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COL. BAIN'S LECTURE.

A Masterly Oratorical Effort Most Pleasing to a Large Audience.

At an early hour on Friday evening the crowd began to gather at the M. E. Church, until all but a very few of the available seats were occupied. While the company waited for Col. Bain's arrival, Rev. Geo. R. Jackson, the evangelist, sang a couple of selections which were well received.

Promptly at 8:30 the lecturer mounted the platform, was introduced by Mr. I. B. Auten, and proceeded at once to captivate the audience with his wonderful utterances. Before taking up his subject, however, he took time to comment upon the ability of the two lecturers who are to complete this year's course—Prof. Riddell and Col. Copeland—and stated that it was the first place he had visited where such a course was given for so low a price.

The subject chosen was "The New Woman and the Old Man."

Our reporter had intended taking notes, but ever and anon his attention became so fixed by a touching anecdote or a flight of oratory that he forgot all about notes. Consequently they are disconnected and would give but a sorry idea of the lecture. It was noticeable that the speaker swayed his audience whither he would, one moment having it convulsed with laughter and another having it moved to tears.

Woman's sphere, he said, had been a theme of discussion since Eve left Paradise. A few decades past women did the work which is now performed by machinery. Men entered her field and invention relegated her spinning wheel to the garret, but it could not govern her mind any more than it could govern her tongue, so the new woman is the legitimate result of causes.

Those who look at woman through defective lenses see a monstrosity, forgetting that we must hang a picture in the proper light and shadow to see its beauty.

The bloomer girl came in for criticism but she was well clad from head to foot, while the society lady in full dress was so "unclad" as to, in a case cited, bring rebuke from her own child.

Is it women that fill our prisons, saloons, gambling dens, etc.? No—men. While women fill our churches. The Colonel said if he were to be born again one hundred years from now he would want to be a woman. He had no patience with the southern bishop who opposed young women entering college and he had no more right to do so than "to stop the sap with its music like a river flowing neath the bark of the sun-kissed maple tree."

He spoke of many mistakes being made at the marriage altar and gave advice to the young men and women that will not soon lose its effect. He denied the charge that "this progress of women lessens mother's love," but believed that mother's love would survive all changing conditions of time. Woman has entered two hundred fields in one hundred years and not in one has she lowered her dignity.

He had naught but words of love and honor for the Old Man, and yet at his door lies the fault of our depressed condition. We ought not to have such hard times; we have grass and grain for the world, yet for the past few years there has been but a surging sea of unrest and everybody dissatisfied. He could not agree with the prominent and popular writer who said there were but two causes—too much silver and too much tariff. All our gold and silver would not pay our drink and tobacco bill which amounts to \$1,750,000,000 annually. Our country came out of

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the revolution wounded and poor, but is now the richest nation under the sun. Thirty-four years ago we were engrossed in civil strife, while today the grandson of General Grant and the grandson of General Lee are keeping step under the star spangled banner. And yet the eagle of liberty will never reach the height it should while the evils of the drink traffic causes the Old Man to hang his head.

Speaking of our recent conflict and marvelous victory, he said: "In the hollow of the hand of God is the destiny of nations and He can't be bought with gold. A nation never falls until God deserts it, and God will not desert us unless we desert him."

The veterans of the North did not whip the South because they had better generals, because they were right. In Dewey's victory there was more than the skill of a Commodore. Columbus discovered America in 1492, but Spain discovered the United States in 1898.

It was superhuman power gave us the Philippine Islands, and while he did not believe in the annexation of the islands he did believe in the annexation of our civilization to them. God never made a nation to be selfish any more than he did man.

Long ere this point had been reached the listeners knew well that the Old Man referred to was Uncle Sam, and the lecturer maintained his wonderful oratorical style to the very finish, having held all spell-bound for a full hour and a half. We have heard the opinion expressed by several that this lecture surpasses all previous ones.

Col. Bain left on the Saturday morning train for Toronto, Ont., where he was to speak in the Horticultural Pavilion on Sunday afternoon, this being the tenth year he has spoken there.

The Village Caucus.

In pursuance with the regular call the electors of the village assembled at the Council Rooms on Tuesday evening and placed in nomination the following gentlemen for the several offices:

President—William J. Campbell.
Clerk—James B. McGillivray.
Treasurer—F. Klump.
Trustees for two years—Geo. E. Perkins, George A. Stevenson and E. W. Keating.

Assessor—E. B. Landon.
The highest number of votes cast was seventy-five. The contest was rather spirited for trustees but it all went quietly and no ill-feeling of any kind was manifested. O. K. Janes made a very close run for assessorship.

Ready by September.

Arrangements for the erection of the beet sugar factory at Caro were concluded Tuesday. M. Schroeder, representing the A. Wernicke Machinery Works, of Halle, Germany, will have the special machinery to be supplied by his concern to the Peninsular Sugar Refining Co., at Caro, in time to permit the carrying out of the plan to have the factory running by September 15.

The German concern has no more contracts for machinery to be erected in Michigan this year, but they predict that there will be great activity in this state as regards the sugar beet industry in 1900.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned hereby desires to express his heartfelt gratitude to the many friends and Lady Maccabees who gave evidence of such practical sympathy during the sickness and at the demise of his wife. JAMES TENNANT.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned hereby wishes to express her gratitude to friends, neighbors and the brethren of the Foresters for their assistance during her recent affliction and loss of her husband. MRS. JAS. A. PATTERSON.

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Prime steers and heifers, \$4.50 @ 4.85; handy butcher's cattle, \$3.50 @ 4.25; common, 2.50 @ 3.50; canner's cows, 1.50 @ 2.50; stockers and feeders, quiet at \$2.75 @ 3.50.
Milk cows, dull at \$30 @ 40; calves, active at 5.00 @ 6.25.
Sheep and lambs, liberal supply and act. prime lambs, \$4.75 @ 4.80; mixed \$3.50 @ 4.25; culls \$2.50 @ 3.50.
Hogs are the leading feature in this market, light receipts. Trade is active at the following prices: Prime mediums, 3.50 @ 3.85; Yorkers, 3.75 @ 3.90; pigs, 3.00 @ 3.85; roughs, 2.25 @ 3.50; stags, off; cripples, \$1 per cwt. off.

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GEMS OF THOUGHT.

If thou seek rest in life, how wilt thou then attain to the everlasting rest? Dispose not, thyself for much rest, but for great patience. Seek true peace—not in earth, but in heaven; not in men, nor in any other creature, but in God alone.—Thomas A. Kempis.

When we think of those who have been our spiritual benefactors, who have made our lives better, we shall find that it has been those who had faith in human goodness. They had more confidence in us, more hope for us, than we had for ourselves.—James Freeman Clarke.

A good fight is never for its day alone. It is for many days. And it is not alone for him who bears its utmost stress. No man can live his own life bravely and quietly, and not be an energy of social good, virtue proceeding forth from him to heal some brother's wounded heart.—John Chadwick.

Sincerity is to speak as we think, to do as we pretend and profess to perform, and make good what we promise, and really to be what we would seem and appear to be. It is an excellent instrument for the speedy dispatch of business, by creating confidence in those we have to deal with, and saving the labor of many inquiries.—Archbishop Tillotson.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Too many "coming men" lack the ability to arrive.

The bonds of friendship are very often formed of flimsy thread.

The individual who is compelled to live entirely on sweets soon sours on them.

Ignorance is of much less consequence than knowledge of things we don't know.

YIELDS RULE OVER RUSSIA.

Czar Nicholas Gives Way to Grand Duke Michael.

EMPEROR IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Grave Fear for His Life—His Malady Is of Such a Character as to Forbid Mental Exertion—Sensational Statement Comes from Denmark.

London, Feb. 28.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "Well informed persons here assure me that the health of Emperor Nicholas is far from good and that his condition excites the gravest solicitude. A long-threatened ailment assumed a critical form soon after the issuance of the manifesto in behalf of the limitation of armaments and the czar is now prostrated.

"The malady is of such a character as to forbid all intellectual exertion. His participation in the government is merely formal, confined to signing documents of whose contents he is ignorant. The Grand Duke Michael possesses the executive power and all government decisions are arrived at without the czar's co-operation or knowledge.

London, Feb. 27.—The Daily Chronicle's correspondent in Stockholm says it is rumored here that the Emperor Nicholas is ill and that the Imperial Grand Duke Michael is presiding over the government."

Sundry Civil Bill Changes.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The senate committee on appropriations has completed consideration of the sundry civil bill as passed by the house and reported it to the senate. The most important amendment made is the Butler provision for a cable to Honolulu. Besides providing that the cost of the cable shall not exceed \$2,500,000, the rates or tolls are fixed. For commercial messages it is provided the rate shall not exceed 25 cents a word to Honolulu, and for press messages not more than one-third of that rate. The total increases made by the committee amount to \$4,093,406, the bill as reported to the senate carrying \$44,963,989.

Report on Coal Production.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 28.—The annual coal report of the state has been issued by the state board of labor statistics. Sangamon county ranked first in the production of coal in 1898, and the second in rank was St. Clair. The total output of the mines of the state was 18,599,299 tons, while the estimated capacity of the mines with their present equipment is more than double this amount. The average number of miners employed was 26,520 and the average number of other employees was 8,506. Seventy-five miners were accidentally killed and 438 were injured.

Shipments of Grain Heavy.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 28.—Twelve transatlantic liners sailed from this port the last week heavily laden with wheat, corn, oats, provisions, machinery, general merchandise, etc. The increase in the export business was enormous, and shippers figure that the combined cargoes of these twelve steamships are worth \$8,000,000. The totals are 309,249 bushels of wheat, 605,973 bushels of corn and 219,797 bushels of oats.

Agree on a Census Measure.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The conferees on the census bill have agreed and will make their report early in the week. Certain features of both the senate and house bills will be retained. The census will be nominally under the direction of the secretary of the interior, but all appointments in the census bureau will be made by the director of the census.

Alger May Yet Go to Cuba.

Washington, Feb. 28.—It is reported that Secretary Alger has abandoned his trip to Cuba and Porto Rico, which he was to make on a government transport, with members of the house and senate military committees and other prominent officials as guests. The secretary would not confirm the rumor that the trip had been abandoned.

Measles Raging in Texas.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 28.—Texas is passing through an epidemic of measles. The situation is alarming. The death record in this city is thirty for the week. Reports from the country towns give a similar situation. Many schools have been closed on account of the ravages of this disease.

Roberts Opposed by Saints.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Feb. 28.—At Sunday's session of the conference of Latter Day Saints of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ, representing a membership of over 800, resolutions were adopted protesting against the seating of B. H. Roberts, elected representative to congress from Utah.

Six Killed by an Explosion.

Berne, Feb. 28.—Six men were killed Saturday night by a dynamite explosion at the Elger tunnel works on the Jungfrau railway. It is supposed that the explosion was the result of an accident.

Typhoid Appears in Havana.

Havana, Feb. 28.—There are three cases of typhoid fever in the Second division hospital in Maj.-Gen. Lee's camp, and there is some fear that the fever may become epidemic.

Death of Bishop Vertin.

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 28.—The Rt. Rev. John Vertin, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Marquette and Sault Ste. Marie, died shortly after 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

UNION REFORM PARTY PLANS.

National Organization Is to Be Effected at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 28.—A national organization of the union reform party will be made at a national conference of the amalgamated elements here on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Secretary M. A. Neff of the Ohio committee says there will be over 1,000 delegates present from the different states representing silver republicans, populists, socialist labor party, liberty party and others, especially those favoring direct legislation.

Any person committed to the referendum principle of direct legislation will be admitted to the national conference. There will be a meeting to-night of the national executive committee to select a temporary chairman and make other arrangements for the conference.

Fire Destroys Muncie Hotel.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 28.—At 2 o'clock Sunday morning the Roumanian hotel, owned by James Gregor, was destroyed by fire, and several of the thirty-two boarders were severely burned, the condition of Michael Fiescher being so serious that he cannot recover. All day Sunday the debris was searched for three men who are missing. It was at first reported that twelve men had perished in the old fire trap, but all but three have been accounted for. They are foreigners who recently came here and whose names cannot be secured.

