would far rather be mixed up with people of the world and be thought smart.

"I went last night to a reception at Mrs. J-'s, who 'adores genius' and affects culture, and it was the dreariest function amaginable. It was composed almost entirely of literary people, with their wives and hushands. Women in aesthetic gowns and frowsy hair and long-stemmed nodding American beauty roses pinned on one side of their corsages wandered about and tried to look interesting. A light refreshment was passed-icecream, I think, and cake and lemonade, for we authors are not supposed to care for the grosser and more material elements represented by terranin and nate—and there we glared at

one another for an hour or more. "Later on in the evening I met one of my quondam associates at Mrs. M--'s, whose set, you know, is one of the smartest and most frivolous in town. 'What a relief!' he exclaimed on seeing me, 'and how delightful all these women look, and I am just longing for supper, which I see is about to be announced. Mrs. M-'s chef they say, is the best in New York.' and off he skipped, and I saw him a minute afterward with pretty little Mrs. X-, who hasn't an idea in her head, enjoying himself hugely. No, my dear, you need not long to go with literary people. Taken together they are not amusing and I am sure I ought to know."

NOTES OF THE DAY.

Bombay is now known as the "Manhester of India."

At least \$720,000,000 worth of British property is always on the sea. A majority of the members of the Milwaukee city council are active wheelmen.

The "luxury of woe" is such in the orient that women seize on the slightest pretex to indulge in it. Argentina received 58,000 immigrants

last year, the largest number since the financial crash of 1890, in which year the immigrants were 78,000. The Sultan of Turkey has a mania

for collecting carriages. He has nearly 500 of them and often loses half an hour before deciding in which one he will ride. Since the Cuban war began the colonial debt of the island has been in-

creased by \$305,551,950. The previous debt was \$163,551,950, making a total of \$468,552,025. Either the offices or the citizens of

Williamsburg, Me., are of an unusual sort. One man was elected there, unopposed, a few days ago, to hold seven different offices. The origin of railways is traced to a

contrivance for simplifying the transit of coal from the English mines to the place of shipment. The invention consisted of a double parallel line of wooden beams or trams fixed to the ground and furnished with flanges to

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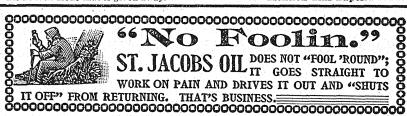
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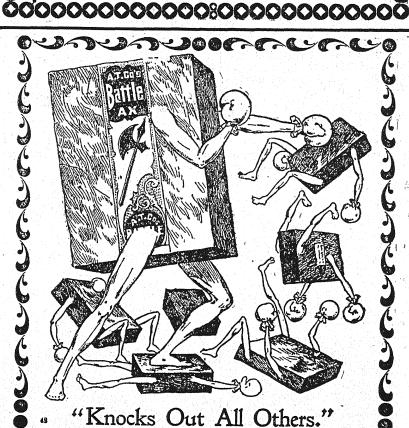
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All the Chit-Chat From the Conn try Round About Eriefly Told

For Busy Readers.

RESCUE.

Mrs. H. D. Hager returned home

W. S. Hammacker, of Owendale, was

Martin McKenzie has secured the

crvices of John Ashmore and farming

John McDonald represents Tent No

for the horse he found recently. The

ELMINTGON.

A good shower of rain is needed bad-

Mrs. Lucinda Ackley is getting some

Very warm summer weather. Ther

nometer at 86° in the shade every day.

Miss Eva Hutchinson was home from

Fairgrove visiting with her parents

F. E. Manley returned from the Re-

publican state convention at Detroit

A heavy wind passed over here Mon-

Mrs. F. E. Manley went to Caro Fri

day and visited until Saturday after-

A heavy fire has been raging on A

Campbell's forty on Sec. 28 which has

burned a lot of wood for him and sons,

Mrs. Lucinda Ackley's sister, Elsie,

and daughter from Pennsylvania arrived here last week to spend a while

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hutchinson,

of Akron, came over Sunday, Charles

returning that night leaving Mrs.

Hutchinson, who is in feeble health, to

spend a week visiting with relatives

J. Mosher and J. H. Mosher returned

home from the bay below Sebewaing

Saturday where they have been work-

ing upon their summer resort building

fences in company with R. Alexander,

of Denmark, and Julius Oesterle, of El-

and will spend the balance of the week

in the interest of the A. O. O G. They

lington, was also helping.

terests of the same order.

noon, returning with Mr. Manley.

made the dust fly badly.

Charles and John.

here.

visiting with relatives.

owner resides in Caseville.

Seeding is about completed.

A party of bicyclists from were in our burg last Sunday.

Marlette last Monday.

general review.

a visitor in town Sunday.

A. A. P. McDOWELL,

Proprietor

Warm weather this. Mr. Holmes, of Caseville, was in tow

John Kerr sold a colt last week for

Monday

Chas. Hill and Arthur Whitney spent

Sunday with friends and relatives in Cass City It tried hard to rain last Monday,

but, we are sorry to say, it passed on E. P. Smith and family last week. the other side of us. Louis Tibbits has put in sixty acres

enough oats for his horses this year. Mrs. Truscott is visiting relatives in the southern part of the state. The doctor is keeping house while she is

will have charge of the Epworth League Tuesday night. Delia Hill, leader.

The funeral of Mr. Corbett, who re the M. E. Church last Friday. The rcmains were taken to Scule.

EAST GRANT.

We hear that John D. Leach is very ll at present, also Lou Jarvis.

John McDonald is expected home this week from Teeswater, Ont.

Jas. Allen had a thoroughbred \$200 norse turn up his feet to dry last week. J. C. Parr will soon have his residence completed. The plasterers are on hand.

We are glad to see Rev. Alex. Stirton nome from Evanston college, also his

All changes of advertisements must be sent to this office No LATER than Wednesday noon of each week, else they can not be inserted in that week's issue. Reasonable rates are charged for display advertisements. Local notices in our paid local column are five cents per line for first insertion. Notices of festivals, lectures concerts and all entertainments of a money-making character are charged for at the rate of one dollar for each insertion. Cards of thanks are twenty-five cents for each insertion. Rev. Allen has gone to Saginaw this veek and Rev. Stirton will supply for im next Sunday. The wide circulation of the ENTERPRISE in the

John McDonald has been elected by Beauley tent, No. 854, as its representative at the great camp in Saginaw in

D. McDonald sold the best calf shipped from Cass City last Saturday. It was six weeks old and weighed 206 ounds. Good for Beauley!

A. Endersbee, our highway commis ioner, has let the job to John Wakefield of the stone abutments for an iron bridge over the Big Pigeon River, east of Beauley, for the sum of \$155 Grant will soon have four iron bridges

EDECETED AL AD.

Clarence Lowe is home from Jack

Hives among the children east of Miss Hattie Satton has gone to Flint

George O'Rourke and wife Sundayed

Farmers busy-merchants have lei-

sure at present. Defordites go to Marlette to have their faith increased.

The good Baptists east of this place, 854, K. O. T. M., at Saginaw at the next were at Clifford attending quarterly. Miss Maggie Chatfleld, of Detroit. visits her grandmother, Mrs. Daugher-Geo. Maguire has found an owner

> Eighteen dollars and fifty-five cents was the amount assessed against B. court. The court thought the laborer

> worthy of her hire. If our Bro. of Argyle wishes us to 1270 dozen eggs in one week, we ask as

a favor to be allowed to drop the right hand figure.

One week ago to-day, your scribe sufwater and vinegar stirring up the tender nerves of his optic. While doing a scattering job of whitewashing a spatter fell in the eye. The good wife thinking to destroy the strength of the day between one and two p. m. that lime came forward with a spoonful of strong vinegar and dumped it into the raw spot. Were we crazed for a minute? Yes, and more too. After using several kinds of language and asking several kinds of language and asking for any season, but perhaps more generour better half if she had tired of her ally needed, when the languid exhausted first husband we gradually tapered feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid down to our usual quiet condition hoping never to be the main actor in such a circus again.

Bro. of Caseville, what manner of wise. An educated woman not as wise pation, Dizziness yield to Electric Bitters as an ignorant man you say. Are you ters, 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at T. H. just having a funny spell or do you really think so? If the latter, turn over England's historic page and find if you can out of the nation's thirty two male rulers just one if you can that even approaches the present female ruler for pure wisdom. Put together what wisdom was distributed among the thirty-two kings if you will, | this to say on the subject of rheumatism: stew it down and weigh it up and it will not balance against what the will not balance against what the tism, as I know from personal experi-young queen showed the first year she ence that it will do all that is claimed ington, was also helping.

F. E. Manley and G. H. Sloeum will

Bro., pray that your skull may be
gist Oxford Wednesday of this week

approach this year and this year are process.

The was laid up in bed with inflammatory rheumatism and suffered intensely. The visit Oxford Wednesday of this week scraped thinner by some process.

A Cure for Muscular Rheumatism. Mrs. R. L. Lamson, of Fairmount, Illi-

will visit Sanilac County next week nois, says: "My sister used Chamber-lain's Pain Balm for muscular rheumawith their stereoptican show in the intism and it effected a complete cure. keep it in the house at all times and have Nearly every one requires a tonic blood always found it beneficial for aches and pains. It is the quickest cure for rheum-atism, muscular pains, and lameness I and 50c, of T. H. Fritz. medicine in the spring, There is nothing so good as Foley's 50c. Sarsaparilla. have ever seen." For sale by T. H.

NOVESTA.

Mr. Pettinger will work Neil McLar v's farm this summer.

R. H. Warner is in Oakland County at present visiting friends.

A. Goodall is laboring for A. McLellan, of Greenleaf, at present.

J. and D. Livingstone are improving their farms by stumping them.

Mr. Stoner, of Yale, was the guest of

W. W. Balch has rented part of the McPhee farm and is busy farming at of oats this spring. He hopes to have present.

Archie McPhail has built a stone milk-house. Geo. Freeman did the price for butter and eggs. stone work.

A. McArthur was called to Courtwright, Ont., last week to attend the The Mercy and Help department funeral of his brother at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Neil McLarty left for Traverse City last Monday where they have secured a position in the asylum.

Residents of school district No. 3 sided north of this place, was held in have a fine flag pole up now from which you can see the stars and stripes on school days.

> Elder Keen, of Wilmot, preached at the Quick school house Sunday morning and evening, and Elder Brown, of Yale, preached at the same place Monday evening.

We are sorry to hear that our Bro cribe of Deford will not accept the nomination for president on the Dem ocratic ticket. We think he would make a good president.

KINGSTON.

J. Gray's paby is very sick. Mrs. Mable Ryckman returned hom Tuesday evening.

Frank Nedry and family have moved nto D. H. Griffin's house

W. H. Roy, at this writing, Wednes lay morning, is not expected to live. Neil H. Burns and J. B. Beverlev ransacted business in Caro Tuesday. The ice-cream social Saturday even-

A nice shower Monday evening and mother Tuesday morning is making egetation boom

W. I. Tillotson, who has been visit ng at L. A. Maynard's the past week returned home Tuesday.

A Miss Hickie has taken rooms at Mr. Calder's and is prepared to do dressmaking for those who may call on

Geo. Calder and wife went to Caro on Friday last to take advantage of the special sale being conducted there

Mrs. L. M. Holmes has had a cross ing put in the side walk just east of her store so now there will be no more John Lake has finished sawing near

Caro and will move his mill back to Kingston and begin work on his shingle bolts and logs here.

L. E. Warner was in town Friday and informed us he had purchased the Weaver drug stock in Marlette and would be located there in a few days.

Cletus King, who has been suffering with rhoumatism for the past four years, walked down town on Saturday Gemmils last week in Justice Osburn's last for the first time in "many moons."

Dr. Mitchell had the misfortune to lose a horse Sunday. It was tied out to eat grass and in some way managed understand that the burg gathered in to break one of its hind legs which ne cessitated its being killed.

J. K. Thomas, who has got the proprty on Pine street where W. R. Hamilton and A. Fox lived, is making some fered because of a mixture of lime, improvements and expects to move into one of the houses himself.

M. R. King had two horses pasturing near the R. R. track Monday morn ing and when the hand car came they became frightened and ran into the wire fence and got cut quite badly.

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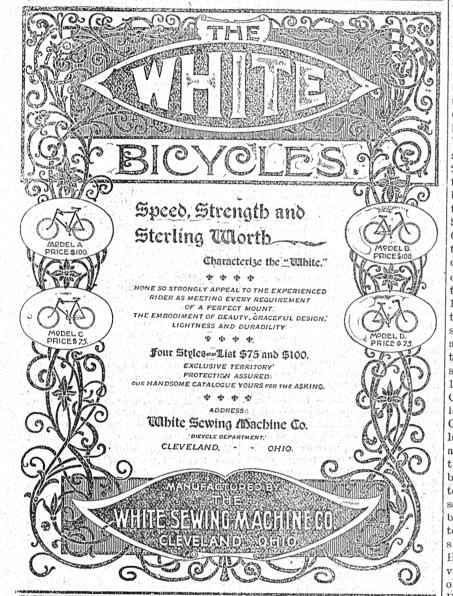
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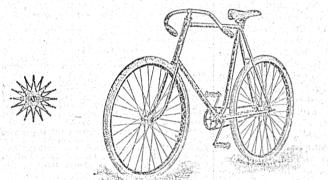
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Council Proceedings.