Need Army of 100,000 Men.

Madrid, Feb. 28.—Gen. Rios, the Spanish military commander in the Philippines, cables from Manila commenting on the extremely difficult position of the Americans. He says he considers it necessary for the Americans to have 100,000 men to suppress the rebellion among the natives. Considering the organization and discipline of the American army, it is the opinion of experts that the rule of the Americans in the Philippines will prove a fiasco.

Moravia Many Days Overdue.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 28.—The German steamship Moravia, which sailed from Falmouth, England, for Boston, Jan. 25, has not been heard from, and it is feared she has foundered. It is not known here whether the Moravia carried any passengers, but as she has accommodations for about fifty of the steerage class, it is thought that nearly that number were on board when she left Hamburg. Her cargo consisted of general merchandise, and is valued at \$500,000.

D'Orleans Gives Up Hope.

Brussels, Feb. 28.—The duc d'Orleans, who came to Brussels six days ago to watch events in Paris, last evening took a train to Turin, confessing that he had no chance against the republic. He allowed an interview, in which he asserted that M. Deroulede had not acted on the royalist account, but, on the contrary, had blundered terribly and destroyed the royalist chances.

Khalifa Raising Cattle.

Cairo, Feb. 28.—The war office has issued a statement indicating that the Khalifa's recent movements have been made for the purpose of raiding cattle and grain. It is believed that the dervish force is still in the country southwest of Abbas island, 160 miles from Omdurman. It is not proposed to send re-enforcements to Khartoum at present.

Mr. Peck Scores a Success.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Ferdinand W. Peck, commissioner-general for the Paris exposition, has been notified by Senator Allison that the senate appropriation committee has decided to give him all the funds he asked for. An additional appropriation will be put in the form of an amendment, and the bill will be referred to the senate tomorrow.

Spaniards Are Coming West.

New York, Feb. 28.—Thirty Spaniards arrived here today on the steamship Umbria. Most of the men are laborers and are able to read and write. All of them are going to different mining towns in the west. The immigrant authorities say that since the close of the war with Spain the immigration from that country has increased 100 per cent.

Gimmie Still in Danger.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 28.—Louis Gimme, the six-day rider who was reported in very bad shape a few days ago, as the result of his efforts in the recent six-day contest, is again reported to be in a serious condition with recovery doubtful. The physicians have as yet been unable to diagnose his case to a certainty.

Death of Gen. Reynolds.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Maj.-Gen. Joseph J. Reynolds, U. S. A., retired, is dead, aged 77 years. A month ago Gen. Reynolds had an attack of partial paralysis, which culminated in a cerebral hemorrhage, causing death late Saturday afternoon. The remains will be interred at Arlington Wednesday.

Sweden to Buy Locomotives.

London, Feb. 28.—The Financial News says that the management of the Swedish state railways intends to buy twenty locomotives in the United States because the European builders cannot deliver engines with sufficient celerity to meet the requirements of the lines.

Sheet-Iron Works Fire.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 28.—The sheet-iron department of the Springfield boiler works was destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock Sunday morning, entailing a loss on the property of about \$35,000. The company is now working on extensive government contracts, and the fire will delay the work considerably.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

"HOME" THE SUBJECT OF LAST SUNDAY'S TALK.

From the First Book of Timothy, Chapter v, Verse 8, as Follows: "Let Them Learn First to Show Piety at Home"—Spheres in Which to Serve God

During the summer months the tendency is to the fields, to visitation, to foreign travel and the watering places, and the ocean steamers are thronged; but in the winter it is rather to gather in domestic circles, and during these months we spend many of the hours within doors, and the apostle comes to us and says that we ought to exercise Christian behavior amid all such circumstances. Let them learn first to show piety at home.

There are a great many people longing for some grand sphere in which to serve God. They admire Luther at the Diet of Worms, and only wish that they had some such great opportunity in which to display their Christian prowess. They admire Paul making Felix tremble, and they only wish that they had some such grand occasion in which to preach righteousness, temperance and judgment to come. All they want is an opportunity to exhibit their Christian heroism. Now, the apostle practically says: "I will show you a place where you can exhibit all that is grand and beautiful and glorious in Christian character, and that is the domestic circle. Let them begin first to show piety at home." If one is not faithful in an insignificant sphere he will not be faithful in a resounding sphere.

If Peter will not help the cripple at the gate of the Temple, he will never be able to preach three thousand into the kingdom at the Pentecost. If Paul will not take pains to instruct in the way of salvation the jailer of the Philippian dungeon, he will never make Felix tremble. He who is not faithful in a skirmish would not be faithful in an Armageddon. The fact is, we are all placed in just the position in which we can most grandly serve God, and we ought not to be chiefly thoughtful about some sphere of usefulness which we may after a while gain, but the all-absorbing question with you and with me ought to be, "Lord, what wilt thou have me now and here to do?"

There is one word in St. Paul's adjuration around which the most of our thoughts will revolve. That word is "home." Ask ten different men the meaning of that word, and they will give you ten different definitions. To one it means love at the hearth, plenty at the table, industry at the workstand, intelligence at the books, devotion at the altar. In that household, discord never sounds its war-whoop and deception never tricks with its false face. To him it means a greeting at the door and a smile at the chair, peace hovering like wings, joy clapping its hands with laughter. Life is a tranquil lake. Pillowed on the ripples sleep the shadows. Ask another man what home is, and he will tell you it is want looking out of a cheerless fire grate, kneading hunger in an empty bread tray. The damp air shivers with curses. No Bible on the shelf. Children robbers and murderers in embryo. Obscene songs their lullaby. Every face a picture of ruin. Want in the background and sin staring from the front. No Sabbath-wave rolling over that door sill—vestibule of the pit, shadow of infernal walls, fagots for an unending funeral pile. Awful word! It is spelled with curses; it weeps with ruin; it chokes with woe; it sweats with the death agony of despair. The word "home" in one case means everything bright; the word "home" in the other case means everything terrific.

I shall speak now of home as a test of character, home as a refuge, home as a political safeguard, home as a school, and home as a type of heaven. And in the first place, home is a powerful test of character. The disposition in public may be in gay costume, while in private it is dishabille. As play actors may appear in one way on the stage and may appear in another way behind the scenes, so private character may be very different from public character. Private character is often public character turned wrong side out. A man may receive you into his parlor as though he were a distillation of smiles, and yet his heart may be a swamp of nettles. There are business men who all day long are mild and courteous and genial and good-natured in commercial life, damning back their irritability and their petulance and their discontent; but at nightfall the dam breaks, and scolding pours forth in floods and freshets. Reputation is only the shadow of character, and a very small house sometimes will cast a very long shadow. The lips may seem to drop myrrh and cassia, and the disposition be as bright and warm as a sheath of sunbeams, and yet they may only be a magnificent show window for a wretched stock of goods. There is many a man who is affable in public life and amid commercial spheres, who in a cowardly way takes his anger and his petulance home and drops them in the domestic circle. The reason men do not display their bad temper in public is because they do not want to be knocked down. There are men who hide their petulance and their irritability just for the same reason that they do not let their notes go to protest—it does not cost pay; or for the same reason that they do not want a man in their stock company to sell his stock below par, lest it depreciate the value.

As at sunset sometimes the wind rises, so after a sunshiny day there may be a tempestuous night. There are people who in public act the philanthropist, who at home act the Nero with respect to their slippers and their gown. Audubon, the great ornithologist, with gun and pencil, went through the forests of America to bring down and to sketch the beautiful birds, and after many years of toil and exposure completed his manuscript and put it in a trunk in Philadelphia, and went off for a few days of recreation and rest, and came back and found that the rats had utterly destroyed the manuscript; but without any discomposure and without any fret or bad temper he again picked up his gun and pencil and visited again all the great forests of America and reproduced his immortal work. And yet there are people with the tenthousandth part of that loss who are utterly irreconcilable; who, at the loss of a pencil or an article of raiment, will blow as long and loud and sharp as a northeast storm. Now, that man who is affable in public and who is irritable in private is making a fraudulent and overissue of stock, and he is as bad as a bank that might have four or five hundred thousand dollars of bills in circulation with no specie in the vault. Let us learn to show piety at home. If we have it not there, we have it not anywhere. If we have not genuine grace in the family circle, all our outward and public plausibility merely springs from the fear of the world, or from the slimy, putrid pool of our own selfishness. I tell you the home is a mighty test of character. What you are at home you are everywhere, whether you demonstrate it or not.

Place, make your home the brightest place on earth if you would charm your children to the high path of virtue and rectitude and religion. Do not always turn the blinds the wrong way. Let the light, which puts gold on the gentian, and spots the pansy, pour into your dwellings. Do not expect the little feet to keep step to a dead march. Do not cover up your walls with such pictures as West's "Death on a Pale Horse" or Tintoretto's "Massacre of the Innocents." Rather cover them, if you have pictures, with "The Hawking Party" and "The Mill by the Mountain Stream" and "The Fox Hunt" and the "Children Amid Flowers" and the "Harvest Scene" and "The Saturday Night Marketing." Get you no hint of cheerfulness from grasshopper's leap and lamb's frisk and quail's whistle, and garrulous streamlet which, from the rock at the mountain top clear down to the meadow ferns under the shadow of the steep, comes looking to see where it can find the steepest place to leap off at, and talking just to hear itself talk? If all the skies hurtled with tempest and everlasting storm wandered over the sea, and every mountain stream were raving mad, frothing at the mouth with mud foam, and there were nothing but simoons blowing among the hills, and there were neither lark's carol nor humming-bird's trill, nor waterfall's dash, but only bear's bark and panther's scream and wolf's howl, then you might well gather into your homes only the shadows. But when God has strewn the earth and the heavens with beauty and with gladness, let us take into our home circles all innocent hilarity, all brightness and good cheer. A dark home makes bad boys and bad girls in preparation for bad men and bad women.

Again, home is a type of heaven. At our best estate we are only pilgrims and strangers here. "Heaven is our home." Death will never knock at the door of that mansion and in all that country there is not a single grave. How glad parents are in the holidays to gather their children home again. But I have noticed that there is almost always a son or a daughter absent—absent from home, perhaps absent from the country, perhaps absent from the world. Oh, how glad our Heavenly Father will be when he gets all his children home with him in heaven. And how delightful it will be for brothers and sisters to meet after long separation! Once they parted at the door of the tomb; now they meet at the door of immortality. Once they saw only "through a glass, darkly;" now it is face to face, corruption, in corruption, mortality, in mortality. Where are now all their sins and sorrows and troubles? Overwhelmed in the Red Sea of death, while they pass through dry-shod. Gates of pearl, capstones of amethyst, thrones of dominion do not stir my soul so much as the thought of home. Once there, let earthly sorrows howl like storms, and roll like seas. Home! Let thrones rot and empires wither. Home! Let the world die in earthquake struggle and be buried amid processions of planets and dirge of spheres. Home! Let everlasting ages roll in irresistible sweep. Home! No sorrow, no crying, no tears, no death—but home, sweet home, beautiful home, everlasting home, home with each other, home with angels, home with God!

One night, lying on my lounge, when very tired, my children all around me, in full romp and hilarity and laughter—on the lounge, half awake and half asleep—I dreamed this dream: I was in a far country. It was not Persia, although more than Oriental luxuriance crowned the cities. It was not the tropics, although more than tropical fruitfulness filled the gardens. It was not Italy, although more than Italian softness filled the air. And I wandered around looking for thorns and nettles, but I found that none of them grew there; and I saw the sun rise, and I watched to

see it set, but it sank not. And I saw the people in holiday attire, and I said: "When will they put off this and put on workmen's garb, and again delve in the mine and sweeter at the forge?" But they never put off the holiday attire.

And I wandered in the suburbs of the city to find the place where the dead sleep, and I looked all along the line of the beautiful hills, the place where the dead might most peacefully sleep, and I saw towers and castles, but not a mausoleum or a monument or a white slab could I see. And I went into the chapel of the great town and I said: "Where do the poor worship, and where are the hard benches on which they sit?" And the answer was made to me: "We have no poor in this country." And then I wandered out to find the hovels of the destitute, and I found mansions of amber and ivory and gold, but not a tear could I see, not a sigh could I hear. And I was bewildered, and I sat down under the branches of a great tree and I said: "Where am I, and whence comes all this scene?" And then out from among the leaves and up the flowery paths and across the broad streams there came a beautiful group thronging all about me, and as I saw them come I thought I knew their step, and as they shouted I thought I knew their voices; but then they were so gloriously arrayed in apparel such as I had never before witnessed that I bowed as stranger to stranger. But when again they clapped their hands and shouted "Welcome! welcome!" the mystery all vanished, and I found that time had gone and eternity had come, and we were all together again in our new home in heaven; and I looked around and I said: "Are we all here?" and the voices of many generations responded, "All here!" And while tears of gladness were running down our cheeks, and the branches of the Lebanon cedars were clapping their hands, and the towers of the great city were shining their welcome, we all together began to leap and shout and sing, "Home! Home! Home!"

SALVATION ARMY FARMS.

Commander Booth-Tucker Tells of the Good Work Done.

New York, Feb. 14.—Commander Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army reports that the past year on the colony farms of the army has been a prosperous one, and that the results thus far of the project of making poor people self-supporting by transplanting them to the country have been all that was hoped for. The beneficiaries of the plan take kindly to it, and the work is to be extended. To date the army has colony farms in Ohio, Colorado and California, covering 1,428 acres, and valued now at \$111,000. They are tenanted by 200 colonists, and it is hoped to increase this number to 500 during this year. The largest and most ambitious of the colonies is located at Fort Amity, Colo. There settlers from the slum districts of eastern cities have 640 acres of rich land, which they are endeavoring to turn into ten-acre farms. Chicago and New York furnished the emigrants, majority of whom had had experience in some sort of farming, while a number were carpenters and mechanics. The ground was divided into ten-acre lots, of which each alternate lot was cultivated, but left uncultivated, with a view to the extension of each holding should ten acres be insufficient, or a relative of a colonist desire to settle on the next farm. The plan adopted to make the colony self-supporting differs from that of most settlements in that it involves less of the cooperative plan. Each colonist is master of his own domain of ten acres, for which he pays a weekly rental of from \$1 to \$3 for ten years, when he will own the land and house. Truck farming will be the main support of the colony. The land, however, is surrounded by thousands of acres of open prairie, which, for a time at least, will furnish free pasturage for stock.

RIGHTS OF PEW-HOLDERS.

Are Sitings to Be Considered as Personal or Real Estate?

Some interesting points regarding the rights of pewholders have been brought up in Boston in connection with the question as to whether a deed for a church pew must bear an internal revenue stamp. In some states pews in churches are declared by statute to be real estate, and in other states personal estate. In Boston pews have always been considered to be personal estate, and pews in churches of public worship throughout Massachusetts are made personal property by statute. "There is a close analogy between a pew-right and the right of burial in a public burying ground or cemetery," says Acting Commissioner Wilson of the internal revenue bureau, "and the interest which a pew-holder has in his pew is held by English courts to be of an incorporeal nature only. It is in the nature of an easement, and the holder of the pew or seat is not deemed the owner of so much of the site of the church as is comprised within the area of such pew or seat. It has been held that a pew-holder's right is only a right to occupy his pew during public worship." This view of the question regards pews as personal property, and, therefore, documents for their conveyance are not required to pay the war tax.

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CASS CITY LODGE, No. 209, meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J. A. BENKELMAN, N. G. JAS. RAMSEY, Secretary.

K. O. T. M.

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Church Directory.

BAPTIST—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Rev. E. RUSHBROOK, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting 6:30 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. All are invited. Rev. E. KILMER, Pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Class meetings follow morning service. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening. Rev. J. W. FENN, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. B. J. BAXTER, Pastor.

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Council Proceedings.

Village Council Rooms, Feb. 20, '99. Regular meeting of the village council of the village of Cass City.

Meeting called to order by the President, at which meeting the trustees were all present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

A communication addressed to W. I. Frost, chief of the fire department, was then read, in which quotations were given on firemen's coats, boots and hats, and the committee to whom was referred the matter relative to procuring the necessary supplies for the fire department, recommended that the council purchase twelve rubber coats.

On motion of Trustee Wickware, the report of the committee was accepted. The committee appointed to gather up the band instruments, made a verbal report to the effect that they had collected most of the instruments and recommended that Cal Ale be allowed \$5.00 for his claim on horn.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the report was accepted and adopted.

The following bills were then read and referred to the finance committee: Geo. Hillman, labor..... \$ 10.00

Arthur Deming, labor..... 10.00
Jas. Ramsey, labor and merchandise..... 14.15
Robt. Ross, labor..... 50
Det. Schenck, labor..... 10.40
Bert Spindler, labor..... 5.20
Elias Annis, drawing 25 tons of coal..... 4.38
Scott Brothers, freight and cartage..... 2.35
J. B. McGilvray, salary and sunds..... 13.74
Crane Co., copper disk..... .78
Waltham, Neville, Mfg. Co., Jan. 4..... 45.15
Electric Appliance Co., supplies..... 143.07

The committee reported favorably on all bills as read, except the bill of Geo. Hillman, which they recommended be referred back to the Board of Public Works and recommended they be so allowed.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the report was accepted to draw orders on the treasurer for the several amounts.

The clerk then read a report of J. B. McGilvray, secretary of the Board of Public Works, showing statement of moneys received from patrons of the electric lights for supplies and service since last report and on motion of Trustee Deming, the report was accepted and filed with the clerk.

Trustee Heller moved that the clerk of the Board of Public Works, see patrons of the electric lights and ascertain whether or not they could get along without morning service. Carried.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the Board of Public Works was instructed to notify their employees not to take ladders from engine house which belong to the fire company, as they may be needed at any time.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the president appointed Trustees Campbell, Keating and Deming a committee of three to settle with the village treasurer and have the financial statement published.

Trustee Campbell moved that the clerk procure a new registration register, also election outfit for the annual village election in March. Carried.

On motion, council adjourned until Monday, Feb. 27, at the usual hour.

HUGH W. SEED, Village Clerk.

Village Council Rooms, Feb. 27, '99. Adjourned regular meeting of the village council, of the village of Cass City, called to order by the president, at which meeting the following trustees were present:

Trustees Campbell, Wickware, Keating, Deming and Heller.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The following bills were then read and referred to the finance committee: Scott Brothers, freight and cartage..... \$ 1.00
H. S. Wickware, standards and braces..... 2.00
Geo. E. Perkins, express, postage, etc..... 1.57
Geo. Hillman, labor..... 12.75
Jas. Ramsey, labor..... 5.00
Arthur Deming, labor..... 5.70
Bert Spindler, labor..... 5.50
Det. Schenck, labor..... 5.50
Michigan Electric Co., wire..... .39
Leschen, Macomber, Whyte Co., bill of Feb. 23 for invoice of Dec. 4, '98 and Jan. 7, '99..... 100.00
General Electric Co., invoice of Feb. 20, '99..... 45.15

The committee reported favorably on all bills as read and recommended they be so allowed.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the report was accepted and the clerk instructed to draw orders for the several amounts.

On motion of Trustee Deming, the committee on printing was instructed to procure prices for having the ordinances of the village printed in pamphlet form and report at the next regular meeting of the council.

Trustee Campbell moved the president appoint a committee of three election commissioners to prepare ballots, etc., for the annual election, March 13.

The president then appointed Trustees Heller, Wickware and Keating as such commissioners.

Council then adjourned until Monday, March 6, at the usual hour.

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ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS

SOUTH EAST GRANT.

Mrs. Malcolm Crawford has been ill. Mrs. C. Messner, who has been suffering from pleurisy, is somewhat better.

J. W. Hartsell and Norman Greenleaf are cutting wood for J. W. Dickhout.

Our newly organized Maple Sugar Company is making preparations for the coming season.

Frank Martin passed through here last week with his moveables, to the Doer place where he expects to reside.

All those who want shingles saved had better hustle as Ben McAlpine is going to move his mill about the first of April.

Angus McLachlin, who was called to Ontario owing to the severe illness of his sister, has returned and reports her on the mend.

L. J. Carroll and Elsie Moore, who have been taking treatment from Dr. E. A. Cornell, of Port Huron, made a trip to Bad Axe, to meet the Doctor on Friday.

J. H. Moore, who has been gathering material for improving his barn, has bargained with Martin Anthes to move and raise the building and James Sweeney to do the stone work.

The committee appointed by the school board at a special meeting on the 11th ult. has purchased a site from William Highfield and has contracted with J. A. Caldwell, of Cass City, to move the school-house at once.

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NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mrs. James Rodgers continues quite poorly with la grippe.

R. Allen wears a happy smile since he can be called grandpa.

Mrs. Alva Caswell is very low with inflammation of the lungs.

Sanford Horner and sister Anna, Leroy Mills and Miss Alice Boughton attended the 8th grade examination at Wilmot last Saturday.

Loren Churchill makes quite a few pleasant calls a little south of Inlay City. It is all right Loren as you are in need of a house keeper.

A dispatch from Ulman, Mo., brings sad tidings of the death of Geo. Howard one of our most respected citizens. The funeral sermon will be Sunday at schoolhouse, Dist. No. 1, Novesta.

The infant child of Sam Wheaton passed away last Wednesday evening. The funeral took place at the Menonite church last Friday, at two o'clock and the remains were laid to rest in the Moshier cemetery.

John Deneen, an old resident passed away on the 22nd of February. His wife preceeded him one year ago the 1st of last Aug. He leaves three sons and three daughters and one brother to mourn his loss. They are both lying side by side in the Evergreen cemetery. The funeral sermon was preached in the McHugh Church by Rev. McCready.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at T. H. Fritz's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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DEFORD.

Mrs. Janette Soule is very sick. Clayton Howard suffers with lagrippe. Mrs. John McCracken is in poor health.

Fred Best, of Inlay City, visits J. D. Funk.

The photographer will leave Novesta Corners this week.

Deford is deeply stirred over the recent developments.

Benjamin Sharp and wife visit friends at Almont.

The child of Don Nutt, who has been very low is on the gain.

Miss Roda Patton, of Dryden, was here last week to see her mother, Mrs. Janette Sole.

Our boys have returned from Ogemaw county, where they have been working for the winter season.

An accident at the M. E. Church last week while lathing, a scaffold gave way, three men fell. Elmer Bruce was seriously injured. He is yet unable to be taken to his home.

The larger part of School Dist. No. 6, Kingston, went to Caro on the 25th as they wished to show that they held their teacher in the highest esteem. She was making a vile man pay the penalty of slandering her good name.

Darius Wilkinson, of Sec. 5 Kingston, is now spending ninety days at Hotel Ironclad, Caro, for slander. 'Tis hoped that through the good advice of the present manager C. O. Blinn, "Dry" will have a better idea of how to use the English language when he returns to our midst.

George Howard, whose home has been on Sec. 36, Novesta, for several years, died last week in Missouri, where he went for his health. Mr. Howard was a professor of religion—but better than a professor he possessed. Honest, kind, strictly upright in all his dealings, conscientious in all his acts. All that knew him will feel that a good man has been taken from this world of trials to the land of rest. His influence lives with us. We are better men and women because we have known him. He leaves a wife and large family. The remains were interred in Missouri.

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ELMWOOD.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will meet at Fred Sheffer's Wednesday, March 8th. Mr. and Mrs. James Bentley are spending some time at their daughter's in Ellington.

Mrs. Seely, of Caro, and Miss Auten of Ovid, N. Y., visited at Thaddeus Comp-ton's last week.