COMMON COUNCIL ROOMS, May 4th, 1896.

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Cass City. Meeting called to order by President Landon at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Roll call-Present, E. B. Landon president and Trustees Campbell, Crosby, Striffler, Dew and Heller, Absent, Trustee McKenzie.

Minutes of last meeting read and

Petition of W. I. Frost and twentynine (29) others petitioning the council to open Pine Street between blocks ten (10) and eleven (11) of Seeger's addition to the village of Cass City. The petition was referred to the committe on general improvements.

Petition of Alex. Gillies and sixteen (16) others favoring the grading of from north end of Leach Street east to Seeger Street. The petition was referred to the committee on general improvements.

A petition of J. F. Hendrick and eight (8) others asking that the street running north from Main Street between the residences of J. F. Hendrick and Nolton Bigelow be graded as far north as the same is laid out and that side of Main Street be tiled or tunielled under the grade of said street, was then read and referred to the com-

mittee on general improvements. The following resolution was offered by J. D. Crosby: "Be it resolved by the Village Council, of the village o Cass City, that the owners of the following described premises to wit West 41 ft of lot 3, block 1, to the vill age of Cass City; the west 20 ft of lot 2, block 1, of the village of Cass City the west 1/2 of lot 1, and all of lot 3 block b, Hitchcock's 1st addition to the village of Cass City; lot 4, block 2 Seed's 1st addition to the village of Cass City; lot S, block 2, Ale's addition to the village of Cass City, on east side of Ale Street; lot 8, block 2, Ale's addition to the village of Cass City, on the north side of Houghton Street; lots 1, 7 and 8, block 15, Seeger's addition to the village of Cass City, on the south side of Houghton Street; lot 1 and 2, block 14, Seeger's addition to to the village of Cass City, on the west 15. Seeger's addition the village of Cass City. on the west side of Seeger Street; lot 5, block 3, of the village of Cass City, on the west side of Oak Street; lot 2, block , Wi sey and McPnai's a idition to the village of Cass City, on the south side of Main Street; lot 1, block 1, Wilsey and McPhails addition south side of Main Street; lots 3 and 4, to the village of Cass City, on the south side of Garfeld Avenue; lot 1, tlock j Hitchcock's first addition to the village of Cass City, on the south side of Garfield Avenue; lot 13, block a Kellands addition to the village of Cass City, on the west side of West Street; lot 8, block 1, Seed's 1st addition to the village of Cass City, on the east side of Seeger Street. A piece of land commencing four (4) rods south of south-east corner of lot 1, block b, Kellands addition the village of Cass City, thence south four (4) rods, thence west eight (8) rods, thence north 4 rods, thence east 8 rods, to place of beginning, on the west side of West Street; a piece of land commencing 22 rods south of north-west corner of south-west quarter (1/4) of north-west quarter (1/4) of section 34, thence east rods, thence south 8 rods, thence west 8 rods, thence north 8 rods to the place of beginning, on the east side of Seeger Street; a piece of land comnencing at the south-east corner or lot 1, block b, Kelland's addition to the viilage of Cass City, thence north 4 rods, thence east 8 rods to the place of beginning, on the west side of West Street; a piece of land commencing 3 rods east of the north-west corner of the south-west quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty four (34), thence east 17 rods, thence south 16 rods, thence west 17 rods, thence north 16 rods to place of beginning, on the east side of Seeger Street; lots 1 and 2 block 18, Seegers addition to the village of Cass City, on the west side of Seeger Street; a piece of land commencing at the north-east corner of the south-east quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three, thence running west 11 rods, thence north 5 rods, thence east 11 rods, thence south 5 rods to the place of be-

thence south 4 rods, thence west 11

of the street commissioner in relation

resolved that the owners of said premises be and is hereby required to construct said sidewalks by the 26th day of May, 1896.

On motion of Trustee Striffler, the resolution offered by Trustee Crosby was accepted and placed on file.

The committee on general improve ments then made a verbal report to the effect that the fire wells at the corner of Main and Seeger Streets were not in proper condition and recommended that they be repaired at once.

On motion of Trustee Striffler the committe on general improvements was instructed to proceed at once to repair said wells and put in good condition, the work to be done under the supervision of the street commissioner.

Trustee Crosby moved that the gutter line on Seeger Street north from Main Street as far as said Seeger noon. Street is six (6) rods wide, be establish-Leach Street from Third Street north ed twenty (20) feet from the property to terminus; also to open the street line, which motion received a support and did prevail.

> Trustee Crosby moved that the property owners on Seeger Street, north of Main Street, be allowed to plant trees 18 feet and 7 feet respectively from the property or building line on said Seeger Street, as far as said street is six rods wide. Carried.

The report of James Ramsey, street commissioner, with regard to expense the gutter on water coarse on north of digging cellar of W. J. Campbell and summer. grading Seeger Street north of Main Street was then read and on motion of Tent, 598, K. O. T. M., at the great Trustee Striffler, the report was accepted and pleaed on file.

d	I me following bills were then re
y	and referred to committee on claim
f	and accounts.
Ē	Geo. Karr, lumber
	W I Campball lumber
:	Jas. Ramsey, labor and Merchandise
	M. Anthes, labor
t	N. Gable, labor
-	Wm. Fisher, labor
;	Jno. Brown, labor
3,	H. Ball, Jr. labor
o	F. Herr, labor.
2,	Thomas Parker, labor
	Enterprise Steam Printing House, printing 4
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. 1	bills allowed as read and on motion

Trustee Campbell, they were so allowed and the clerk instructed to draw orders for the several amounts.

Trustee Dew moved that the liquor bond be fixed at six thousand (\$6,000) dollers. Trustee Crosby moved to amend by fixing the bond at three (\$3,000) dollars, which same amendment side of Seeger Street; lots 7 and 8, block received a support and did prevail. The question being on the original motion as amended, the same prevailed. Trustee Dow calling for the yeas and nays and the trustees voting thereon as follows: Yeas, Trustees Crosby, Heller and Striffler, total 3. Nays,

Trustees Campbell and Dew, total 2. The bond of James Reagh, marshall, block 1, Wilsey and McPhails addition to the village of Cass City, on the Martin Dew as sureties, in the sum of the bond was accepted and placed on

> The druggist liquor bond of Andrew W. Seed, as principal, and J. C. Laing tee Crosby, the same was accepted and Clothier. placed on file.

The druggist liquor bond of Theodore H. Fritz, as principal, and E. H. Pinney and H. S. Wickware as sureties, in the sum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, was then read and on motion of Trustee Heller, the same was accepted and placed on file.

The liquor bond of Maggie Sheridan, as principal, and Michael Sheridan and John Benkelmen, as sureties, in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, was then read and on motion of Trustee Crosby, the same was accepted.

On motion of Trustee Crosby, council adjourned.

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A Friend's Advice.

Montague, Mich., Nov. 13, 1893. William Windecknecht, a wealthy farmer of Muskegon county, personally appeared before me, a Notary Publi ginning, on the west side of Seeger this day, and deposes and says: "That Street; a piece of land commencing 5 for the past year or so he was afflicted with Weakness, Trembling, Heart Failrods south from lot 2, block 18, Seeger's rods south from lot 2, block 18, Seeger's ure, Extreme Nervousness, Headache addition to the village of Cass City, and General Debility; that he has consulted with physicians and received no benefit. He was persuaded by a friend to try a sample bottle of Dr. Wheeler's rods, thence north 4 rods, thence east 11 rods to place of beginning, be and is hereby required to construct new sidewalks, abutting upon and adjacent to mediately stopped by its use. Aftering to the provisions of ordinance and free from that Trembling sensation; number four (4) of the village of Cass City, entitled "an ordinance relative to the construction and maintenance of sidewalks on the public streets within the village of Cass City and the duties of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer."

trolling agent for the thumb. Agents wanted. thereto," which said ordinance was passed and adopted on the 19th day of S. CHAMPION, Cass City, Mich.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public for Muskegon county, state of Michigan. Jas. Morrison. For sale by T. H. Fritz.

ARGYLE

Farmers are busy seeding now. Mrs. A. Walker is on the sick lis this week.

Mr. McCauley will preach in the M. E. Church next Sunday.

H. Greenleaf and M. Stevens were in Sanilac Center on Wednesday and pur

Old lady Vatters is very sick and her recovery is doubtful as she is ninetyfour years of age

WILMOT.

C. E. Rolph next Wednesday after

niversary services at the M. E. Church | 3% in Caro Sunday.

16 and 17 this summer.

has gone to Boyne Falls. The site has been secured and some

stone drawn for the foundation of the M. E. Church which is to be built this

C. E. Rolph will represent Wilmot camp for Michigan which meets in Saginaw in June.

CLIFFORD.

Listen for wedding bells.

work this summer.

John Buffum, of North Branch, Clifford caller on Monday.

Mr. Pyne has advertised a sale of al his hotel furniture and will soon leave Clifford.

tained relatives and friends from Brown City over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Hathaway, of West Bur-Chapin over Sunday

mill question and the prospects are good that one will be put in soon.

for the past year in Iosco County, has returned and will spend the summer at the parental home

but her friends are pleased to report

block j, Hitchcock's first addition to two hundred (\$200) dollars was then given a half holiday on Tuesday, the read and on motion of Trustee Striffler, teacher, Miss Lanway, being taken suddenly ill. We are pleased to know she is better again.

has always belonged to Clifford charge, and W. T. Schenck, as sureties, in the has been changed to North Branch cirsum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, cuit, leaving Clifford with only two was then read and on motion of Trus- outside appointments, the Sanson and

The quarterly meeting held in the Baptist Church 8th, 9th and 10th was attended by a large crowd, our neighboring towns being well represented and a good many delegates were here from a distance.

town on Monday. Ira Cornell was a caller in town the

eigh were at Bad Axe on Saturday. day from an extended visit to Colum

Miss Marinda Williamson, teacher of East Grant school, was a guest of Mrs Lambkin over Sunday.

Cass City for a short time. Miss Annice has taken her place with her sis ter at Cass City.

Mrs. Joseph Kosanke, Com. of the L O. T. M., and T. E. Bancroft are to represent the Maccabees of this place, at Saginaw, June 10th.

Mrs. Lottie Young was agreeably sur

Grandpa does not use tobacco, sister of Deford. Their habits through life have been to mind their own business walks, abutting upon and adjacent to wards he used two bottles of the same and observe God's laws. They are medicine and says he is entirely cured ready waiting and watching for the and observe God's laws. They are Master's call.

The house of Mr. Latimore, east of here was burned on Sunday.

chased wheels

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs

M. Dubois and family attended 'an-

Kingston township will build a bridge over White Creek between Sec.

Wm. Cook has got through travelling with the J. L. Cook Comedy Co. and

Mr. Hazelton has gone to Chicago to

A little son came May 10th to bright

en the home of Doctor Keilor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gansey enter-

lington, was the guest of Miss Nellie

E. M. Merrill, who has been teaching

Miss Stella Conley has been suffering from a severe attack of la grippe

her as again improving. The pupils of the select school were OUR SPECIALTIES

The Silverwood M. E. Church, which

CANBORO.

John Leitch is still dangerously ill. Miss Ballagh is still with Miss Con-

P. P. Weber, of Caseville, was in

atter part of the week. Miss Connell and Miss Barbara Bur-

Miss Ida Dulmage came home Mon-

James Sharp and daughter, of Unionville, were in town during quarterly meeting.

Miss Belle Lown has returned from

orised by her many friends on Monday, June 11th, being her 19th birth- Spectacles. day. She was the recipient of many

Quarterly meeting of the P. M Church took place Sunday May 10th at find our prices very low. the F. W. B. C. Elder Gray, of Gagetown, was assisted by Elder Young, of Sworn to and subscribed before me, a number from sister churches present of that their and all more or less felt that their spiritual strength was renewed.

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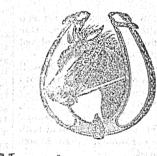
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Time at L'Anse Destroyed Over Half the Zown Leaving Many Families Homeless -Soldiers' Home Board of Managers

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The Town of L'Anse Burned. Fire started at the L'Anse Lumber To 's sawmill with the wind blowing strong from the southwest and in 10 minutes the fire was beyond control. It jumped to the ore dock, then it furned the lumber docks and about \$,600,000 feet of dry lumber. Smith's store and warehouse went next, followed by Gitzen's, Cullan's and Menges' store and tenement, Ruppe's warehouse and store, Selfert's saloon, the old and new Lloyd hotels, Western Union telegraph office, Wallace's livery stable and residence, William's hardware store, the town hall, opera house, Sentinel printing office, and two score or

more of homes. The Baraga hose company responded promptly, and saved what is left of the town. The loss will reach \$500,000, with about one-quarter insurance. Very little was saved, as the fire ran so fast that the people had scarcely time to realize it. No lives are reported as lost. The water works supplied plenty of water, but there was a scarcity of hose.