George Slough has rented the farm known as the R. Miller farm and taken possession.

Fred Sherwood has rented one of W. A. Hart's farms and moved here from Fairgrove last week.

Mrs. Wm. Larne and daughter are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Faber at Columbia.

Mrs. H. D. Seely, who is suffering with a cancer, is improving under the treatment of Dr. Shepherd, a specialist from Ohio.

Sylvester Montague and family will soon move to Caro. He will engage in the livery business. Their many friends at Elmwood wish them success.

Alfred Hargrave has returned to his home at Gogebic after spending a few days with relatives and friends here. He was Representative from his District and came here from Lansing.

If you have a cough, throat irritation, weak lungs, pain in the chest, difficult breathing, croup or hoarseness, let us suggest One Minute Cough Cure. Always reliable and safe. Amos Bond.

ELLINGTON.

Mrs. Kimble has gone to Detroit. Mrs. Julius Oesterle was very sick last week but is better.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bailey were both sick last week with la grippe.

I am informed that F. E. M. Inlay has sold his farm and will move to Caro.

Dan Adams has moved into H. A. Bailey's house lately vacated by Mrs. Kimble.

Frank Molonzo came home from Juniata last Saturday night and returned Sunday.

Miss Mary Molonzo took her brother Frank to W. M. Hiller's, in West Almer, Sunday.

Mrs. Wooley has bought the Comstock farm of J. F. Seely, of Caro, and moved upon the same.

Wm. Cone's daughter who has been sick with consumption, died last Saturday and was buried Monday.

Mrs. I. J. B. McKinney while walking across the floor, caught her foot in the carpet and fell, hurting herself quite badly, but no bones were broken. She is doing quite well for one of her age.

WILMOT.

Enoch Hartt has moved to town. Miss Anna Waldie, of Caro, is visiting friends here.

Special meetings begun in the M. E. Church Tuesday evening.

John Hartt has returned home after working for some time in northern Michigan.

The eighth grade school examination held here on Saturday last was well attended.

The young people of this place gave Ella Teskey a surprise party on Thursday evening of last week.

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NOVESTA.

Maynard Delong returned from the north woods last week.

Miss Ada Mickle, of Trenton, Ont., is visiting her parents here.

Miss Maude Hamilton closed a successful term of school in district No. 3 Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Justin returned to Oxford after a short visit with her parents here.

Word has reached here that Robert Warner had the misfortune to break a leg while working in the north woods. Clyde Quick left for West Branch last Friday, where he expects to trap and hunt for a some time.

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EAST NOVESTA.

Len Wheaton is very sick.

Mrs. H. A. Williams and Mrs. R. Brown are suffering from la grippe.

Mrs. Wm. Gogle, formerly of Evergreen but now of Clifford, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

David McKim has returned from Orangeville, Ont., where he has been visiting relatives the past two months.

This vicinity was visited by a heavy thunder storm Sunday, accompanied by wind and rain. Fences and out-buildings were laid low in many places.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheaton buried their infant child on Friday of last week in the Moshier cemetery. The heartstricken parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their sad affliction.

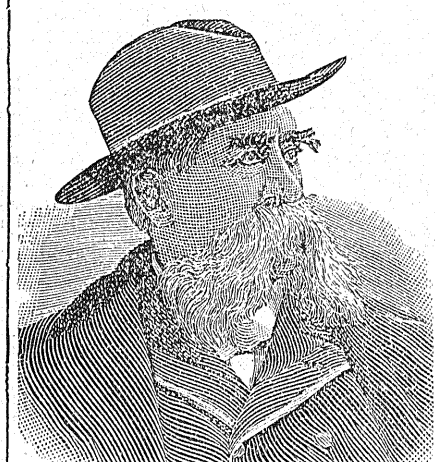
Died, at the home of his son, Frank, in Evergreen, February 21, John Deneen, at the ripe old age of 88. A large number gathered at the M. E. Church on Friday to pay their respects to the departed. After a few remarks by the pastor, Rev. McCready, of Deford, the remains were laid to rest in the Evergreen cemetery, beside his wife who died about two years ago.

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Cass City, Mich. 9-16

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40 ACRES in Ellington township, 25 acres cleared, good log house and small barns; well fenced; clay loam; close to postoffice and store; six and one-half miles from Cass City. \$800.

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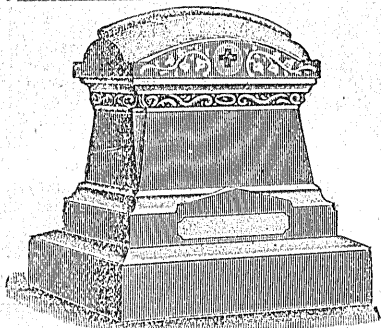
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Cemetery work of every description
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and things to say to you that mean much in
saving, much in appearance, much in general
detail of the work at hand. I make a study of
the things, while it only comes to you once in a
year or two. So you will admit that I can be of
assistance to you in your plans.

James Wright.

DISTRICT NEWS.

Martin O'Brien, of Juniata, has had
his pension increased from \$8 to \$10.

Thomas Edwards, of Unionville, fell
from a smoke stack Monday and re-
ceived fatal injuries.

Before the discovery of One Minute
Cough Cure, ministers were greatly dis-
tressed by coughing congregations. No
excuse for it now. Amos Bond.

Sebewaing Coal Co., has received an
order for a sample car of coal from a
large manufacturing firm in Wisconsin.

On the morning of Feb. 20, 1895, I was
sick with rheumatism and lay in bed
until May 21st, when I got a bottle of
Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first
application of it relieved me almost en-
tirely from the pain and the second af-
forded complete relief. In a short time
I was able to be up and about again.—A.
T. Moreaux, Luverne, Minn. Sold by T.
H. Fritz, Druggist.

It is now definitely settled that Sagi-
naw will not get a beet sugar factory
this year. Local capitalists are ap-
prehensive that Cuban sugar will be
produced in such quantities in the
near future as to make beet sugar un-
profitable. It is said, however, that a
company has been arranged for with
ample stock to build a factory next fall
to begin operations in 1900.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can
regulate the world," said a genius. The
druggist handed him a bottle of De-
Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous
little pills. Amos Bond.

After eating heartily of a turkey din-
ner the family of Austin Bastick, of
Millington, consisting of seven persons,
were seized with symptoms of poison-
ing. Doctors saved them by hard work.

RECOMMENDED FOR LAGRIFFE
N. JACKSON, Danville, Ill. writes: My daugh-
ter had a severe attack of La Grippe seven years
ago and since then whenever she takes cold a
terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a
great many remedies without giving relief. She
tried Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her.
She has never been troubled with a cough since.
26c. T. H. Fritz.

A Bay City dispatch of Feb. 20 says:
The Tuscola authorities who came here
to take charge of Warren Durgie,
charged with chicken stealing, request-
ed the police to get any evidence they
could to assist in the prosecution of the
case of Tuscola county. This led to
a search of Durgie's home and the find-
ing of four large bags and a box
filled with feathers, and a suit of
clothes covered with blood. The Caro
officers will take the find back home
with them.

J. Sheer, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on
electric street car line, writes that his
little daughter was very low with croup,
and her life saved after all physicians
had failed, only by using One Minute
Cough Cure. Amos Bond.

The Sebewaing Coal Company's mine
has been abandoned. The pumps and
boiler gave out and the mine filled
with water, and all the miners' tools
are at the bottom and cannot be recov-
ered. The shaft was sunk in 1890 and
had since been worked continually
until this accident happened. The
concern is owned by a stock company
consisting of Hon. S. O. Fisher and
Walter Koeppel of Bay City, James Tal-
bot of Saginaw, John F. Seelye of Caro
and W. O. Smith of this place, and it
was the first company to organize and
commence mining when coal was dis-
covered here. A meeting of the board
of directors will be held next week, at
which time it will probably be decided
whether the company will sink another
shaft or not.—Sebewaing Blade.

It is, or should be, the highest aim
of every merchant to please his custom-
ers; and that the wide awake drug firm
of Meyers & Esheleman, Sterling, Ill., is
doing so, is proven by the following
from Mr. Esheleman: "In my sixteen
years' experience in the drug business I
have never seen or sold or tried a medi-
cine that gave as good satisfaction as
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diar-
rhoea Remedy. Sold by T. H. Fritz,
Druggist."

The hardware men in Sanilac and
Huron counties are feeling greatly out-
up over the success of the steel range
peddlers who have been traversing the
country all winter, and who have taken
out of the two counties nearly \$75,000.
Well, let the hardware merchants show
a little enterprise themselves by tel-
ling the public what they have to sell.
They are notoriously the poorest ad-
vertisers in any line of business, and
that is just the class of men these out-
siders select to work among. They
know they would meet with small suc-
cess in communities where the local
dealers were good advertisers.—Lex-
ington News.

Happy is the man or woman who can
eat a good hearty meal without suffer-
ing afterward. If you cannot do it, take
Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what
you eat, and cures all kinds of dyspep-
sia and indigestion. Amos Bond.

The First Methodist church at Cros-
well paid off the debt on the church
building last week, and celebrated the
event Sunday by a jubilee service.
In the evening a burnt offering was
made on the altar of the notes and
mortgages that had been held against
the church. On one note for \$150, the
interest amounting to \$129, was paid.
B. F. Lewis, a former commercial
traveler, is the pastor who hustled in
the money to raise the debt.

In the spring the human body needs
assistance to throw off the stagnation
produced by winter diet. As the tem-
perature rises under the growing heat
of the sun's rays, we feel tired, half sick
and low in spirits, because the blood is
stagnant and full of impurities. Dr. J.
H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and
Blood Purifier is a reliable spring remedy
to invigorate the blood and give tone to
the digestion. Price 50c and \$1 a bot-
tle. Ask your druggist for it.

Some time ago the Marlette village
council determined to curtail the
liquor supply of some of the chronic
drunkards of that village and neigh-
borhood. A list of names was furnis-
hed to liquor dealers and drug stores,
and they were notified that they must
refuse to sell any sort of liquor to the
men whose names appeared on the list.
The liquor dealers and druggists obeyed
their instructions faithfully, but the
blacklisted men managed to work on the
sympathy of friends who would
furnish them with a "nip" on the quiet.
One of these friends found that it was
a rather costly act of kindness when he
was yanked before a justice, charged
with purchasing liquor for one of the
men whose name was on the list, and
paid a fine of \$10 and costs. The
authorities think they will have little
trouble hereafter.

I desire to attest to the merits of
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as one of
the most valuable and efficient prepara-
tions on the market. It broke an ex-
ceedingly dangerous cough for me in 24
hours, and in gratitude therefor, I de-
sire to inform you that I will never be
without it, and you should feel proud of
the high esteem in which your Remedies
are held by the people in general. It
is the one remedy among ten thousand.
Success to it.—O. R. Downey, Editor
Democrat, Albion, Ind. For sale by
T. H. Fritz, Druggist.

School Report.

School report of Hay Creek school
Dist. No. 4, Evergreen, for the term
ending Feb. 24, 1895.

Total number of days taught 42.
Total number days attendance, 1,168.
Average daily attendance, 27.8.
Total No. pupils enrolled, 46.

Those whose attendance was con-
secutive during the term are: Lottie
McQueen, Edna McQueen and George
Vader. W. R. Bryce, Teacher.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Warner's White Wine of Tar
Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth,
25 and 50 cents. Bond's Drug Store.

CONSUMPTION CURE. WARNER'S
White Wine of Tar Syrup, the
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Alma College Endowed.

This youngest of the colleges of
Michigan is rejoicing in a great
triumph. The first step toward per-
manent and enlarged usefulness has
been taken. The most skeptical will
no longer question that Alma has
come to stay. Thirteen years ago it
was a dream. Twelve years ago it be-
gan its work. It now has five build-
ings on its spacious campus. It has
unusual facilities in the way of library
gymnasium, museum and laboratories,
and an attendance of between 200 and
300 students. But the keystone has
just been placed in the arch of its life
by the endowment of \$225,000. This is
the gift of eleven ladies and gentlemen
of Michigan, all with one exception
from the Saginaw Valley. These
people have surely done well to place
in the center of the state a home for
Christian learning—a tree of life, the
fruit of which generations of young
people may pluck and eat.—Alma Re-
cord.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain,
spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak
nerves has caused severe pains in the
back of his head. On using Electric
Bitters, America's greatest Blood and
Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him.
All America knows that it cures liver
and kidney trouble, purifies the blood,
tones up the stomach, strengthens the
nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into
every muscle, nerve and organ of the
body. If weak, tired or ailing you need
it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50
cents at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store.

Romance of a College Student.

A very bright and exceedingly
humorous serial treating of student
life and of social life in a college town
will begin in the April Ladies' Home
Journal. It is by Mrs. Charles Terry
Collins, a novice in fiction, who has
written with charming freshness,
cleverly picturing students' life, the
students' games and sports, their
social diversions, etc. Into the deli-
ciously droll story Mrs. Collins has
subtly woven a most interesting, happy
romance, from which the story takes
its name—"A College Courtship."

Money to Loan.

On farm property in amounts of \$200
to \$2,500 from 2 to 10 years. Will
take partial payments. See O. K.
James for particulars. 8-4

As the season of the year when pneu-
monia, lagrippe, sore throat, coughs,
colds, catarrh, bronchitis and lung
troubles are to be guarded against, no
thing "is a fine substitute," will answer
the purpose, or is "just as good" as
One Minute Cough Cure. That is the
one infallible remedy for all lung,
throat or bronchial troubles. Insist on
having it if "something else" is offered
you. Amos Bond.

GIVEN UP BY FOUR DOCTORS.

My daughter, after being treated by four
doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor
recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. To-day she is
able to walk several miles without fatigue. I
feel we would have lost her if it was not for your
medicine. Respectfully, Mrs. J. M. BAILEY.

There came near being an insurrec-
tion in the public schools at Bad Axe
last week because the powers that be
declined to consider the birthday of
his country a holiday and kept school
that day same as any other.

THE BEST SALVE IN THE WORLD
Is Banner Salve. It is made from a prescrip-
tion by a world wide known skin specialist and is
positively the most healing salve for Piles, Burns,
Scalds, Ulcers, Running Sores and all skin diseases.

A stock company has been organized
at Valley Centre, Sanilac county, and
oil wells will be put down. The re-
sults of tests made in the past few
weeks are most flattering, and the
citizens of that locality are lying
awake nights figuring on the wealth
that will become theirs when million
barrel gushers are struck on their
farms.

ELVA.

Nearly everyone is a victim of la
grippe.

R. Wilcox did business in Tuscola
last week.

Mrs. R. H. Pierce is out of the Doc-
tor's care.

Ross Hutchinson is working for
Jesse Down.

Frank and Lant Calkins are victims
of la grippe.

Mrs. Clara Wilcox is some better at
this writing.

J. Spears has sold his stack of hay to
Louis Hinkley.

E. E. Andrus, of Detroit, was in
town last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis
last week, a boy.

Cnas. Shue, of Flint, was in Elva
last week on business.

Minnie Smith, of Vassar, spent Sun-
day with her parents.

Lottie Smith spent last Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Haines.

Anyone wanting to get a good man
cheap, should apply to Ernest May-
nard.

H. A. Rosencrans, our tax collector,
was in Elva last week looking after the
unpaid tax.

Mina Wilcox has severed her con-
nection with the Tuscola school and is
now at home.

C. M. Pierce will attend the 4th an-
nual reunion of the farmers in Lansing
March 1, 2 and 3.

Its a ten pound boy that makes H.
Davis prance around the streets as if
he was lord of all.

Robert Smith and Jas. Bears are hav-
ing their hay baled and ready for the
New York market.

The Wilcox boys found a snow
white meadow mole the other day—
something uncommon.

Roy Reynolds is on the road for
Brown Bros.' Nursery of Rochester.
Roy is a hustler and is now at his right
calling.

Charlie Richardson and Monroe Van-
Wanries, of Tuscola, were in town last
week on business.

Quite a number of the farmers in
this vicinity have contracted for the
sugar beet factory at Caro.

Friday of this week is the last day
of the Whitney school. There will be
a vacation of about three weeks.

John Pickett has accepted the posi-
tion as salesman for the Arbela and
Tuscola cheese company for the com-
ing coming year.

The surprise party on Andrew
Lotham last Thursday night was a
rousing one. The house was packed to
its utmost capacity. All enjoyed a
good time.

Instead of the funeral of Harry
Streicher as announced by the Pioneer
being held at the house and Elder
Ostrander officiating and the inter-
ment being made in the Hammond
cemetery, the funeral was held at the
Advent Church, Rev. Allen officiated
and the remains laid in the Newton
cemetery.

Wanted, Salesmen.

We make no extravagant offer but
have a good business proposition for
reliable men to sell our Tiger Brands
Lub'g Oil and Greases. Address with
references the HOWARD OIL & GREASE
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Trains run on Central Standard Time.

GOING NORTH			STATIONS			GOING SOUTH		
Fig't.	P. M.	N. No. 1.				X		Fig. No.
A. M.	2:30	A. M.	Detroit	A. M.	11:50	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
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8:15		8:15	PONTIAC			10:30		3:30
8:30		8:30	Elmore			10:15		3:00
8:45		8:45	Elmore			10:00		2:30
9:00	6:00	8:55	Oxford			9:45		2:00
10:08	6:10	9:05	Shomp			9:30		1:32
10:25	6:16	9:12	Leonard			9:16		1:00
11:00	6:30	9:22	Yd.			9:00		12:55
11:30	6:46	9:44	Imay City			8:49		12:30
12:00	6:50	9:56	me			8:32		11:55
1:17	6:59	10:03	MI			8:15		11:40
1:55	7:24	10:16	North Branch			8:00		11:15
2:50	7:38	10:30	Clifford			7:45		10:50
3:25	7:54	10:50	Kington			7:30		10:30
3:48	8:04	10:59	Wilmore			7:15		10:05
4:14	8:12	11:07	Deford			7:00		9:50
5:15	8:28	11:25	Cass City			6:45		9:30
6:16	8:41	11:40	Gagetown			6:30		9:05
6:58	8:52	11:55	Owendale			6:15		8:55
6:15	8:56	12:00	Linkville			6:00		8:30
6:35	9:10	12:15	Pigeon			5:45		8:05
6:40	9:12	12:18	Berne			5:30		7:45
7:10	9:26	12:35	Cassville			5:15		7:25
P. M. P. M. P. M.			Ar	Lv	P. M. A. M. A. M.			

*Fing stations. Trains stop only on signal.
Trains No. 5 will run Monday, Wednesday and
Friday. No. 6 Thursday and Saturday. All other
trains daily except Sunday.
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Rapids and Milwaukee Ry.; Oxford with Bay City
division Mich. Central Ry.; Imay City with Chic-
ago & Grand Trunk Ry.; Clifford with Flint & Pere
Marquette Ry.; Pigeon with Saginaw, Tuscola &
Huron Ry. W. C. SANFORD, Gen. Supt.

Don't Experiment.

When Grip attacks a person of nerv-
ous temperament there is usually a
great depression of spirits, the patient
is plunged in despair, and no amount of
argument or railery has any effect on
his misery. The man or woman whose
nerves become so shattered that it is a
torture to remain in bed, and the night
is passed in a vain attempt to get a
little sleep, is on the down grade to
nervous prostration, insanity and
death. There is no time then to ex-
periment with new and untried remedies.
Neglect or delay in this respect may
prove a fatal mistake.

Dr. Miles' Nerve is the best of all
medicines for the nervous, tired out vic-
tim of the Grip, just as it is the best
remedy for all other weaknesses and dis-
orders of the nervous system. It at-
tacks the minute germs of impurity
clustered in the blood and thoroughly
rouns them out of every hidden corner
of the body.
"I was extremely nervous and al-
though I doctored with several physi-
cians I could not gain strength. My
nerves became so completely unstrung
that I could scarcely sleep at all, and I
thought that I should die. I began tak-
ing Dr. Miles' Nerve and in less than
a week I was feeling very much better.
After taking six bottles I was complete-
ly restored to health."

C. E. HACKETT,

Greene, N. Y.

A trial package of Dr. Miles' favorite
treatment for the Grip, consisting of
Dr. Miles' Nerve, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain
Pills and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver
Pills, will be sent absolutely free of cost
to any person sending name and address
on a postal card, requesting the samples
and mentioning the name of this paper.
Address
Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Have you a
Lame Horse?

Ten to one it's the re-
sult of poor shoeing,
and he will never get
over it until you take
him to

McKim's

Blacksmith Shop

and have him prop-
erly shod. All kinds
of Wood Work and
Repairing Neatly and
Quickly executed.

E. McKIM.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of
money due on and secured by a mortgage dated
the eleventh day of September, 1881, made and
executed by Harvey Weaver, to Cornelia E. Turner
and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for
the County of Tuscola, Michigan, on the thirtieth
day of September, 1881, in Liber 57 of Mortgages
on page 480, upon which mortgage there is claim-
ed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of
three hundred forty-six dollars and six cents.
Now therefore notice is hereby given that by
reason of said default, the said mortgage will be
foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises,
described in said mortgage at public vendue to
the highest bidder, on the tenth day of April, 1895,
at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door
of the court house, in the village of Caro, Tuscola
County, Michigan. (This being the place where the
circuit court for said county is held). The said
mortgaged premises are described in said mor-
tgage substantially as follows, to-wit:—The south-
east quarter of the south-east quarter of section
one (1) township No. thirteen north, range eleven
east, being in the township of Novena, County of
Tuscola, and State of Michigan. Said premises
will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due
on said mortgage and the interest that may ac-
cure on said mortgage between the date of this
notice and the day of sale aforesaid and the costs
of foreclosure.
Dated this 10th day of January, 1895. +6
CORNELIA E. TURNER, Mortgagee.
J. D. BROOKER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Order of Hearing.

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 thirtieth day of February, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Penelope Callard,
deceased.
An instrument in writing, purporting to be the
last will and testament of said Penelope Callard,
having been filed in this Court for probate. It is
ordered, that the 14th day of March next, at 10
o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court, be
assigned for proving said instrument.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this
order be published in the Cass City Enterprise,
a newspaper printed and circulated in said
county, three successive weeks previous to said
day of hearing.
A true copy. JOHN C. LAING,
Judge of Probate.

Order of Hearing.

State of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for said coun-
ty, held at the Probate office in the village of Caro,
on the 21st day of February, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, John C. Laing, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Frary Karr, de-
ceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,
of Edwin McCallan Karr, by his attorney, J. D.
Brooker, praying this court to adjudicate and de-
termine who are or were at the time of his death,
the legal heirs of said Frary Karr and entitled to
inherit the real estate of which he died seized.
It is ordered that the 23d day of March next, at
ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court,
be assigned for hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this or-
der be published in the Cass City Enterprise, a
newspaper printed and circulated in said county,
three successive weeks previous to said day of
hearing.
A true copy. JOHN C. LAING,
Judge of Probate.

HEADACHE cured in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "Oho cost a dose." At druggists.

NEWS FOR MICHIGANDERS.

A Whole Regiment of News Items From Michigan Towns

CAPTURED FOR BRIEF READING.

A Tramp Slugged a Marshall Official so That He Might Obtain Admission to the Jail—The Vassar Woolen Mills Will Resume Operation.

Paid Off Mortgages With Fruit.

Now that the lumbering interest in Newaygo county is exhausting the farmers are turning their attention to fruit growing with much success. Last year's crop enabled many to pay off their mortgages and a number would have lost their farms had it not been for their fruit. Experiments with sugar beets have shown that the soil of the county is favorable for that branch of agriculture also, and the residents of the county are hoping for the improvement of the Muskegon river in order to give them an outlet by water for their products.