Citizens meetings were held at Marquette and Houghton and relief was at once sent to the homeless people at L'Anse.

Munising Threatened by Forest Fires. Destructive forest fires are reported from several portions of the upper peninsula. The worst so far is reported from Ontonagon county, where several fumber camps have been destroyed, and great quantities of cut and standing timber damaged. From Munising, the new town in Alger county, comes a report that the entire populace is fighting fire to save the town.

A dispatch from Newberry says Muaising was in danger of being entirely consumed by fire. Several houses burned from forest fires, but later it began raining. The authorities telegraphed Marquette and Negaunee for fire engines.

Bishop Williams at Work.

The new episcopal diocese of Marquette held its first regular convention under the presidency of Bishop G. Mott Williams. The bishop's address was liberal in tone. The continued agitation in favor of bible reading in the public schools was deprecated, and the church admonished to be thankful that it was relieved of the burden of elementary education, and to heartily support the public school system. A resolution to petition the legislature for diocesan and parish suffrage rights for women was unanimously carried. A reception was tendered Bishop Williams and he was overwhelmed with congratulations.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

There are 200 cases of measles in Kalamazoo.

Saloons in Osceola county are now a a thing of the past.

The Linwood schools have been closed betwo weeks on account of measles.

Corunna is wet again, the council having approved three liquor bonds. Fred Cruse, a deaf mute, was killed thy a Lake Shore train, at Three Rivers. Monis Krohn, aged 12, was drowned while bathing in the river at Saginaw.

Over 1,200 carpenters have gone on a strike at Detroit for an eight-hour day. E. M. Hoyt, an aged farmer near Mason, attempted suicide by cutting

Henry Lesmer, a Port Huron sewer contractor, dropped dead while at work, from the effects of the heat.

The drill house of the Rietz Salt & Lumber Co., at Manistee, burned to the ground. The loss is \$6,000, fully insured. James Ward, a crippled soldier of Flint, got 65 days in the Detroit house of correction for stealing umbrellas.

The German Lutheran Trinity church of Lansing celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary and dedicated a fine new

While climbing a tree at one of Cheesebrough's camps near Newberry John Ashland, a cook, fell and broke his neck.

The Detroit & Mackinac has 200 men at work on its Bay City extension. One mile of grading has been completed south of Omer.

Quail & Son's elevator at Croswell was badly damaged by fire. The grain and other contents were soaked with

water. Insured. Lightning struck Geo. Clements' Fronse and barn at Lawrence and both

were entirely consumed. Loss, \$3,000; wartially insured. Jeremiah Kilmartin and wife, of

Portland, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. He is 82 and the wife 80 years of age. Twenty union tailors, comprising the

exture working force of their craft at Adrian, walked out because of trouble over the scale of prices. The twenty-third annual meeting of

the state association of city superintendents of schools was held at Lansing with a large attendance.

Thirteen deaths have occurred in Menominee since the typhoid fever epidemic begun. Artesian wells will be sunk for a purer water supply.

Dr. Le Grande Wheeler, of Muskegon, has been arrested on the charge of committing a criminal operation on Miss Trumbull, the Twin Lakes girl who charges her father, Ira, and sary to complete the building be raised 75 men jumped in all directions, mos Brother, Dyke Trumbull, with a terrible by the close of the present college of them into the river below. One man

Jarvis Eldred, aged 84, for nearly 50 years marshal of Monroe, has been compelled to retire, much against his wishes, to make room for a young man.

The national convention of the Psi Ann Arbor, with representatives from every college where there is a chapter. far only published a dozen. Many of

wealthy farmer, drowned himself in very striking revelations. the Kalamazoo river at Marshall. He The shores of Barren lake near Niles

are covered with dead fish, killed by dynamite and fishing has about been uined. The game warden is investi-The twenty-eighth annual session of

the grand lodge of B'Nai Brith, comprising the states of Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and Nebraska, was neld at Kalamazoo. Burglars looted two stores in Whitehall and Montague and got \$200 worth

of plunder. They held up a dressmaker and robbed her of all of her noney-seven cents. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Preston, aged 74 and 72, celebrated their golden wed-

ding in Armada. The children and grand children and about 60 old friends and neighbors were present. The fast passenger steamer Unique, rom Detroit to Port Huron, became

inruly and crashed into a dock at Marine City, demolishing the dock and knocking a warehouse off its foundation W. E. Van Every, editor of the Holly Independent, died from the effects of a blood clot below the knee of the right

leg which made it necessary for the member to be amputated. The shock Folkerts & Luther's shingle and planing mill burned at Alpena. The walls of the building, which were of stone, are practically uninjured, but

the interior, with most of the ma-

chinery, is ruined. Loss, \$8,000. Near Elkton live the oldest couple in Michigan. Jacob Hillier is 106 years of age, having celebrated his last birthday on Oct. 20, 1895. Mrs. Hillier reached her 104th year March 16, 1896.

They have been married 86 years. Forest fires are burning at several points in Houghton, Ontonagon and plicity in the Jameson raid has been adjoining counties. So far no great damage has been done, but with con- doubt. The Saturday Review, for intinued dry weather, the fires will speedily become serious. Rain reatly needed.

Miss Maude Van Dyke, a 15-year-old girl, was criminally assaulted by a Kruger has proofs that Dr. Jameson, tramp, on the bank of the river north under Rhodes' orders, intended to of Kalamazoo. In order to accomplish | march upon Pretoria after the capture his purpose, the fiend pulled out a razor and threatened to kill the girl if turned the government. she made an outcry.

The Holland fire department was called upon to assist the village of Zeeland at a fire which threatened that town. The flames were, however, confined to the carriage factory of Depree & Ellenbaas, which is a total loss of \$25,000, with no insurance.

Prof. John Kost, of Lansing, wants \$20,000 damages from the Lake Shore railway. He says many geological specimens were badly damaged while mander O. Heyerman, Gen. O. M. Poe being shipped from Tiffin, O., to Lansing. The damage on a skeleton of a reported and several apt toasts had mastodon he places at \$10,000.

John Hipner, a wealthy farmer, was arrested by Frank Chase, the Clio vil- of Ann Arbor; senior vice, James Ver lage marshal, on the charge of being | nor, of Detroit; junior vice, George C drunk, but was discharged at once. In justice court Hipner obtained a \$2,500 registrar, C. Larned Williams; treas verdict for false imprisonment. Chase appealed and Hipner got a \$100 verdict.

The twenty-third semi-annual apportionment of primary school interest money has been completed by Superintendent of Public Instruction Pattengill. It apportions a total of \$321,-186.26 among the counties of the state, the total number of children of school age being 698,231, and the rate per

capita 46 cents. Hose cart No. 1 at Muskegon was called to the Thaver mill to a fire. A tramway, over which it was going from the cart into eight feet of water below. The driver, James Cowan, saved himself by jumping. He swam to the horses' heads, cut the harness and guided the horses to shore. As the water was full of logs it was a narrow escape for all.

St. Stanislaus' Polish parish at Bay City was the scene of a disgraceful riot. It was announced that Bishop Richter and Fr. Matkowski, the deposed priest, would be on hand to celebrate mass at the church and when they stepped from a carriage and made their wav toward the door of the big edifice they were set upon by a mob of Fr. Truski's sympathizers, and for a few moments there was a lively scene. The reverend gentlemen's clothing was somewhat torn, but they escaped without serious

injury. Only the sudden turning of the wind saved the mills and lumber yard of the Diamond Match Co., at Ontonagon. The boarding house was burned, together with considerable lumber, John Mercer's warehouse and the Paul house were slightly damaged. Six boarders at the first named lost everything, and four firemen were carried away unconscious. They will all recover. The losses are: Diamond Match Co., boarding house barn and lumber, \$27,000; A. J. Johnson, \$1,500; H. B. Dickinson, \$1,000; Robert Carroll, \$1,200.

J. Blair Simpson, justice of the peace, of Detroit, was sentenced to six years in Jackson prison, for criminally assaulting Miss Anna Howlett in a restaurant. A motion for a new trial was argued and denied. Simpson had previously escaped conviction under

two similar charges. Regent Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit, offers to add \$1,000 to the \$25,000 he has already contributed for the women's gymnasium at the U. of M. on condition that the rest of the \$15,000 neces- was precipitated into the river. About year. The ladies already have \$6,000. was so severely injured that he may die.

TICKLISH FOR THE BRITISH. Revelations of the Dispatches Captured by

Transvaal Boers. London: It is said that President Kruger, of the South African republic, Upsilon college fraternity was held at has in his possession altogether 54 in-

criminating letters, of which he has so Rudolph Bartholomew, aged 60, a those still unpublished will provide

The critical character of the situawas seen to walk deliberately into the | tion as between Great Britain and the Transvaal before President Kruger's masterly use of the captured cipher dispatches may be gauged from advices recently given by Sir Hercules Robinson to the imperial government, which had invited an opinion from him on the policy to be adopted. He replied that there were two courses open to the imperial government, either to sit still and wait Kruger's action toward the Uitlanders or to take immediate warlike measures. He favored the former policy, because it would take 50,000 men to conquer the Transvaal, to say nothing of the consequential troubles and complications it would

A dispatch from Cape Town shows that the plot to overthrow the Transvaal had a very wide ramification. All of the telegrams from the Chartered South Africa Co. in Cape Town bore the stamp "On the company's service." From copies of the letters which the Transvaal obtained from Dr. Jameson upon his capture) it seems that orders and been given to prepare everything in Matabeleland for an invasion. A dispatch from Pretoria says President Kruger realizes the dilemma in which British Colonial Secretary Chamberlain s placed and is exceedingly sorry for nim, believing that he knew nothing of the conspiracy.

London: The South African troubles are the talk of the hour, and every other subject seems to have almost disappeared. Mr. Chamberlain, it is wellknown, yielded to the pressure brought to bear upon him by friends of the Chartered company, who are influential socially and politically, and it seems evident that the government has decided to shield Cecil Rhodes. Influential weekly papers protest against the government's leaning toward the Chart ered company after the latter's comestablished beyond the shadow of a stance, publishes six pages devoted to exposing the plot against the Transvaal and as further evidence of the guilt of Cecil Rhodes, declares that President of Johannesburg should have over-

Michigan Loyal Legion.

Over 250 of the members of Michigan commandery of the Loyal Legion gathered in the Russell house at Detroit and partook of their twelfth annual banquet. At the conclusion of the feast Geo. W. Chandler, the retiring commander, briefly sketched the year and reported 21 new members added and that seven had answered their last roll call, among the latter being Comand Chas Poe. After other officers had been responded to the following officers were elected: Commander, H. S. Dean, Hopper; recorder, James T. Sterling; urer, S. B. Coleman; chancellor, James

Rhines; chaplain, Rev. L. A. Arthur. Rosy Crop Report for Michigan,

The May crop report says: Not more than 2 or 3 per cent of the wheat sowed will be plowed up because winter killed. With few exceptions, reports show no damage by insects. Average condition of wheat in the southern and central counties and the state is the nighest reported in five years. Figures are: Southern countries, 91; central and northern, 94, and state, 92. In the southern counties 30 per cent, and in one mill to the other, gave way and let | the state an average of 26 per cent, of the meadows will be plowed up. Owing to the drouth, the seeding of last year was very generally lost. Timothy meadows are making fine growth. The average condition of meadows is 85 for the state. The prospect is good for a heavy crop of apples and peaches. Average percentage for the state is 96 for apples and 85 for peaches.

NEWS ITEMS IN BRIEF.

The steamer Laurada has sailed from New York with 200 men and several ons of arms and ammunition for the Cuban insurgents.

The special train of Wm. K. Vander oilt came near being wrecked between Cleveland and Buffalo, while traveling at a high rate of speed.

Hiram Curtis and Matt Bentley me at a dance near Henrietta, Tex. To settle an old feud both began firing

and both were shot dead. On the eve of the launching of the new steel schooner Bessemer, the steel workers and helpers at the Globe ship yards at Cleveland, struck for higher wages.

Rear Admiral Wm. A. Kirkland, of the U.S. N., received notification from Secretary Herbert of his appointment as commander of the Mare Island navy yard, of San Francisco, to take effect

June 1. A letter received by a Cuban sympathizer at Key West, Fla., from an American who went to Cuba with Gen. Garcia says that Garcia, with 3,000 men, fought Gen. Munoz, Spaniaro with 2,500 men, near Manzanillo, killing 400 Spaniards with a loss of less than 100.

While a large force of men were placing a 60-ton steel girder across the Saline river at Milan, for the Ann Arbor railroad, the girder slipped and

CASUALTIES.

Maurice Reed, aged ten years, slipped from a log boom at Lyons, lowa, and was drowned.