Rather Costly Information.

A tramp who applied for admission to the jail at Marshall was refused because he had done nothing entitling him to board at the expense of the county. He asked of the commission if assault and battery would make him eligible, and being told that it would he raised his fist and swatted the officer who gave him the information a hard one right on the proboscis. He is a guest of the county now, but the official who figured in the case is on his guard when any hobo applies to him for information of a similar nature.

Will Resume Operation.

The Converse Manufacturing Co's plant at Newaygo, which has been idle since 1895, has passed into the hands of David L. Stevens, of Grand Rapids, who will put it into operation again. A chair factory and Portland cement factory are other industries assured the village for the coming season, giving employment to several hundred men.

Caught in the Act.

For several weeks Alma people have been suffering from the depredations of chicken thieves, but watchfulness was of no avail in discovering the guilty party until recently when a boy was caught with several chickens belonging to another in his possession. He confessed that an organized band of boys had been making a practice of stealing chickens and selling them.

Are Talking Municipal Ownership.

At the March election the people of the village of Crosswell will decide whether they want to purchase the lighting plant in the village, which is at present run by a private company. Should the decision be in the affirmative, arbitrators will be appointed to agree on the proper price for the plant, and a special election will then be held to ratify their action.

Will be a Benefit to Farmers.

The Vassar woolen mills have changed hands, and the new owners will put them into operation again after putting in new machinery and considerably enlarging the capacity of the plant. This will mean much to the farmers of the county in furnishing them a good market for their wool.

STATE GOSSIP.

Minden City has a new bank.

Dogs have been raising havoc among sheep around Willow.

D. L. Davis has been granted a franchise for an electric road at Fenton.

Cass City now has a business men's association, organized to boom the village.

The death rate at Lapeer this winter is greater than it has been for many years.

The Y. M. C. A. has a total membership of 8,000 in the 31 associations in the state.

Big Rapids will have free mail delivery service, with three carriers, beginning on May 1.

Alma college now has an endowment of \$225,000 and President A. F. Brunsie is much pleased.

Ann Arbor is experimenting with electricity as a means of thawing out frozen water pipes.

The Kimball house, of Algonac, has been leased for one year by William Lanekin, of Memphis.

The annual encampment of the Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Petoskey, June 21 and 22.

A postoffice has been established at Gilt Edge, Wayne county, with Frank E. Bradley postmaster.

Rt. Rev. John B. Vertin, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Sault Ste. Marie and Marquette, is dead.

The St. Andrew's Catholic school at Grand Rapids has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$6,000; insured.

The postoffice at Osceola Center, Livingston county, has been discontinued, and mail will be sent to Howell.

Many lumber camps all over northern Michigan are breaking up, as a result of the recent warm weather.

Charles Huntley, who was charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than murder upon Asa Pound, of Victor township, last December, pleaded guilty at St. Johns, and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the state house of correction at Ionia.

By the death of a wealthy old aunt in the Netherlands, three Grand Haven people, Mrs. Solomon Verhoeks, Mrs. Kooiman and John Donker have become heirs to an estate valued at \$100,000 in that country. The Grand Haven heirs will make a trip across the ocean to get the will settled satisfactorily.

Marshall will vote on a proposition to bond that city for \$25,000 for a sewerage system at the coming election.

Miss Viola Bliss, formerly of Ann Arbor, committed suicide at Chicago recently because she had become deaf.

George Newberry, of Imlay City, received the contents of a gun which he was handling at Omer. He will probably die.

Mt. Clemens is trying to secure free mail delivery, the receipts of the office being sufficient to entitle the city to such service.

John Campbell, an employee of the Wagner Lake Ice Co., Baw Besse lake, fell 30 feet from an icehouse, and was fatally injured.

The Michigan Gas association, which met at Lansing this year, choose Detroit as the place for holding their meeting in 1900.

Deposits of lead of a superior quality have been discovered on a farm in Grant township, Huron Co., while drilling a well.

Jacob S. M. Roger, aged 73, of Alma, who was recently married to a Mrs. Harriet R. Wilson, of Lansing, is said to be a bigamist.

There is talk of another cement factory being located at Bronson. The one there is now turning out 500 barrels of cement a day.

During the extreme cold weather of a few weeks ago a hen belonging to a citizen of Pinckney stole her nest and has now 13 fine chickens.

The first earload of furniture for the new possessions of the United States has been started on its journey to Manila from Grand Rapids.

During 1898 Dowagiac suffered but four fires, with a total loss of \$700, less \$400 insurance. One fatality resulted, a child being burned to death.

While John Corey, of Chelsea, was stealing a ride from Jackson to his home he accidentally slipped and fell under the wheels of the car and was killed.

At a post mortem examination over the remains of Aug. Linger, jr., aged 15, of St. Joseph, it was discovered that his death was due to cigarette smoking.

A tramp who had been refused shelter by Gus Karlaw, a farmer living near Okemos, set fire to the straw in the farmer's barn and three horses were suffocated.

It is but a short time since the two daily papers at Menominee suspended for lack of patronage, but already arrangements are being made for starting another.

The Quincy mine in the copper country has followed the lead of Calumet & Hecla and announced a 10 per cent raise in the wages of all its employees from March 1.

Corunna young ladies have organized an old maids' club, and one of the rules is that any member seen in the company of a young man at any time is liable to a fine.

The high school building at Sand Beach, which was destroyed by fire several weeks ago, will be replaced by a fine new building with all the modern improvements.

A Gratiot county farmer sold his farm at an advance of \$200 over the outside figure at which he had held it before the sugar factory at Alma became a sure thing.

John McCollum, a Bad Axe livery man, was found dead in a buggy four miles west of that village the other day. Heart disease or foul play is supposed to be the cause.

Battle Creek is to have a new \$10,000 public library building, which was bequeathed to the school district by the late Chas. Willard. The building will be erected this summer.

It is said that pearl mussels in paying quantities have been found in creeks in Calhoun county. The story goes that some valuable specimens of pearls have been found.

Instead of the usual robin stories this year the papers are telling of snakes that are rushing the season. A four-foot blue racer was killed at Pinckney the other day.

Beet sugar will now take a back seat for a short time in the interest of Michigan farmers while they gather a sugar crop of another kind, for the maple sugar season is on.

A small settlement of miners' cottages have been moved over the ice on Saginaw bay from Sebawing to the stone quarries at Bay Port. About 25 have been moved already.

On July 1 the postoffice at Houghton will be raised from a third class to a second class office, the business of the office, exclusive of money orders, now exceeding \$10,000 per year.

While workmen were engaged in driving a well at the home of Christ Hemington in Grayling, they struck a flowing well at the depth of 28 feet, which has a showing of oil.

Jules F. Jeanneret, manager of Wright, Kay & Co.'s jewelry repair department, of Detroit, ended his life by stabbing himself through the heart. He was disappointed in love.

Pontiac people evidently believe in savings banks and do not keep their spare cash laying around loose. In six houses visited by burglars in the past two weeks only \$5.60 was secured.

It took a Columbus, O., jury only 30 minutes to decide that Dr. George O. Wright, of Detroit, is the father of Judge Kittle Shieglemeyer's baby. Judge Evans, before whom the case was tried, has not yet fixed the amount that Dr. Wright shall pay for the support of the child.

Food Commissioner Grosvenor, in his monthly statement, says he has been only partially successful in trying to establish the fact that the sale of oleomargarine colored to imitate butter is a violation of the general food law. Varying constructions have been given the law by the courts.

The village council of Schoolcraft has decided to submit the question of bonding the village for \$7,344 for an electric lighting plant to a vote of the people at the regular election in March.

Clayton Smith, of Berrien township, thinks stock raising the best paying business he can engage in. One of his cows last week gave birth to four calves, all of which are healthy and doing well.

Charter Maidment, of Standish, the 16-year-old boy who was arrested, charged with placing obstructions on the M. C. railroad at Deep River, has confessed. He says he doesn't know why he did it.

The people of Sand Beach think the present name of their village is misleading and liable to prejudice outsiders against the place, and will accordingly ask the legislature to change it to Harbor Beach.

The question of bonding the village for electric lights will be voted on at the March election at Schoolcraft, for the third time within a few months. Both times previously the proposition has been defeated.

The inquest over the remains of Mrs. Hartel, of Port Huron, developed the fact that death was caused by acute alcoholism. Her husband had furnished her with two gallons of whisky during the week she died.

The farmers of Jackson county, on opening their potato pits, are finding that not so many of the tubers have been ruined by frost as had been expected, although the loss as it is will run up into many thousands of bushels.

Probably the last large sale of green pine timber in Oakland county has been consummated. Jonathan Clark has sold the tract of pine between Brooks and Clark lakes, Addison township, to Peter Rowley, of Leonard, for \$5,000.

The family of Austin Bastick, of Millington, consisting of seven people, were all poisoned by eating turkey. Doctors worked over them for a long time and finally brought them out all right. Mrs. Bastick narrowly escaped death.

Farmers who think their fruit trees have been killed by the late cold snap will do well not to cut them down yet awhile, else they may see before the season is over their less precipitate neighbors picking fruit from trees now considered dead.

A scheme is on foot to build an electric railway along the St. Clair river, connecting Marine City and St. Clair with Port Huron. This would form a through route from Detroit and Port Huron. The Port Huron Electric Railway Co. is interested in the deal.

Lee Shank, aged 30, a prominent man in society circles at Albion, made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide in the Albion house. Shank took four bottles of laudanum, but physicians say there is a chance for his recovery. He was despondent, caused by drink.

Inquiries among the farmers in every portion of Lapeer county indicate that small fruits up that way will be a minus quantity this season. Not only have the peach, pear and plum buds been destroyed, but a large portion of the trees themselves have been killed.

The makers of school desks, opera chairs, lecture and concert hall furniture, church pews and church furniture, at Grand Rapids, have agreed to pool their interests in a concern to be known as the American School Furniture Co. The capital stock is \$10,000,000.

The Michigan Republican club banquet, held in Detroit, was a success in every particular. Following are the officers elected: President, W. A. Hurst, Detroit; vice-president, H. H. Smith, Ionia; secretary, Burt D. Cady, Port Huron; treasurer, Frank Wait, Sturgis.

The steel range people from Chicago who have been canvassing Huron county are said to have sold more than 500 ranges there at prices about 30 per cent higher than home merchants would ask, and to have taken something like \$35,000 in cash out of the county.

A respectable elderly woman of Coldwater died the other day, and although she leaves a husband and six children, none of whom are in poor circumstances, the county was called upon to bury her, as none of her children would lend a hand to prevent her burial as a pauper.

Sunday afternoon, February 26, a memorial meeting was held at the University of Michigan in honor of the late Judge Thomas M. Cooley and Professor E. L. Walter. Mr. C. A. Kent spoke regarding Judge Cooley and Professor Richard Hudson gave an address on Professor Walter.

Farmers and horse owners will do well to examine cornstalks before feeding them to their equines and see if there is any corn smut on the fodder. Dr. J. L. Campbell, of Birmingham, lost two horses from eating stalks which contained a quantity of smut. The team was valued at \$400.

An Gres has been a very sleepy village ever since the pine ceased to come down the river. Now it will have an awakening, for a first-class stove and heading mill, employing 60 men, is to be erected there. The village has donated \$1,000 to the mill owners, and will exempt them from taxes for five years.

W. C. Simmons, ex-postmaster of Hesperia, who was sentenced by the U. S. court at Grand Rapids to four years in the Detroit house of correction and to pay a fine of \$2,384, the amount of his shortage, was arrested at Seattle a few months ago and brought back for trial. About four years ago he disappeared from Hesperia, going to Honolulu. Since his return he admitted his guilt, and also that he had committed bigamy during his travels.

Lansing has lost one of its industries, the Lansing Paper Box Co.'s factory, which has been consolidated with another like concern and moved to Ionia.

FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE

By Telegraph Giving a Brief Resume of the Week's Events.