Mrs. Waddell was prostrated by the heat at Oskaloosa, Iowa, and expired shortly afterward

Nicholas Young, a blacksmith, fell to the bottom of the air course in Sangamon shaft No. 1 at Springfield, Ill., and was instantly killed.

Lawrence Culerford, a tinner and coppersmith, who said his home was in Chicago, was fatally injured by the cars at Logansport, Ind.

Wayne Wilkes, the pacing stallion, with a record of 2:15 and valued at \$4,000, was burned to death at Fort Wayne, Ind. He was owned by Randall & Townsend.

Ten men were hurt in a fire at St Louis early Monday morning. One man is still unaccounted for.

For three hours the other evening, the severest electrical storm ever known in Sheboygan, raged there, doing much damage. Electric light wires were down, the street car service was crippled and several houses were struck. A cloudburst accompanying the storm made washouts on the Northwestern railway, delaying trains. A stream of water a foot deep rushed down the principal street across the bridge where it left a deposit of mud six inches deep.

As the Gilt-Edge special was nearing the station in Boston from New York the vestibule smoker failed to catch a switch and was overturned. W. J. Dow, a Boston commission merchant, and J. E. Long, of Watertown, were caught between two seats and crushed so badly that they died on the way to the hospital. A dozen other passengers were badly injured.

The north-bound Missouri, Kansas and Texas flyer was struck by the Texas and Pacific switch engine near the Union depot, Fort Worth, Texas, causing an ugly wreck. Two passengers, P. C. Hamilton, of Ithaca, and C. H. White, of Cleborne, were very seriously injured. Three other passengers were hurt.

FOREIGN.

The Spanish government has been asked to approve the sentences of death passed by a court martial upon the men captured on the Competitor, on a charge of piracy and rebellion.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the signing of the treaty of Frankfort, which concluded the Franco-Prussian war, was celebrated Sunday in continuation of the fetes and celebrations which have been held throughout Germany in commemoration of the twentyfifth anniversary of the events of the

The Cuban situation, as presented by the imposition of the death sentence upon the members of the Competitor party, brings forward a decidedly interesting condition which may result in an attempt at action on this question

by the senate during the week. Sir John Millais, president of the Royal Academy, London, is reported to be suffering from cancer of the throat.

Colonel Pano has been elected president of Bolivia, in succession Mariano Baptista, whose term expires Aug. 6.

Senor Domingo Gana, Chilian minister to the United States, will succeed Senor Augusto Matte, minister to France, England and Switzerland. Senor Matte resigned on account of ill health.

Earl Spencer, ex-lord lieutenant of Ireland, and Lady Spencer, who have been visiting in Winnipeg, Man., have started for New York.

CRIME.

John Barnett was shot and killed by James Bock near Jackson, Tenn. George W. Davis, porter in a springfield, O., saloon, who was shot in the leg by Proprietor Kirkpatrick, died. In a saloon row at St. Louis, Mo., Ike Shelburn stabbed Mike Rohan and a man named Haloran. Rohan was killed and Haloran, who was taken to the city hospital, cannot live. The police are looking for Shelburn, who escaped after the murder.

Irvin V. Ford, a negro, has confessed the murder of Elsie Kregle, aged 16, daughter of a farmer living near Washington, D. C., while trying to assault

Henry D. Oppenheim, aged 55 years, a broker and commission man of St. Louis, committed suicide by taking poison. Despondency from physical ailments is given as the cause.

J. Watson Hildreth, the boy train wrecker of Rome, N. Y., has received a life sentence. His companions, Plato and Hibbard, pleaded guilty to manslaughter and were sentenced to forty years' imprisonment each.

Handsome Elk, the Sioux Indian, has

surrendered to the authorities. H. H. Holmes, condemned to die for the murder of Benjamin F. Pitzel, at Philadelphia, Pa., was executed at Moyamensing prison Thursday. He went to his death denying the many murders charged to him.

An indictment has been returned against James B. Lazear, ex-national bank examiner, and cashier and director of the defunct Union National bank of Denver, Col. There are four counts, each charging him with receiving money knowing that the bank was insolvent.

George Taylor, one of the murderers of the Meeks family, who escaped from the jail at Carrollton, Mo., has been seen at Shelton, Neb. Detectives are close in pursuit. Peter Stevens and David Razor had a

had his skull smashed and Razor was disemboweled. During a quarrel over a trivial mat-

PICKED AND SORTED.

NEWS FROM ALL QUARTERS BRIEFLY RELATED.

> ransvaal Parliament Opens and President Kruger Does Some Strong Talking -Cubans Being Supplied With Plenty of Arms and Ammunition.

President Kruger is Firm. At the opening of the volksraad (the parliament of the Transvaal) at Pretoria great and unusual interest was taken in the proceedings in view of the recent disclosures made by the publication of the cipher telegrams exchanged between Cecil Rhodes, then premier of Cape Colony, and others who took part in the Jameson raid in the territory of the Boer republic. The town was crowded with Boers, many of whom had ridden hundreds of miles, as the present session is looked upon as being one of the most important in the history of the little South African repub-Warm, indeed, were the commendations passed upon the diplomacy of 'Oom Paul"-as President Kruger is affectionately termed by his peoplewho has so cleverly out-fenced the British secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain.

The president's address was full of patriotism, and while he expressed a lesire for peace with all the world yet he showed that it was his intention not to be imposed upon by any nation. The republic maintains friendly relations with foreign powers, said he, and then turning to the relations with the Orange Free State he said: "I hope that a meeting between representatives of the Orange Free State and representatives of the South African republic will shortly be held and that plans for a closer union between the two countries will be discussed." This utterance was looked upon as confirming the report that negotiations have for some time past been on foot for an alliance offensive and defensive, between the South African republic and the Orange Free State, looking to resisting any attempt upon the part of Great Britain to interfere in the internal affairs of either country.

CUBANS GREATLY PLEASED.

Lots of Arms and Ammunition Being Sent to Them in Spite of Spanish.

It is known that the greatest need of the Cuban revolutionists is arms and ammunition and these the patriots in the United States are determined to supply without stint. Large orders have been placed and so large a quantity is now ready that it has been determined to send out an expedition of three vessels. One has just been bought for the purpose. It is said that she is the fast steamer Magnetic, which will be convoyed by two other steamers, both of which will be well armed and prepared to fight. It is thought that the two vessels chosen are the Bermuda and her sister ship, the Muriel.

A dispatch from Havana, via Key West, says: There is tremendous excitement throughout Cuba over the rumor hat the Bermuda landed another large cargo of men and arms, including machine guns, on the northern coast, somewhere east of Cardenas. It is said that she was pursued by a Spanish man-of-war, but was too fast to be caught. The Spanish commanders seem to realize the danger of having to face machine guns handled by trained American artillerymen, Gen. Weyler insists that the rebel works at Cascarajicara must be taken at any cost, and fresh troops have been sent to Honda bay. The captain-general is beginning to appreciate the fact that his vaunted trocha (military line) is bringing his military reputation into ridicule. Gen. Maceo ignores it, and refuses to attack it for the simple reason that he desires to remain at Pinar del Rio and control

the province.

Indiana for McKinley. The Indiana Republican convention instructed its delegates for Maj. Mc-Kinley with scarcely a show of opposition. The platform embodying the instructions was adopted by a viva voce vote and without division. It indorses Harrison's administration, declares for 'sound money," favors the use of both gold and silver at a parity, urges bimetallism on an international basis and condemns the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1. and concludes with strong McKinley resolutions.

Kirt Rodgers, a colored desperado, vas shot and fatally injured at Sybene. O., while burglarizing the postoffice in J. C. Crawford's store. Fred Crawford, aged 16, did the shooting.

The large Mississippi towboat Harry Brown, up-bound, exploded her boilers 25 miles below Vicksburg, Miss., and in less than a moment sank out of sight. Eleven lives, all white, were lost.

Last November a New York Central train was wrecked near Rome, N. Y.; the engineer was killed and several other persons seriously injured. Four boys, aged about 18, were arrested and convicted. One died before sentence was passed, but Hildreth got life, and Plato and Hibbard 40 years each. They wrecked the train to rob the passengers. A London dispatch says information

has been received from Shanghai that the Russian consul threatens to forcibly seize a stretch of the fore shore at Chefoo, to which Great Britain has a long standing claim. The British minister protested against the threatened seizure, and it is understood that China also objects. Four Russian warships fight near Mount Sterling, Ky. Stevens | are off Chefoo landing men, apparently to support the consul.

Ferdinand Schumacher, the wellknown millionaire oatmeal manufacter at Chadron, Neb., Glenn Santee was turer, at Akron, O., filed a deed of personal assignment. His liabilities are shot and killed by W. R. Welch, a over \$1,500,000, and assets \$2,500,000.

OUR LAWMAKERS AT WORK,

SENATE.-120th day.-Mr. Hill added another installment to his speech against the bond investigation resolution, in which he severely critised Senators Pettigrew and Wolcott. Several test votes were made during the day on the resolutions which showed that they will pass. The Cuban question again came to the front when a resolution was presented requesting the President to protest against the execution of American citizens taken on board the schooner Competitor by a Spanish gunboat. Mr. Morgan, of Alapama, moved that a resolution introduced by him some time since, for a recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents, be referred to the committee on foreign relations in order to take the sense of that committee. He said that developments had occurred which made it sheer justice to our own people, without reference to its effects on the Cubans, that we should declare that a state of war exists there. House—The house served notice on the senate and the country that it had transacted its business and was ready for the final adjournment by passing, without division, a resolution for final adjournment Monday, May 18. The house proceeded under the special order to consider private pension bills and acted upon them at the rate of one every five minutes. By the terms of the order debate on each was limited to 10 minutes. In five and one-half hours 72 bills were favorably acted upon. SENATE.-121st day-The bond reso-

utions passed, and thus, by the decisive vote of 51 to 6, the senate inaugurated an investigation, to be conducted by the senate committee on finance, nto the facts and circumstances connected with the sale of U.S. bonds by the secretary of the treasury during the last three years. The final day of debate was very hot, involving an ineresting set-to between Senators Palmer, of Illinois; Vest, of Missouri, and Cockrell, of Missouri. Mr. Palmer roasted the Republican candidates for the presidential nomination and was bitter against "snap" conventions to commit the Democracy to silver. Mr. Vest took a turn at President Cleveland's administration for alleged use of federal officials to control Democratic conventions, notably in Michigan. Mr. Hill also had a hand in the closing scene, opposing the resolution. The conference agreements reported on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, including the item of salaries for U.S. district attorneys and marshals, was agreed to. Several other minor matters were disposed of also. House.-The net result of a three and a half hours' session was the passage of a bill to amend the act creating the court of appeals so as to allow appeals from the supreme courts of the territories to the court of appeals. SENATE.-122d day.-With the bond esolution out of the way the senate gave its attention to an accumulation

of minor measures before going on with the river and harbor bill. The bill for the erection of a bridge across the Detroit river, at Detroit, was postponed until next session, on the request of Mr. Sherman and the assent of the Michigan senators, Mr. Sherman stated that there would be strong opposition. House—The members of the house voted themselves \$100 per month for clerk's hire during the recesses of congress. A number of minor bills were disposed of. An evening session was devoted to private pension bills. SENATE.-123d day.-The senate gave

nost of the day to passing the accumulation of bills on the calendar and succeeded in disposing of a large number of them. Considerable progress was also made on the river and harbor bill. House.—No session.

SENATE. -- 124th day. -- In reporting the bankruptcy bill from the judiciary committee Mr. Teller stated that it favored the substitution of the senate bankruptcy bill for that passed by the house. Mr. Mitchell added that the minority of the committee favored the nouse bill. The river and harbor bill was then taken up, the question being of the only remaining amendment for a deep water harbor at Santa Monica, Cal. Mr. Berry, Dem., Ark., a member of the commerce committee, spoke in opposition to the amendment, declaring that this proposed expenditure of \$3,000,000 was against the public interest and in the private interest of C. P. Huntington, of the Southern Pacific. Senators Vest and Caffery took the ground that no appropriation should be made at present. Mr. Frye, chairman of the commerce committee, replied to the strictures upon the proposition. House.—The session of the house was almost entirely devoted to the consideration of District of Columbia business. Bills were passed to authorize the secretary of the treasury to detail revenue cutters to enforce regulations at regattas; and other matters of only local interest.

Otto and Henry Stever, were terribly injured while riding a tandem bicycle near Laingsburg. They were descending a steep hill at a high rate of speed when the front forks broke, throwing them into the fence with terrible force. Otto's injuries consist of a broken nose and arm, and severe cuts about the head and face. Henry, remained uncounscious for a long time. His injuries are internal, and it is feared he may not recover.

A great sensation was created at Cleveland by the announcement that Fr. Kolaszewski and his 3,000 Polish parishioners of the church of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (independent Catholic,) desire to ally themselves with the Methodist Episcopal church. Although Fr. Kolaszewski refused to say anything whatever concerning the action, the statement is verified by Chaplain C. C. Mc-Cabe, of the Methodist general confer-They no longer believe in the

UNCLE SAM IS RILED. Protests Against the Proposed Execution

of the Competitor Fillbusters. Havana dispatches say that by a court martial the crew of the American schooner Competitor, which was captured with a filibustering expedition on board going to help the Cuban insurgents, have been sentenced to be shot, without civil trial. When this news reached Washington, with the information that some of the men were Amercan citizens the state department at once protested against such summary action and demanded that the sentence be withheld and a civil trial be given the Americans according to treaty provisions. This soon stirred matters up at Havana and at Madrid. A dispatch from the latter place says there are evidences of growing popular excitement in Spain over the attitude of the U.S. government towards the execution of the filibusterers captured on board the Competitor. The news of the capture of these men was received with great satisfaction and rejoicing. It was felt to be the first opportunity that had been offered to make an example of those engaged in feeding the insurrection. The popular demand for their execution is general, and is likely to become vociferous. Little account is taken of the refined questions of treaty interpretation involved in the protest of the United States government against the execution of the sentences. The action of the United States is regarded rather as an expression of sympathy with the insurrection, and there will be a strong popular clamor to disregard it. The Spanish government is willing to consider the demand, and has cabled to Capt .-Gen. Weyler to delay the executions pending the result of negotiations which are actively proceeding between

Washington and Madrid. Havana: Gen. Weyler declares that if the sentences of the Competitor filibusters are not executed by Spain that he will resign. "I am tired," he says, "of the continuous menace and interference of the United States in Cuban affairs. I came to suppress a rebellion of bandits. Death is the only penalty which can be inflicted upon bandits. If I am not allowed to proceed in the only way I think will save the Spanish cause, I prefer to retire and leave to others the responsibility of the loss of

Cuba by Spain." Havana: It has become known that the British consul has also intervened in the name of his government on behalf of the Competitor's captives sentenced to death. He invokes elemency for the prisoners. This action of the British government in the case has caused a sensation here.

While chasing a robber from his store Thomas G. Marshall, proprietor of the Golden Rule dry goods store, 278-82 West Madison, Chicago, was shot twice and died on the sidewalk in front of his place. The robber escaped after firing several shots to intimidate the people in the street. He wounded Alexander Beggs, shot in the left leg, and Katie Hynes, shot through both

Ashland, Wis., experienced a great fire. Half a million dollars worth of milling property and lumber went up in flames. The Shores Lumber Co.'s mill, the largest on Chequamegon bay, is a smouldering ruin, together with several thousand feet of lumber dock upon which was piled 19,000,000 feet of lumber. About 400 men are thrown out of employment by the fire. Peter Engeman's clothes caught fire and he

leaped into the bay and was drowned.

THE MARKETS. Chicago— Best grades...4 00..4 10 Lower grades...2 35...3 75 Detroit-Best grades...3 75..4 00 Lower grades...2 00...3 50 Cincinnati-Cleveland— Best grades...3 75..4 00 Lower grades...2 00...3 60 Pittsburg— Best grades...4 10..4 30 Lower grades...3 50..4 00 3 80 2 75 | Lower grades...3 50...4 00 2 75 | GRAIN, ETC. | Wheat | Corn, No. 2 red | No. 2 mir | No Oats, No. 2 white 24½ @ 24½ 21 ...21½ 22¾ ...23 20 ...20¼ 22 ...22½ 22 ...22½ 22 ...22½

*Detroit.—Hay, No. 1 timothy, \$15.50 per ton. Potatoes, new southerns, 1.25 per bu; old, 20c. Live Poultry, chickens, 10c per lb: turkeys, 12c; ducks. 9c. Eggs. fresh, 10c per doz. Butter, resh dairy, 14c per lb: creamery, 16c. REVIEW OF TRADE.

That exports of \$5,850,000 gold have produced no monetary disturbance is at once proof of the soundness of financial conditions and one of the prevailing confidence in better things to come. Much of the hesitation at present is due to temporarily reduced demand in some industries. In iron and steel the general irregularity of prices and slackness of demand for finished products do not prevent the marking up of prices by combinations, but are largely due to doubt whether such prices as are fixed can be maintained. Pig iron is weaker and most finished products are weaker with a remarkably low demand. Minor metals are inactive. For textile manufactures the situation is trying. Cotton mills have a fairly active demand, though not equal to their normal output. Traders in wheat have lifted prices a little, and yet nobody questions the correctness of western reports indicating more than ordinary yield of winter wheat, and unusual progress in the planting of spring. With the narrow stock usual at this season, a speculation for advance always has many opportunities, but western receipts are still 40 per cent larger than last year, while Atlantic exports, flour included, are for the week '934,667 bu, against 1,616,051 bu a year ago. Corn is a shade lower, but without definite reason. Woolen manufacturers find prices of wool sagging both here and abroad.

Northville has discovered that the village ordinance book is lost, strayed or stolen. A lawyer was consulted who finds the village in a bad box, as it has no law to fall back on. It was agreed that a competent attorney be employed to compile an entire new set. The senate committee on foreign re-

lations has agreed to a compromise bill for a cable to Hawaii or Japan. The bill authorizes the postmaster-general to enter into a contract with any company which may lay the cable, to pay a subsidy not exceeding \$160,000

infallibility of the pope. The Chinese of America have dried oysters and outfletish sent from China. per year.

"I had a bad cold which developed into grip. Physicians gave me no re-lief, and I finally tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. One bottle cured me completely. It is a wonderful medicine."-Jacob Hanmies, Lyons Station, Pennsylvania.

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REPUBLICANS OF MICHIGAN IN CONVENTION

At Detroit Instruct Delegates to Vote First and Last for McKinley-D. M. Ferry, of Detroit, Now Chairman of the State Central Committee.

The Michigan Republican state convention to elect delegates to the national convention and to choose a chairman of the state central committee was held at Detroit, the opening session being called to order by Dr. A. W. Smith, chairman of the executive committee. A treat was given the large assemblage-a stirring speech by the Hon. Chauncey M. Depew. That gentleman received a big ovation and his speech aroused great enthusiasm. After prayer Senator O. A. Janes, of Hillsdale, was made temporary chairman and Frank T. Lodge, of Detroit, temporary secretary. Committees were

then named and a recess taken.

The Auditorium was completely

elected with great enthusiasm.

of Ohio, the convention adjourned.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Maryland democrats will select na-

At Morrison, Ill., May 25, the White-

side county democrats will hold their

In democratic primaries at Aurora,

Republicans of the forty-fifth Illinois

Daniel F. Jones has a majority of

fifty-two delegates thus far over Colonel

Harrod in the Arkansas democratic

gubernatorial race. One-third of the

counties have held conventions. Both

Members of the Allison Club commit-

tee have engaged three floors of a large

building opposite the Southern Hotel

to accommodate members who will at-

tend the national republican conven-

tion at St. Louis. Seven hundred cots

The unofficial returns show F. B.

Doran, republican candidate for Mayor

of St. Paul, secured a plurality of 3,525

The republicans elected their entire

city ticket, all the members of the as-

sembly and all but one aldermanic can-

After ten years of private life, ex-

Governor O. M. Roberts, of Texas, has

re-entered the political arena. He will

ask sound money democrats to support

him as the successor of Governor Cul-

berson, the leader of the silver demo-

Silver men carried the Des Moines

democratic primaries by a large ma-

jority, thus placing Polk county in the

The free silver democrats have won

MISCELLANEOUS.

toms of heart disease, which he as-

Miners at Ironwood, Mich., have

Notices have been posted in the mills

May 10. This will affect 3,500 employes.

Forty-four firemen employed by the

The burial of George W. Laduke, of

he probably died of poison, but the jury

was unable to determine whether it had

been administered by some one or taken

Bituminous Coal Operatives' Associa-

tion has decided to adhere to the de-

The state treasury at Springfield, Ill.,

the model for the Ole Bull statue.

Col. North, the nitrate king, while

presiding at a meeting of the Nitrate

Co.'s officers in the Woolpack buildings,

at London, fainted in his chair and ex-

have made a demand for an eight-hour

day. Trouble is expected.

ers are employed.

fuse to grant the demand.

men will be employed.

by mistake.

60 cents.

on the primary issue in Chicago.

senatorial district will hold their con-

vention May 19 at Mount Vernon.

candidates are free silver men.

will be placed in it.

crats.

death.

Boies column.

convention.

tional delegates June 10 at Baltimore.

filled and nearly every delegate in his place when the convention reassembled. Telegrams of greeting were received from Indiana and California Republicans indorsing McKinley, and this caused the wildest enthusiasm. The report of the committee on credentials that there were no contests was adopted as was the report of the committee on permanent organization for the retention of the temporary officers. The real work of the convention was then opened. Chas. Flowers, of Wayne, nominated Gen. R. A. Alger as the first of the four delegates-at-large to the national convention. This was seconded from all parts of the hall and Gen. Alger was named by acclamation. Upon nomination by Wm. Alden Smith, of Kent, T. J. O'Brien, of Ill., thirty-seven county delegates in Grand Rapids, was made the second | favor of Altgeld and free silver were delegate-at-large. And then the fun elected. commenced, when Judge Jay A. Hubbell, of Houghton, named Capt. John Duncan, of Calumet, as the third. Geo. Covell, of Grand Traverse, named Perry Hannah, of Traverse City, but before the voting commenced the latter candidate was withdrawn and Capt. Duncan was elected without dissent. For the fourth place Hon. Mark S. Brewer, of Pontiac; Frank W. Gilchrist, of Alpena, and Perry Hannah were nominated and then it was seen why the latter's name had been withdrawn from the previous contest. Two ballots were required to settle the fight, the second resulting as follows: Brewer, 426; Gilchrist, 340; Hannah, 67. The selection of alternates also involved considerable trouble, and resulted in choosing the following: C. S. Kelsey, of Battle Creek; Henry H. Haigh, of

Gen. B. M. Cutcheon, of Grand Rapids. resented the report of the committee on resolutions. There was a majority report which was against the free coinage of silver under existing condiions, and was signed by 10 of the 12 members of the committee. The ma-

Detroit; Geo. H. Kempf, of Ann Arbor,

and Rev. Isaac C. Washington, of Port

jority report was as follows: The Republicans of Michigan, in tion assembled, renew their faith ion assembled renew their faith in the principles of the Republican party, which have brought unexampled prosperity to the nation in the past, and will restore prosperty in the future. We, therefore, submit the following resolutions:

We believe in a tariff duty on foreign importations producing sufficient province for

We believe in a tariff duty on foreign importations producing sufficient revenue for the support of the government and so adjusted as to give protection to American industrial interests and American labor now depressed to an unparalleled degree by threatened and partially accomplished free trade; and to that end we ask the immediate repeal of the present unwise and unAmerican tariff act, and the re-enactment of a tariff bill along the general line of the last Republican tariff act, known as the McKinley bill, with whatever modifications the present condition of our industries may require. We believe this is the only way in which the clouds of business depression can be removed and permanent and sound business prosperity be restored.

We believe in the principle of reciprocity as instituted and fostered by America's beloved statesman, James G. Blaine; and, therefore, demand its restoration as a wise and necessary supplement to a protective tariff.

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The American people, from tradition and interest, favor bimetallism, and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money, with such restrictions and under such provisions to be determined by legislation, as will secure the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals, so that the purchasing and debt paying power of the dollar, whether of silver, gold or paper, shall be at all times equal. The interests of the producers of the country, its farmers and its workingmen, demand that every dollar, paper or coined, issued by the government, shall be as good as any other. We commend the wise and patriotic steps already taken by our government to secure an international conference to adopt such measures as will insure a party of values between gold and silver for use throughout the world.

We have always given protection to our

throughout the world.

We have always given protection to our shipbuliders. In late years we have neglected to protect our shipowners. We believe the time has come to return to the policy of Washington and Hamilton which, by discriminating duties in favor of American bottoms, secured 90 per cent of our carrying trade to American ships, and which, if now restored, would again revive our shipping and cause American freights to be paid to Americans.

We hereby extend our sympathy to the peo-

Americans.

We hereby extend our sympathy to the people of Cuba in their struggle for liberty.

We are united in favor of the nomination of William McKinley, by the Republicans, for the office of President of the United States, and hereby instruct the delegates selected at the convention to use all honorable mans to secure his nomination so long as his name is before the national convention. The following supplementary resolu-

tions were also made a part of the majority report:

The Republicans of Michigan, in convention assembled, learn with regret that the Hon. James McMillan declines to accept a re-election as chairman of the state central committee. We therefore desire to express our appreciation of the able, faithful and efficient service rendered by him in that position, and the thanks of the Republicans of Michigan are hereby extended for the success they have achieved under his leader-ship. The silver delegates made such a

strong fight against the financial portion of the majority report that the following plank from the Minneapolis platform was adopted as a substitute: platform was adopted as a substitute:

We are unyielding and uncompromising in our demand for sound and honest money; we are in favor of the use of gold, silver and paper dollars, in our currency, all maintained at a parity as to purchasing and debt-paying power. We are opposed to any proposition that involves the depreciation of any portion of our currency, and therefore are opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver by this country alone, under present conditions, believing that such coinage would destroy the parity, depreciate and control the currency.