RELIABLE AND INTERESTING.

Havana is Able to Bear a \$25,000,000 Debt—The American Commission Have Made Their Last Concession to Canadians—War Notes.

Havana Finances.

The work on Havana's finances, in which Mr. Haskins, the expert accountant, has been engaged, is drawing to a close. He will report to Gen. Ludlow, governor of the department of Havana, that the city is able to bear a \$25,000,000 debt. The present 6 per cent obligations, amounting to \$12,500,000, will be refunded and the remainder of the new bond issue will be used for improvements. If the existing debt alone was refunded, Mr. Haskins says it could be done at 4 per cent, and the total issue of \$25,000,000 would be favorably received in New York at 5 per cent.

Americans Not to Blame.

Without any purpose to start a flood of recrimination the American members of the high Canadian commission feel that they have not been to blame for the failure to reach an agreement, but that they are justified in the statement that they have made concession after concession. It is just probable that better results may attend a further conference of the joint body next summer. The officials at Washington say the Americans side have made their last concession, and that the Canadians cannot expect any better terms hereafter than they have recently refused.

Not a Single Execution in the Late War.

In reaching the decision to recommend a long term of imprisonment in the case of a private in an Alabama regiment, who had killed a man in an affray, Judge Advocate Liber has completed a remarkable record, disposing of the last of the capital cases that had come before his department for review without in any single case imposing the death penalty. Thus, the war has passed without the execution of a single soldier on account of military crimes. This is believed to be without parallel in history. There were crimes committed, but they lacked malice or premeditation and there were no desertions because of cowardice or treachery.

A Bold Chicago Murder.

Robt. J. Walsh, of Chicago, a dealer in real estate and partner of E. W. Partridge in a large dry goods business in Detroit, was shot and killed in the hallway in front of his office by Daniel Driscoll, a former janitor of Walsh's hall. Since Driscoll was discharged it is said he brooded over the loss of his position, and on the day of the shooting he went to Walsh's office and demanded his place back. On being refused he pulled a revolver and fired five shots, all of which took effect. Driscoll is in jail.

WAR NOTES.

The shooting of two Englishmen and of Mr. Argentine, manager of the Andrew cotton mill at Tondo, was unavoidable. During the excitement occasioned by the fires in the vicinity, the trio leaned from an upper window. Their white suits attracted the attention of the American soldiers, who believed them to be natives, firing from the windows, shot all three. One was killed, one fatally wounded and the other slightly wounded.

The latest piece of treachery to be undertaken by the Filipinos was to burn Manila in the night, and they succeeded in burning acres of buildings. During the burning of the buildings the natives did all in their power to block the work of the firemen, by cutting the hose and keeping up a continual fire upon the Americans. The casualties were few but the property loss was enormous. Four Americans were wounded.

The officials at Washington have now decided that the Filipinos must be crushed without delay. Gen. Lawton, an old Indian fighter, with troops, are expected to reach the Philippines in a few weeks, when a forward campaign will begin and a heavy blow struck that will keep the insurgents quiet during the rainy season or cause them to surrender.

Aguinaldo has issued a manifesto accepting the situation caused by the "unexpected provocation of the Americans," wherein he assumes that he is prepared to sacrifice anything to maintain the national honor of his country, and alleges that "even the corrupt Spanish dominion is preferable to the odious American dominion."

Brig.-Gen. King's troops came off victorious in an engagement with the Filipinos near Guadalupe, driving them from the ravines and shelling Guadalupe church with the loss of three killed and two wounded, while the insurgents had 50 killed.

Gen. Miller still holds Jaro and Molo, and the natives of Negros Island voluntarily hoisted the stars and stripes, offered allegiance and asked for protection.

Gen. Miller has sent troops to Santa Barbara, which is now occupied by the Americans. This is an important town, 16 miles from Iloilo, with a large population.

Advices from Berlin tell of the finding of Andre's balloon 234 miles from Krasnoirs and 67 miles from the gold washings in Sanvich. Near the balloon three dead bodies were found.

The report of Secretary Alger's intended resignation is declared untrue. He has never contemplated retiring and above all will never go out of office under fire.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

A substitute for the body of the Atkinson bill and all other bills involving an equalization of taxation has been submitted to a joint committee. The bill provides for a rate of 2 per cent of all incomes of between \$1,500 and \$100,000; 3 per cent between \$100,000 and \$500,000; 4 per cent between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000; 5 per cent on all in excess of \$1,000,000.

The house had a scrap over a resolution offered by Rep. Hoffmeister that the state affairs committee take a junket to the Bay City sugar beet factory to observe the practical workings of the industry, in view of the legislation on the subject that will be asked. Several members opposed it and several roll calls were taken on amendments. It was finally amended to include the committee on private corporations and then passed.

The beet sugar bounty lobby sprung a new trick in the game of legislation when they got a concurrent resolution adopted in the senate, expressing their sense that no change should be made in the present bounty of one cent a pound.

The total number of senate bills introduced at this session was 546, as against 561 last session.

Legislative Gossip.

The governor has sent the following appointments to the senate: D. A. MacLachlan, Detroit, member of the state board of health, for six years; George H. Wetherbee, of Detroit, member of the board of managers for the Michigan Soldiers' home, for six years; Chas. F. Coffin, of Grand Rapids, member of the board of managers of the Soldiers' home, for six years; Collins P. Johnston, M. D., of Grand Rapids, member of the state board of health, for six years; Amariah F. Freeman, of Manchester, member of the Michigan state prison board, for six years; Dr. B. Howard Lawson and Dr. John L. Irwin, Detroit, health board to succeed Dr. C. S. Morley and Dr. Longyear.

The Pingree men in the house worked a little "scoop" on the ants when Rep. Gillam introduced a copy of the Cheever-Atkinson bill, and had it referred to the committee on revision of the statutes of which John J. Carton is chairman and on which the Pingree men claim they have a majority. In the rush of bills the title was not noticed or recognized or there might have been a fuss over the reference. In the same way Rep. Aldrich introduced the same bill and had it laid on the table from which it can be taken and put on its passage at any time when there are votes enough.

Senator Monaghan's bill amending the divorce laws limits the causes for which divorces shall be granted to adultery, physical incompetency, imprisonment for crime for three years, utter and willful drunkenness for two years, habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty such as endangers life and health. Separate maintenance and limited divorces are cut out entirely. The guilty party is prohibited from marrying again, except a remarriage. Bishop Ninde has written a letter to Senator Monaghan approving the bill.

The attorney-general has sustained the opinion of the judge-advocate general of the war department in the celebrated case of the Cortez Bros., of Manila, and has notified Gen. Otis to turn over to the representatives of the Cortez family all of their property now held by the military authorities in the archipelago.

It is said that Gov. Pingree will veto the bill which seeks to make the village of Warren the center of a school district, and thereby tax a lot of property outside of the village to support the school. The bill was recently rushed through both houses by Rep. Wells of that district.

Rep. Rusk's recent peace jubilee was a success in every particular.

The latest from the battlefield is to the effect that 8,000 rebels are anxious to surrender. They also express the belief that Aguinaldo is inclined to accept pacific overtures.

While 300 Chinamen, en route to Mexico, were awaiting examination by U. S. health officers at Montreal they made things lively for the police of that city. The windows in the depot were broken and the officers turned upon. The Chinamen, it is said, had been told they were on their way to a land of cannibals.

The American residents in the Chee Foo, China, have sent an appeal to the San Francisco chamber of commerce requesting that a ship load of corn be sent for the relief 2,000,000 Chinese in Shang Tung province, the unprecedented floods of the Yellow river having destroyed crops, and the immense population along the great river being on the verge of starvation.

The inhabitants of Breckenridge, Kokomo, Dillon, Col., and other points in that vicinity, as well as hundreds of miners living in cabins in the surrounding mountains, are in a condition that is rapidly becoming desperate on account of heavy snow storms. Stock is already starving in the towns and the food supplies for the people are running very low. It is believed isolated miners have already starved to death.

Gen. Gomez was received at Havana with military honors by the American military commanders on his recent visit there. He, in company with them watched 2,500 of his soldiers defile in the Plaza of Arms past the palace from the balcony on which Gen. Brooke and other American generals stood less than two months ago, when the last company of departing Spanish troops saluted the American troops, and Capt. Gen. Castellanos formally yielded the Spanish sovereignty. The celebration left a pleasing impression.

A combination of the sewer pipe industries in the United States is assured.

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Every cough makes your throat more raw and irritable. Every cough congests the lining membrane of your lungs. Cease tearing your throat and lungs in this way. Put the parts at rest and give them a chance to heal. You will need some help to do this, and you will find it in

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From the first dose the quiet and rest begin: the tickling in the throat ceases; the spasm weakens; the cough disappears. Do not wait for pneumonia and consumption but cut short your cold without delay.

Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster should be over the lungs of every person troubled with a cough.

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Unusual opportunities and long experience eminently qualify us for giving you medical advice. Write freely all the particulars in your case. Tell us what your experience has been with our Cherry Pectoral. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost.

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The recent decree of the Court providing for the foreclosure and sale of the main line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad is directly in line with the reorganization proceedings.

Lane's Family Medicine.
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

No man ever lives up to the reputation he wants people to think he has.

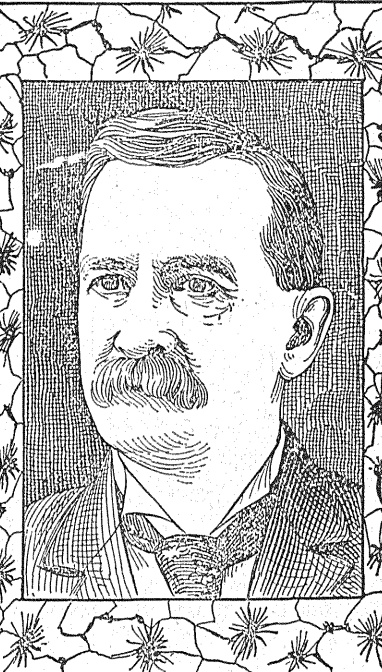
No matter how long you have had the cough; if it hasn't already developed into consumption Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure it.

There would be fewer axes ground if the grinders had to turn the crank.

Tongues of the Cat Family.
The tongues of the cat family are covered with recurring spines. In the common domestic cat these are small, but sufficiently well developed to give the tongue a feeling of roughness. But in the lion and tiger the spines are strong enough to enable the animal to tear away the skin of a man's hand merely by licking it.

A CONGRESSMAN

Cured of Catarrh of Long Standing.



Ex-Congressman A. T. Goodwyn, from Alabama, writes the following letter:

The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio: Gentlemen—I have now used two bottles of Pe-ru-na, and am a well man today. I could feel the good effects of your medicine before I had used it a week, after suffering with catarrh for over a year. Respectfully, A. T. Goodwyn.

Catarrh in its various forms is rapidly becoming a national curse. An undoubted remedy has been discovered by Dr. Hartman. This remedy has been thoroughly tested during the past forty years. Prominent men have come to know of its virtues and are making public utterances on the subject. To save the country we must save the people. To save the people we must protect them from disease. The disease that is at once the most prevalent and stubborn of cure is catarrh. Public men of all parties recognize in Pe-ru-na a national catarrh remedy of unequalled merit. Send to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, for a free book on catarrh.

Every time a man swallows a doctor's advice he has to cough up \$2.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

Epitome of the Week

Contractors are figuring on Sheridan's new hotel.

"Watch dat ar mule" in J. J. Wallace's adv.

James D. Brooker made a trip to Detroit on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. E. Perkins is visiting friends in Grayling.

O. K. Janes returned from Detroit the first of the week.

Miss Amanda Hall was at Kingston Tuesday on business.

The Democratic county convention meets at Caro to-day.

Andrew Campbell made a trip to Ellington Wednesday.

J. A. Caldwell is moving the wing of the old Tennant House.

Jas. L. Purdy, the Gagetown banker, was in town on Tuesday.