The minority report of the committee on resolutions, which was rejected, pired. was as follows:

The American people, from tradition and interest, favor bimetall'sm, and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and demands that all dollars, whether of gold, silver or paper, shall be of full legal tender, possessing full and equal purchasing and debt-paying power, thereby having a parity of value, and to that end we demand a purely American system of money, based upon gold and silver without advantage to either, at the mints of the government. We demand that all paper money Issued by the government shall be redeemable in gold or silver at the option of the government. We are opposed to the retiring of the greenbacks, the money of the people, the savior of the Union, the money favored by Lincoln. HOLMES'NECKBROKEN | go instead, and that Howe was of the

PROTESTS HIS INNOCENCE ON THE SCAFFOLD.

Anybody-Acknowledges Causing Two Deaths by Malpractice - Hanging Quickly Concluded.

coln.

We are opposed to the issuance of interest-bearing bonds in times of peace, and we condemn the policy of Grover Cleveland and John G. Carlisle, in contracting the sale of government bonds, thereby taxing the people to benefit a foreign syndicate \$10,000,000— the profits accruing to it—at the expense of H. H. Holmes, convicted on circumstantial evidence of the murder of Benjamin F. Pitzel, was hanged at Philadelphia, Penn., last Thursday morning. The execution took place in J. C. Gray, of Kalkaska, and F. W. the Moyamensing county jail. The drop fell at 10:121/2 o'clock. It was not un-Gilchrist, of Alpena, were named presidential electors-at-large without a til a half hour later that he was pronounced dead. His neck was broken The selection of a chairman of the by the fall. The marvelous nerve of Republican state central committee the man never deserted him to the end. brought out a rather peculiar contest. Even on the scaffold he was probably It was pretty generally believed that the coolest person in the solemn as-Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, desired the semblage. In a few well-chosen words selection of Gen. Alger, while his oppohe proclaimed his innocence of any nents in the gubernatorial race favored murder, including that for which he Hon. D. M. Ferry, of Detroit, but when was convicted and hanged. He dethe two were named communications clared that the only wrong doing in the taking of human life for which he were read from each declining the honor. Nevertheless the various dis- could be held responsible consisted in tricts continued to support either one the death of two women who had died of these two without naming another as a result of criminal operations at candidate, and finally Gen. Alger's his hands. He did not name these vicname was withdrawn and Mr. Ferry tims. Holmes spent the greater part of his last night on earth writing let-Resolutions of thanks to the chair- ters. At midnight he went to bed and man and secretary of the convention slept soundly until 6 o'clock. It took were adopted, and then with three two calls to awaken him. Promptly arising he received a visit from his great big cheers for William McKinley,



(Picture taken in 1893.)

spiritual advisers. Fathers Daly and Macneak, of the Church of the Annunciation. They administered the last sacrament and did not leave him until nearly 9 o'clock. During their absence he ate a breakfast of eggs, dry toast and coffee. At 10:02 o'clock the sheriff called together the official jury, and after each man had answered his name and subscribed to the certificate the solemn march to the gallows was begun. As the gathering stood in intense silence before the scaffold a murmuring sound came from behind the partition erected immediately back of it. It was the dolorous chant of the two priests accompanying the doomed man to the scaffold. They were uttering the psalm Misere. At 10:08 they mounted the fatal scaffold.

A moment of prayer elapsed and then Holmes stepped to the front of the scaffold, and, resting his hands on the rail before him, made his statement of in-

nocence. It was received in absolute silence. Two minutes later he had finished his As a result of the inquest held upon valedictory. Then at a silent signal the remains of the late Colonel North, from the priests he bent to his knees, a verdict of death from natural causes his eyes fixed on the crucifix clasped was returned. A physician testified in his thin hands. Until 10:12 the prayer continued. Immediately afterthat he had previously shown sympward he arose, shook hands with the | Holmes to murder them. Howard Pitserted was the cause of the colonel's priests and his lawyers and in a firm

voice bade them good-by. Without an instant delay his hands were bound behind him and the black cap adjusted. Sheriff Clement placed the noose about his neck and after an instant of terrible stillness the crack at Biddeford, Me., announcing a reduc- of the bolt rang out like a pistol shot tion of 10 per cent in wages, effective and the man had fallen to his doom. Consciousness left him instantly,

The attorney general of Wisconsin said the doctors, although his heart has taken steps to annul the charter of continue a feeble beat for fifthe Wisconsin Eclectic Medical College, teen or twenty minutes. After of Milwaukee, charging that no teach- an examination had been made by several physicians Holmes was pro-

Seventy-five of the 300 striking nounced dead and the swinging corpse was cut down. plumbers and gas fitters of Kansas Holmes became acquainted with Ben-City have been taken back at the rate demanded. Other master plumbers re- jamin F. Pietzel in Chicago about 1890. and was butchered like the others. Pietzel was a married man, with six Armour Packing Company at Kansas drink habit, and not at all averse to victed of the Pitzel murder. Mrs. Ju-City are on a strike for \$2 for eight engaging in dishonest work if he were lia L. Connor—She worked in the caspaid for the risk. He was just such an the as Holmes' bookkeeper. Holmes hours' work. The company says new Green Bay, Wis., was postponed to adtions plotted by the master mind. They mit of an inquest. It was shown that criminal schemes. In 1892 Holmes him to the police. Emily Van Tassel was doing quite a business in the forgery line. Pietzel was at once mixed it is alleged, betrayed her, then killed The scale committee of the Indiana Haute, Ind., in January, 1893, for passing some of the forged paper. Holmes mous wife, and lived in his family was not quite done with Pietzel, so inmand for a reduction to 55 cents a ton stead of letting him languish in jail her sister, Mrs. Holmes, so Holmes for mining. The men have demanded he went to Indiana and furnished said, and made trouble. He was upon ran away. On a trip east it was stopped payment on warrants presented arranged Pietzel should take the name to it, and the announcement was made of B. F. Perry, and a house and store that the state's employes would have was rented at 1316 Callowhill street, to wait for their pay until funds can be | Philadelphia, in which the latter was collected to replenish the empty vaults. | to conduct a patent rights business. Jacob Fields, the sculptor, died at | This of course was to be another in-Minneapolis from an operation for ear surance scheme, the amount involved trouble. He was born in Norway and being \$10,000. There is now no doubt came to this country in 1887, working that Pietzel was really killed by Holmes n a terra-cotta factory at Chicago. He in the scheme, and an ex-convict has since lived in Minneapolis. He named Hedgepeth was the means of designed the Minnesota statue at exposing the murder. The prisoner Gettysburg and his crowning work was said that Holmes, or Howard, as he knew him, declared that Pietzel's wife was privy to the whole conspiracy, and Howe told him after the discovery of the body of B. F. Perry that Howard would not let Mrs. Pietzel go to Philof her husband, having the little girl, day birds.

structions in regard to the alleged explosion was actually killed and that the body found was really that of Pietzel. Hedgepeth, in his communication to the chief of police, said that he had not received the \$500 Holmes or Howard promised him for his share in the preliminary arrangements. Holmes was closely shadowed until Nov.

opinion that Holmes deceived Pietzel;

that Pietzel in following out his in-

17, 1894, when operatives of a detective agency arrested him, not for the crime for which he was condemned to death, but for horse stealing in Texas. Holmes realized that at last he was in a dangerous situation, but he did not lose his nerve or cunning. One of the Fidelity officials went to Boston to interrogate him on the Pietzel swindle, and he saw a chance to avoid going to Texas. He knew that they have a summary way of dealing with horse thieves in the Lone Star state, and he quickly resolved that his carcass would be safer

n Philadelphia, even though he conlessed to a charge of conspiracy to defraud the insurance company. He, therefore, told his captors he was wanted in Philadelphia, and not in Texas. The suspicion Holmes had killed Pietzel's children grew into a belief, and a systematic search was begun to obsion was entrusted to Detective Frank great tact and ability in its prosecution. He went over the entire route taken by the prisoner from the date of It took the natient officer to St. Louis. Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Detroit, Toronto, Chicago, Prescott, Ogdensburg

etc., and occupied several weeks. Traces of Holmes and the children were found at several . these places. He was traveling with is wire, Miss Yoke, who thought his movements were connected with the sale of his patent copier. At Indianapolis, Detroit and Toronto he and his wife,, the children and Mrs. Pietzel and Dessa and the baby were within a block or two of each other, and neither party, outside of the arch-fiend himself, knew of the proximity of the other. The bodies of Alice and Nellie Pietzel were finally found in Toronto, buried in the cellar of a house Holmes had rented there. Holmes' trial for the murder of Benjamin F. Pietzel, which began Oct. sensations which Philadelphia ever experienced. Ample time had been allowed the prisoner to prepare for trial, counsel made a hard fight for postponenecessary to collect evidence for the defense and for shaping the prisoner's financial affairs so that the expense of procuring necessary evidence might be met. They asked for two months' time.

It was not granted. And so the trial went on, the strange criminal examining jurors with the skill and coolness of a lawyer. When he was deserted and his every plea for time was refused there was a slight change of feeling in his favor. It his derby hat under his chair and smashed it, more than one spectator felt sorry that he should lose a hat as well as his lawyers.

Among the other murders said to have been committed by H. H. Holmes are the following: Benjamin F. Pitzel. Holmes' confederate, and for whose murder Holmes was hanged today. Alice and Nellie Pitzel, children of Benjamin F. Pitzel. They were killed, the detectives say, in a house in Toronto and buried in a cellar. Fear that the children would betray him caused zel, brother of the children named above. The detectives say he was killed either in Detroit or Indianapolis and the body made away with. George W. Thomas: he was killed for the insurance money on his life at a point on the Tombigbee river below Columbus. Miss. Proof was said to be in possession of the police, but Holmes escaped. Emily C. Cigrand-She was Holmes' typewriter, and was employed in the place of his sister-in-law, Nannie Williams, at the "castle." It is alleged Holmes killed her and cremated the body. Robert E. Phelps-He gained Holmes' enmity because he married Miss Cigrand, so the detectives said, Evidence of the crime was not discovchildren, poor, and afflicted with the ered until after Holmes bad been coninstrument as Holmes needed, pliant, insured her life, and then it is said fairly capable, and sufficiently un-killed her. Pearl Connor-The 8-year scrupulous to carry out shady transac- old daughter of Mrs. Julia Connor. She was killed, the detectives say, because worked together industriously in many Holmes feared she would inform on -Another "castle" employe. Holmes, up in it, and was arrested in Terre her, cremating the body. Nannie Williams-Sister of Holmes' third bigastraw bail for his colleague, who there- charged with having killed her so as to get her property in Fort Worth, Tex., worth some \$30,000. Minnie Williams -Holmes' third wife and sister of Nannie Williams. She disappeared while living in Chicago, and has never been seen since, according to the detectives.

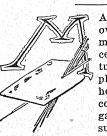
They say she was murdered by Holmes. Since his condemnation Holmes made repeated confessions, and though found to be full of lies, yet the original opinion that he was a cold-blooded villain who practiced murder for gain was deepened by every statement he uttered. Just how many murders Holmes has committed no one has been able to tell.

adelphia to identify the supposed body are generally about double the size of 701 Christians.

THE HAWKEYE POET.

MR. WATERMAN'S HIGH PLACE IN LITERATURE.

The Keynote of His Song Is Located Tear, But Far Removed From the



ANY have laughed over Nixon Waterman's caint conceits and witty turns on commonplace things, but sunny writer is. We need more of

them, more sermons with the golden rule for a text so cunningly hidden teresting. Mr. Buehler states in his away that one never suspects anything letter that he was digging out a large sermon-like until one is impelled to a sage brush that was in the way of his kinder thought and act, and can trace plow. At the depth of about four feet the impulse to the reading of the from the surface, his shovel struck poems so full of kindly feeling.

does not buckle on his literary armor tain proof of their murder. This mis- and sally forth with a clarion call to the lump and was astonished at its arms. His is not a vitriolic pen, but lightness. A close examination showed Geyer, of Philadelphia, who displayed the lesson is taught none the less effectually.

There is a gentle strength about the writings of this young western poet, the murder of Pietzel in Philadelphia which indicates an undercurrent of to the disappearance in Toronto. The thought, that does not lose itself in search was a difficult and puzzling one, meanderings of poetical imagery, but goes straight to the understanding.

There is a merciful tolerance in the ione of Mr. Waterman's writings, even when the lesson is pointed. The point is not dipped in gall. In short Mr. Waterman, while not being at all aggressive, has a way of making people want to be better, and ashamed of having done or thought anything mean. While his writings in the Bulletin have no distinctive flavor of the bicycle, they certainly have a tendency to make the paper more interesting.

We quote from the Midland Monthly, which in a recent article says of Mr. Waterman that he is "one of the three best known and widely quoted newspaper poets." * * * "The key-note of his song is located about midway between a smile and tear, and always immeasurably distant from a sigh. He 28, last year, was one of the biggest | Is never pessimistic, and a line of satire was never formed by his pen."

The purity of his verse is exemplified in the following, which presents but when he entered court that day his to the mind all that is sweetest and best of the "grande passion" without ment. They declared that delay was any of the besmirching thoughts and



NIXON WATERMAN suggestions which sometimes dim the

luster of the most beautiful poems. "The Lily's lips are pure and white without a touch of fire. The rose's heart is warm and red and

sweetened with desire: In earth's broad field of deathless bloom, the gladdest lives are those

Whose thoughts are as the lily, and whose love is like the rose. The law of compensation is most beautifully illustrated, in the following fragment:

"The gifts that to our breasts we fold Are brightened by our losses. The sweetest joys a heart can hold Grow up between its crosses, And on life's pathway many a mile

Is made more glad and cheery Because for just a little while The way seemed dark and dreary.

There is a peculiar characteristic of Mr. Waterman which for want of a ery to bear - and still they go on day by better term we might call sunniness, day in pain and suffering. Now tis that would disarm the most aggress- easiest thing in the world to give this ive of mortals. As one might judge | played out back "a blow" that will settle from his writings he is one of the most appreciative of friends and a genial

companion. Wm. Rosser Cobbe says of the poeteditor: "His is a nature that rolls away is done you can say good-bye to backnote. the clouds and pours in a stream of sunshine upon all with whom he comes in contract. Life is pleasant and glad to him, and the joy of his wisdom is

Mr. Waterman is still a young man, which has troubled him very much. Hereand if the coming years fulfil their is what he says about it: promise, for with such a nature life grows broader as it grows older, what may we not expect?

But whatever the future may bring he has already written, the sweet songs to stand up, I had to arise very slowly and that will live in the loving memory of gently to avoid increasing the pain; I had the people.. in book form.

Armenia is not a thoroughly Chris-

tian country, as is generally believed Out of a population of 3,510,205 nearly five-sixths are Mohammedan, the gx-The eyes of birds that fly by night act number being 2,900,414 to only 609,

A CURIOUS CROWN.

Found Many Years Ago in the Wilds of California. A short time ago Prof. Van der Nail-

len of San Francisco received from Henry Buehler, of Jacksonville, Ore., a most strange and interesting curiosity. Midway Between the Smile and the says an exchange. A letter came with it, stating that Mr. Buehler believed the object to be some sort of a crown, but would like some positive information on the subject. The letter went on tosay that the supposed crown was found by the writer about thirty-five years ago on his ranch in Tuolumne county in California. At the time he had been living on the ranch about three years and it was wild land when he got it. how many stop to There is no record of any one except. consider what a | Indians ever living in the vicinity and! gain to the world there is not the vaguest possibility that such a healthy, the work was done by them. The place where the crown was found was a most curious one, and the circumstances connected with it are strange and inwhat appeared to be a boulder about Mr. Waterman is not a fighter. He the size of a man's head. As the ground about the roots was soft, he picked up a piece of shining metal sticking out. at one side. Taking his knife, Mr. Buehler scraped away a portion and. could hardly believe his eyes when a perfectly formed grape leaf, made of bright vellow metal came to view. The work of removing that object from its encasement was a task that occupied several days. The substance surrounding it proved to be a composition of clay and gypsum, and incessant boiling and scraping with bits of soft wood was necessary to get it off. Great care was necessary, as the intricate mass: was found to be very delicate. When: Mr. Buehler at last had the object in his hand he had not the least idea of what it was, but his few neighbors agreed that it was a crown of some kind, although nobody would attempt to explain how it came to be buried. among the roots of a sage brush. Since hen hundreds of people have examined it, but so far no satisfactory explanaion of its origin has been given.

Taken altogether, it is a most unusual object. It is hemispherical. In shape, about five inches in diameter across the base, and made to appear of interwoven leaves of grapevine. The leaves are most delicately and accurately modeled, all the veins showing plainy on both sides. Little bunches of grapes are scattered over the surface. These are, in fact, the most curious part of it. They are purple in color and made of a substance that looks like Bohemian glass. Each grane is fastened in the proper place by a tiny wire and all are bound together in a perfect bunch. An analysis of the metal forming the leaves shows it to be composed of gold, silver and copper. gold being nearly one-half of the composition. There must be nearly \$100 worth of the precious metal in it.

A New Antiseptic.

A new antiseptic has been discovered in Germany. In general use it is called: antinounin. One part of the substance in from 1.500 to 2.000 parts of soansuds s destructive to all the common parasites injurious to plants. It destroys all bacteria. Yeast used in brewing remains fresh for a long time when treated with it and can endure a solution as strong as 5 per cent of the substance. It is odorless and very cheap.-Exchange.

Elijah and Elisha. An examiner asked the bible lessons

class to tell him what the chief difference between Elisha and Elijah, and after a pause one little lad held up his hand and said: "Please sir. Elisha walked with God, but the carriage was sent for Elliah!"

The first audience by the emperor of Germany to Edwin F. Uhl, the new U. S. ambassador, was given in a driving rain storm, but the ceremony was otherwise an unqualified success.

The Weapon Small - but None More Certain or Effective.

In these times when backs are lame

when almost every other one we meet bugs now and then, or all the time, a back that aches or pains - "a weak back." " a hard back," a back that makes their life a misit, and put in its place a new one equal tri any. It's just like this: hit at the causes, most backaches come from kidney disorders. Reach the kidneys, start their clogged-up fibres in operation; when this Here is a case from Battle Creek: Air. Josiah M. Shoup lives at 51 Broad Street, he was a member of the Battle Creek police force for many years. As a member that it would make everyone else hapto laid the foundation of kidney disorder, "About three years ago, while on the

police force, I contracted from exposure a kidney trouble, which has since given me no end of trouble. The pain was right through my kidneys and across the small. the world is richer and better for what of my back; if sitting down and I wanted such tired-out feelings all the time, and I His poems have lately been printed was steadily getting worse. About two months ago, hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box. Their action and effort was most complete, they removed the old aching pains for good. I can now getaround as quickly as anybody. Poan's Kidney Pills are certainly as represented. For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents.

Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

The Kingston Bank,

Kingston, Mich. FOR SALE-The Leonard R. Parks farm of 120 acres, one mile south of the village of Deford, between 40 and 50 acres improved.
Young orchard of about 40 trees. If you have \$250 or \$300 roady cash to invest we will give you time on the balance and sell at a price that will urprise you. Write or call on me at Kingston Bank.

L. A. MAYNARD, Cashier

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading for three cents per line each week. CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES from \$4.50up at Mc-Nair's.

CURTAIN POLES and Arch Poles, with trimmings at McNair's.

POUND—On may 2nd, esst of Cass City, a sum money. Owner may have same by proquing property and paying for this notice, 5-15-2* JOHN RIDGEWAY.

LENZNER wants to rent an organ.

FOR SALE—Three cows, two horses, wagon, two light buggles. 4-24- J. L. HITCHCOCK. FOR SALE-Two thoroughbred shorthorn bull one year old. 4-24-4* J. D. WITHEY. POR SALE—House and one acre of land one mile south and 11/2 west of Cass City 4-17-7 ROBT, KETCHUM.

FOR SALE—Four-year-old mare.
JOHN WELSH, Elmwood. FOR SALE—A few good sows with pig.
HELLER BROS.

OOK at my \$13 dollar chamber suits. I will give you the suit if you will find as good for less money.

MCNAIR. ATEST STYLES in Wedding Invitations at Enterprise Office.

PARTIES wanting to take sheep on shar enquire of A. A. HITCHCOCK. 4-24 POSTERS, all styles, Hangers and Dodgers, at the Enterprise Job Department.

ROOMS TO RENT over Laing & Janes' store.

SPRING BEDS from \$1.46 up at McNairs.

SHIPPING TAGS-At close prices-Enterpris THE UNDEDSIGNED has purchased a thoroughbred Durham Bull of O. C. Wood and will keep the same for service at his farm two miles south and one mile east of Cass Cits.

5-8-2*

L. DELONG.

WINDOW SHADES for 10 cents at McNair's.

W ANTED—A new milch cow. E. MCKIM

WORK FOR MEN AND WOMEN—We pay \$6 to \$10 per week for easy home work. Child can do it. No scheme, books or peddling. This is bonafide. Send stamp for work and particulars once. The SEYMOUR SUPPLY Co., Mason emple, Camden, N. J. 4-17-52

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REMARKABLE CHARACTERISTICS OF SOME LARGE RIVERS.

The Mississippi No Longer Holds First Place In North America-A River of Writing Fluid-Wonderful Channel of "China's Sorrow."

It is a recognized fact in science that very few great rivers have been thoroughly explored by going up stream. For nearly 2,000 years travelers and explorers endeavored to discover the sources of the Nile by ascending that wonderful river. But by the time they had reached the difficult part of the stream their supplies and energy were exhausted, and they could go no farther. It is only by seeking the sources of rivers by overland routes that explorers meet with success. It was in this manner that Henry M. Stanley traced the route of the Kongo in Africa. In this way of procedure Frederick Schwatka was enabled to float down to Yukon and Speke found the secret of the river Nile.

One of the most curious rivers that has come to the knowledge of men is the Webbo Shebovli, of eastern Africa. a deep and rapid stream, abounding in strange fish and ferocious crocodiles. Although it flows for hundreds of miles through fertile lands the immense volshort distance north of the equator the river is lost in a desert region a few

miles from the Indian ccean. Some of the more recent explorers of Alaska and British America claim that the Mississippi can no longer be regarded as the largest river on the North American continent. This distinction is claimed for the great Yukon river. According to Ivan Petroff, who spent over two years in Alaska, collecting materials for the last census, the Yukon empties into Norton sound about onethird more water than the Mississippi pours into the gulf of Mexico. The Yukon basin comprises the larger part of northern Alaska, and 600 miles from its mouth the river is a mile in width. Many centuries before it was discovered by white men it very likely served as the water highway into the interior, for tribes that we believe to have crossed from Asia to the American continent. The Yukon river is over 2,000 miles in

Travelers report that in Algeria there exists a small stream which the chemistry of nature has turned into ink. It is formed by the union of two rivulets, one of which is very strongly impregnated with iron, while the other, meandering through a peat marsh, imbibes large quantities of gallic acid. Letters have been written with the natural compound of iron and gallie acid which forms this small, yet wonderful,

The Rio de Vinagre, in Colombia, is a stream the waters of which, by admixture with sulphuric acid, become so sour that the river has been appropriately named the Rio de Vinagre, or GEO. PERKINS, N. G.

Vinegar river. The Orange or Garieh river, in southern Africa, rises in the mountains which OASS CITY TENT, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.

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SAM F. BIGELOW, Record Keeper. ous valuable woods, and around it are found rich copper ores. In this stream are many varieties of fish, which are found until the river passes through a rocky region containing copper, below which the water is said to be poisonous, almost instantly killing the fish that venture near it.

"China's Sorrow," a curious name for a river, is the title bestowed upon mountains of Tibet and follows a wonmakes the river a constant source of anxnew channel for itself where scores of towns and villages have stood. The snakes.

"With the assistance of the port capcharacter of a wide area, converting fertile regions into a sandy desert or making shallows of them. Whether it is within the power of modern science to save this great plain from disastrous overflow and changes of the river's bed is a question which during late years has been widely discussed, especially in the scientific circles of Paris and Lon-

Another remarkable river is the Inrises in Tibet, and its course is a wonnorthern point, it turns southward, loses in Kohistan. The Indus is 1,700 miles many tributaries its channel grows narrow, and here it is divided into many channels, some of which never return to the parent stream. It abounds in fish

That classical river, the Ganges, is erratic in its course, like the Hoang Ho. It is prominent both in the religion and the geography of India. It varies not only from season to season, but from year to year, and frequently exchanges old passages for new ones. It has been said that the Ganges delivers into the sea every year 534,000,000 tons of mud, sand and other solid matter. - Philadelphia Press.

Self Defense.

he play, after all?

Over one-third of the entire populapeople, speak nothing but the Chinese | cd the dog and gone aloft to digest his

TWO SNAKE STORIES.

TOLD BY A GENTLEMAN WHO IS AWAY UP IN SERPENTOLOGY.

Snakes That Should Not Be Killed-Hou the Black Snake Hunts and Captures Its Food-Rescuing a Ship From a Python Who Had Calmly Taken Possession.