A. L. Foster and Jas. Wooley, of Bad Axe, were in town on Sunday.

Miss Jennie Leitch, of Pontiac, is visiting at her parental home.

Mrs. Wm. Golley is spending a week with her parents at Hay Creek.

C. W. Heller made a business trip to several northern towns this week.

The financial statement of our village will appear in our next issue.

Jas. Lacroix has moved into the Hackett residence on Segar Street.

John Cloakey has a Jersey sow which gave birth to sixteen pigs last week.

Jas. MacArthur is attending the Republican state convention at Jackson.

The social at Wright's schoolhouse is to be held to-morrow evening, March 3rd.

Mrs. L. C. Tilton has returned to Flushing, after several weeks' visit here.

Jas. A. McArthur and A. G. Berney made a business trip to Detroit on Monday.

A little daughter arrived at the home of Rev. and Mrs. F. Klump on Friday morning.

Another "olive branch" has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Root. It's a boy.

S. Ostrander was unable to attend to business the first of the week. Cause—a gripe.

H. B. Outwater has returned from his visit and is again on duty at Laing & Janes' store.

Miss Lottie Usher will lead the Epworth League Sunday evening. Topic, "The Gates of Zion."

Colon Monroe returned Saturday evening from a visit to his brother, Dr. N. C. Monroe, at Omer.

Messrs. John W. Murphy and John Marshall are attending the state round-up Farmers' Institute at Pontiac.

The Millington Messenger has been purchased by Gloster and Poote, two practical printers from Vicksburg, Mich.

"Dreams of Fairyland" at the Town Hall tomorrow night. It will be worth twice the price of admission. Don't miss it.

Hear Prof. N. N. Riddall at the M. E. Church on evening of March 17th—the third number of the Citizens' Lecture Course.

A trip to Fairyland for 25 cents. It is not often we have such an opportunity. Attend the cantata at the Town Hall tomorrow night.

J. H. Striffler announces the arrival of a carload of wagons and two carloads of buggies. He has sold thirty-five wagons this winter.

Even la gripe has claims for the man whose life is insured in the Grand Old Mutual Life Insurance Co., of N. Y.

The topic for the Junior Endeavor next Sunday will be "Christ's Great Commandment and How to Keep It." Leader, Claudine McClinton.

The fierce storm Sunday shook the Evangelical church at Kilmanagh so that the plaster dropped from the ceiling down on the congregation.

Henry Diebel has secured the contract for moving the Evangelical church from Berne to Pigeon. Operations will be commenced at once.

The potato evaporating works at North Branch have closed for the season, having used up all the potatoes to be purchased in the neighborhood.

Married, at the residence of Mrs. Shaggeny, east of town, by Justice Jones, on Wednesday, Feb. 8th, John Shaggeny to Miss Annie Ort, of Grant.

Rep. McKay, of Tuscola, thinks girls of 16 and boys of 18 are too young to marry. He has introduced a bill extending the ages to 18 and 20 respectively.

The school board has purchased a carload of St. Charles coal which is now being delivered at the school-house, it having been impossible to secure wood.

The American Monthly Review of Reviews for March has a sketch of the late President Faure, of France, illustrated with portraits and other interesting pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frutchey, of Detroit, are spending a few days with friends here, having but recently returned from a trip to Virginia and Washington, D. C.

D. J. Landon, of the firm of Landon, Eno & Keating, made a trip to Saginaw and Bay City this week to negotiate the purchase of lumber and supplies for the coming building season.

Wm. Hallack returned from his parental home in Grant township the first of the week, where he has been called owing to the severe illness of his father. He left him somewhat improved.

The Social Workers of the Baptist Church will meet at Mrs. Parker's on Wednesday afternoon March 8th. Tea will be served in the evening from 5 to 8 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Ellsworth C. Plumstead, the singer and impersonator who so pleased our people when here some time ago, has consented to give us another date and will be here the evening of Wednesday, March 22nd.

Last week, Wm. H. Murphy visited stock yards at Wixom and Mt. Morris and purchased three full blood Berkshire swine. He believes in having the best and will make an announcement in the ENTERPRISE in a few weeks.

Owing to the sudden rise of water on Sunday, S. Champion moved his barber shop furniture out from under the Cass City Bank, fearing it might be damaged. The water subsided sufficiently for him to replace it Monday afternoon.

Farmers who think their fruit trees have been killed by the late cold snap will do well not to cut them down yet awhile, else they may see before the season is over their less precipitate neighbors picking fruit from trees now considered dead.

Hugh McColl has purchased the old Tennant House barn of Postmaster Ale and likewise two lots from Mrs. L. A. DeWitt, at the corner of Oak and Sanial Streets. We understand that he will place the barn upon the lots and open a ten cent barn. The old shed at the rear has already been removed.

The Vassar woolen mills have changed hands, and the new owners will put them into operation again after putting in new machinery and considerably enlarging the capacity of the plant. This will mean much to the farmers of the county in furnishing them a good market for their wool crop.

The members of the Junior Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church will give the most successful children's cantata ever presented, "Dreams of Fairyland", at the Town Hall tomorrow (Friday) evening. There will be picturesque drills that will be very pleasing and entertaining. The price of admission is 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

Messrs. Ratz and Wettlaufer, of Stratford, Ont., spent several days here during the week and have in mind the location of a factory here for the manufacture of their pea harvester, which is said to be the best machine of the kind on the market, also wheelbarrows, washing machines, churns, etc. They left for Detroit on Saturday afternoon but will return next week.

W. J. Campbell went to Caro this morning to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the Tuscola Mutual Fire Insurance Company. The company has lately occupied offices in the Carson & Ealy block, the A. O. O. G. also having offices there. The business of the latter society has so increased that the insurance company has been asked to vacate, and the board is called together to consider a proposition for offices in the new block to be erected by Quinn and Slocum.

A German farmer was driving to Yale with an empty wagon. The mud was deep and the wagon got stuck, and despite the efforts of the team to pull it out it continued to remain stuck. The German got out of the wagon, flourished his whip and yelled at the horses, but still it stuck. Throwing the lines down on the ground the German looked at the wagon over with a perplexed air and then remarked: "Mein Gott, dot is a hell of a fix. Vot vill I do. Here I been stuck in der mud mit an empty wagon unt noddings to unload."

Last Sunday concluded the labors of Evangelist Geo. R. Jackson at the M. E. Church here. His labors lasted a little over three weeks and were marked with success from the start. On Sunday morning fifty-four were received into the church on probation, as one of the results, while several signified their intention of uniting with other churches. The Sunday services were full of interest and several others professed conversion during the day. One of the most noticeable features was the goodly number of young men who took part. The pastor and people feel greatly encouraged and are continuing the meetings through this week.

It is now known for a certainty that we cannot secure a beet sugar factory in time to handle this year's crop. A plant could be ready to run about November 1st, but it is thought to be more advisable to get in good shape for another season rather than to attempt to make a season's run after that late date. The impression prevails that if the farmers had more generally stepped to the front promptly with their acreage, so as to have gained an advance of two weeks the wheels would have turned in good time this year. However, capital is now sufficiently interested and convinced of the advantage of the site that they will look over the ground this season and in all probability locate the site, so that every detail may be taken well in hand in ample time for another year. This is not a matter to die out in a few days but one in which interest must be taken because of the profits in it for all concerned.

In the earlier days, one of the most interesting characters in this section was "Indian Riley", who owned and resided on a good sized tract of land opposite the Catholic Church in Sheridan township. Deer hunting was then at its best and hordes of sportsmen came in from outside, employing Riley and the young men of the section as guides. Riley was very intimate with the young men and being of a friendly disposition would do almost anything to please them, but one thing he would not do—disclose the spot where he procured lead for bullets. He frequently told them not to buy lead, he would give them plenty, and they returned the favor by keeping him well supplied with his provisions. Watch as closely as they would they could not learn the secret. Riley made irregular clandestine trips in a southerly direction, would be absent about two days, or a little more, and return with a good supply of excellent lead ore. He always maintained that his Chief would not allow him to tell. It is thought that he first discovered the mineral and made it known to the other Ladians. There is a possibility that the developments now taking place may reveal the hiding place of the mineral. It is known that capitalists have secured options on several hundred acres of land east of town, ostensibly with the object of developing the marl beds known to exist there, but provisos in the agreements give them the privilege of working other minerals if discovered. The opinion is expressed that nothing will be done before July, but, as is usual in such matters, everything is kept remarkably quiet.

Strangled to Death.

In the case of John McCollum, the boy hostler who returned to Bad Axe in a senseless condition, with the reins dragging upon the ground last Friday, the coroner passed the verdict that death by strangulation ensued before reaching town, even though the body remained warm for hours. He had taken considerable liquor and while in a stupid condition his head fell forward upon his breast and caused his death. McKenzie and McIntyre, the men in whose company he left Bad Axe, admitted giving him liquor seven different times.

GREENLEAF.

Charles Roblin is home from the woods.

Eli Baxter is rapidly recovering from la gripe.

Dan Livingston was in Uby Tuesday on business.

Hugh McColl visited with friends near Gagetown Tuesday.

Dan Fanlyson, of Dunwich, Ont., is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Mary Paul is seriously ill with Pneumonia, under the care of Dr. J. S. Corcoran.

Miss Nannie Waldie went to Pontiac last week, where she will remain indefinitely.

Wallace Gilbert contemplates making maple sugar on a much larger scale this year than ever before, having rented A. Vogel's sugar bush. He will tap about three thousand trees.

LINKVILLE.

Wm. Holmes made a trip to Casaville one day last week.

R. J. Lauesburg, of Pontiac, did business here Monday and Tuesday.

Earl Spencer, of Sebawaing, visited friends in town the first of the week.

C. W. Heller, of the Cass City Roller Mills, was among our callers on Tuesday.

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Jos. Maier, of Central Lake, and Mrs. Lewis Maier of Pigeon, visited friends here on Saturday last.

Some of our neighboring states are troubled very much with heavy snow, and we have not had a days sleighing here this winter. It seems as though we ought to get some snow as well as our neighbors.

Notice of Village Election.

Notice is hereby given that the annual village election of the village of Cass City, county of Tuscola, state of Michigan, will be held at the Council Rooms in said village on Monday, March 18th, A. D. 1899, at which time the following officers are to be elected, viz: One president, one clerk, one treasurer, three trustees for two years each and one assessor. The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m., of said day of election.

By order of the Village Board of Election Inspectors.

HUGH W. SEED,
Clerk of said Village.

Dated this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1899.

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A Man Who Wouldn't Accept Legal Advice For Nothing.

The other day an old fellow slouched into Attorney Oscar Kahn's office, on Legal row, and introduced himself as Mr. Smith, Jones, Brown, or something, of a neighboring county. He said he wanted to consult a lawyer and was accorded a seat and one of the attorney's sweetest smiles.

He then explained that while he was away from home the sheriff or some deputy had attached his wife's sewing machine and bureau for taxes. He did not propose to tolerate such imposition, he declared.

"What is the amount of taxes?" inquired the lawyer.

"Lemme see—\$1.28," was the reply.

The lawyer could not conceal a smile, but hastened to say: "Well, Mr. Smith, if you want my advice, it is to go back and settle that small amount. It looks like the easiest and best way out of it."

The old fellow thought a moment and replied that he believed he would. Answering, he asked, "How much do I owe you?"

"Oh, nothing, sir," was the reply. "I won't charge you anything for a little advice like that."

"But I allus pays fer whut I git and want ter pay yer jes' the same."

"Oh, that's all right; come in again some time when you need advice on something more important, and we'll square it then."

"Naw, I want ter pay it now. Jes' squeal out. Ef it's 25 cents, I'll pay it. Ef ye want 50, there it is!" And he threw down a half dollar and left—Paducah (Ky.) Sun.

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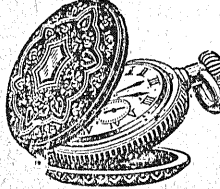
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