"Sit down and sharpen your pencil, while I overhaul my mental shelves,' remarked Mr. Thompson, curator of the zoological collection in the park, in answer to a request for some snake stories. 'Before giving you some of my experiences I want to enter a protest against the indiscriminate slaughter of our com mon harmless snakes, such as the black snake, garter snake and the like. Every farmer should protect them, for they are beneficial, instead of being harmful, as is generally supposed by a large majority of humanity. Any naturalist will tell you that the food of the black snake consists largely of rats, mice, etc., while that of the garter snake is principally insects, such as grasshoppers, caterpil-

"Now for some of my experiences. In my younger days I was crossing Ashby's gap, over the Blue Ridge, Virginia, in company with an uncle of the famous Black Horse Cavalry Ashby. We were making a portion of the ascent through ume of water never reaches the sea. A quite a deep cut, when our attention was attracted by a toad, which rolled instead of hopped down the side slope. Ashby pulled up the horse and said, 'There's a black snake after that fellow.' An instant after the snake thrust his head through the fence, and on observing us drew back. In the meanwhile the toad had gathered himself together, and was hopping at a lively gait up the road. Ashby remarked, 'Now I will show you something,' and sprang out of the buggy and caught the toad, which he carried a short distance and released. Returning he turned the buggy and drove back down the road some 50 steps, when we alighted and tied the horse. Climbing over the fence on the opposite side of the road to that on which the snake had made his appearance we stealthily worked our way up until we came in sight of the point where he was first seen. Lying down in the long grass and peering through the rails, we did not have to wait long before the snake reappeared.

"He looked about for a few seconds and then descended the slope down which the toad had rolled, and followed his trail up the road. On coming to the spot where it had been picked up, he began to circle, precisely as a dog would act on losing the scent. He gradually increased the size of his circles until he struck the spot where the toad had been put down, when he made a bee line after it. We leaped into the road and hurried after his snakeship, who as soon as he discovered that he was being followed turned up the slope and squirmed out of sight through the fence. Ashby said, 'I am sure you are satisfied now that a black snake hunts by scent.'

"Now I shall have to take you out to South Africa. I lived in Durban, Natal. which is about 1,000 miles around the Cape of Good Hope, up toward Madafrom the port captain, asking me to come down to the harbor with all possible dispatch, as a python had taken possession of a German brig and I was wanted to capture it. Taking one of my keepers with me, I hurried down, and found quite a crowd on the jetty, among which was the crew of the brig. On inquiry I learned that there had been a shower during the night, and in the morning the mate had ordered one of the men to go aloft and shake out the the great Hoang Ho, which rises in the sails, in order to dry them. He started up, and on reaching the maintop turned derfully circuitous channel for 2,500 and came down on the clean run. The miles to the Yellow sea. The wayward. tar was instantly ordered to hades ness of this mighty volume of water and numerous other places, while the valiant mate started aloft to attend to iety and danger to the 170,000,000 of matters on his own hook. No sooner did people inhabiting the central plain his head get on a level with the top than Asia. It is known to have suddenly he came down at a gait which far exchanged its course nine times. It has celled that of the disobedient sailor. He moved its mouth four degrees of lati- instantly raised the alarm, and the entude each time, emptying its vast floods | tire crew lost no time in getting on in different directions, and finding a shore and spreading the report that the new channel for itself where scores of rigging was full of the biggest kind of

tain's binoculars I had no difficulty in making a critical examination of the entire upper works of the vessel, which was anchored about 100 yards from the shore. The result was one large python, coiled around the laps of the main and topmast. Borrowing a sack, I managed, after much persuasion, to get two of the crew to pull myself and keeper off to the brig, where they left us and turned back to the jetty. I unrove the flag haldus, a great stream in Hindustan. It yards, made a noose in one end of them and hunted around until I found a stout derful one. On reaching Sussi, its most piece of reed some six or eight feet in length. Climbing up the shrouds, I itself in the hills and reappears at Takot | make my attack through the lubber's hole by punching his snakeship with the in length. After receiving the waters of reed, to the end of which I had tied the uoose. He put his head down through the hole for the purpose of fighting me, when he was instantly noosed around the neck and the halyards made fast to the ratlines. In his violent efforts to effect a release he drew back with such force as rapidly to choke himself into insensibility. Calling to the keeper to hold the mouth of the sack open, I watched until I thought he was nearly at his last gasp, when I squirmed up on the top, loosened his coils around the masts, lowered him into the sack, when the keeper immediately cut the noose By the time that I reached the deck he had nearly recovered from his severe wind stoppage. I gently opened the mouth of the sack to have a good look "So you accompanied your wife to at him and discovered from his bloated appearance that he had recently par-"Yes. I happened to think that if I taken of a hearty meal. On the arrival didn't she would tell me all about it of the crew on board it was discovered when she came home."--Chicago Rec- that the captain's fox terrier was missing. I therefore concluded that the python, in swimming across the harbor, had struck the vessel's hawser, up which tion of the globe, or about 400,000,000 he had crawled on to the deck, swallow-

meal. "-Buffalo Commercial.

BOXING AT OLYMPIA.

Where the Fierce Combats Were Fought

They were cautious, these two, as if achievements of his opponent and Glaukus wished to test the guards and attacks of an unknown rival before proceeding to fight in earnest. The sun was already declining toward the western sea. An hour had passed. The spectators grew impatient. Were the boxers contending only to weary each other in holding up the weight of their armed hands? Such fights had been, but dif-

opponent; but, to his evident astonishment, the other, without trying to evade chest which resounded through the sta- health. For sale by T. H. Fritz. dion. Glaukus' career was checked, but Xenokles, not satisfied with this, now his rival to earth.

The Messenian was on his feet almost us soon as he touched the ground. The combat was no longer tame. Both men were wounded and bleeding, but they

"The rules forbid it," said Evander, but whoever kills an adversary loses his crown. Ha! That was too much for the Messenian. See how he sways and drops his hands!"

"Now, Glaukus, now!" screamed the crowd. "Strike ere he recover!" But the wary Krotonian paused to watch the effect of his last blow. He knew that the limit of human endurance had been almost reached, and he

to his foe as possible. "He has judged well," said Evander It is perfectly DELICIOUS, won victory."-"A Day at Olympia, by Duffield Osborne, in Scribner's.

wished to conquer with as little danger

A WINDOW IN BERN

How the Swiss Maidens Pass Many a Pleas ant Afternoon.

The wide window sills on the third J. S. McArthur, floor are laid out, not for flowers, but, T. H. HUNT, in no less characteristic Bern fashion, for human occupation. A stout iron rail runs, at a comfortable height for resting shoulders, round the ledge, on which lie red cushions. Settled in a corner of this high perch sits a young woman, like hundreds of her fellow townsfolk, looking down upon the world, knitting, singing and gossiping by turns in the leisure hour of afternoon and through the long twilight of the summer even-

Bern habit of perching on the window sill. It grows on the sitter with use. That brown haired young woman, for instance, would be hard put to it to live at all without her window cushious. She is an inveterate chatterbox, but it is difficult to be hard on her when one overhears her rapid French, her laughter and her sallies on her neighbors be low. She is a Neufchateloise or a Gene voise, and the words run off her tongue right prettily, in contrast to the brusque sound of the quaint Bern-Deutsch. She is blessed with a ringing laugh, too, and carols French songs, partly to herself and partly, five parts out of six, at a young man engaged in a second floor bureau. He appears at the window usually when the singing begins. She has been seen to scatter crumbs from the shaken tablecloth over his upturned countenance. It may have been accident, but it looked like coquetry. The song goes on, trilling clear and loud through the drowsy calm, and the student leans far out, to look at the window next to his own, not from curiositynothing there is novel-but some familiar sights are good to look at every day. There is little enough to see, too, even if it were a novelty-a box green with garden herbs, parsley, thyme, mint and marjoram, two or three pots with common forest ferns and some chrysanthemum cuttings.—Speaker.

One Correct Answer.

An amusing little story was told a good many years ago in connection with Governor Mattox of Vermont, At one time he was chairman of the committee appointed to examine candidates for admission to the bar of Caledonia county. He reported that one of the candidates was, in his opinion, unqualified, having Do not sell it but bring it to tions put to him.

"Only one? Well, what was that?" asked the presiding judge. "I asked him what a freehold estate is, " replied Mattox.

"Important question," said the judge 'And what was his reply?' "He made it without the least hesita-

tion," said the chairman, with a twinkle in his eye. "Of course that fact i in his favor. 'Well, what did he say?" asked the

judge, with some impatience. 'He said,' returned the chairman, "that he didn't know "-Youth's Companion.

Those Monotonous Sonnets. She (gushingly to the literary lion)-Oh, Mr. De Reitre, I did so enjoy that last volume of yours-that "Little Book

of Sonnets," you know. He-Thank you. I am glad that you enjoyed them. But haven't you any All kinds of woolen goods on helpful criticism for me?

She-Well, don't you think if you had made them different lengths they sell cheap for cash. wouldn't have looked so monotonous?-New York Journal.

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(From Pacific Health Journal.) First, get a wife; second, be patient. You may have great trials and perplexiferent tactics were looked for from Glaukus. They knew him for no cowardly trifler. Xenokles, too, must be of trials, which, though of less magnitude, good heart to face so famous a fighter. may be hard for her to bear. A kind
"Seel Did I not say it?" cried a word, a tender look, will do wonders in chasing from her brow all clouds of Without warning from eye or muscle gloom.—To this we would add always Glaukus had suddenly closed with his keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cound Remedy in the house. It is the best and is sure to be needed sooner or later. Your wife will then know that you really the rush, met it with a blowfull on the care for her and wish to protect her

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Dated this 5th day of May, 1896.

5-8-2 S JAMLES RAMSEY, Street Commissioner of the Village of Cass City. Sidewalk Notice.

Order of Rearing.

State of Michigan, county of Tuscola, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the probate office in the village of Caro, on the thirteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and minety six. Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Christina Edna Dark, minor On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Andrew Osburn, guardian, of said minor, praying for reasons therein set forth that he may be iteensed to sell the real estate of the said minor. Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 10th day of June, next. at 10 victock in the foremon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceised, 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 further ordered, that said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. 5-15-1 JOHN C. LAING, [A TRUE COPY] Order of Mearing.

Final Meaning. State of Michigan, county of Tuscola, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the probate office in said county, on Wednesday, the tuirteenth day of May, in the on wednesday, the intreenth day of May, in the rear of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Willian Patterson, deceased. Philip Koepfgen, administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is new prepared to render fina account as such apprinistrator. Thereupon it is redered, that Saturday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 896, at 10 o'clock in the forenou, be assigned or examining and allowing such account, and all the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all ther persons interested in said estate, are mired to appear at a session of said court. the to be holden in the Probate Office, in the village of Caro, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said adin said estate, of the pendency of sand account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Cass city Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, for three successive weeks previous to a day of hearing.

[VIRUE COPY] 5-16-4, Jud e of Probate.

Default having been made in the payment of money due on a certain mortgage, dated the third day of November, 1833 made and executed by Milo Ware and Floin J. Ware his wife to James W. Spencer and on said 3rd day of November, 1833 recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the county of Tascola and State of Michigan, in Liber 85, of Mortgages, on page, 38 and upon which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of three lundred eighty-six dollars and seventy-eight cents. Now therefore, by reason of said default, notice is bereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises in said mortgage described, on the 29th day of June, 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon to the highest bidder, at public vendee, at the front door of the county, Michigan, (that being the place where Circuit Court for the county of Tascola is held.) Said premises are described in said Mortgage substantially as follows, to-wit: The north-half of the south-west quarter of section eight (8), township number fourteen (14) north range eleven (14) east, being in the township of Elkland, county of Tascola, and State, of Michigan. Said premises will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the costs of foreclosure and subject to five payments amounting to nine hundred sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents, which payments are secured by said mortgage and are yet to become due according to the conditions of said mortgage, together with the interest on said payments from the 3rd day of November, 1895, at the rate of seven per cent per annum payable annually.

Dated April 2ad 1896. THE 40 HE'E'42 A 40 60 24 A B. DS.

lovember, 1839, 40 cm, annum payable annually.
Dated April 2nd 1898,
JAMES W. SPENCER,
Morteage D. RROOKER, JAME Attorney for Mortgagee, 4-8-13

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Edward H. Taylor and Margurite J. Taylor his wife to William Green, dated the ninth day of March, A. D. 1892, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Tuscola and State of Michigan, on the tenth day of March, A. D. 1892, in the 75 of Mortgages, on page 127; and said William Green having died since the delivery of said Mortgage and A. Judson Clark having been appointed Administrator of his estate for the State of Michigan, by the Probate Court for Oakland County, on February 27, 1895; and by reason of the non-payment of interest, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of one hundred dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$100.97) and an Attorney fee of fifteen dollars, as provided for by law; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover any part of the money secured by said Mortgage. Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statuce in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on DEGRETCAGE SALE.

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Tonday, the Fifteenth Day of June, 1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, is shall sell at Public Anction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, at Caro, Michigan, that building being the place wherein the Circuit Court for the county of Tuscola is held) the premises described in said Mortgage, or on which there of as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Mortgage with interest at some time in the circuit court for the county of Tuscola is some time in the circuit court for the county of Tuscola and State of Michigan and described in said Mortgage substantially as follows: All that certain plees or parcel of land situated in the township of Tuscola and State of Michigan and described as follows: The west half (wh/s) of the west half Monday, the Fifteenth Day of June, 1896,

nortgage. Dated March 19th, 1896. A. JUDSON CLARK.
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